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# TIGERS' TOP COMMAND

## JOHN E. FETZER

John E. Fetzer, sole owner of the Tigers since November, 1961 and part-owner for five years before that, is a self-made man who parlayed radio pioneering into a fortune but never lost his youthful love for baseball.

As a result of his dual interests, Fetzer is recognized as one of baseball's true statesmen and the leading authority on the game's television broadcasting operations. He has been instrumental in pushing baseball's TV income to levels once believed beyond reach.

His 20 years of Tiger ownership were recognized Aug. 22, 1976 when he received an elaborate symbolic clock from American League President Lee MacPhail on behalf of all of the league's clubowners.

During the off-season following, Fetzer was honored for Distinguished Community Service by the Metropolitan March of Dimes for his decision to keep the Tigers in the City of Detroit and arrange for renovation of Tiger Stadium.

He also was cited in June, 1977 by the Detroit Chamber of Commerce for "highest achievement in service to the community" and was one of the first six persons to receive that organization's Summit Award.

The Tiger owner has been accorded many other honors, both in baseball and broadcasting. He has been a member of baseball's Executive Council, highest-level policy making unit, since 1974, following a previous term, 1961-65. He also is chairman of the American League planning committee.

A key figure in the three-group syndicate which purchased the Tigers from the W. O. Briggs Sr. estate for $5,500,000 in 1956, Fetzer gained two-third control in 1960 and 15 months later bought up the remaining shares to give the Tigers their first one-man ownership since Briggs' death in 1952.

Born at Decatur, Ind., March 25, 1901, Fetzer attended high school at West Lafayette, Ind., and it was there he became interested in railroad telegraphy, which led to his interest in radio and eventually television.

He attended Purdue University in 1921, dropped out to take up radio engineering on a commercial basis, but returned to college to get a degree in 1927 at Andrews University near Benton Harbor. He also graduated from the National Radio Institute in Washington, did graduate work at the University of Michigan and extension work at the University of Wisconsin. He received an honorary LL.D. from Western Michigan University.

Fetzer built a number of broadcast properties during the 1920s, then in 1930 set up his base of operations at Kalamazoo, where it has remained. His radio-television properties include outlets in Michigan, Nebraska and Iowa. He has holdings in a number of other fields.

The Tiger owner has a long record of service to broadcasting organizations and was a key figure in government service during World War II in the field of radio censorship and post-war rehabilitation in Europe.

He was married July 19, 1926 to Rhea Maud Yeager and the Fetzers maintain homes in Kalamazoo, Tucson, Ariz., and Michigan's Sleeping Bear resort area.

## JIM CAMPBELL

Jim Campbell has devoted his entire working career to the Tigers, rising from business manager of a Class D farm club in 1949 to vice-president of the Tigers in 1959, general manager in 1962, executive vice-president in 1966, then president and general manager in 1978.

Campbell joined the Tiger organization in December, 1949, soon after graduation from Ohio State University.

His first position, at the age of 25, was business manager at Thomasville, Ga., of the Class D Georgia-Florida League. He never will forget that the night after he reported for duty, the Thomasville park burned down.

The following year, Campbell was promoted to the Tigers' top farm club at Toledo of the American Association, as business manager, and the next season he moved to Buffalo of the International League when the Tigers transferred their operations to that city.

He was summoned to Tiger Stadium in October, 1952, to become business manager of the farm department and a year later was named assistant farm director, a post he held until 1956.

With the sale of the Tigers in October that year to a syndicate headed by John E. Fetzer, Campbell moved up to farm director and the following June was named business manager of the Detroit Baseball Co.

His advancement to vice-president followed on Feb. 1, 1959 — four days before his 35th birthday. About a year later, he assumed direct charge of all minor league operations and scouting.

In mid-1962, he was appointed administrative assistant to Owner John E. Fetzer and at the end of that season, he was elevated to general manager.

By 1966, Campbell had become executive vice-president and general manager, then in August, 1978 was named president and general manager.

One of Campbell's early achievements was construction and development of Tigertown, the rookie training base at Lakeland, Fla., which has been in use since 1953. He also was instrumental in developing the Marchant Stadium facilities now used by the Tigers in spring training.

The peak of Campbell's career was reached in 1968 when the Tigers wrested the World Championship from the St. Louis Cardinals with a stirring comeback triumph in the World Series. For that, Campbell was named 1968 Major League Executive of the Year.

He also is proud of the Tigers' near-miss in 1967 and their Eastern Division Championship in 1972, when they went to the final game of the playoffs before seeing the American League pennant slip from their grasp.

His full name is James Arthur Campbell but he prefers to be called Jim. He was born Feb. 5, 1924 at Huron, Ohio, and attended high school there. At Ohio State, he was an outfielder on Buckeye nines. Between high school and college, he spent four years (1943-46) in the Navy air corps.



# TIGER STADIUM FACTS

A renovation of Tiger Stadium was started in November, 1977 after the historic plant was sold to the City of Detroit for $1 and leased back to the Tigers for 30 years with a 30-year renewal option.

First step in the renovation was replacement of seats in the Lower Deck with modern plastic seats. Installation of a new scoreboard with message capabilities, construction of new broadcast facilities and new seating for the Upper Deck were scheduled next with remodeled clubhouses and restrooms, redesigned ramps and replacement of out-moded wiring and plumbing to follow.

Two improvements, financed by the Tigers before the sale of the stadium, were 1977 installation of a $500,000 multi-vapor field lighting system and construction of a $600,000 pressbox to replace one destroyed by fire Feb. 1, 1977.

Before the current renovation, maximum seating at Tiger Stadium was 53,676 with 10,341 box seats, 25,800 reserved, 6,324 general admission and 11,211 bleachers. The figures will be changed by the renovation work but the extent is not yet determined.

Baseball has been played on the site of Tiger Stadium since 1900, a year before the American League was born with Detroit as a charter member. Known as Bennett Park at that time, it became Navin Field in 1912, Briggs Stadium in 1938 and Tiger Stadium Jan. 1, 1961.

## STADIUM INFORMATION

**CAPACITY** — 53,676 (subject to current alterations.)

**AREA** — Stadium grounds and parking lot cover 8½ acres. Playing field occupies approximately half of total area.

**LIGHTING** — Eight towers, 550 multi-vapor lamps. Installed 1977.

**DUGOUTS** — Connected with clubhouses by tunnels, visitors on first base side, home club on third base side. Depressed, dugout-type bullpens new in 1963.

**CONCESSIONS** — Operated by Detroit Sportservice, Inc.

**FENCES** — Leftfield, 340 feet from plate; left-center, 365; centerfield, 440; right-center, 370; rightfield, 325. All fences uniformly nine feet high.

**HEIGHTS** — From ground to facing of upper deck, 34 feet. Ground to first tier of third deck pressbox, 82 feet. Ground to roof of third deck pressbox level, 94 feet. Ground to top of light towers, 155 feet. Flag pole in centerfield is 125 feet.

## TIME OF GAMES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Single day games | 1:30 p.m. | Night games | 8:00 p.m. |
| (Exc. Saturdays | 2:15 p.m.) | Twi-nighters | 5:30 p.m. |
| Day doubleheaders | 1:30 p.m. | | |

## TICKET PRICES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Box seats | $6.00 | Grandstand seats | $3.50 |
| Reserved seats | $5.00 | Bleacher seats | $2.00 |

Tiger Day (women and girls, boys, retirees, youth groups) — $1.50 each.

Family Night — $5.00 for head of family, $1.50 each for others in family group.

(Prices include 50-cent city surcharge on each ticket)

## MEDIA INFORMATION

WORKING CREDENTIALS at Tiger Stadium for those without regularly-issued annual credentials can be requested by writing or calling Hal Middlesworth, Public Relations Director, Tiger Stadium, Detroit, Mich. 48216. Telephone (313) 962-4000 or 962-0825. Detroit chapter, Baseball Writers Assn. of America and Detroit Sports Broadcasters Assn. final authorities on eligibility.

TEMPORARY CREDENTIALS can be picked up at a booth near Gate 3, on Trumbull near Michigan, with entrance at Gate 3. Credentials must be presented to pressbox elevator operator, ground level behind home plate, for admittance to Third Deck area.

TRANSMISSION SERVICES at Tiger Stadium have been made available by Sportscomm and Amfax — but they request advance orders. Qwip telecopiers supplied by Tigers for anyone wishing to file his own copy; plenty of toll board extension telephones (for collect or credit card calls) also available.

## GROUND RULES

Foul poles are outside of playing field.

Batted ball striking facing or any part of upper stands on fair territory and bouncing back on field: home run.

Fly ball striking lights underneath upper stands from rightfield to centerfield on fair territory and bounding back on field: home run.

Ball striking flag pole above base and bounding into stands: home run.

Ball striking base of flag pole and bounding into stands: two bases.

Fair bounding ball going onto roof of either bullpen dugout; two bases.

Ball going through or sticking in screen on fair ground: two bases.

Pitched ball sticking or remaining on backstop screen: one base. Thrown ball: two bases.

Fly ball going over wire fence of space covering canvas in centerfield: home run.

Fly ball striking protective fence which protrudes into stands in left- and rightfield: home run.

# FARM SYSTEM and SCOUTING

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| Club — League | Class | 1979 Manager | 1978 Finish |
|---|---|---|---|
| Evansville Triplets<br>American Association | AAA | Jim Leyland | 2nd—East Div.<br>(78-58) |
| Montgomery Rebels<br>Southern League | AA | Denny Sommers | 4th—West Div.<br>(66-77) |
| Lakeland Tigers<br>Florida State League | A | Fred Hatfield | 2nd—North Div.†<br>(78-60) |
| Bristol Tigers<br>Appalachian League | Rookie | Joe Lewis | 3rd<br>(35-34) |

†Def. St. Petersburg (1-0), lost to Miami (1-2) in playoffs.

BILLY MUFFETT ..... Minor League Pitching Coach

EVANSVILLE (Bosse Field): Aubrey D. Ryals, chairman; Alvin Daub'e, president; Chuck Murphy, general manager.

MONTGOMERY (Paterson Field): John Walter Stowers, president; Jerry Waselik, general manager.

LAKELAND (Marchant Stadium): Frank Decker, president and general manager; Jerry Polk, sales and promotions director.

BRISTOL (Randolph Field): John Leonard, president; Robert E. Childress, general manager.

The Tiger farm system enjoyed another successful season in 1978 with a combined record of 257 victories against 229 losses, the sixth straight year over the .500 mark.

Evansville and Lakeland narrowly missed winning championships, while the all-rookie Bristol club finished third and Montgomery, drained of pitching by calls from higher levels, dipped to fourth after winning five of the six previous Southern League championships.

For his fine results at Evansville, Les Moss was named "1978 Minor League Manager of the Year" by The Sporting News — and rewarded with promotion to manage the Tigers in 1979. Under his direction, the 1978 Triplets made one of the fastest starts in history, with a 34-8 record on June 1, best in Organized Baseball at the time, but injuries and heavy player drains slashed the Trips' 12-game lead and their championship bid fell short by a half-game on the final night of the season.

At Montgomery, Manager Ed Brinkman had good hitting but not enough pitching to maintain the Rebels' championship pace. When Brinkman was selected for Moss' coaching staff at Tiger Stadium in 1979, the Tigers went outside their organization for his successor at Montgomery, naming Denny Sommers, New York Mets coach the past two seasons.

There were honors and a promotion, too, for Jim Leyland, the Lakeland manager. His team won the second-half race in its division and posted the second-best over-all record in the league. The Little Tigers then won one playoff game to enter the championship finals but dropped two out of three to Miami in the title round. For the second straight year, Leyland was named "Manager of the Year" in the Florida State League, then advanced to Evansville to succeed Moss in 1979. Named his successor at Lakeland was Fred Hatfield, Tiger coach the past two campaigns.

The all-rookie team at Bristol produced some fine young prospects under Manager Joe Lewis, the senior manager in the Tiger farm system, but fell one game short of the .500 mark with a 35-34 finish.

Since 1974, the Tigers have been a member of the Major League Scouting Bureau, which has a staff of scouts throughout the United States to do the spade work for participating clubs going into the semi-annual baseball drafts.

Information the scouts gather is fed into a computer, then relayed by a sophisticated transmission system to the teams.

However, the Tigers additionally have retained a staff of eight full-time scouts of their own to evaluate recommendations of the bureau's agents. They are:

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1611 Tulane Rd.
Claremont, Calif. 91711

Wilber, Del
513 Woodleaf Ct.
Kirkwood, Mo. 63122

In the Michigan-Ohio-Ontario area, the Tigers also get assistance from 10 others in conducting clinics, handling tryout camps and making public appearances. They include Jim Command, Grand Rapids; Rudy Furchak, Fraser; Clevern Govan, Detroit; Rodney Hampton, Detroit; Ron Hudo, Warren; Ken Madeja, Westland; Wendell Nehmer, Saginaw; Keith Roberts, Kalamazoo; Doug Serrels, Burton; and Bob Sullivan, Grand Rapids.



# SPRING TRAINING FACTS

The Tigers have trained at Lakeland since 1934, first at Henley Field and since 1966 at Marchant Stadium, a mile north. The all-concrete grandstand at Marchant Stadium was built by the City of Lakeland at a cost of $500,000, and in 1972 the first night game was played there under a new $160,000 set of lights.

Adjacent to the 12-acre tract on which the stadium is situated is Tigertown, the Tigers' minor-league training site since 1953. A plush, three-story, fireproof dormitory featuring air-conditioning, carpeted rooms and lounges on each floor, was added to the Tigertown complex in 1971. It houses 200 minor league players and officials. The $400,000 structure was financed by the Tigers and the City of Lakeland, with the city to be reimbursed for its contributions within 10 years.

The Marchant Stadium grandstand seats 4,075, including 450 box seats. The clubhouse accommodates up to 50 players in each club section with added quarters for umpires.

## SPRING EXHIBITION RESULTS

**(Does not include games vs. B teams, minor league teams)**

| Year | Florida Only Home | Florida Only Road | W-L | Pct. | Other Sites | Grand Total | Pct. | vs AL | vs NL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1978 | 11-3 | 7-5 | 18-8 | .692 | 0-1 | 18-9 | .667 | 9-3 | 9-6 |
| 1977 | 7-9 | 8-4 | 15-13 | .536 | None | 15-13 | .536 | 9-5 | 6-8 |
| 1976 | 5-6 | 3-3 | 8-9 | .471 | None | 8-9 | .471 | 4-2 | 4-7 |
| 1975 | 7-11 | 6-8 | 13-19 | .406 | None | 13-19 | .406 | 5-8 | 8-10 |
| 1974 | 7-6 | 4-7 | 11-13 | .458 | 1-2 | 12-15 | .444 | 4-5 | 8-10 |
| 1973 | 11-3 | 3-9 | 14-12 | .538 | None | 14-12 | .538 | 4-6 | 10-6 |
| 1972 | 12-3 | 4-6 | 16-9 | .640 | None | 16-9 | .640 | 7-6 | 4-6 |
| 1971 | 8-6 | 5-8 | 13-14 | .481 | 0-2 | 13-16 | .448 | 6-6 | 7-10 |
| 1970 | 7-8 | 5-8 | 12-16 | .429 | None | 12-16 | .429 | 8-6 | 4-10 |
| 1969 | 7-4 | 2-12 | 9-16 | .360 | 0-1 | 9-17 | .346 | 3-6 | 6-11 |
| 1968 | 9-6 | 5-9 | 14-15 | .483 | None | 14-15 | .483 | 7-6 | 7-9 |
| 1967 | 8-6 | 6-7 | 14-13 | .519 | None | 14-13 | .519 | 9-8 | 5-5 |
| 1966 | 7-4 | 6-5 | 13-9 | .591 | 0-3 | 13-12 | .520 | 6-5 | 7-7 |
| 1965 | 11-3 | 0-10 | 11-13 | .458 | 0-3 | 11-16 | .407 | 4-6 | 7-10 |
| 1964 | 5-8 | 5-7 | 10-15 | .400 | 0-2 | 10-17 | .370 | 5-7 | 5-10 |
| 1963 | 7-6 | 8-6 | 15-12 | .556 | 1-0 | 16-12 | .571 | 8-8 | 8-4 |
| 1962 | 2-9 | 6-8 | 8-17 | .320 | None | 8-17 | .320 | 5-9 | 3-8 |
| 1961 | 6-9 | 8-5 | 14-14 | .500 | None | 14-14 | .500 | 6-7 | 8-7 |
| 1960 | 10-6 | 4-10 | 14-16 | .467 | None | 14-16 | .467 | 8-10 | 6-6 |
| 1959 | 5-7 | 8-3 | 13-10 | .565 | None | 13-10 | .565 | 3-5 | 10-5 |
| 1958 | 4-6 | 2-11 | 6-17 | .261 | 1-2 | 7-19 | .269 | 3-10 | 4-9 |
| 1957 | 5-6 | 3-9 | 8-15 | .348 | 2-3 | 10-18 | .357 | 3-5 | 7-13 |
| 1956 | 5-6 | 3-10 | 8-16 | .333 | 0-3 | 8-19 | .296 | 5-5 | 3-14 |
| 1955 | 3-5 | 4-6 | 7-11 | .389 | 1-3 | 8-14 | .364 | 3-7 | 5-7 |
| 1954 | 4-6 | 4-8 | 8-14 | .364 | 4-3 | 12-17 | .414 | 2-5 | 10-12 |
| 1953 | 7-2 | 6-3 | 13-5 | .722 | 0-4 | 13-9 | .591 | 4-4 | 9-5 |

## SPRING EXHIBITION ATTENDANCE

**(Includes games vs. B teams, minor league teams)**

| Year | Lakeland | Others In Florida | Total In Florida | Other Sites | Grand Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1978 | 66,771 (14) | 48,438 (12) | 115,209 (26) | 14,131 (1) | 129,340 (27) |
| 1977 | 55,770 (16) | 43,393 (12) | 99,163 (28) | None | 99,163 (28) |
| 1976 | 31,805 (10) | 15,488 (6) | 47,293 (16) | None | 47,293 (16) |
| 1975 | 54,654 (18) | 42,034 (14) | 96,688 (32) | None | 96,688 (32) |
| 1974 | 37,408 (13) | 37,127 (11) | 74,535 (24) | 11,183 (3) | 85,718 (27) |
| 1973 | 42,159 (15) | 41,485 (12) | 83,742 (27) | None | 83,742 (27) |
| 1972 | 38,597 (15) | 32,035 (10) | 70,632 (25) | None | 70,632 (25) |
| 1971 | 28,620 (14) | 41,231 (13) | 69,851 (27) | 16,684 (2) | 86,535 (29) |
| 1970 | 28,677 (15) | 32,487 (13) | 61,164 (28) | None | 61-164 (28) |
| 1969 | 26,357 (11) | 49,269 (14) | 75,626 (25) | 7,203 (1) | 82,829 (26) |
| 1968 | 30,258 (15) | 37,843 (14) | 68,101 (29) | None | 68,101 (29) |
| 1967 | 28,687 (14) | 35,314 (13) | 64,001 (27) | None | 64,001 (27) |
| 1966 | 27,808 (11) | 28,180 (11) | 55,988 (22) | 66,359 (4) | 122,347 (26) |
| 1965 | 23,344 (14) | 23,877 (10) | 47,221 (24) | 106,118 (3) | 153,617 (27) |
| 1964 | 22,383 (12) | 28,579 (12) | 50,962 (24) | 12,750 (2) | 63,712 (26) |
| 1963 | 24,508 (13) | 39,081 (14) | 63,589 (27) | 7,656 (1) | 71,245 (28) |
| 1962 | 22,971 (11) | 42,568 (14) | 65,539 (25) | None | 65,539 (25) |
| 1961 | 23,941 (16) | 33,389 (15) | 57,330 (31) | None | 57,330 (31) |
| 1960 | 22,730 (16) | 30,767 (14) | 53,497 (30) | None | 53,497 (30) |
| 1959 | 20,174 (12) | 23,250 (11) | 43,424 (23) | None | 43,424 (23) |
| 1958 | 17,997 (10) | 26,045 (13) | 44,042 (23) | 21,676 (3) | 65,718 (26) |
| 1957 | 18,279 (12) | 37,959 (12) | 56,238 (24) | 15,667 (5) | 71,905 (29) |
| 1956 | 20,268 (11) | 29,370 (13) | 49,638 (24) | 20,652 (7) | 69,090 (31) |
| 1955 | 13,692 (8) | 22,698 (10) | 36,390 (18) | 23,013 (4) | 59,403 (22) |
| 1954 | 14,067 (11) | 24,549 (13) | 38,616 (24) | 15,552 (7) | 54,168 (31) |
| 1953 | 17,582 (13) | 25,775 (10) | 43,357 (23) | 8,606 (4) | 51,963 (27) |

## SPRING TRAINING SITES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1901 | Detroit | 1922-26 | Augusta, Ga. |
| 1902 | Ypsilanti | 1927-28 | San Antonio, Texas |
| 1903-04 | Shreveport, La. | 1929 | Phoenix, Ariz. |
| 1905-07 | Augusta, Ga. | 1930 | Tampa, Fla. |
| 1908 | Hot Springs, Ark. | 1931 | Sacramento, Calif. |
| 1909-10 | San Antonio, Texas | 1932 | Palo Alto, Calif. |
| 1911-12 | Monroe, La. | 1933 | San Antonio, Texas |
| 1913-15 | Gulfport, Miss. | 1934-42 | Lakeland, Fla. |
| 1916-18 | Waxahachie, Texas | 1943-45 | Evansville, Ind. |
| 1919-20 | Macon, Ga. | 1946- | Lakeland, Fla. |
| 1921 | San Antonio, Texas | | |

# DETROIT IN AMERICAN LEAGUE

| Year | Pos | W-L | Pct | GA GB | Manager | Attendance |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1978 | 5 | 86-76 | .531 | 13½ | Ralph Houk | 1,714,893 |
| 1977 | 4 | 74-88 | .457 | 26 | Ralph Houk | 1,359,856 |
| 1976 | 5 | 74-87 | .460 | 24 | Ralph Houk | 1,467,020 |
| 1975 | 6 | 57-102 | .358 | 37½ | Ralph Houk | 1,058,836 |
| 1974 | 6 | 72-90 | .444 | 19 | Ralph Houk | 1,243,080 |
| 1973 | 3 | 85-77 | .525 | 12 | Billy Martin-Joe Schultz | 1,724,146 |
| 1972 | 1 | 86-70 | .551 | ½ | Billy Martin | 1,892,386 |
| | (2-3 vs. Oakland in East-West Series. Att. (3G) at Detroit 129,047) | | | | | |
| 1971 | 2 | 91-71 | .562 | 12 | Billy Martin | 1,591,073 |
| 1970 | 4 | 79-83 | .487 | 29 | Mayo Smith | 1,501,293 |
| 1969 | 2 | 90-72 | .556 | 19 | Mayo Smith | 1,577,481 |
| 1968 | 1 | 103-59 | .636 | 12 | Mayo Smith | 2,031,847 |
| 1967 | T2 | 91-71 | .562 | 1 | Mayo Smith | 1,447,143 |
| 1966 | 3 | 88-74 | .543 | 10 | Dressen-Swift-Frank Skaff | 1,124,293 |
| 1965 | 4 | 89-73 | .549 | 13 | Chuck Dressen-Bob Swift | 1,029,645 |
| 1964 | 4 | 85-77 | .525 | 14 | Chuck Dressen | 816,139 |
| 1963 | T5 | 79-83 | .488 | 25½ | Bob Scheffing-Chuck Dressen | 821,952 |
| 1962 | 4 | 85-76 | .528 | 10½ | Bob Scheffing | 1,207,881 |
| 1961 | 2 | 101-61 | .623 | 8 | Bob Scheffing | 1,600,710 |
| 1960 | 6 | 71-83 | .461 | 26 | Jimmie Dykes-Joe Gordon | 1,167,669 |
| 1959 | 4 | 76-78 | .494 | 18 | Bill Norman-Jimmie Dykes | 1,221,221 |
| 1958 | 5 | 77-77 | .500 | 15 | Jack Tighe-Bill Norman | 1,098,924 |
| 1957 | 4 | 78-76 | .506 | 20 | Jack Tighe | 1,272,346 |
| 1956 | 5 | 82-72 | .532 | 15 | Bucky Harris | 1,051,182 |
| 1955 | 5 | 79-75 | .513 | 17 | Bucky Harris | 1,181,838 |
| 1954 | 5 | 68-86 | .442 | 43 | Fred Hutchinson | 1,079,842 |
| 1953 | 6 | 60-94 | .390 | 40½ | Fred Hutchinson | 884,658 |
| 1952 | 8 | 50-104 | .325 | 45 | Red Rolfe-Fred Hutchinson | 1,026,846 |
| 1951 | 5 | 73-81 | .474 | 25 | Red Rolfe | 1,132,641 |
| 1950 | 2 | 95-59 | .617 | 3 | Red Rolfe | 1,951,474 |
| 1949 | 4 | 87-67 | .565 | 10 | Red Rolfe | 1,821,204 |
| 1948 | 5 | 78-76 | .506 | 18½ | Steve O'Neill | 1,743-035 |
| 1947 | 2 | 85-69 | .552 | 12 | Steve O'Neill | 1,398,093 |
| 1946 | 2 | 92-62 | .597 | 12 | Steve O'Neill | 1,722,590 |
| 1945 | 1 | 88-65 | .575 | 1½ | Steve O'Neill | 1,280,341 |
| 1944 | 2 | 88-66 | .571 | 1 | Steve O'Neill | 923,176 |
| 1943 | 5 | 78-76 | .506 | 20 | Steve O'Neill | 606,287 |
| 1942 | 5 | 73-81 | .474 | 30 | Del Baker | 580,087 |
| 1941 | T4 | 75-79 | .487 | 26 | Del Baker | 684,915 |
| 1940 | 1 | 90-64 | .584 | 1 | Del Baker | 1,112,693 |
| 1939 | 5 | 81-73 | .526 | 26½ | Del Baker | 836,279 |
| 1938 | 4 | 84-70 | .545 | 16 | Mickey Cochrane-Del Baker | 799,557 |
| 1937 | 2 | 89-65 | .578 | 13 | Mickey Cochrane | 1,072,276 |
| 1936 | 2 | 83-71 | .539 | 19½ | Mickey Cochrane | 875,948 |
| 1935 | 1 | 93-58 | .616 | 3 | Mickey Cochrane | 1,034,929 |
| 1934 | 1 | 101-53 | .656 | 7 | Mickey Cochrane | 919,161 |
| 1933 | 5 | 75-79 | .487 | 25 | Bucky Harris | 320,972 |
| 1932 | 5 | 76-75 | .503 | 29½ | Bucky Harris | 397,157 |
| 1931 | 7 | 61-93 | .396 | 47 | Bucky Harris | 434,056 |
| 1930 | 5 | 75-79 | .487 | 27 | Bucky Harris | 649,450 |
| 1929 | 6 | 70-84 | .455 | 36 | Bucky Harris | 869,318 |
| 1928 | 6 | 68-86 | .442 | 33 | George Moriarty | 474,323 |
| 1927 | 4 | 82-71 | .536 | 27½ | George Moriarty | 773,716 |
| 1926 | 6 | 74-75 | .513 | 12 | Ty Cobb | 711,914 |
| 1925 | 4 | 81-73 | .526 | 16½ | Ty Cobb | 820,766 |
| 1924 | 3 | 86-68 | .558 | 6 | Ty Cobb | 1,015,136 |
| 1923 | 2 | 83-71 | .539 | 16 | Ty Cobb | 911,377 |
| 1922 | 3 | 79-75 | .513 | 15 | Ty Cobb | 861,206 |
| 1921 | 6 | 71-82 | .464 | 27 | Ty Cobb | 661,527 |
| 1920 | 7 | 61-93 | .396 | 37 | Hughie Jennings | 579,650 |
| 1919 | 4 | 80-60 | .571 | 8 | Hughie Jennings | 643,805 |
| 1918 | 7 | 55-71 | .437 | 20 | Hughie Jennings | 203,719 |
| 1917 | 4 | 78-75 | .510 | 21½ | Hughie Jennings | 457,289 |
| 1916 | 3 | 87-67 | .565 | 4 | Hughie Jennings | 616,772 |
| 1915 | 2 | 100-54 | .649 | 2½ | Hughie Jennings | 476,105 |
| 1914 | 4 | 80-73 | .523 | 19½ | Hughie Jennings | 416,225 |
| 1913 | 6 | 66-87 | .431 | 30 | Hughie Jennings | 398,502 |
| 1912 | 6 | 69-84 | .451 | 36½ | Hughie Jennings | 402,870 |
| 1911 | 2 | 89-65 | .578 | 13½ | Hughie Jennings | 484,988 |
| 1910 | 3 | 86-68 | .558 | 18 | Hughie Jennings | 391,288 |
| 1909 | 1 | 98-54 | .645 | 3½ | Hughie Jennings | 490,490 |
| 1908 | 1 | 90-63 | .588 | ½ | Hughie Jennings | 436,199 |
| 1907 | 1 | 92-58 | .613 | 1½ | Hughie Jennings | 297,079 |
| 1906 | 6 | 71-78 | .477 | 21 | Bill Armour | 174,043 |
| 1905 | 3 | 79-74 | .516 | 15½ | Bill Armour | 193,384 |
| 1904 | 7 | 62-90 | .408 | 32 | Ed Barrow-Bobby Lowe | 177,796 |
| 1903 | 5 | 65-71 | .478 | 25 | Ed Barrow | 224,523 |
| 1902 | 7 | 52-83 | .385 | 30½ | Frank Dwyer | 189,469 |
| 1901 | 3 | 74-61 | .548 | 8½ | George Stallings | 259,430 |
| Totals | | 6209-5819 | .516 | | | 72,103,430 |



# TIGERS IN WORLD SERIES

**1907 — Chicago 4 games, Detroit 0 (Plus 12-inn. tie)**

Manager Frank Chance's National League champions by 17½-game margin were easy winners over Hughie Jennings' tired Tigers, who nosed out Philadelphia by six points in bitter finishing drive. Tiger morale suffered when Catcher Charlie Schmidt failed to hold 9th-inning third strike which would have ended first game on winning note. Darkness brought 3-3 tie in 12 innings and Cubs, who stole 18 bases during series, went on to well-deserved triumph.

**1908 — Chicago 4 games, Detroit 1**

History repeated as Frank Chance's hard-hitting Cubs, one-game National League winners over New York, easily handled Hughie Jennings' Tigers, last-day victors over Chicago in American League. Tigers scored 15 runs in first three games, then were shut out twice. George Mullin won Detroit's only victory in third game with help of four hits by Ty Cobb.

**1909 — Pittsburgh 4 games, Detroit 3**

First World Series going limit was taken by Fred Clarke's Pirates when Babe Adams, unheralded rookie, surprisingly won three decisions over Hughie Jennings' battling Tigers as two teams alternated in winning. Honus Wagner batted .333 for Pirates in duel with Ty Cobb, who hit .231 in his last World Series. Bill Abstein, Pirate first baseman, fanned 10 times and was fired as soon as series ended.

**1934 — St. Louis 4 games, Detroit 3**

Tigers qualified with first American League pennant in 25 years under Mickey Cochrane's aggressive management but were nosed out by Frank Frisch's Cardinals in bitter series marked by final-game row in which Commissioner Landis removed Joe Medwick from game when Detroit fans showered field with garbage following Medwick's collision with Marv Owen, Tiger third baseman. Dean brothers, Dizzy and Paul, won two games each for Cards; Charlie Gehringer hit .379 for Tigers and Pepper Martin .355 for Cards.

**1935 — Detroit 4 games, Chicago 2**

Tigers won first World Championship under Mickey Cochrane's direction, vanquishing Charlie Grimm's Cubs despite loss of Hank Greenberg with broken wrist in second game. Tommy Bridges scored two mound victories, Alvin Crowder and Schoolboy Rowe one each for Tigers. In final game, Cochrane scored winning run on Goose Goslin's single, throwing delirious Detroit fans into wild celebration lasting all night.

**1940 — Cincinnati 4 games, Detroit 3**

Bill McKechnie's Reds, easy winners in regular season, gave National League its first World Series triumph since 1934 by edging out Del Baker's Tigers, next-to-last day pennant winners in American League. Bobo Newsom won twice for Tigers, despite father's death in Cincinnati hotel following first game, but lost finale while pitching with one day's rest. Tommy Bridges won other Detroit victory, Paul Derringer and Bucky Walters took two each for Reds.

**1945 — Detroit 4 games, Chicago 3**

Steve O'Neill's Tiger's, last-game pennant winners on grand slam homer by Hank Greenberg, just back from army, continued World Series hex over Charlie Grimm's Cubs in wartime atmosphere. Hank Borowy pitched shutout and Claude Passeau had one-hitter for Cubs but Hal Newhouser fanned 22 in series and won twice for Tigers. Greenberg had two homers, three doubles among his seven hits in series.

**1968 — Detroit 4 games, St. Louis 3**

After losing three of first four games, Mayo Smith's Tigers stormed back for three straight over Red Schoendienst's Cardinals as Mickey Lolich won three games. Al Kaline got chance in his first World Series after 16 years with Tigers when Smith broke up regular outfield by moving Mickey Stanley to shortstop to make room for Kaline. Denny McLain, Tigers' 31-game regular season winner, lost opening game when Bob Gibson fanned 17; split two later decisions.

# TIGERS IN CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

**1972 — Oakland 3 games, Detroit 2**

Billy Martin's battling Tigers lost first two games to Dick Williams' A's at Oakland, won next two at Detroit but finally bowed by one run as American League got its first five-game championship. Tight pitching marked series with two shutouts and other three games decided by one run. Bert Campaneris, of A's, was fined and suspended at start of following season for throwing bat at Lerrin LaGrow when hit on ankle by Tiger pitcher in second game.

# TIGERS IN NATIONAL LEAGUE

Detroit was member of National League from 1881 through 1888; dropped out of majors until 1901, to return as charter member of American League.

Tigers of 1887 won National League pennant by 3½ games, engaged St. Louis champions of American Association, in 15-game post-season series which was forerunner of World Series. Detroit won 10 of 15 games in cross-country tour.

| Year | Pos. | W-L | Pct. | GA/GB | Manager |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1881 | 4 | 41-43 | .488 | 15 | Frank Bancroft |
| 1882 | 6 | 42-41 | .506 | 12½ | Frank Bancroft |
| 1883 | 7 | 40-58 | .408 | 23 | Jack Chapman |
| 1884 | 8 | 28-84 | .250 | 56 | Jack Chapman |
| 1885 | 6 | 41-67 | .380 | 44 | Charlie Morton-Bill Watkins |
| 1886 | 2 | 87-36 | .707 | 2½ | Bill Watkins |
| 1887 | 1 | 79-45 | .637 | 3½ | Bill Watkins |
| 1888 | 5 | 68-63 | .519 | 16 | Bill Watkins-Bob Leadley |

# TIGERS TO REMEMBER

## BATTING CHAMPIONS

Ty Cobb 1907 1909 1911 1913 1915 1918 1908 1910 1912 1914 1917 1919
Harry Heilmann 1921 1925 1923 1927
Heinie Manush 1926
Charlie Gehringer 1937
George Kell 1949
Al Kaline 1955
Harvey Kuenn 1959
Norm Cash 1961

## HOME RUN CHAMPIONS

Sam Crawford 1908 1914 (tie)
Ty Cobb 1909
Hank Greenberg 1935 (tie) 1938 1940 1946
Rudy York 1943

## RBI CHAMPIONS

Ty Cobb 1909
Hank Greenberg 1935 1937 1940 1946
Rudy York 1943
Ray Boone 1955

## TRIPLE CROWN WINNER

Ty Cobb 1909 (.377 batting average, 9 home runs, 115 runs batted in)

## BASEBALL WRITERS ASSN. AWARDS

**Chalmers Award (AL)** — Ty Cobb 1911
**Most Valuable Player (AL)** — Mickey Cochrane 1934
Hank Greenberg 1935 1940
Charlie Gehringer 1937
Hal Newhouser 1944 1945
Denny McLain 1968
**Cy Young Award (AL)** — Denny McLain 1968 (unanimous) 1969 (tied)
**Rookie of the Year (AL)** — Harvey Kuenn 1953
Mark Fidrych 1976
Lou Whitaker 1978

## THE SPORTING NEWS AWARDS

**Most Valuable Player (AL)** — Hank Greenberg 1935 1940
Charlie Gehringer 1937
Eddie Mayo 1945
**Player of the Year (AL)** — Al Kaline 1955 1963
**Pitcher of the Year (AL)** — Denny McLain 1968 1969
**Player of the Year (ML)** — Hal Newhouser 1945
Denny McLain 1968
**Fireman of the Year (AL)** — John Hiller 1973
**Rookie of the Year (AL)** — Harvey Kuenn 1953
**Rookie Pitcher of the Year (AL)** — Mark Fidrych 1976
Dave Rozema 1977
**Manager of the Year (ML)** — Red Rolfe 1950
Mayo Smith 1968
**Executive of the Year (ML)** — W.O. Briggs Sr. 1940
James A. Campbell 1968

## GOLD GLOVE AWARDS

1957 Al Kaline, of
1958 Frank Bolling, 2b
Al Kaline, of
1959 Al Kaline, of
1961 Al Kaline, of
Frank Lary, p
1962 Al Kaline, of
1963 Al Kaline, of
1964 Al Kaline, of
1965 Bill Freehan, c
Al Kaline, of
1966 Bill Freehan, c
Al Kaline, of
1967 Bill Freehan, c
Al Kaline, of
1968 Bill Freehan, c
Mickey Stanley, of
1969 Bill Freehan, c
Mickey Stanley, of
1970 Mickey Stanley, of
1972 Ed Brinkman, ss
1973 Mickey Stanley, of
1976 Aurelio Rodriguez, 3b

## OTHER AWARDS

**Roberto Clemente Award** — Al Kaline 1973
**Joseph E. Cronin Trophy** — Al Kaline 1974
**Lou Gehrig Trophy** — Al Kaline 1970
**The Hutch Award** — Al Kaline 1970
John Hiller 1973
**Comeback Player of the Year (AL)** — Norm Cash 1965 1971
John Hiller 1973
**World Series Most Valuable Player** — Mickey Lolich 1968
**Designated Hitter of the Year (AL)** — Willie Horton 1975
Rusty Staub 1978
**American League Player of the Month** — Al Kaline, September, 1974
Willie Horton, April, 1976
Ron LeFlore, May, 1976
Mark Fidrych, June, 1976
**American League Player of the Week** — Willie Horton, Aug. 3, 1975; April 25, 1976
Ron LeFlore, May 9, 1976
Jason Thompson, June 25, 1978



# TIGERS TO REMEMBER

## NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME

| | Pos. | Year Selected | Years at Detroit | Playing Career |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Averill, Earl | of | 1975 | 1939-40 | 1929-41 |
| Barrow, Edward G. | mgr | 1953 | 1903-04 | |
| Brouthers, Dan | 1b | 1945 | 1886-88* | 1879-04 |
| Cobb, Ty | of-mgr | 1936 | 1905-26 | 1905-28 |
| Cochrane, Mickey | c-mgr | 1947 | 1934-38 | 1925-37 |
| Crawford, Sam | of | 1957 | 1903-17 | 1899-17 |
| Evans, Billy | gen mgr | 1973 | 1947-51 | |
| Gehringer, Charlie | if | 1949 | 1924-42 | 1924-42 |
| Goslin, Goose | of | 1968 | 1934-37 | 1921-38 |
| Greenberg, Hank | 1b-of | 1956 | 1930-46 | 1930-47 |
| Harris, Bucky | if-mgr | 1975 | 1929-33 | 1919-31 |
| | | | 1955-56 | |
| Heilmann, Harry | of-1b | 1952 | 1914-29 | 1914-32 |
| Hoyt, Waite | p | 1969 | 1930-31 | 1918-38 |
| Jennings, Hughie | ss-mgr | 1945 | 1907-20 | 1891-18 |
| Manush, Heinie | of | 1964 | 1923-27 | 1923-39 |
| Mathews, Eddie | 3b-1b | 1978 | 1967-68 | 1952-68 |
| Simmons, Al | of | 1953 | 1936 | 1924-44 |
| Thompson, Sam | of | 1974 | 1885-88* | 1885-06 |
| | | | 1906 | |

*Detroit in National League

## MICHIGAN SPORTS HALL OF FAME

| Name | Selected | Name | Selected |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bridges, Tommy | 1963 | Jennings, Hughie | 1958 |
| Briggs, Walter O. Sr. | 1969 | Kaline, Al | 1978 |
| Cobb, Ty | 1955 | Kell, George | 1969 |
| Cochrane, Mickey | 1957 | Manush, Heinie | 1964 |
| Crawford, Sam | 1958 | Mullin, George | 1962 |
| Egan, Wish | 1960 | Newhouser, Hal | 1962 |
| Gehringer, Charlie | 1956 | Rogell, Billy | 1970 |
| Goslin, Goose | 1965 | Rowe, Schoolboy | 1961 |
| Greenberg, Hank | 1958 | York, Rudy | 1972 |
| Heilmann, Harry | 1956 | | |

## GREATEST TIGERS EVER

**(Selected by fans in 1969)**

Ty Cobb, of
Mickey Cochrane, c
Charlie Gehringer, 2b
Hank Greenberg, 1b
Harry Heilmann, of
Al Kaline, of
George Kell, 3b
Denny McLain, rhp
Hal Newhouser, lhp
Billy Rogell, ss

## TIGER OF THE YEAR

**(Selected by Detroit Baseball Writers Assn.)**

1965—Don Wert
1966—Denny McLain
1967—Bill Freehan
1968—Denny McLain
1969—Denny McLain
1970—Tom Timmerman
1971—Mickey Lolich
1972—Ed Brinkman
1973—John Hiller
1974—Al Kaline
1975—Willie Horton
1976—Mark Fidrych
1977—Ron LeFlore
1978—Ron LeFlore

## ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

**(Selected by Detroit Sports Broadcasters Assn.)**

1969—Mike Kilkenny
1970—Elliott Maddox
1971—None eligible
1972—Chuck Seelbach
1973—Dick Sharon
1974—Ron LeFlore
1975—Vern Ruhle
1976—Mark Fidrych
1977—Dave Rozema
1978—Lou Whitaker

## KING TIGER

**(Congeniality Award by Tiger Fan Clubs)**

1961—Steve Boros
1962—Mike Roarke
1963—Bill Freehan
1964—Hank Aguirre
1965—Don Wert
1966—Dick McAuliffe
1967—Bill Freehan
1968—Bill Freehan
1969—Norm Cash
1970—Al Kaline
1971—Fred Scherman
1972—Fred Scherman
1973—John Hiller
1974—Mickey Lolich
1975—Bill Freehan
1976—Mickey Stanley
1977—Mickey Stanley
1978—Lance Parrish

## NO TIGER NUMBERS RETIRED

The Tigers have never retired a player's uniform number, one reason being that during Ty Cobb's days in Detroit, players did not wear numbers.

# TIGERS' 20-GAME WINNERS

1901—Roscoe Miller ..... 23-13
1903—George Mullin ..... 21-15
1905—Ed Killian ..... 23-14
George Mullin ..... 21-20
1906—George Mullin ..... 21-18
1907—Bill Donovan ..... 25- 4
Ed Killian ..... 25-13
George Mullin ..... 20-20
1908—Oren Summers ..... 24-12
1909—George Mullin ..... 29- 9
Edgar Willett ..... 22- 9
1910—George Mullin ..... 21-12
1914—Harry Coveleski ..... 22-12
1915—George Dauss ..... 23-13
Harry Coveleski ..... 23-13
1916—Harry Coveleski ..... 23-10
1919—George Dauss ..... 21- 9
1923—George Dauss ..... 21-13
1934—Schoolboy Rowe ..... 24- 8
Tommy Bridges ..... 22-11
1935—Tommy Bridges ..... 21-10
1936—Tommy Bridges ..... 23-11
1939—Bobo Newsom ..... 20-11*
1940—Bobo Newsom ..... 21- 5
1943—Dizzy Trout ..... 20-12
1944—Hal Newhouser ..... 29- 9
Dizzy Trout ..... 27-14
1945—Hal Newhouser ..... 25- 9
1946—Hal Newhouser ..... 26- 9
1948—Hal Newhouser ..... 21-12
1956—Frank Lary ..... 21-13
Billy Hoeft ..... 20-14
1957—Jim Bunning ..... 20- 8
1961—Frank Lary ..... 23- 9
1966—Denny McLain ..... 20-14
1967—Earl Wilson ..... 22-11
1968—Denny McLain ..... 31- 6
1969—Denny McLain ..... 24- 9
1971—Mickey Lolich ..... 25-14
Joe Coleman ..... 20- 9
1972—Mickey Lolich ..... 22-14
1973—Joe Coleman ..... 23-15

*Split season between St. Louis (3-1) and Detroit (17-10).

# TIGERS STEALING 20 BASES

1901—Ducky Holmes ..... 35
Doc Casey ..... 34
Kid Gleason ..... 32
Jimmy Barrett ..... 26
Kid Elberfeld ..... 23
1902—Jimmy Barrett ..... 24
Doc Casey ..... 22
Dick Harley ..... 20
1903—Jimmy Barrett ..... 27
1904—Sam Crawford ..... 20
1905—Sam Crawford ..... 22
1906—Germany Schaefer ..... 31
Bill Coughlin ..... 31
Matty McIntyre ..... 29
Sam Crawford ..... 24
Ty Cobb ..... 23
Davy Jones ..... 21
1907—Ty Cobb ..... 49
Davy Jones ..... 30
Germany Schaefer ..... 21
Claude Rossman ..... 20
1908—Germany Schaefer ..... 40
Ty Cobb ..... 39
Matty McIntyre ..... 20
1909—Ty Cobb ..... 76
Donie Bush ..... 53
George Moriarty ..... 34
Sam Crawford ..... 30
1910—Ty Cobb ..... 65
Donie Bush ..... 49
George Moriarty ..... 33
Davy Jones ..... 25
Tom Jones ..... 22
Sam Crawford ..... 20
1911—Ty Cobb ..... 83
Donie Bush ..... 40
Sam Crawford ..... 37
George Moriarty ..... 28
Davy Jones ..... 25
Delos Drake ..... 20
1912—Ty Cobb ..... 61
Sam Crawford ..... 41
Donie Bush ..... 35
Baldy Louden ..... 28
George Moriarty ..... 27
1913—Ty Cobb ..... 52
Donie Bush ..... 44
George Moriarty ..... 33
Bobby Veach ..... 22
1914—Ty Cobb ..... 35
Donie Bush ..... 35
George Moriarty ..... 34
Sam Crawford ..... 25
George Burns ..... 23
Bobby Veach ..... 20
1915—Ty Cobb ..... 96
Donie Bush ..... 35
Oscar Vitt ..... 26
Sam Crawford ..... 24
1916—Ty Cobb ..... 68
Bobby Veach ..... 24
Ralph Young ..... 20
1917—Ty Cobb ..... 55
Donie Bush ..... 34
Bobby Veach ..... 21
1918—Ty Cobb ..... 34
Bobby Veach ..... 21
1919—Ty Cobb ..... 28
Donie Bush ..... 22
1921—Ty Cobb ..... 22
1924—Ty Cobb ..... 23
1927—Johnny Neun ..... 22
Jack Tavener ..... 20
1928—Harry Rice ..... 20
1929—Charlie Gehringer ..... 27
Roy Johnson ..... 20
1930—Marty McManus ..... 23
1931—Roy Johnson ..... 33
1932—Gee Walker ..... 30
1933—Gee Walker ..... 26
1934—Jo Jo White ..... 28
Pete Fox ..... 25
Gee Walker ..... 20
1937—Gee Walker ..... 23
1939—Pete Fox ..... 23
Barney McCosky ..... 20
1961—Jake Wood ..... 30
1962—Jake Wood ..... 24
1974—Ron LeFlore ..... 23
1975—Ron LeFlore ..... 28
1976—Ron LeFlore ..... 58
1977—Ron LeFlore ..... 39
1978—Ron LeFlore ..... 68



# TIGERS HITTING 20 HOME RUNS

1922—Harry Heilmann ..... 21
1929—Dale Alexander ..... 25
1930—Dale Alexander ..... 20
1934—Hank Greenberg ..... 26
1935—Hank Greenberg ..... 36
1936—Goose Goslin ..... 24
1937—Hank Greenberg ..... 40
Rudy York ..... 35
1938—Hank Greenberg ..... 58
Rudy York ..... 33
Charlie Gehringer ..... 20
1939—Hank Greenberg ..... 33
Rudy York ..... 20
1940—Hank Greenberg ..... 41
Rudy York ..... 33
1941—Rudy York ..... 27
1942—Rudy York ..... 21
1943—Rudy York ..... 34
1946—Hank Greenberg ..... 44
1947—Roy Cullenbine ..... 24
1948—Pat Mullin ..... 23
1949—Vic Wertz ..... 20
1950—Vic Wertz ..... 27
Hoot Evers ..... 21
1951—Vic Wertz ..... 27
1952—Walt Dropo ..... 23*
1953—Ray Boone ..... 22**
1954—Ray Boone ..... 20
1955—Al Kaline ..... 27
Ray Boone ..... 20
1956—Charley Maxwell ..... 28
Al Kaline ..... 27
Ray Boone ..... 25
1957—Charley Maxwell ..... 24
Al Kaline ..... 23
1958—Gail Harris ..... 20
1959—Charley Maxwell ..... 31
Al Kaline ..... 27
Eddie Yost ..... 21
1960—Rocky Colavito ..... 35
Charley Maxwell ..... 24
1961—Rocky Colavito ..... 45
Norm Cash ..... 41
1962—Norm Cash ..... 39
Rocky Colavito ..... 37
Al Kaline ..... 29
Chico Fernandez ..... 20
1963—Al Kaline ..... 27
Norm Cash ..... 26
Rocky Colavito ..... 22
1964—Dick McAuliffe ..... 24
Norm Cash ..... 23
Don Demeter ..... 22
1965—Norm Cash ..... 30
Willie Horton ..... 29
1966—Norm Cash ..... 32
Al Kaline ..... 29
Willie Horton ..... 27
Dick McAuliffe ..... 23
1967—Al Kaline ..... 25
Norm Cash ..... 22
Dick McAuliffe ..... 22
Bill Freehan ..... 20
1968—Willie Horton ..... 36
Norm Cash ..... 25
Bill Freehan ..... 25
Jim Northrup ..... 21
1969—Willie Horton ..... 28
Jim Northrup ..... 25
Norm Cash ..... 22
Al Kaline ..... 21
1970—Jim Northrup ..... 24
1971—Norm Cash ..... 32
Willie Horton ..... 22
Bill Freehan ..... 21
1972—Norm Cash ..... 22
1975—Willie Horton ..... 25
1977—Jason Thompson ..... 31
Rusty Staub ..... 22
Ben Oglivie ..... 21
1978—Jason Thompson ..... 26
Rusty Staub ..... 24

*Also hit 6 HR at Boston

**Also hit 4 HR at Cleveland

# TIGERS WITH 100 RBI

1907—Ty Cobb ..... 116
1908—Ty Cobb ..... 101
1909—Ty Cobb ..... 115
1910—Sam Crawford ..... 120
1911—Ty Cobb ..... 144
Sam Crawford ..... 115
1912—Sam Crawford ..... 109
1914—Sam Crawford ..... 104
1915—Sam Crawford ..... 112
Bobby Veach ..... 112
1917—Bobby Veach ..... 103
Ty Cobb ..... 102
1919—Bobby Veach ..... 101
1920—Bobby Veach ..... 113
1921—Harry Heilmann ..... 139
Bobby Veach ..... 128
Ty Cobb ..... 101
1922—Bobby Veach ..... 126
1923—Harry Heilmann ..... 115
1924—Harry Heilmann ..... 113
1925—Harry Heilmann ..... 133
Ty Cobb ..... 102
1926—Harry Heilmann ..... 103
1927—Harry Heilmann ..... 120
Bob Fothergill ..... 114
1928—Harry Heilmann ..... 107
1929—Dale Alexander ..... 137
Harry Heilmann ..... 120
Charlie Gehringer ..... 106
1930—Dale Alexander ..... 135
1932—John Stone ..... 108
Charlie Gehringer ..... 107
1933—Charlie Gehringer ..... 105
1934—Hank Greenberg ..... 139
Charlie Gehringer ..... 127
Billy Rogell ..... 100
Goose Goslin ..... 100
1935—Hank Greenberg ..... 170
Goose Goslin ..... 109
Charlie Gehringer ..... 108
1936—Goose Goslin ..... 125
Charlie Gehringer ..... 116
Al Simmons ..... 112
Marv Owen ..... 105
1937—Hank Greenberg ..... 183
Gee Walker ..... 113
Rudy York ..... 103
1938—Hank Greenberg ..... 146
Rudy York ..... 127
Charlie Gehringer ..... 107
1939—Hank Greenberg ..... 112
1940—Hank Greenberg ..... 150
Rudy York ..... 134
1941—Rudy York ..... 111
1943—Rudy York ..... 118
1946—Hank Greenberg ..... 127
1948—Hoot Evers ..... 103
1949—Vic Wertz ..... 133
1950—Vic Wertz ..... 123
Hoot Evers ..... 103
George Kell ..... 101
1955—Ray Boone ..... 116
Al Kaline ..... 102
1956—Al Kaline ..... 128
1961—Rocky Colavito ..... 140
Norm Cash ..... 132
1962—Rocky Colavito ..... 112
1963—Al Kaline ..... 101
1965—Willie Horton ..... 104
1966—Willie Horton ..... 100
1977—Jason Thompson ..... 105
Rusty Staub ..... 101
1978—Rusty Staub ..... 121

# TOP TIGER PERFORMANCES

## INDIVIDUAL BATTING

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Highest average, season | .420 | Ty Cobb | 1911 |
| Most times at bat, season | 679 | Harvey Kuenn | 1953 |
| | 642 | Rusty Staub (LH) | 1978 |
| Most runs scored, season | 147 | Ty Cobb | 1911 |
| Most hits, season | 248 | Ty Cobb | 1911 |
| †Most hits in succession | 12 | Walt Dropo | 1952 |
| Most pinch hits in succession | 5 | Vic Wertz | 1962 |
| Most singles, season | 169 | Ty Cobb | 1911 |
| | 167 | Harvey Kuenn (RH) | 1953 |
| §Most cons. hits in game (12 inn.) | 7 | Cesar Gutierrez | June 21, 1970 |
| Most hits in game (22 inn.) | 7 | Rocky Colavito | June 24, 1962 |
| Most two-base hits, season | 63 | Hank Greenberg | 1934 |
| ‡Most three-base hits, season | 26 | Sam Crawford | 1914 |
| Most home runs, season | 58 | Hank Greenberg | 1938 |
| | 41 | Norman Cash (LH) | 1961 |
| §Most home runs, home park, season | 39 | Hank Greenberg | 1938 |
| §Most home runs, one month | 18 | Rudy York | 1937 |
| Most home runs, first season | 35 | Rudy York | 1937 |
| Most runs batted in, season | 183 | Hank Greenberg | 1937 |
| †Most total bases, inning | 8 | Al Kaline | 1955 |
| ‡Most total bases, 9-inn. game | 16 | Ty Cobb | 1925 |
| Most total bases, season | 397 | Hank Greenberg | 1937 |
| Most bases on balls, season | 137 | Roy Cullenbine | 1947 |
| †Most strikeouts, 9-inn. game | 5 | Chet Laabs | 1938 |
| Most strikeouts, season | 141 | Jake Wood | 1961 |
| Fewest strikeouts, season | 13 | Charley Gehringer | 1936 |
| | | Harvey Kuenn | 1954 |
| *Most hit by pitcher, season | 24 | Bill Freehan | 1968 |
| Most cons. games hit safely | 40 | Ty Cobb | 1911 |

## MISC. INDIVIDUAL BATTING

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Most stolen bases, season | 96 | Ty Cobb | 1915 |
| §Most caught stealing, season | 38 | Ty Cobb | 1915 |
| *Most consecutive stolen bases | 27 | Ron LeFlore | 1978 |
| †Most intentional walks, 9-inn. game | 3 | Bill Freehan | June 2, 1971 |
| †Most times hit into DP, game | 4 | Goose Goslin | 1934 |
| Most times hit into DP, season | 29 | Jimmy Bloodworth | 1943 |
| †Fewest times hit into DP, season | 0 | Dick McAuliffe (151G) | 1968 |
| Most RBI in game | 8 | Jim Northrup | June 24, 1968 |
| | | | July 11, 1973 |
| Three successive homers, inning | | Cullenbine, Wakefield, Evers | 1947 |
| | | Kuenn, Torgeson, Maxwell | 1956 |
| | | Cash, Boros, Brown | 1961 |
| | | Northrup, Cash, Horton | 1971 |
| | | Rodriguez, Kaline, Horton | 1972 |
| | | Kaline, Freehan, Stanley | 1974 |
| Three home runs in game | | Cobb 1925, Higgins 1940, York 1941, Mullin 1949, Kaline 1955, Maxwell 1959, Colavito 1961-62, Boros 1962, Horton 1970, Freehan 1971. | |
| †Most home runs in inning | 2 | Al Kaline | 1955 |
| †Most home runs, cons. app., 2 games | 4 | Greenberg 1938, Maxwell 1959 | |
| ‡Most home runs in doubleheader | 4 | Maxwell 1959, Colavito 1961 | |
| †Most home runs, two cons. games | 5 | Ty Cobb | 1925 |
| Most home runs, bases filled, season | 4 | Rudy York 1938, Ray Boone 1953, Jim Northrup 1968 | |

## TEAM FIELDING LEADERS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| First basemen | .997 | Norm Cash | 1964 |
| Second basemen | .987 | Frank Bolling | 1959 |
| | | Dick McAuliffe | 1971 |
| Third basemen | .987 | Aurelio Rodiguez | 1978 |
| §Shortstops | .990 | Ed Brinkman | 1972 |
| †Outfielders | 1.000 | Mickey Stanley | 1968 and 1970 |
| | | Al Kaline | 1971 |
| Catchers | .997 | Bill Freehan | 1970 |
| Team fielding, season | .984 | | 1972 |
| ‡Most games by shortstop, season | 162 | Ed Brinkman | 1973 |
| §Most cons. games, no errors by shortstop | 72 | Ed Brinkman | 1972 |
| §Fewest errors, season, by shortstop | 7 | Ed Brinkman | 1972 |
| §Most cons. games, no errors by outfielder (AL only) | 242 | Al Kaline | 1970-72 |
| §Most cons. games, no errors by outfielder (140-NL, 126-AL) | 266 | Don Demeter | 1962-65 |
| †Most putouts by leftfielder, game | 11 | Willie Horton | 1969 |
| ‡Most putouts by centerfielder, game | 11 | Mickey Stanley | 1973 |
| Highest fielding avg. by OF, career | .991 | Mickey Stanley | 1964-78 |
| Most chances acc. by catcher, game | 19 | Bill Freehan | 1969 |
| §Most chances acc. by catcher, career | 10,662 | Bill Freehan | 1961-76 |
| §Most putouts by catcher, career | 9,941 | Bill Freehan | 1961-76 |
| §Highest field avg. by catcher, career | .993 | Bill Freehan | 1961-76 |

**(Records prior 1961 in 154-game schedule, 162 in 1961 and later, except 156 in 1972.)**

*American League Record
‡American League Record Tied
§Major League Record
†Major League Record Tied



# TOP TIGER PERFORMANCES

## INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Most victories, season | 31 | Denny McLain | 1968 |
| | 29 | Hal Newhouser (LH) | 1944 |
| Highest season percentage | .862 | Bill Donovan (25-4) | 1907 |
| Lowest earned run average | 1.81 | Hal Newhouser | 1945 |
| Most games, season | 69 | Fred Scherman | 1971 |
| Most games started, season | 45 | Mickey Lolich | 1971 |
| Most games finished, season | 60 | John Hiller | 1973 |
| Most complete games, season | 42 | George Mullin | 1904 |
| *Most victories by pitcher in relief, season | 17 | John Hiller | 1974 |
| †Most defeats by pitcher in relief, season | 14 | John Hiller | 1974 |
| §Most saves, season | 38 | John Hiller | 1973 |
| Most defeats, season | 23 | George Mullin | 1904 |
| Most innings pitched, season | 381 | George Mullin | 1904 |
| Most shutouts pitched, season | 9 | Denny McLain | 1969 |
| Most bases on balls, season | 158 | Joe Coleman | 1974 |
| Most strikeouts, game | 16 | Mickey Lolich (twice) | 1969 |
| Most strikeouts, season | 308 | Mickey Lolich | 1971 |
| | 280 | Denny McLain (RH) | 1968 |
| Most cons. strikeouts, game | 7 | Denny McLain | 1965 |
| | | John Hiller | 1970 |
| †Most cons. strikeouts, start of game | 6 | John Hiller | 1968 |
| §Most cons. strikeouts in relief | 7 | Denny McLain | 1965 |
| ‡Most cons. victories, one season | 16 | Schoolboy Rowe | 1934 |
| Most home run pitches, season | 42 | Denny McLain | 1966 |
| †Most hit batsman, game | 4 | Earl Whitehill | 1924 |
| | | Frank Lary | 1960 |
| Most hit batsmen, season | 23 | Howard Ehmke | 1922 |
| †Most wild pitches, game | 5 | Charles Wheatley | 1912 |
| Most wild pitches, season | 16 | Jean Dubuc | 1912 |

## MISC. TEAM RECORDS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Team batting, season | .316 | 1921 |
| Most runs scored, inning | 13 | vs. New York June 17, 1925 |
| Most runs scored, game | 21 | vs. Cleveland Sept. 15, 1901 |
| | | Philadelphia July 17, 1908 |
| | | St. Louis July 25, 1920 |
| | | Chicago July 1, 1936 |
| *Most runs scored, doubleheader | 36 | vs. St. Louis Aug. 14, 1937 |
| *Most runs yielded, inning | 17 | to Boston June 18, 1953 |
| Most runs yielded, game | 24 | to Philadelphia May 18, 1912 |
| Most hits, game | 28 | vs. New York Sept. 29, 1928 |
| *Most hits, season | 1724 | 1921 |
| *Most hits yielded, inning | 14 | to Boston June 18, 1953 |
| Most hits yielded, game | 27 | to Boston June 18, 1953 |
| †Most sacrifice hits, inning | 3 | vs. Baltimore July 12 (1), 1970 |
| *Most doubles, game | 11 | vs. New York July 14, 1934 |
| ‡Most triples, game | 6 | vs. New York June 17, 1922 |
| Most home runs, inning | 4 | Trout, Priddy, Wertz, Evers vs. New York June 23, 1950 |
| | | Kaline, Freehan, Stanley, Brinkman at Cleveland July 29, 1974 |
| Most home runs, game | 6 | vs. St. Louis Aug. 14, 1937 |
| | | Philadelphia June 11, 1954 |
| | | Kansas City July 20, 1962 |
| | | California July 4, 1968 |
| | | Oakland Aug. 17, 1969 |
| | | Boston Aug. 9, 1971 |
| Most home runs, season | 209 | 1962 |
| † Most bases on balls, 9-inn. game | 18 | vs. Philadelphia May 9, 1916 |
| Most strikeouts, 9-inn. game | 18 | vs. Cleveland Oct. 1, 1938 |
| Most strikeouts, extra-inn. game (10) | 21 | vs. Cleveland Sept. 18, 1966 |
| Most strikeouts by pitchers, season | 1069 | 1965 |
| †Most pinch hitters used, inn. | 6 | vs. NY (7th inn.) Sept. 5, 1971 |
| ‡Most pinch hits, game | 4 | vs. Chicago April 22, 1953 |
| Most pinch-hit home runs, season | 8 | 1971 |
| Most consecutive games won | 14 | 1909 and 1934 |
| Most consecutive games lost | 19 | 1975 |
| Most victories, season | 103 | 1968 |
| Fewest victories, season | 50 | 1952 |
| ‡Longest game by innings | 24 | vs. Phila. (1-1 tie) July 21, 1945 |
| *Longest 9-inn. game in time | 3:54 | vs. Kansas City July 23 (2), 1961 |
| *Longest extra-inn. game in time | 7:00 | vs. NY (22 inn.) June 24, 1962 |
| §Most tie games played | 10 | 1904 |
| Most one-run games played | 65 | 1971 |
| §Most cons. errorless games | 12 | 1963 |
| §Fewest errors, season, by club | 96 | 1972 |
| Most errorless games, season, by club | 84 | 1973 |
| †Fewest balks, season, by club | 0 | 1972 |
| *Most games, league, club | 12,112 | 1901- |

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*American League Record
‡American League Record Tied
§Major League Record
†Major League Record Tied

# BATTING LEADERS BY YEARS

| Year | Leader in | Hits | Leader in | HR | Leader in | RBI | Leader in | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1901 | Barrett | 159 | Barrett | 4 | Elberfeld | 76 | Elberfeld | .308 |
| | | | Holmes | 4 | | | | |
| 1902 | Barrett | 154 | Casey | 3 | Elberfeld | 64 | Barrett | .303 |
| 1903 | Crawford | 184 | Crawford | 4 | Crawford | 89 | Crawford | .335 |
| 1904 | Barrett | 167 | Crawford | 2 | Crawford | 73 | Barrett | .268 |
| | | | Hickman | 2 | | | | |
| | | | McIntyre | 2 | | | | |
| 1905 | Crawford | 171 | Crawford | 6 | Crawford | 75 | Crawford | .297 |
| 1906 | Crawford | 166 | Coughlin | 2 | Crawford | 72 | Crawford | .295 |
| | | | Crawford | 2 | | | | |
| | | | O'Leary | 2 | | | | |
| | | | Schaefer | 2 | | | | |
| 1907 | Cobb | 212* | Cobb | 5 | Cobb | 116* | Cobb | .350* |
| 1908 | Cobb | 188* | Crawford | 7* | Cobb | 101* | Cobb | .324* |
| 1909 | Cobb | 216* | Cobb | 9* | Cobb | 115* | Cobb | .377* |
| 1910 | Cobb | 196 | Cobb | 8 | Crawford | 120* | Cobb | .385* |
| 1911 | Cobb | 248* | Cobb | 8 | Cobb | 144* | Cobb | .420* |
| 1912 | Cobb | 227* | Cobb | 7 | Crawford | 109 | Cobb | .410* |
| 1913 | Crawford | 193 | Crawford | 9 | Crawford | 83 | Cobb | .390* |
| 1914 | Crawford | 183 | Crawford | 8† | Crawford | 104* | Cobb | .368* |
| 1915 | Cobb | 208* | Burns | 5 | Crawford | 112† | Cobb | .369* |
| | | | | | Veach | 112† | | |
| 1916 | Cobb | 201 | Cobb | 5 | Veach | 91 | Cobb | .371 |
| 1917 | Cobb | 225* | Veach | 8 | Veach | 103* | Cobb | .383* |
| 1918 | Cobb | 161 | Heilmann | 5 | Veach | 78* | Cobb | .382* |
| 1919 | Cobb | 191† | Heilmann | 8 | Veach | 101 | Cobb | .384* |
| | Veach | 191† | | | | | | |
| 1920 | Veach | 188 | Veach | 11 | Veach | 113 | Cobb | .334 |
| 1921 | Heilmann | 237* | Heilmann | 19 | Heilmann | 139 | Heilmann | .394* |
| 1922 | Cobb | 211 | Heilmann | 21 | Veach | 126 | Cobb | .401 |
| 1923 | Heilmann | 211 | Heilmann | 18 | Heilmann | 115 | Heilmann | .403* |
| 1924 | Cobb | 211 | Heilmann | 10 | Heilmann | 113 | Heilmann | .346 |
| 1925 | Heilmann | 225 | Heilmann | 13 | Heilmann | 133 | Heilmann | .393* |
| 1926 | Manush | 188 | Manush | 14 | Heilmann | 103 | Manush | .378* |
| 1927 | Heilmann | 201 | Heilmann | 14 | Heilmann | 120 | Heilmann | .398* |
| 1928 | Gehringer | 193 | Heilmann | 14 | Heilmann | 107 | Heilmann | .328 |
| 1929 | Alexander | 215† | Alexander | 25 | Alexander | 137 | Heilmann | .344 |
| | Gehringer | 215† | | | | | | |
| 1930 | Gehringer | 201 | Alexander | 20 | Alexander | 135 | Gehringer | .330 |
| 1931 | Stone | 191 | Stone | 10 | Alexander | 87 | Stone | .327 |
| 1932 | Gehringer | 184 | Gehringer | 19 | Stone | 108 | Walker | .323 |
| 1933 | Gehringer | 204 | Gehringer | 12 | Gehringer | 105 | Gehringer | .325 |
| | | | Greenberg | 12 | | | | |
| 1934 | Gehringer | 214* | Greenberg | 26 | Greenberg | 139 | Gehringer | .356 |
| 1935 | Greenberg | 203 | Greenberg | 36† | Greenberg | 170* | Gehringer | .330 |
| 1936 | Gehringer | 227 | Goslin | 24 | Goslin | 125 | Gehringer | .354 |
| 1937 | Walker | 213 | Greenberg | 40 | Greenberg | 183* | Gehringer | .371* |
| 1938 | Fox | 186 | Greenberg | 58* | Greenberg | 146 | Greenberg | .315 |
| 1939 | McCosky | 190 | Greenberg | 33 | Greenberg | 112 | Gehringer | .325 |
| 1940 | McCosky | 200† | Greenberg | 41* | Greenberg | 150* | Greenberg | .340 |
| | | | | | | | McCosky | .340 |
| 1941 | Higgins | 161 | York | 27 | York | 111 | McCosky | .324 |
| 1942 | McCosky | 176 | York | 21 | York | 90 | McCosky | .293 |
| 1943 | Wakefield | 200* | York | 34* | York | 118* | Wakefield | .316 |
| 1944 | Cramer | 169 | York | 18 | York | 98 | Higgins | .297 |
| 1945 | York | 157 | Cullenbine | 18 | Cullenbine | 93 | Mayo | .285 |
| | | | York | 18 | | | | |
| 1946 | Lake | 149 | Greenberg | 44* | Greenberg | 127* | Kell | .327 |
| 1947 | Kell | 188 | Cullenbine | 24 | Kell | 93 | Kell | .320 |
| 1948 | Evers | 169 | Mullin | 23 | Evers | 103 | Evers | .314 |
| 1949 | Wertz | 185 | Wertz | 20 | Wertz | 113 | Kell | .343* |
| 1950 | Kell | 218* | Wertz | 27 | Wertz | 123 | Kell | .340 |
| 1951 | Kell | 191* | Wertz | 27 | Wertz | 94 | Kell | .319 |
| 1952 | Groth | 149 | Dropo | 23 | Dropo | 70 | Groth | .284 |
| 1953 | Kuenn | 209* | Boone | 22 | Dropo | 96 | Kuenn | .308 |
| 1954 | Kuenn | 201† | Boone | 20 | Boone | 85 | Kuenn | .306 |
| 1955 | Kaline | 200* | Kaline | 27 | Boone | 116† | Kaline | .340* |
| 1956 | Kuenn | 196* | Maxwell | 28 | Kaline | 128 | Kuenn | .332 |
| 1957 | Kuenn | 173 | Maxwell | 24 | Kaline | 90 | Kaline | .295 |
| 1958 | Kuenn | 179 | Harris | 20 | Kaline | 85 | Kuenn | .319 |
| 1959 | Kuenn | 198* | Maxwell | 31 | Maxwell | 95 | Kuenn | .353* |
| 1960 | Kaline | 153 | Colavito | 35 | Colavito | 87 | Kaline | .278 |

*Led league †Tied for league lead



# BATTING LEADERS BY YEARS

| Year | Leader in | Hits | Leader in | HR | Leader in | RBI | Leader in | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1961 | Cash | 193* | Colavito | 45 | Colavito | 140 | Cash | .361* |
| 1962 | Colavito | 164 | Cash | 39 | Colavito | 112 | Bruton | .278 |
| 1963 | Kaline | 172 | Kaline | 27 | Kaline | 101 | Kaline | .312 |
| 1964 | Lumpe | 160 | McAuliffe | 24 | Cash | 83 | Freehan | .300 |
| 1965 | Wert | 159 | Cash | 30 | Horton | 104 | Horton | .273 |
| 1966 | Cash | 168 | Cash | 32 | Horton | 100 | Kaline | .288 |
| 1967 | Freehan | 146 | Kaline | 25 | Kaline | 78 | Kaline | .308 |
| 1968 | Northrup | 153 | Horton | 36 | Northrup | 90 | Horton | .285 |
| 1969 | Northrup | 160 | Horton | 28 | Horton | 91 | Northrup | .295 |
| 1970 | Stanley | 143 | Northrup | 24 | Northrup | 80 | Kaline | .278 |
| 1971 | Rodriguez | 153 | Cash | 32 | Cash | 91 | Kaline | .294 |
| 1972 | Rodriguez | 142 | Cash | 22 | Cash | 61 | Northrup | .261 |
| 1973 | Stanley | 147 | Cash | 19 | Rodriguez | 58 | Horton | .316 |
| 1974 | Sutherland | 157 | Freehan | 18 | Kaline | 64 | Freehan | .297 |
| 1975 | Horton | 169 | Horton | 25 | Horton | 92 | Horton | .275 |
| 1976 | Staub | 176 | Thompson | 17 | Staub | 96 | LeFlore | .316 |
| 1977 | LeFlore | 212 | Thompson | 31 | Thompson | 105 | LeFlore | .325 |
| 1978 | LeFlore | 198 | Thompson | 26 | Staub | 121 | LeFlore | .297 |

*Led league †Tied for league lead

## TIGER CAREER BATTING LEADERS

**(Detroit records only, not including Post-Season)**

### GAMES

| | |
|---|---|
| Kaline | 2,834 |
| Cobb | 2,804 |
| Gehringer | 2,323 |
| Crawford | 2,114 |
| Cash | 2,018 |
| Heilmann | 1,989 |
| Bush | 1,872 |
| Freehan | 1,774 |
| McAuliffe | 1,656 |
| Veach | 1,605 |

### AT BATS

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 10,586 |
| Kaline | 10,116 |
| Gehringer | 8,860 |
| Crawford | 7,993 |
| Heilmann | 7,297 |
| Bush | 6,970 |
| Cash | 6,593 |
| Freehan | 6,073 |
| Veach | 5,982 |
| McAuliffe | 5,898 |

### RUNS

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 2,086 |
| Gehringer | 1,774 |
| Kaline | 1,622 |
| Bush | 1,242 |
| Heilmann | 1,209 |
| Crawford | 1,115 |
| Cash | 1,028 |
| Greenberg | 980 |
| Veach | 860 |
| McAuliffe | 856 |

### HITS

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 3,902 |
| Kaline | 3,007 |
| Gehringer | 2,839 |
| Heilmann | 2,499 |
| Crawford | 2,466 |
| Veach | 1,860 |
| Cash | 1,793 |
| Bush | 1,745 |
| Freehan | 1,591 |
| Greenberg | 1,528 |

### DOUBLES

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 665 |
| Gehringer | 574 |
| Kaline | 498 |
| Heilmann | 497 |
| Crawford | 403 |
| Greenberg | 366 |
| Veach | 345 |
| Kuenn | 244 |
| Cash | 241 |
| Freehan | 241 |

### TRIPLES

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 286 |
| Crawford | 250 |
| Gehringer | 146 |
| Heilmann | 145 |
| Veach | 136 |
| Kaline | 75 |
| Bush | 73 |
| McAuliffe | 70 |
| Greenberg | 69 |
| Blue | 66 |

### HOME RUNS

| | |
|---|---|
| Kaline | 399 |
| Cash | 373 |
| Greenberg | 306 |
| Horton | 252 |
| York | 239 |
| Freehan | 200 |
| McAuliffe | 192 |
| Gehringer | 184 |
| Heilmann | 164 |
| Northrup | 145 |

### BATTING

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | .369 |
| Heilmann | .342 |
| Fothergill | .337 |
| Kell | .325 |
| Manush | .321 |
| Gehringer | .320 |
| Greenberg | .319 |
| G. Walker | .317 |
| Kuenn | .314 |
| McCosky | .312 |
| Veach | .311 |
| Crawford | .309 |
| Kaline | .297 |

### RBI

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 1,826 |
| Kaline | 1,583 |
| Heilmann | 1,454 |
| Gehringer | 1,427 |
| Crawford | 1,264 |
| Greenberg | 1,202 |
| Cash | 1,087 |
| Veach | 1,042 |
| York | 936 |
| Horton | 886 |

### EXTRA-BASE HITS

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 1,063 |
| Kaline | 972 |
| Gehringer | 904 |
| Heilmann | 806 |
| Greenberg | 741 |
| Crawford | 723 |
| Cash | 654 |
| Veach | 540 |
| York | 517 |
| Horton | 504 |

### TOTAL BASES

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 5,475 |
| Kaline | 4,852 |
| Gehringer | 4,257 |
| Heilmann | 3,778 |
| Crawford | 3,579 |
| Cash | 3,233 |
| Greenberg | 2,950 |
| Veach | 2,654 |
| Horton | 2,549 |
| Freehan | 2,502 |

### STOLEN BASES

| | |
|---|---|
| Cobb | 865 |
| Bush | 390 |
| Crawford | 252 |
| LeFLORE | 216 |
| Moriarity | 190 |
| Veach | 189 |
| Gehringer | 182 |
| Jones | 140 |
| Kaline | 137 |
| Walker | 132 |
| Schaefer | 123 |
| Heilmann | 110 |

## CONSECUTIVE GAMES PLAYED BY TIGERS

511 — Charlie Gehringer, Sept. 3, 1927 - May 7, 1931.
504 — Charlie Gehringer, June 25, 1932 - Aug. 11, 1935.
458 — Rocky Colavito, June 21, 1960 - May 21, 1963.
434 — Ed Brinkman, Sept. 26, 1971 - Aug. 9, 1974*.
*Regular season only; missed all but one game of 1972 playoff.

# PITCHING LEADERS BY YEARS

| Year | Leader in | Wins | Leader in Losses | | Leader in | IP | Leader in | ERA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1901 | Miller | 23 | Cronin | 15 | Miller | 332 | Yeager | 2.61 |
| | | | Siever | 15 | | | | |
| 1902 | Mercer | 15 | Mercer | 18 | Mercer | 282 | Siever | 1.91* |
| 1903 | Mullin | 19 | Donovan | 16 | Mullin | 321 | Mullin | 2.25 |
| | | | Kitson | 16 | | | | |
| 1904 | Donovan | 17 | Mullin | 23 | Mullin | 382 | Mullin | 2.40 |
| | Mullin | 17 | | | | | | |
| 1905 | Killian | 22 | Mullin | 21 | Mullin | 348* | Killian | 2.27 |
| 1906 | Mullin | 21 | Mullin | 18 | Mullin | 330 | Siever | 2.71 |
| 1907 | Donovan | 25 | Mullin | 20 | Mullin | 357 | Killian | 1.78 |
| | Killian | 25 | | | | | | |
| 1908 | Summers | 24 | Mullin | 12 | Summers | 301 | Summers | 1.64 |
| 1909 | Mullin | 29* | Summers | 12 | Mullin | 304 | Killian | 1.71 |
| 1910 | Mullin | 21 | Mullin | 12 | Mullin | 289 | Donovan | 2.42 |
| | | | Summers | 12 | | | | |
| 1911 | Mullin | 18 | Willett | 14 | Mullin | 234 | Mullin | 3.07 |
| 1912 | Dubuc | 17 | Mullin | 17 | Willett | 284 | Dubuc | 2.77 |
| | Willett | 17 | | | | | | |
| 1913 | Dubuc | 16 | Dubuc | 14 | Dubuc | 243 | Dauss | 2.68 |
| | | | Willett | 14 | | | | |
| 1914 | Coveleski | 21 | Dauss | 15 | Coveleski | 303 | Dauss | 2.86 |
| 1915 | Dauss | 24 | Coveleski | 13 | Coveleski | 313 | Coveleski | 2.45 |
| | | | Dauss | 13 | | | | |
| 1916 | Coveleski | 22 | Dauss | 12 | Coveleski | 324 | Coveleski | 1.97 |
| | | | James | 12 | | | | |
| 1917 | Dauss | 17 | Ehmke | 15 | Dauss | 271 | James | 2.09 |
| 1918 | Boland | 13 | Dauss | 16 | Dauss | 250 | Boland | 2.65 |
| 1919 | Dauss | 21 | Boland | 16 | Dauss | 256 | Leonard | 2.77 |
| 1920 | Ehmke | 15 | Dauss | 21 | Dauss | 270 | Ehmke | 3.29 |
| 1921 | Ehmke | 13 | Dauss | 15 | Leonard | 245 | Leonard | 3.75 |
| 1922 | Pillette | 19 | Ehmke | 17 | Ehmke | 280 | Pillette | 2.85 |
| 1923 | Dauss | 21 | Pillette | 19† | Dauss | 316 | Dauss | 3.62 |
| 1924 | Whitehill | 17 | Dauss | 11 | Whitehill | 233 | Collins | 3.21 |
| | | | Stoner | 11 | | | | |
| 1925 | Dauss | 16 | Collins | 11 | Whitehill | 239 | Dauss | 3.16 |
| | | | Dauss | 11 | | | | |
| | | | Whitehill | 11 | | | | |
| 1926 | Whitehill | 16 | Whitehill | 13 | Whitehill | 252 | Gibson | 3.48 |
| 1927 | Whitehill | 16 | Whitehill | 14 | Whitehill | 236 | Whitehill | 3.36 |
| 1928 | Carroll | 16 | Whitehill | 16 | Carroll | 231 | Carroll | 3.27 |
| 1929 | Uhle | 15 | Sorrell | 15 | Uhle | 249 | Uhle | 4.08 |
| | | | Whitehill | 15 | | | | |
| 1930 | Whitehill | 17 | Whitehill | 13 | Uhle | 239 | Uhle | 3.65 |
| 1931 | Sorrell | 13 | Bridges | 16 | Whitehill | 272 | Uhle | 3.50 |
| | Whitehill | 13 | Whitehill | 16 | | | | |
| 1932 | Whitehill | 16 | Sorrell | 14 | Whitehill | 244 | Bridges | 3.36 |
| 1933 | Marberry | 16 | Fisher | 15 | Marberry | 238 | Bridges | 3.09 |
| | | | Sorrell | 15 | | | | |
| 1934 | Rowe | 24 | Bridges | 11 | Bridges | 275 | Auker | 3.42 |
| 1935 | Bridges | 21 | Rowe | 13 | Rowe | 276 | Bridges | 3.51 |
| 1936 | Bridges | 23* | Auker | 16 | Bridges | 295 | Bridges | 3.60 |
| 1937 | Lawson | 18 | Bridges | 12 | Auker | 253 | Auker | 3.88 |
| 1938 | Bridges | 13 | Auker | 10 | Kennedy | 190 | Gill | 4.12 |
| 1939 | Bridges | 17 | Rowe | 12 | Newsom | 246 | Newsom | 3.37 |
| | Newsom | 21 | | | | | | |
| 1940 | Newsom | 21 | Benton | 10 | Newsom | 264 | Newsom | 2.83 |
| 1941 | Benton | 15 | Newsom | 20* | Newsom | 250 | Benton | 2.97 |
| 1942 | Trucks | 14 | Trout | 18 | Benton | 227 | Newhousr | 2.45 |
| 1943 | Trout | 20† | Newhouser | 17 | Trout | 247 | Bridges | 2.39 |
| 1944 | Newhouser | 29* | Gentry | 14 | Trout | 352* | Trout | 2.12* |
| | | | Gorsica | 14 | | | | |
| | | | Trout | 14 | | | | |
| 1945 | Newhouser | 25* | Trout | 15 | Newhouser | 313 | Newhousr | 1.81* |
| 1946 | Newhouser | 26† | Trout | 13 | Newhouser | 293 | Newhousr | 1.94* |
| 1947 | Hutchinson | 18 | Newhouser | 17* | Newhouser | 285 | Newhousr | 2.87 |
| 1948 | Newhouser | 21* | Houtteman | 16 | Newhouser | 272 | Newhousr | 3.01 |
| 1949 | Trucks | 19 | Newhouser | 11 | Newhouser | 292 | Trucks | 2.81 |
| | | | Trucks | 11 | | | | |
| 1950 | Houtteman | 19 | Newhouser | 13 | Houtteman | 275 | Houttemn | 3.54 |
| 1951 | Trucks | 13 | Gray | 14† | Gray | 197 | Hutchinsn | 3.68 |
| | | | Trout | 14† | | | | |
| 1952 | Gray | 12 | Houtteman | 20* | Gray | 224 | Newhousr | 3.74 |
| 1953 | Garver | 11 | Gray | 15 | Garver | 198 | Garver | 4.45 |
| | | | | | Hoeft | 198 | | |
| 1954 | Gromek | 18 | Gromek | 16 | Gromek | 253 | Gromek | 2.74 |
| 1955 | Hoeft | 16 | Garver | 16 | Lary | 235 | Hoeft | 2.99 |

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# PITCHING LEADERS BY YEARS

| Year | Leader in | Wins | Leader in Losses | | Leader in | IP | Leader in | ERA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1956 | Lary | 21* | Hoeft | 14 | Lary | 284* | Lary | 3.15 |
| 1957 | Bunning | 20† | Lary | 16 | Bunning | 267* | Bunning | 2.69 |
| 1958 | Lary | 16 | Lary | 15 | Lary | 260* | Lary | 2.90 |
| 1959 | Bunning | 17 | Foytack | 14 | Bunning | 250 | Mossi | 3.36 |
| | Lary | 17 | | | | | | |
| | Mossi | 17 | | | | | | |
| 1960 | Lary | 15 | Lary | 15 | Lary | 274* | Bunning | 2.79 |
| 1961 | Lary | 23 | Bunning | 11 | Lary | 275 | Mossi | 2.96 |
| 1962 | Bunning | 19 | Mossi | 13 | Bunning | 258 | Aguirre | 2.21* |
| 1963 | Regan | 15 | Aguirre | 15 | Bunning | 248 | Aguirre | 3.67 |
| 1964 | Wickersham | 19 | Wickersham | 12 | Wickersham | 254 | Lolich | 3.26 |
| 1965 | McLain | 16 | Wickersham | 14 | Lolich | 244 | McLain | 2.61 |
| 1966 | McLain | 20 | Lolich | 14 | McLain | 264 | Wilson | 2.59 |
| | | | McLain | 14 | | | | |
| 1967 | Wilson | 22† | McLain | 16 | Wilson | 264 | Lolich | 3.04 |
| 1968 | McLain | 31* | Wilson | 12 | McLain | 336* | McLain | 1.96 |
| 1969 | McLain | 24* | Lolich | 11 | McLain | 325* | McLain | 2.80 |
| 1970 | Lolich | 14 | Lolich | 19* | Lolich | 273 | Lolich | 3.79 |
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| 1972 | Lolich | 22 | Coleman | 14 | Lolich | 327 | Lolich | 2.50 |
| | | | Lolich | 14 | | | | |
| 1973 | Coleman | 23 | Coleman | 15 | Lolich | 309 | Coleman | 3.53 |
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| 1974 | Hiller | 17 | Lolich | 21* | Lolich | 308 | Lolich | 4.15 |
| 1975 | Lolich | 12 | Coleman | 18 | Lolich | 241 | Lolich | 3.78 |
| | | | Lolich | 18 | | | | |
| 1976 | Fidrych | 19 | Roberts | 17 | Roberts | 252 | Fidrych | 2.34* |
| 1977 | Rozema | 15 | Arroyo | 18 | Rozema | 218 | Rozema | 3.09 |
| 1978 | Slaton | 17 | Rozema | 12 | Slaton | 234 | Rozema | 3.14 |
| | | | Wilcox | 12 | | | | |

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## TIGER CAREER PITCHING LEADERS

**(Detroit records only, not including Post-Season)**

### GAMES

| | |
|---|---|
| Dauss | 538 |
| Lolich | 508 |
| Trout | 493 |
| HILLER | 491 |
| Newhouser | 460 |
| Mullin | 435 |
| Bridges | 424 |
| Aguirre | 334 |
| Whitehill | 325 |
| Trucks | 316 |
| Bunning | 304 |
| Lary | 304 |

### GAMES WON

| | |
|---|---|
| Dauss | 223 |
| Mullin | 208 |
| Lolich | 207 |
| Newhouser | 200 |
| Bridges | 194 |
| Trout | 161 |
| Donovan | 142 |
| Whitehill | 133 |
| Lary | 123 |
| Bunning | 118 |

### GAMES LOST

| | |
|---|---|
| Dauss | 182 |
| Mullin | 180 |
| Lolich | 175 |
| Trout | 153 |
| Newhouser | 148 |
| Bridges | 138 |
| Whitehill | 119 |
| Lary | 110 |
| Sorrell | 101 |
| Trucks | 96 |

### GAMES STARTED

| | |
|---|---|
| Lolich | 459 |
| Mullin | 395 |
| Dauss | 388 |
| Newhouser | 373 |
| Bridges | 362 |
| Trout | 305 |
| Whitehill | 287 |
| Lary | 274 |
| Bunning | 251 |
| Donovan | 242 |

### COMPLETE GAMES

| | |
|---|---|
| Mullin | 336 |
| Dauss | 245 |
| Donovan | 213 |
| Newhouser | 212 |
| Bridges | 207 |
| Lolich | 190 |
| Trout | 156 |
| Whitehill | 148 |
| Killian | 142 |
| Willett | 123 |
| Lary | 123 |

### INNINGS PITCHED

| | |
|---|---|
| Mullin | 3,394 |
| Dauss | 3,391 |
| Lolich | 3,363 |
| Newhouser | 2,944 |
| Bridges | 2,826 |
| Trout | 2,592 |
| Whitehill | 2,172 |
| Donovan | 2,139 |
| Lary | 2,009 |
| Bunning | 1,867 |

### STRIKEOUTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Lolich | 2,679 |
| Newhouser | 1,770 |
| Bridges | 1,674 |
| Bunning | 1,406 |
| Mullin | 1,380 |
| Dauss | 1,201 |
| Trout | 1,199 |
| McLain | 1,150 |
| Donovan | 1,079 |
| Trucks | 1,046 |

### SHUTOUTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Lolich | 39 |
| Mullin | 33 |
| Newhouser | 33 |
| Bridges | 32 |
| Donovan | 29 |
| Trout | 28 |
| McLain | 26 |
| Dauss | 21 |
| Lary | 20 |
| Trucks | 20 |

### SAVES

| | |
|---|---|
| HILLER | 116 |
| Fox | 55 |
| Benton | 45 |
| Dauss | 39 |
| Sherry | 37 |
| Scherman | 34 |
| Trout | 34 |
| Gladding | 33 |
| Timmerman | 33 |
| Aguirre | 27 |

### 20-WIN SEASONS

| | |
|---|---|
| Mullin | 5 |
| Newhouser | 4 |
| Bridges | 3 |
| Coveleski | 3 |
| Dauss | 3 |
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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| National | 000 | 001 | 220 | 5 | 10 | 2 |
| American | 000 | 101 | 014 | 7 | 11 | 3 |

Wyatt, Derringer, Walters, **Passeau** and Owen, Lopez, Danning; Feller, Lee, Hudson, **Smith** and Dickey, Hayes. Att. 54,674.

| July 10, 1951 | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| National | 100 | 302 | 110 | 8 | 12 | 1 |
| American | 010 | 110 | 000 | 3 | 10 | 2 |

Roberts, **Maglie,** Newcombe, Blackwell and Campanella; Garver, **Lopat,** Hutchinson, Parnell, Lemon and Berra. Att. 52,075.

| July 13, 1971 | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| National | 021 | 000 | 010 | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| American | 004 | 002 | 00x | 6 | 7 | 0 |

**Ellis,** Marichal, Jenkins, Wilson and Bench; **Blue,** Palmer, Cuellar, Lolich and Freehan, Munson. Att. 53,559.

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Tommy Bridges*
Hank Greenberg*
Bobo Newsom

**1938**
Charlie Gehringer*
Hank Greenberg
Vern Kennedy
Rudy York

**1937**
Tommy Bridges
Charlie Gehringer*
Hank Greenberg
Gerald Walker

**1936**
Tommy Bridges
Charlie Gehringer*
Leon Goslin
Schoolboy Rowe

**1935**
Tommy Bridges
Mickey Cochrane
Charlie Gehringer*
Schoolboy Rowe

**1934**
Tommy Bridges
Mickey Cochrane
Charlie Gehringer*

**1933**
Charlie Gehringer*

*Voted starter or started. ‡Selected but unable to play. †Two games 1959-62.

## ALL-STAR GAMES PLAYED IN DETROIT

**July 8, 1941**

| | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| National | 000 | 001 | 220 | 5 | 10 | 2 |
| American | 000 | 101 | 014 | 7 | 11 | 3 |

Wyatt, Derringer, Walters, **Passeau** and Owen, Lopez, Danning; Feller, Lee, Hudson, **Smith** and Dickey, Hayes. Att. 54,674.

**July 10, 1951**

| | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| National | 100 | 302 | 110 | 8 | 12 | 1 |
| American | 010 | 110 | 000 | 3 | 10 | 2 |

Roberts, **Maglie**, Newcombe, Blackwell and Campanella; Garver, **Lopat**, Hutchinson, Parnell, Lemon and Berra. Att. 52,075.

**July 13, 1971**

| | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| National | 021 | 000 | 010 | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| American | 004 | 002 | 00x | 6 | 7 | 0 |

**Ellis**, Marichal, Jenkins, Wilson and Bench; **Blue**, Palmer, Cuellar, Lolich and Freehan, Munson. Att. 53,559.

## HOW TO BUY TIGER YEARBOOK

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# DETROIT ATTENDANCE RECORDS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 1968 | 3,383,452 | Finished First |
| Home | 1968 | 2,031,847 | Finished First |
| Road | 1977 | 1,435,750 | Finished Fourth |
| Single Game | Sept. 26, 1948 | 57,888 | Cleveland |
| Doubleheader | Sunday, July 20, 1947 | 58,369 | New York |
| Single Night Game | August 9, 1948 | 56,586 | Cleveland |
| Twi-Night Doubleheader | June 27, 1961 | 57,271 | Chicago |
| Opening Day | April 6, 1971 | 54,089 | Cleveland |
| Smallest Crowd | Sept. 24, 1928 | 404 | Boston |
| Smallest Night Game | Aug. 20, 1964 | 2,173 | Los Angeles |

## RECENT ANNUAL COMPARISONS

| | 1978 | 1977 | 1976 | 1975 | 1974 | 1973 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Home | 1,714,893 | 1,359,856 | 1,467,020 | 1,058,836 | 1,243,080 | 1,724,146 |
| Road | 1,346,362 | 1,435,750 | 1,308,570 | 932,102 | 1,045,605 | 1,308,188 |
| Season | 3,061,255 | 2,795,606 | 2,775,590 | 1,990,938 | 2,288,685 | 3,032,334 |
| Largest Day | 52,528 | 46,807 | 51,650 | 40,130 | 44,047 | 52,622 |
| Smallest Day | 9,169 | 1,969 | 3,616 | 5,470 | 3,673 | 5,009 |
| Largest Night | 48,817 | 51,745 | 51,822 | 29,567 | 37,030* | 51,001 |
| Smallest Night | 8,412 | 3,057 | 5,328 | 4,078 | 5,422 | 9,222 |

*Twi-Night Doubleheader

## 1978 HOME ATTENDANCE BY CLUBS

| | DAY GAMES Att (Dates) | NIGHT GAMES Att (Dates) | AVERAGE Per Date | TOTALS Att (Dates) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balt | 27,867 (2) | 84,324 (5) | 16,027 | 112,191 (7) |
| Bos | 83,224 (2) | 110,469 (5) | 27,670 | 193,693 (7) |
| Cal | 66,331 (2) | 54,788 (2) | 30,280 | 121,119 (4) |
| Chi | 47,345 (2) | 76,085 (3) | 24,686 | 123,430 (5) |
| Cle | 31,609 (2) | 78,312 (5) | 15,703 | 109,921 (7) |
| KC | 56,591 (2) | 97,083 (3) | 30,375 | 153,674 (5) |
| Mil | 75,581 (2) | 110,772 (6) | 23,294 | 186,353 (8) |
| Minn | 57,802 (2) | 51,961 (3) | 21,953 | 109,763 (5) |
| NY | 34,014 (1) | 158,795 (6) | 27,544 | 192,809 (7) |
| Oak | 28,837 (2) | 55,823 (3) | 16,932 | 84,660 (5) |
| Sea | 44,559 (2) | 41,369 (3) | 17,186 | 85,928 (5) |
| Tex | 42,669 (2) | 51,118 (2) | 23,447 | 93,787 (4) |
| Tor | 74,110 (3) | 73,455 (4) | 21,081 | 147,565 (7) |
| **Totals** | **670,539 (26)** | **1,044,354 (50)** | **22,564** | **1,714,893 (76)** |

## RECENT HOME ATTENDANCE BY CLUBS

| | 1978 | 1977 | 1976 | 1975 | 1974 | 1973 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balt | 112,191 | 60,029 | 190,974 | 117,002 | 128,451 | 199,010 |
| Bos | 193,693 | 116,384 | 111,798 | 104,048 | 141,448 | 155,571 |
| Cal | 121,119 | 88,036 | 155,306 | 51,028 | 99,866 | 131,944 |
| Chi | 123,430 | 100,791 | 96,924 | 84,701 | 89,651 | 191,163 |
| Cle | 109,921 | 126,786 | 172,009 | 105,513 | 97,962 | 144,753 |
| KC | 153,674 | 132,027 | 147,510 | 84,764 | 93,926 | 111,340 |
| Mil | 186,353 | 97,759 | 152,308 | 101,082 | 129,194 | 135,425 |
| Minn | 109,763 | 95,755 | 84,259 | 81,938 | 86,609 | 175,740 |
| NY | 192,809 | 187,263 | 167,252 | 128,450 | 154,463 | 256,584 |
| Oak | 84,660 | 57,658 | 102,550 | 114,283 | 109,164 | 136,551 |
| Sea | 85,928 | 95,284 | | | | |
| Tex | 93,787 | 81,734 | 86,130 | 86,027 | 112,346 | 86,065 |
| Tor | 147,565 | 120,350 | | | | |

## RECENT AMERICAN LEAGUE ATTENDANCE

| | 1978 (Rank) | 1977 (Rank) | 1976 (Rank) | 1975 (Rank) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balt | 1,051,792 (10) | 1,195,769 (10) | 1,058,609 (6) | 1,002,157 (9) |
| Bos | 2,320,643 (2) | 2,074,549 (2) | 1,895,344 (2) | 1,748,443 (1) |
| Cal | 1,755,386 (4) | 1,432,633 (6) | 1,006,764 (8) | 1,058,163 (8) |
| Chi | 1,491,100 (8) | 1,657,135 (5) | 917,773 (10) | 770,800 (11) |
| Cle | 807,123 (12) | 900,365 (13) | 948,776 (9) | 977,039 (10) |
| DET | 1,714,893 (5) | 1,359,856 (7) | 1,467,020 (4) | 1,058,836 (7) |
| KC | 2,255,493 (3) | 1,852,603 (3) | 1,680,256 (3) | 1,151,836 (4) |
| Mil | 1,601,406 (6) | 1,114,938 (12) | 1,012,065 (7) | 1,213,357 (3) |
| Minn | 787,878 (13) | 1,162,727 (11) | 715,394 (12) | 737,156 (12) |
| NY | 2,335,871 (1) | 2,103,092 (1) | 2,012,434 (1) | 1,288,045 (2) |
| Oak | 527,007 (14) | 495,599 (14) | 780,585 (11) | 1,077,684 (6) |
| Sea | 877,440 (11) | 1,338,511 (8) | | |
| Tex | 1,447,963 (9) | 1,250,722 (9) | 1,164,986 (5) | 1,127,933 (5) |
| Tor | 1,562,585 (7) | 1,701,052 (4) | | |
| **Totals** | **20,536,580*** | **19,639,551** | **14,660,006** | **13,211,449** |

*League record



# 1978 STANDINGS — American League

| EAST | NY | Bos | Mil | Balt | Det | Cle | Tor | KC | Cal | Tex | Minn | Chi | Oak | Sea | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| NY | 0 | 9 | 5 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 6 | 100 | 63 | .613 | — |
| Bos | 7 | 0 | 10 | 8 | 12 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 9 | 3 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 7 | 99 | 64 | .607 | 1 |
| Mil | 10 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 93 | 69 | .574 | 6½ |
| Balt | 6 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 11 | 9 | 90 | 71 | .559 | 9 |
| DET | 4 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 0 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 6 | 8 | 86 | 76 | .531 | 13½ |
| Cle | 6 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 69 | 90 | .434 | 29 |
| Tor | 4 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 59 | 102 | .366 | 40 |
| **WEST** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| KC | 6 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 12 | 92 | 70 | .568 | — |
| Cal | 5 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 87 | 75 | .537 | 5 |
| Tex | 4 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 12 | 87 | 75 | .537 | 5 |
| Minn | 3 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 73 | 89 | .451 | 19 |
| Chi | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 8 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 71 | 90 | .441 | 20½ |
| Oak | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 13 | 69 | 93 | .426 | 23 |
| Sea | 5 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 56 | 104 | .350 | 35 |

## WON AT HOME

| Club | Bos | KC | NY | Mil | Tex | Balt | Cal | Det | Cle | Chi | Oak | Minn | Tor | Sea | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 59 | 23 | .720 |
| Kansas City | 4 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 56 | 25 | .691 |
| New York | 3 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 4 | 55 | 26 | .679 |
| Milwaukee | 3 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 54 | 27 | .667 |
| Texas | 5 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 52 | 30 | .634 |
| Baltimore | 5 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 51 | 30 | .630 |
| California | 2 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 50 | 31 | .617 |
| DETROIT | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 47 | 34 | .580 |
| Cleveland | 5 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 42 | 36 | .538 |
| Chicago | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 38 | 42 | .475 |
| Oakland | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 38 | 42 | .475 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 38 | 43 | .469 |
| Toronto | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 37 | 44 | .457 |
| Seattle | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 32 | 49 | .395 |
| Lost on road | 41 | 45 | 37 | 42 | 45 | 41 | 44 | 42 | 54 | 48 | 51 | 46 | 58 | 55 | | | |

## WON ON ROAD

| Club | NY | Bos | Balt | Det | Mil | Cal | KC | Tex | Minn | Chi | Oak | Cle | Sea | Tor | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 45 | 37 | .549 |
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 40 | 41 | .494 |
| Baltimore | 4 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 39 | 41 | .488 |
| DETROIT | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 39 | 42 | .481 |
| Milwaukee | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 39 | 42 | .481 |
| California | 2 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 37 | 44 | .457 |
| Kansas City | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 36 | 45 | .444 |
| Texas | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 35 | 45 | .438 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 35 | 46 | .432 |
| Chicago | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 33 | 48 | .407 |
| Oakland | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 31 | 51 | .378 |
| Cleveland | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 27 | 54 | .333 |
| Seattle | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 24 | 55 | .304 |
| Toronto | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 58 | .275 |
| Lost at home | 26 | 23 | 30 | 34 | 27 | 31 | 25 | 30 | 43 | 42 | 42 | 36 | 49 | 44 | | | |

## TIGER WON-LOST DETAIL

| | Home Won | Home Lost | Road Won | Road Lost | Total Won | Total Lost |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Day Games | 17 | 12 | 11 | 16 | 28 | 28 |
| Night Games | 30 | 22 | 28 | 26 | 58 | 48 |
| One-Run Decisions | 12 | 7 | 13 | 16 | 25 | 23 |
| Shutouts | 7 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 12 | 7 |
| Extra-Inning Games | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 8 |
| Vs. RH Pitchers | 24 | 16 | 21 | 24 | 45 | 40 |
| Vs. LH Pitchers | 23 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 41 | 36 |

| | W | L | Split | W | L | Split | W | L | Split |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Doubleheaders | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 8 |
| Series | 14 | 9 | 8 | 13 | 9 | 5 | 27 | 18 | 13 |

## FIVE TEAMS TOP TIGERS

Five teams in the American League enter the 1979 season with total-victory margins over the Tigers: Baltimore Orioles at 266-242, Boston Red Sox at 820-796, Kansas City Royals at 60-57, Minnesota Twins at 138-122 and New York Yankees at 828-753. The Tigers hold these margins over the other teams: California 151-109, Chicago 804-757, Cleveland 822-795, Milwaukee 95-61 (inc. Seattle 1969), Oakland 221-171 (inc. Kansas City 1955-67), Seattle 13-8, Texas 868-714 (inc. Washington 1901-71) and Toronto 19-11.

# 1978 DAY-BY-DAY RECORD

| Date | Game No. | Oppo-nent | W L | Score | Winner | Loser | Rec. | Pos. | GA | GB | Att. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4/7 | 1 | Tor | W | 6-2 | *Fidrych | Lemanczyk | 1-0 | T1 | — | — | 52,528 |
| 4/8 | 2 | Tor | L | 2-5 | Garvin | Slaton | 1-1 | T3 | — | 1 | 12,413 |
| 4/9 | 3 | Tor | W | 8-4 | Billingham | Undrwd | 2-1 | 2 | — | 1 | 9,169 |
| 4/11 | 4 | at Tex | W | 6-2 | *Rozema | Medich | 3-1 | 2 | — | 1 | 10,808 |
| 4/12 | 5 | at Tex | W | 3-2 | *Fidrych | Matlack | 4-1 | 2 | — | 1 | 29,008 |
| 4/14 | 6 | at Tor | L | 8.10 | †Kirkwood | Wilcox† | 4-2 | 2 | — | 1 | 35,761 |
| 4/15 | 7 | at Tor | W | 6-3 | Billingham | Willis† | 5-2 | T-1 | — | — | 15,024 |
| 4/16 | 8 | at Tor | W | 4-3 | †Crawford | Clancy | 6-2 | 1 | ½ | — | 17,088 |
| 4/17 | 9 | Chi | W | 10-9 | †Hiller | Willoughby† | 7-2 | 1 | 1 | — | 19,841 |
| 4/22 | 10 | Tex | W | 7-6(10) | †Hiller | Jenkins† | 8-2 | 1 | ½ | — | 22,054 |
| 4/23 | 11 | Tex | W | 9-6 | Slaton | Matlack | 9-2 | 1 | 1 | — | |
| | 12 | Tex | L | 1-2(11) | †Barker | Crawford† | 9-3 | 1 | ½ | — | 20,615 |
| 4/24 | 13 | at Chi | W | 4-1 | *Billingham | Kravec | 10-3 | 1 | 1 | — | 8,314 |
| 4/25 | 14 | at Chi | W | 8-4(10) | †Hiller | Torrealba† | 11-3 | 1 | 1 | — | 13,496 |
| 4/26 | 15 | at Chi | L | 2-7 | *Wood | Crawford† | 11-4 | 1 | 1 | — | 7,983 |
| 4/28 | 16 | at Sea | W | 5-4 | Slaton | Honeycutt | 12-4 | 1 | 2 | — | 10,240 |
| 4/29 | 17 | at Sea | W | 5-0 | *Rozema | Mitchell | 13-4 | 1 | 3 | — | 12,123 |
| 4/30 | 18 | at Sea | L | 3-4(11) | †Romo | Foucault† | 13-5 | 1 | 3 | — | 7,474 |
| 5/2 | 19 | at Cal | W | 10-2 | *Wilcox | Brett | 14-5 | 1 | 3 | — | 18,641 |
| 5/3 | 20 | at Cal | W | 7-4 | Slaton | Tanana | 15-5 | 1 | 3 | — | 19,462 |
| 5/5 | 21 | at Oak | L | 1-5 | *Johnson | Billinghm | 15-6 | 1 | 2 | — | 14,904 |
| 5/6 | 22 | at Oak | W | 6-0 | *Sykes | Wirth | 16-6 | 1 | 2 | — | 12,722 |
| 5/7 | 23 | at Oak | W | 4-0 | *Wilcox | Keough | 17-6 | 1 | 2 | — | 16,362 |
| 5/9 | 24 | Cal | L | 5-7 | †LaRoche | Foucault† | 17-7 | 1 | ½ | — | 21,089 |
| 5/12 | 25 | Oak | L | 4-10 | †Sosa | Hiller† | 17-8 | T-1 | — | — | 18,367 |
| 5/13 | 26 | Oak | L | 2-3 | †Lacey | Rozema | 17-9 | 2 | — | 1 | 16,324 |
| 5/14 | 27 | Oak | W | 15-0 | *Sykes | Broberg | 18-9 | 2 | — | 1 | 12,513 |
| 5/15 | 28 | Sea | W | 4-2 | *Slaton | Abbott | 19-9 | T-1 | — | — | 8,412 |
| 5/16 | 29 | Sea | W | 4-2(16) | †Foucault | Rawley† | 20-9 | T-1 | — | — | 12,473 |
| 5/17 | 30 | at Mil | W | 5-3 | Billghm | Augustine | 21-9 | 1 | ½ | — | 10,004 |
| 5/18 | 31 | at Mil | L | 7-8 | †Castro | Foucault† | 21-10 | T-1 | — | — | 15,217 |
| 5/19 | 32 | Bos | W | 7-5 | Sykes | Torrez | 22-10 | 1 | 1 | — | 48,817 |
| 5/20 | 33 | Bos | L | 5-6 | †Campbell | Foucault† | 22-11 | T-1 | — | — | 30,856 |
| 5/21 | 34 | Bos | W | 2-1 | *Wilcox | Lee* | 23-11 | 1 | 1 | — | |
| | 35 | Bos | L | 3-9 | *Tiant | Rozema | 23-12 | T-1 | — | — | 52,368 |
| 5/23 | 36 | at Balt | L | 0-2 | *Flanagan | Billghm* | 23-13 | 1 | — | ½ | 4,536 |
| 5/24 | 37 | at Balt | W | 3-2 | †Hiller | Martinez | 24-13 | 1 | — | — | |
| | 38 | at Balt | L | 0-1 | *Palmer | Sykes* | 24-14 | T2 | — | 1 | 8,196 |
| 5/25 | 39 | at Balt | L | 1-2 | *McGregor | Hiller† | 24-15 | 3 | — | 2 | 5,109 |
| 5/26 | 40 | at Bos | L | 3-6 | *Lee | Wilcox* | 24-16 | 3 | — | 3 | 33,431 |
| 5/27 | 41 | at Bos | L | 0-1 | *Tiant | Morris† | 24-17 | 3 | — | 4 | 33,335 |
| 5/28 | 42 | at Bos | L | 3-4(10) | †Stanley | Hiller† | 24-18 | 3 | — | 5 | |
| | 43 | at Bos | L | 3-4 | Wright | Slaton | 24-19 | 3 | — | 6 | 34,672 |
| 5/29 | 44 | Balt | L | 3-6 | *McGregor | Sykes | 24-20 | 3 | — | 7 | 20,534 |
| 5/30 | 45 | Balt | W | 5-2 | Baker | Briles | 25-20 | 3 | — | 7 | 10,530 |
| 5/31 | 46 | Mil | W | 3-0 | *Wilcox | Travers | 26-20 | 3 | — | 6 | 13,017 |
| 6/1 | 47 | Mil | W | 4-3 | Slaton | Sorensen* | 27-20 | 3 | — | 5½ | 11,614 |
| 6/2 | 48 | Minn | L | 2-4 | Erickson | Billghm | 27-21 | 3 | — | 6½ | 21,127 |
| 6/3 | 49 | Minn | L | 2-9 | *Goltz | Sykes | 27-22 | 3 | — | 7½ | 21,227 |
| 6/4 | 50 | Minn | W | 6-4 | †Morris | Zahn | 28-22 | 3 | — | 6½ | 36,575 |
| 6/6 | 51 | at Mil | L | 1-5 | *Sorensen | Wilcox | 28-23 | 3 | — | 6 | 12,992 |
| 6/7 | 52 | at Mil | W | 8-1 | *Slaton | Replogle | 29-23 | 3 | — | 5½ | 7,467 |
| 6/9 | 53 | KC | W | 3-2 | Billingham | Splittrff* | 30-23 | 3 | — | 5½ | 32,309 |
| 6/10 | 54 | KC | L | 3-6 | *Leonard | Morris† | 30-24 | 3 | — | 6½ | 32,381 |
| 6/11 | 55 | KC | W | 5-2(10) | †Hiller | Hrabosky† | 31-24 | 3 | — | 6½ | 24,210 |
| 6/12 | 56 | Mil | L | 4-7 | †McClure | Wilcox | 31-25 | 4 | — | 7½ | 14,472 |
| 6/13 | 57 | Mil | L | 2-7 | *Caldwell | Slaton | 31-26 | 5 | — | 8½ | 16,622 |
| 6/14 | 58 | at KC | L | 1-7 | *Splittorff | Billghm | 31-27 | 5 | — | 9½ | 21,025 |
| 6/15 | 59 | at KC | L | 2-7 | *Leonard | Sykes | 31-28 | 5 | — | 10½ | 19,721 |
| 6/16 | 60 | at Minn | L | 2-5 | Jackson | Rozema | 31-29 | 5 | — | 11½ | 9,479 |
| 6/17 | 61 | at Minn | L | 1-3 | *Zahn | Wilcox* | 31-30 | 5 | — | 12½ | 9,807 |
| 6/18 | 62 | at Minn | L | 4-8 | Goltz | Slaton | 31-31 | 5 | — | 12½ | 21,480 |
| 6/20 | 63 | at Tor | W | 4-3(13) | †Hiller | Willis† | 32-31 | 5 | — | 12 | 31,625 |
| 6/21 | 64 | at Tor | W | 10-8 | †Crawford | Kirkwd† | 33-31 | 5 | — | 12 | 29,439 |
| 6/22 | 65 | NY | L | 2-4 | Guidry | Rozema | 33-32 | 5 | — | 12½ | 33,971 |
| 6/23 | 66 | NY | L | 3-12 | †Lyle | Wilcox | 33-33 | 5 | — | 13½ | 39,022 |
| 6/24 | 67 | NY | W | 4-3 | *Slaton | Clay | 34-33 | 5 | — | 13½ | 37,681 |
| 6/25 | 68 | NY | L | 2-4 | Gullett | Baker | 34-34 | 5 | — | 14½ | 34,014 |
| 6/26 | 69 | at Cle | L | 4-5 | Hood | Billingham* | 34-35 | 5 | — | 15½ | 4,633 |
| 6/27 | 70 | at Cle | W | 6-1 | *Rozema | Freislebn | 35-35 | 5 | — | 14½ | 12,214 |
| 6/28 | 71 | at Cle | W | 4-3 | Slaton | Waits | 36-35 | 5 | — | 14 | |
| | 72 | at Cle | L | 1-2 | Paxton | Wilcox* | 36-36 | 5 | — | 14½ | 13,489 |
| 6/29 | 73 | at Cle | L | 3-6 | †Kern | Morris† | 36-37 | 5 | — | 15½ | 5,672 |
| 6/30 | 74 | at NY | L | 2-10 | *Gullett | Baker | 36-38 | 5 | — | 15½ | 31,304 |
| 7/1 | 75 | at NY | W | 8-4 | Billghm | Mssrsmith | 37-38 | 5 | — | 14½ | 36,574 |
| 7/2 | 76 | at NY | L | 2-3 | Guidry | Hiller† | 37-39 | 5 | — | 15 | |
| | 77 | at NY | L | 3-5 | †Gossage | Slaton* | 37-40 | 5 | — | 15½ | 50,449 |
| 7/3 | 78 | Tor | W | 6-5 | *Wilcox | Murphy† | 38-40 | 5 | — | 15½ | 21,597 |
| 7/4 | 79 | Tor | L | 2-9 | Moore | Morris | 38-41 | 5 | — | 16 | 11,913 |
| 7/5 | 80 | Cle | W | 13-3 | *Billingham | Wise | 39-41 | 5 | — | 16 | 12,778 |
| 7/6 | 81 | Cle | W | 8-4 | †Sykes | Waits | 40-41 | 5 | — | 16 | 17,125 |

*Complete game †Decision in relief



# 1978 DAY-BY-DAY RECORD

| Date | Game No. | Oppo-nent | W L | Score | Winner | Loser | Rec. | Pos. | GA | GB | Att. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7/7 | 82 | at Tex | W | 12-7 | Rozema | Ellis | 41-41 | 5 | — | 15 | 21,066 |
| 7/8 | 83 | at Tex | W | 5-1 | *Wilcox | Alexander | 42-41 | 5 | — | 15½ | 22,993 |
| 7/9 | 84 | at Tex | L | 3-4(13) | †Umbarger | Slaton† | 42-42 | 5 | — | 15½ | 15,770 |
| 7/13 | 85 | at Sea | L | 4-5 | †Romo | Crawford† | 42-43 | 5 | — | 15½ | 7,449 |
| 7/14 | 86 | at Sea | W | 2-0 | *Slaton | Rawley† | 43-43 | 5 | — | 14 | 9,742 |
| 7/15 | 87 | at Cal | L | 0-2 | *Tanana | Wilcox* | 43-44 | 5 | — | 15½ | 33,001 |
| 7/16 | 88 | at Cal | W | 4-0 | *Billingham | Frost | 44-44 | 5 | — | 16 | 21,447 |
| 7/17 | 89 | at Cal | W | 4-3(10) | †Morris | LaRoche† | 45-44 | 5 | — | 16 | 32,469 |
| 7/18 | 90 | at Oak | L | 3-6 | Langford | Rozema | 45-45 | 5 | — | 16½ | 3,023 |
| 7/19 | 91 | at Oak | W | 5-4 | *Slaton | Keough | 46-45 | 5 | — | 16½ | 4,627 |
| 7/21 | 92 | Cal | L | 2-4(11) | †LaRoche | Young† | 46-46 | 5 | — | 16 | |
| | 93 | Cal | W | 5-0 | *Billingham | Frost | 47-46 | 5 | — | 15½ | 33,699 |
| 7/22 | 94 | Cal | W | 7-3 | †Sykes | Brett† | 48-46 | 5 | — | 14½ | 31,107 |
| 7/23 | 95 | Cal | W | 4-3 | †Foucault | LaRoche† | 49-46 | 5 | — | 14 | |
| | 96 | Cal | L | 3-4 | *Ryan | Slaton* | 49-47 | 5 | — | 14 | 35,224 |
| 7/24 | 97 | Oak | W | 4-1 | *Young | Keough | 50-47 | 5 | — | 13½ | 19,733 |
| 7/25 | 98 | Oak | W | 11-2 | *Wilcox | Renko | 51-47 | 5 | — | 12½ | 17,723 |
| 7/26 | 99 | Balt | W | 9-6 | Billghm | Flanagan | 52-47 | 5 | — | 11½ | 18,056 |
| 7/27 | 100 | Balt | L | 3-7 | *McGregor | Slaton | 52-48 | 5 | — | 11½ | 22,856 |
| 7/28 | 101 | Sea | W | 4-3 | *Rozema | Romo† | 53-48 | 5 | — | 10½ | 20,484 |
| 7/29 | 102 | Sea | W | 9-1 | *Young | Honeycutt | 54-48 | 5 | — | 10½ | 22,984 |
| 7/30 | 103 | Sea | W | 5-4 | Wilcox | Abbott | 55-48 | 5 | — | 9½ | 21,575 |
| 7/31 | 104 | at Tor | L | 7-8(14) | †Coleman | Sykes† | 55-49 | 5 | — | 10½ | 18,032 |
| 8/1 | 105 | at Tor | W | 3-2 | *Slaton | Clancy* | 56-49 | 5 | — | 9½ | 19,269 |
| 8/3 | 106 | Chi | W | 5-4(10) | †Sykes | LaGrow† | 57-49 | 5 | — | 10 | 11,257 |
| 8/4 | 107 | Chi | W | 7-1 | *Young | Wood | 58-49 | 5 | — | 9 | 31,334 |
| 8/5 | 108 | Chi | W | 7-0 | *Billingham | Burns | 59-49 | 5 | — | 9 | 33,494 |
| 8/6 | 109 | Chi | W | 8-0 | *Slaton | Kravec | 60-49 | T4 | — | 9 | 27,504 |
| 8/8 | 110 | Tex | L | 4-9 | Mirabella | Rozema | 60-50 | 4 | — | 10 | 20,951 |
| 8/9 | 111 | Tex | W | 5-2 | *Young | Jenkins | 61-50 | 4 | — | 9 | 30,167 |
| 8/11 | 112 | at Chi | W | 7-3 | *Billingham | Burns | 62-50 | 4 | — | 8½ | 25,798 |
| 8/12 | 113 | at Chi | L | 3-6 | Kravec | Slaton | 62-51 | T3 | — | 10 | 20,128 |
| 8/13 | 114 | at Chi | W | 10-2 | *Rozema | Proly | 63-51 | 3 | — | 10 | 33,128 |
| 8/14 | 115 | KC | W | 11-2 | *Wilcox | Gale | 64-51 | 3 | — | 9 | 31,409 |
| 8/15 | 116 | KC | L | 2-4 | Leonard | Young | 64-52 | T3 | — | 9 | 33,365 |
| 8/16 | 117 | Cle | W | 2-0 | *Billingham | Clyde* | 65-52 | 4 | — | 9 | 15,819 |
| 8/17 | 118 | Cle | W | 9-5 | †Morris | Hood† | 66-52 | 4 | — | 9 | 18,966 |
| 8/18 | 119 | at Mil | L | 0-2 | *Sorensen | Rozema* | 66-53 | 4 | — | 9½ | 27,543 |
| 8/19 | 120 | at Mil | W | 6-4 | *Wilcox | Augustine | 67-53 | 4 | — | 9 | 35,104 |
| 8/20 | 121 | at Mil | L | 1-2 | *Caldwell | Young | 67-54 | 4 | — | 10 | 46,773 |
| 8/21 | 122 | at Minn | W | 9-6 | Billingham | Zahn | 68-54 | 4 | — | 9½ | 7,419 |
| 8/22 | 123 | at Minn | W | 7-3 | *Slaton | Perznwski† | 69-54 | 4 | — | 8½ | 7,726 |
| 8/23 | 124 | Tor | L | 3-4(12) | †Cruz | Rozema* | 69-55 | 4 | — | 8½ | |
| | 125 | Tor | L | 4-5 | Garvin | Sykes | 69-56 | 4 | — | 9 | 26,631 |
| 8/24 | 126 | Tor | W | 5-2 | *Wilcox | Moore | 70-56 | 4 | — | 8½ | 13,314 |
| 8/25 | 127 | Mil | W | 6-3 | Young | Caldwell | 71-56 | 4 | — | 8½ | 32,010 |
| 8/26 | 128 | Mil | L | 5-9 | Travers | Billingham | 71-57 | 4 | — | 9½ | 32,103 |
| 8/27 | 129 | Mil | W | 4-2 | Slaton | Sorensen* | 72-57 | 4 | — | 9½ | 43,478 |
| 8/28 | 130 | Mil | L | 1-10 | *Augustine | Rozema | 72-58 | 4 | — | 10½ | 23,037 |
| 8/29 | 131 | Minn | W | 4-2 | *Wilcox | Goltz* | 73-58 | 4 | — | 10½ | 13,839 |
| 8/31 | 132 | Minn | L | 1-4 | Zahn | Young | 73-59 | 4 | — | 11 | 16,995 |
| 9/1 | 133 | at KC | W | 6-2 | *Billingham | Lnard | 74-59 | 4 | — | 10 | 32,329 |
| 9/2 | 134 | at KC | L | 3-8 | *Splittorff | Slaton | 74-60 | 5 | — | 10 | 34,004 |
| 9/3 | 135 | at KC | L | 2-6 | *Gura | Rozema* | 74-61 | 5 | — | 11 | 27,217 |
| 9/4 | 136 | at NY | L | 1-9 | *Guidry | Wilcox | 74-62 | 5 | — | 11 | |
| | 137 | at NY | W | 5-4 | †Hiller | Lyle† | 75-62 | 5 | — | 10½ | 46,896 |
| 9/5 | 138 | at NY | L | 2-4 | Tidrow | Young* | 75-63 | 5 | — | 10½ | 16,891 |
| 9/6 | 139 | at NY | L | 2-8 | Figueroa | Billghm | 75-64 | 5 | — | 11½ | 24,452 |
| 9/8 | 140 | Cle | W | 6-3 | Slaton | Clyde | 76-64 | 5 | — | 10 | 13,624 |
| 9/9 | 141 | Cle | W | 5-2 | *Rozema | Paxton | 77-64 | 5 | — | 9 | 16,026 |
| 9/10 | 142 | Cle | L | 4-7 | †Kern | Wilcox | 77-65 | 5 | — | 9 | 15,583 |
| 9/12 | 143 | NY | W | 7-4 | Young | Tidrow | 78-65 | 5 | — | 8½ | 14,162 |
| 9/13 | 144 | NY | L | 3-7 | Beattie | Billingham | 78-66 | 5 | — | 9 | 16,841 |
| 9/14 | 145 | NY | L | 2-4 | Figueroa | Slaton | 78-67 | 5 | — | 10 | 17,118 |
| 9/15 | 146 | at Cle | W | 1-0 | *Rozema | Reuschel | 79-67 | 5 | — | 10 | 4,070 |
| 9/16 | 147 | at Cle | W | 10-4 | Wilcox | Waits | 80-67 | 5 | — | 10 | 4,640 |
| 9/17 | 148 | at Cle | L | 1-2 | †Kern | Young* | 80-68 | 5 | — | 10 | 4,515 |
| 9/18 | 149 | Bos | L | 4-5(11) | †Hassler | Baker† | 80-69 | 5 | — | 11 | 13,849 |
| 9/19 | 150 | Bos | L | 6-8 | †Campbell | Morris† | 80-70 | 5 | — | 11 | 15,901 |
| 9/20 | 151 | Bos | W | 12-2 | *Rozema | Torrez | 81-70 | 5 | — | 10½ | 16,689 |
| 9/21 | 152 | Bos | L | 1-5 | *Eckersley | Wilcox* | 81-71 | 5 | — | 11½ | 15,213 |
| 9/22 | 153 | at Balt | W | 7-5(10) | †Hiller | Flanagan | 82-71 | 5 | — | 10½ | 5,444 |
| 9/23 | 154 | at Balt | W | 4-3 | †Hiller | Stanhouse† | 83-71 | 5 | — | 9½ | |
| | 155 | at Balt | L | 1-6 | *Palmer | Baker | 83-72 | 5 | — | 10 | 13,036 |
| 9/24 | 156 | at Balt | W | 4-2 | *Slaton | Stanhouse† | 84-72 | 5 | — | 10 | 9,081 |
| 9/26 | 157 | at Bos | L | 0-6 | *Eckersley | Rozema | 84-73 | 5 | — | 11 | 27,078 |
| 9/27 | 158 | at Bos | L | 2-5 | Tiant | Wilcox | 84-74 | 5 | — | 12 | 26,035 |
| 9/28 | 159 | at Bos | L | 0-1 | *Torrez | Young* | 84-75 | 5 | — | 13 | 26,724 |
| 9/29 | 160 | Balt | W | 3-2 | Slaton | Stewart | 85-75 | 5 | — | 13 | 12,348 |
| 9/30 | 161 | Balt | W | 5-4 | †Baker | Flanagan* | 86-75 | 5 | — | 13 | 13,919 |
| 10/1 | 162 | Balt | L | 2-4 | *Martinez | Rozema | 86-76 | 5 | — | 13 | 13,948 |

*Complete game †Decision in relief

## 1978 PITCHING — American League

| Club | ERA | CG | Sv | Sho | IP | H | R | ER | HR | BB | SO | HB | WP | BK |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| NY | 3.18 | 30 | 36 | 16 | 1460.2 | 1321 | 582 | 516 | 111 | 478 | 817 | 32 | 43 | 4 |
| Tex | 3.36 | 54 | 25 | 12 | 1456.1 | 1431 | 632 | 543 | 108 | 421 | 776 | 24 | 34 | 3 |
| KC | 3.44 | 53 | 33 | 14 | 1439.0 | 1350 | 634 | 550 | 108 | 478 | 657 | 34 | 37 | 6 |
| Bos | 3.54 | 57 | 26 | 15 | 1472.2 | 1530 | 657 | 579 | 137 | 464 | 706 | 35 | 16 | 5 |
| Balt | 3.56 | 65 | 33 | 16 | 1429.0 | 1340 | 633 | 566 | 107 | 509 | 754 | 15 | 44 | 6 |
| Oak | 3.62 | 26 | 29 | 11 | 1433.1 | 1401 | 600 | 577 | 106 | 582 | 750 | 26 | 37 | 9 |
| DET | 3.64 | 60 | 21 | 12 | 1455.2 | 1441 | 653 | 589 | 135 | 503 | 684 | 36 | 48 | 2 |
| Cal | 3.65 | 44 | 33 | 13 | 1455.2 | 1382 | 666 | 590 | 125 | 599 | 892 | 32 | 36 | 14 |
| Mil | 3.66 | 62 | 24 | 19 | 1436.0 | 1442 | 650 | 584 | 109 | 398 | 577 | 41 | 34 | 7 |
| Minn | 3.69 | 48 | 26 | 9 | 1459.2 | 1468 | 678 | 599 | 102 | 520 | 703 | 33 | 51 | 14 |
| Cle | 3.97 | 36 | 28 | 6 | 1407.1 | 1397 | 694 | 621 | 100 | 568 | 739 | 28 | 56 | 7 |
| Chi | 4.21 | 38 | 33 | 9 | 1409.1 | 1380 | 731 | 660 | 128 | 586 | 712 | 43 | 38 | 2 |
| Tor | 4.55 | 35 | 23 | 5 | 1429.1 | 1529 | 775 | 723 | 149 | 614 | 758 | 22 | 47 | 5 |
| Sea | 4.69 | 28 | 20 | 4 | 1419.1 | 1540 | 834 | 739 | 155 | 567 | 630 | 41 | 31 | 5 |
| **Totals** | **3.77** | **645** | **390** | **161** | **20163.1** | **19952** | **9509** | **8436** | **1680** | **7287** | **10155** | **442** | **552** | **89** |

## INDIVIDUAL TIGER PITCHING RECORDS

| | ERA | W | L | AP | GS | CG | Sv | Sho | IP | H | R | ER | HR | BB | SO | HB | WP |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arroyo* | 8.31 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4.1 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Baker | 4.55 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63.1 | 66 | 37 | 32 | 6 | 42 | 39 | 0 | 6 |
| Billingham | 3.88 | 15 | 8 | 30 | 30 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 201.2 | 218 | 95 | 87 | 16 | 65 | 59 | 8 | 6 |
| Burnside | 9.00 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4.0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Crawford* | 4.35 | 2 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 39.1 | 45 | 24 | 19 | 3 | 19 | 24 | 2 | 7 |
| Fidrych* | 2.45 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 22.0 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Foucault* | 3.37 | 2 | 4 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 37.1 | 48 | 18 | 14 | 1 | 21 | 18 | 1 | 1 |
| Glynn | 3.07 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14.2 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Hiller | 2.34 | 9 | 4 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 92.1 | 64 | 27 | 24 | 6 | 35 | 74 | 0 | 3 |
| Morris | 4.33 | 3 | 5 | 28 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 106.0 | 107 | 57 | 51 | 8 | 49 | 48 | 3 | 4 |
| Rozema | 3.14 | 9 | 12 | 28 | 28 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 209.1 | 205 | 83 | 73 | 17 | 41 | 57 | 2 | 3 |
| Slaton | 4.12 | 17 | 11 | 35 | 34 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 233.2 | 235 | 117 | 107 | 27 | 85 | 92 | 8 | 10 |
| Sykes | 3.94 | 6 | 6 | 22 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 93.2 | 99 | 43 | 41 | 14 | 34 | 58 | 1 | 1 |
| Taylor* | 0.00 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tobik | 3.75 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12.0 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilcox | 3.76 | 13 | 12 | 29 | 27 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 215.1 | 208 | 94 | 90 | 22 | 68 | 132 | 8 | 6 |
| Young | 2.81 | 6 | 7 | 14 | 13 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 105.2 | 94 | 34 | 33 | 9 | 30 | 49 | 2 | 1 |
| **Team** | **3.64** | **86** | **76** | **319** | **162** | **60** | **21** | **12** | **1455.2** | **1441** | **653** | **589** | **135** | **503** | **684** | **36** | **48** |

*Not with team at end of season. BALKS: Foucault 1, Slaton 1.

## LIFETIME AL RECORDS — 1979 Pitchers

| | Balt | Bos | Cle | Mil | NY | Tor | Cal | Chi | KC | Minn | Oak | Sea | Tex | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baker | 2-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-4 |
| Bill'ham | 1-1 | 0-0 | 2-1 | 1-1 | 1-2 | 2-0 | 2-0 | 3-0 | 2-1 | 1-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 15-8* |
| Fidrych | 1-3 | 2-2 | 5-1 | 2-1 | 3-1 | 2-0 | 3-0 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 2-1 | 2-1 | 0-1 | 3-0 | 27-13 |
| Glynn | 1-0 | 0-3 | 1-0 | 0-1 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3-6 |
| Hiller | 7-12 | 7-5 | 7-7 | 9-5 | 11-7 | 3-2 | 10-6 | 7-2 | 4-2 | 4-6 | 6-5 | 0-1 | 7-9 | 82-69 |
| Morris | 0-0 | 0-2 | 1-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 4-6 |
| Rozema | 0-2 | 2-3 | 4-0 | 4-2 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 2-0 | 1-1 | 2-1 | 0-5 | 4-1 | 3-2 | 24-19 |
| Taylor | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-0 |
| Wilcox | 0-4 | 2-6 | 1-2 | 5-4 | 2-6 | 3-1 | 5-3 | 2-3 | 2-3 | 4-3 | 2-2 | 2-0 | 4-3 | 36-40** |
| Young | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 6-7 |

*Billingham 119-95 in NL, 1968-77 Lopez 4-2 in NL, 1978
**Wilcox 5-4 in NL, 1970-71; 2-0 vs. Det at Cle, 1972-74 inc. in totals

## HOW TO COMPUTE FIELDING AVERAGE

To find a fielding percentage, divide the number of errorless chances accepted by the number of total chances accepted (assists, putouts and errors).

## PITCHING SAVE: DEFINITION

A pitcher may be credited with a save when he meets ALL THREE of the following conditions:

1 — He is the finishing pitcher in a game won by his club and

2 — He is NOT the winning pitcher and

3 — He qualifies under one of the following conditions: (a) he enters the game with a lead of not more than three runs and pitches at least one inning, OR (b) he enters the game with the potential tying run either on base, at bat or "on deck" (i.e. either already on base or one of the first two batsmen he faces), OR (c) he pitches effectively for at least three innings.

It is NOT MANDATORY to credit a save and ONLY ONE save per game may be awarded by the official scorer.



## 1978 PITCHING — Won-Lost by Clubs

| Pitcher | Balt | Bos | Cle | Mil | NY | Tor | Cal | Chi | KC | Minn | Oak | Sea | Tex | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baker | 2-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-4 |
| Bill'gham | 1-1 | 0-0 | 2-1 | 1-1 | 1-2 | 2-0 | 2-0 | 3-0 | 2-1 | 1-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 15-8 |
| Crawford | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 2-3 |
| Fidrych | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 2-0 |
| Foucault | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 2-4 |
| Hiller | 3-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 2-0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 9-4 |
| Morris | 0-0 | 0-2 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3-5 |
| Rozema | 0-1 | 1-2 | 3-0 | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-2 | 2-0 | 2-1 | 9-12 |
| Slaton | 2-1 | 0-1 | 2-0 | 3-1 | 1-2 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 0-1 | 1-1 | 1-0 | 3-0 | 1-1 | 17-11 |
| Sykes | 0-2 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 2-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 6-6 |
| Wilcox | 0-0 | 1-3 | 1-2 | 2-2 | 0-2 | 2-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 1-1 | 2-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 13-12 |
| Young | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 6-7 |
| TEAM | 8-7 | 3-12 | 10-5 | 7-8 | 4-11 | 9-6 | 7-4 | 9-2 | 4-6 | 4-6 | 6-4 | 8-2 | 7-3 | 86-76 |

Appearances without decision: Arroyo 2, Burnside 2, Glynn 10, Taylor 1, Tobik 5.

## MISCELLANEOUS

| Pitcher | Home-Road | | Day-Night | | Start-Relief | | 1st Half-2nd Half | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baker | 2-2 | 0-2 | 1-1 | 1-3 | 1-3 | 1-1 | 1-2 | 1-2 |
| Billingham | 7-3 | 8-5 | 4-1 | 11-7 | 15-8 | 0-0 | 7-5 | 8-3 |
| Crawford | 0-1 | 2-2 | 1-2 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 2-3 | 2-2 | 0-1 |
| Fidrych | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 2-0 | 0-0 | 2-0 | 0-0 |
| Foucault | 2-2 | 0-2 | 1-3 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 2-4 | 1-4 | 1-0 |
| Hiller | 3-1 | 6-3 | 4-2 | 5-2 | 0-0 | 9-4 | 6-4 | 3-0 |
| Morris | 2-3 | 1-2 | 1-3 | 2-2 | 0-1 | 3-4 | 1-4 | 2-1 |
| Rozema | 3-7 | 6-5 | 2-4 | 7-8 | 9-12 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 6-8 |
| Slaton | 8-5 | 9-6 | 5-5 | 12-6 | 17-10 | 0-1 | 8-5 | 9-6 |
| Sykes | 5-3 | 1-3 | 3-1 | 3-5 | 3-5 | 3-1 | 4-4 | 2-2 |
| Wilcox | 8-4 | 5-8 | 4-4 | 9-8 | 13-11 | 0-1 | 5-7 | 8-5 |
| Young | 6-3 | 0-4 | 1-2 | 5-5 | 6-6 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 6-7 |
| TEAM | 47-34 | 39-42 | 28-28 | 58-48 | 66-56 | 20-20 | 40-41 | 46-35 |

## OPPONENTS' PITCHERS vs. DETROIT

**BALTIMORE (7-8)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Briles | 0-1 | Palmer | 2-0 |
| Flanagan | 1-3 | Stanhouse | 0-2 |
| Martinez | 1-1 | Stewart | 0-1 |
| McGregor | 3-0 | | |

**BOSTON (12-3)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Campbell | 2-0 | Stanley | 1-0 |
| Eckersley | 2-0 | Tiant | 3-0 |
| Hassler | 1-0 | Torrez | 1-2 |
| Lee | 1-1 | Wright | 1-0 |

**CALIFORNIA (4-7)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brett | 0-2 | Ryan | 1-0 |
| Frost | 0-2 | Tanana | 1-1 |
| LaRoche | 2-2 | | |

**CHICAGO (2-9)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Burns | 0-2 | Torrealba | 0-1 |
| Kravec | 1-2 | Willoughby | 0-1 |
| LaGrow | 0-1 | Wood | 1-1 |
| Proly | 0-1 | | |

**CLEVELAND (5-10)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Clyde | 0-2 | Paxton | 1-1 |
| Freisleben | 0-1 | Reuschel | 0-1 |
| Hood | 1-1 | Waits | 0-3 |
| Kern | 3-0 | Wise | 0-1 |

**KANSAS CITY (6-4)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Gale | 0-1 | Leonard | 3-1 |
| Gura | 1-0 | Splittorff | 2-1 |
| Hrabosky | 0-1 | | |

**MILWAUKEE (8-7)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Augustine | 1-2 | Replogle | 0-1 |
| Caldwell | 2-1 | Sorensen | 2-2 |
| Castro | 1-0 | Travers | 1-1 |
| McClure | 1-0 | | |

**MINNESOTA (6-4)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Erickson | 1-0 | Perzanowski | 0-1 |
| Goltz | 2-1 | Zahn | 2-2 |
| Jackson | 1-0 | | |

**NEW YORK (11-4)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beattie | 1-0 | Gullett | 2-0 |
| Figueroa | 2-0 | Lyle | 1-1 |
| Gossage | 1-0 | Messersmith | 0-1 |
| Guidry | 3-0 | Tidrow | 1-2 |

**OAKLAND (4-6)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Broberg | 0-1 | Langford | 1-0 |
| Johnson | 1-0 | Renko | 0-1 |
| Keough | 0-3 | Sosa | 1-0 |
| Lacey | 1-0 | Wirth | 0-1 |

**SEATTLE (2-8)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abbott | 0-2 | Rawley | 0-2 |
| Honeycutt | 0-2 | Romo | 2-1 |
| Mitchell | 0-1 | | |

**TEXAS (3-7)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alexander | 0-1 | Matlack | 0-2 |
| Barker | 1-0 | Medich | 0-1 |
| Ellis | 0-1 | Mirabella | 1-0 |
| Jenkins | 0-1 | Umbarger | 1-1 |

**TORONTO (6-9)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Clancy | 0-2 | Lemanczyk | 0-1 |
| Coleman | 1-0 | Moore | 1-1 |
| Cruz | 1-0 | Murphy | 0-1 |
| Garvin | 2-0 | Underwood | 0-1 |
| Kirkwood | 1-1 | Willis | 0-2 |

# HOW THEY PITCHED IN 1978

| | BAKER W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 2-4 | 63⅓ | 6 | 4.55 | 2-4 |
| At Det | 2-2 | 31 | 3 | 3.48 | 2-2 |
| Road | 0-2 | 32⅓ | 3 | 5.57 | 0-2 |
| Vs Balt | 2-1 | 16⅔ | 2 | 4.32 | 2-1 |
| Bos | 0-1 | 4⅓ | 0 | 2.08 | 0-1 |
| Cle | — | — | — | — | — |
| Mil | — | — | — | — | — |
| NY | 0-2 | 10⅓ | 1 | 6.97 | 0-2 |
| Tor | 0-0 | 8⅓ | 1 | 3.24 | 0-0 |
| Cal | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 6.75 | 0-0 |
| Chi | — | — | — | — | — |
| KC | 0-0 | 8⅓ | 0 | 2.16 | 0-0 |
| Minn | 0-0 | 8 | 2 | 5.63 | 0-0 |
| Oak | — | — | — | — | — |
| Sea | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tex | 0-0 | 3⅓ | 0 | 5.40 | 0-0 |
| 1st Half | 1-2 | 45⅓ | 5 | 3.97 | |
| 2nd Half | 1-2 | 18 | 1 | 6.00 | |
| Apr | — | — | — | — | |
| May | 1-0 | 13⅓ | 1 | 1.35 | |
| June | 0-2 | 32 | 4 | 5.06 | |
| July | 0-0 | 7⅓ | 0 | 6.14 | |
| Aug | — | — | — | — | |
| Sept | 1-2 | 10⅔ | 1 | 5.91 | |
| Start | 1-3 | 50 | 5 | 4.86 | |
| Relief | 1-1 | 13⅓ | 1 | 3.38 | |

| | HILLER W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 9-4 | 92⅓ | 6 | 2.34 | 82-69 |
| At Det | 3-1 | 47 | 2 | 2.30 | 39-32 |
| Road | 6-3 | 45⅓ | 4 | 2.38 | 43-37 |
| Vs Balt | 3-1 | 14⅔ | 1 | 0.61 | 7-12 |
| Bos | 0-1 | 6 | 2 | 4.50 | 7-5 |
| Cle | 0-0 | 6⅔ | 1 | 2.70 | 7-7 |
| Mil | 0-0 | 8⅓ | 0 | 0.00 | 9-5 |
| NY | 1-1 | 11⅔ | 0 | 2.31 | 11-7 |
| Tor | 1-0 | 7 | 0 | 1.29 | 3-2 |
| Cal | 0-0 | 1⅔ | 0 | 5.40 | 10-6 |
| Chi | 2-0 | 8⅔ | 0 | 3.12 | 7-2 |
| KC | 1-0 | 5 | 0 | 1.80 | 4-2 |
| Minn | 0-0 | 3⅓ | 1 | 5.40 | 4-6 |
| Oak | 0-1 | 3⅓ | 0 | 10.80 | 6-5 |
| Sea | 0-0 | 10⅓ | 1 | 0.87 | 0-1 |
| Tex | 1-0 | 5⅔ | 0 | 3.18 | 7-9 |
| 1st Half | 6-4 | 63⅓ | 4 | 2.27 | |
| 2nd Half | 3-0 | 29 | 2 | 2.48 | |
| Apr | 3-0 | 17⅔ | 1 | 1.53 | |
| May | 1-3 | 23⅓ | 3 | 3.47 | |
| June | 2-0 | 18⅓ | 0 | 1.47 | |
| July | 0-1 | 5⅓ | 0 | 5.06 | |
| Aug | 0-0 | 10 | 1 | 3.60 | |
| Sept | 3-0 | 17⅔ | 1 | 1.02 | |
| Start | — | — | — | — | |
| Relief | 9-4 | 92⅓ | 6 | 2.34 | |

| | BILLINGHAM W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 15-8 | 201⅔ | 16 | 3.88 | 134-103 |
| At Det | 7-3 | 79⅔ | 8 | 2.30 | 7-3 |
| Road | 8-5 | 122 | 8 | 4.13 | 8-5 |
| Vs Balt | 1-1 | 21⅔ | 4 | 4.15 | 1-1 |
| Bos | 0-0 | 11 | 2 | 4.91 | 0-0 |
| Cle | 2-1 | 26 | 2 | 2.77 | 2-1 |
| Mil | 1-1 | 8⅔ | 2 | 6.23 | 1-1 |
| NY | 1-2 | 16 | 1 | 6.75 | 1-2 |
| Tor | 2-0 | 20⅔ | 1 | 6.97 | 2-0 |
| Cal | 2-0 | 18 | 0 | 0.00 | 2-0 |
| Chi | 3-0 | 27 | 0 | 1.00 | 3-0 |
| KC | 2-1 | 23 | 1 | 3.13 | 2-1 |
| Minn | 1-1 | 10⅔ | 0 | 7.59 | 1-1 |
| Oak | 0-1 | 12 | 3 | 4.50 | 0-1 |
| Sea | 0-0 | 7 | 0 | 3.86 | 0-0 |
| Tex | — | — | — | — | — |
| 1st Half | 7-5 | 106⅓ | 10 | 4.23 | 119-95† |
| 2nd Half | 8-3 | 95⅓ | 6 | 3.76 | |
| Apr | 3-0 | 31⅓ | 0 | 3.16 | |
| May | 1-2 | 32⅓ | 6 | 3.62 | |
| June | 1-3 | 26 | 2 | 6.58 | |
| July | 5-0 | 46 | 6 | 3.33 | |
| Aug | 4-1 | 35⅔ | 0 | 2.52 | |
| Sept | 1-2 | 30⅓ | 2 | 5.04 | |
| Start | 15-8 | 201⅔ | 16 | 3.88 | |
| Relief | — | — | — | — | |

| | MORRIS W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 3-5 | 106 | 8 | 4.33 | 4-6 |
| At Det | 2-3 | 62⅓ | 5 | 4.62 | 3-4 |
| Road | 1-2 | 43⅔ | 3 | 3.92 | 1-2 |
| Vs Balt | 0-0 | 19 | 2 | 1.42 | 0-0 |
| Bos | 0-2 | 8 | 1 | 9.00 | 0-2 |
| Cle | 1-1 | 10⅓ | 0 | 2.61 | 1-1 |
| Mil | 0-0 | 7 | 0 | 10.29 | 1-0 |
| NY | 0-0 | 8⅔ | 0 | 4.15 | 0-0 |
| Tor | 0-1 | 13 | 0 | 3.46 | 0-1 |
| Cal | 1-0 | 10 | 0 | 2.70 | 1-0 |
| Chi | 0-0 | 7 | 1 | 2.57 | 0-0 |
| KC | 0-1 | 5⅔ | 2 | 7.94 | 0-1 |
| Minn | 1-0 | 10⅓ | 1 | 3.48 | 1-0 |
| Oak | — | — | — | — | — |
| Sea | — | — | — | — | 0-1 |
| Tex | 0-0 | 7 | 1 | 7.71 | 0-0 |
| 1st Half | 1-4 | 53⅔ | 5 | 5.03 | |
| 2nd Half | 2-1 | 52⅓ | 3 | 3.61 | |
| Apr | 0-0 | 11⅓ | 1 | 3.97 | |
| May | 0-1 | 11⅔ | 1 | 6.17 | |
| June | 1-2 | 27 | 3 | 4.00 | |
| July | 1-1 | 21⅓ | 0 | 3.38 | |
| Aug | 1-0 | 14⅔ | 1 | 4.30 | |
| Sept | 0-5 | 20 | 2 | 4.95 | |
| Start | 0-1 | 32⅓ | 2 | 5.57 | |
| Relief | 3-4 | 73⅔ | 6 | 3.79 | |

| | FIDRYCH W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 2-0 | 22 | 1 | 2.45 | 27-13 |
| At Det | 1-0 | 13 | 0 | 2.77 | 17-9 |
| Road | 1-0 | 9 | 1 | 2.00 | 10-4 |
| Vs Balt | — | — | — | — | 1-3 |
| Bos | — | — | — | — | 2-2 |
| Cle | — | — | — | — | 5-1 |
| Mil | — | — | — | — | 2-1 |
| NY | — | — | — | — | 3-1 |
| Tor | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 2.00 | 2-0 |
| Cal | — | — | — | — | 3-0 |
| Chi | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 4.50 | 1-1 |
| KC | — | — | — | — | 1-1 |
| Minn | — | — | — | — | 2-1 |
| Oak | — | — | — | — | 2-1 |
| Sea | — | — | — | — | 0-1 |
| Tex | 1-0 | 9 | 1 | 2.00 | 3-0 |
| 1st Half | 2-0 | 22 | 1 | 2.45 | |
| 2nd Half | — | — | — | — | |
| Apr | 2-0 | 22 | 1 | 2.45 | |
| May | — | — | — | — | |
| June | — | — | — | — | |
| July | — | — | — | — | |
| Aug | — | — | — | — | |
| Sept | — | — | — | — | |
| Start | 2-0 | 22 | 1 | 2.45 | |
| Relief | — | — | — | — | |

| | ROZEMA W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 9-12 | 209⅓ | 17 | 3.14 | 24-19 |
| At Det | 3-7 | 99⅔ | 9 | 3.07 | 8-9 |
| Road | 6-5 | 109⅔ | 8 | 3.20 | 16-10 |
| Vs Balt | 0-1 | 8⅓ | 2 | 3.24 | 0-2 |
| Bos | 1-2 | 23⅔ | 2 | 4.56 | 2-3 |
| Cle | 3-0 | 27 | 0 | 0.33 | 4-0 |
| Mil | 0-2 | 14 | 1 | 3.21 | 4-2 |
| NY | 0-1 | 15 | 1 | 1.20 | 1-1 |
| Tor | 0-1 | 17⅓ | 2 | 3.63 | 1-1 |
| Cal | 0-0 | 7⅓ | 0 | 3.68 | 0-0 |
| Chi | 1-0 | 15 | 1 | 3.00 | 2-0 |
| KC | 0-1 | 8 | 1 | 5.63 | 1-1 |
| Minn | 0-1 | 4 | 0 | 6.75 | 2-1 |
| Oak | 0-2 | 14⅔ | 2 | 5.52 | 0-5 |
| Sea | 2-0 | 25 | 1 | 1.80 | 4-1 |
| Tex | 2-1 | 30 | 4 | 3.90 | 3-2 |
| 1st Half | 3-4 | 77 | 5 | 2.22 | |
| 2nd Half | 6-8 | 132⅓ | 12 | 3.67 | |
| Apr | 2-0 | 32⅓ | 3 | 1.67 | |
| May | 0-2 | 16⅔ | 1 | 3.78 | |
| June | 1-2 | 21⅓ | 1 | 2.11 | |
| July | 2-1 | 45 | 4 | 4.00 | |
| Aug | 1-4 | 45 | 3 | 3.80 | |
| Sept | 3-3 | 49 | 5 | 2.94 | |
| Start | 9-12 | 209⅓ | 17 | 3.14 | |
| Relief | — | — | — | — | |

†NL record



# HOW THEY PITCHED IN 1978

| | WILCOX W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 13-12 | 215⅓ | 22 | 3.76 | 41-44 |
| At Det | 8-4 | 110 | 11 | 3.76 | 14-5 |
| Road | 5-8 | 105⅓ | 11 | 3.76 | 27-39 |
| Vs Balt | — | — | — | — | 0-4 |
| Bos | 1-3 | 33⅔ | 4 | 4.54 | 2-6 |
| Cle | 1-2 | 24⅔ | 3 | 4.01 | 1-2 |
| Mil | 2-2 | 27⅔ | 4 | 4.55 | 5-4 |
| NY | 0-2 | 11⅓ | 2 | 7.94 | 2-6 |
| Tor | 2-1 | 21⅓ | 2 | 3.38 | 3-1 |
| Cal | 1-1 | 24⅓ | 2 | 2.22 | 5-3 |
| Chi | 0-0 | 7⅔ | 0 | 10.57 | 2-3 |
| KC | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 2.00 | 2-3 |
| Minn | 1-1 | 17 | 2 | 2.65 | 4-3 |
| Oak | 2-0 | 18 | 1 | 1.00 | 2-2 |
| Sea | 1-0 | 11⅔ | 2 | 3.86 | 2-0 |
| Tex | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 1.00 | 4-3 |
| 1st Half | 5-7 | 101 | 10 | 4.10 | 5-4† |
| 2nd Half | 8-5 | 114⅓ | 12 | 3.46 | 2-0‡ |
| Apr | 0-1 | 11 | 0 | 8.18 | |
| May | 4-1 | 50⅓ | 3 | 1.97 | |
| June | 0-5 | 30⅔ | 5 | 5.87 | |
| July | 4-1 | 47⅔ | 7 | 2.83 | |
| Aug | 4-0 | 36 | 2 | 2.50 | |
| Sept | 1-4 | 39⅔ | 5 | 5.45 | |
| Start | 13-11 | 210 | 22 | 3.60 | |
| Relief | 0-1 | 5⅓ | 0 | 10.13 | |

| | YOUNG W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 6-7 | 105⅔ | 9 | 2.81 | 6-7 |
| At Det | 6-3 | 68 | 5 | 2.51 | 6-3 |
| Road | 0-4 | 37⅔ | 4 | 3.35 | 0-4 |
| Vs Balt | 0-0 | 6⅓ | 0 | 7.11 | 0-0 |
| Bos | 0-1 | 8 | 1 | 1.13 | 0-1 |
| Cle | 0-1 | 8 | 2 | 2.25 | 0-1 |
| Mil | 1-1 | 15 | 1 | 3.00 | 1-1 |
| NY | 1-1 | 15⅔ | 2 | 4.60 | 1-1 |
| Tor | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cal | 0-1 | 9 | 0 | 9.00 | 0-1 |
| Chi | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 1.00 | 1-0 |
| KC | 0-1 | 7 | 1 | 3.86 | 0-1 |
| Minn | 0-1 | 7⅔ | 2 | 3.52 | 0-1 |
| Oak | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 1.00 | 1-0 |
| Sea | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 1.00 | 1-0 |
| Tex | 1-0 | 9 | 0 | 1.00 | 1-0 |
| 1st Half | — | — | — | — | |
| 2nd Half | 6-7 | 105⅔ | 9 | 2.81 | |
| Apr | — | — | — | — | |
| May | — | — | — | — | |
| June | — | — | — | — | |
| July | 2-1 | 20 | 0 | 1.80 | |
| Aug | 3-3 | 47⅔ | 4 | 2.45 | |
| Sept | 1-3 | 38 | 5 | 3.79 | |
| Start | 6-6 | 103⅔ | 9 | 2.69 | |
| Relief | 0-1 | 2 | 0 | 9.00 | |

| | TEAM W-L | IP | HR | ERA | Life W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 86-76 | 1455⅔ | 135 | 3.68 | — |
| At Det | 47-34 | 748 | 78 | 3.71 | — |
| Road | 39-42 | 707⅔ | 57 | 3.65 | — |
| Vs Balt | 8-7 | 132 | 17 | 3.34 | 242-266 |
| Bos | 3-12 | 131 | 18 | 4.67 | 796-820 |
| Cle | 10-5 | 131 | 12 | 2.89 | 822-795 |
| Mil | 7-8 | 131 | 15 | 4.26 | 95-61* |
| NY | 4-11 | 129⅔ | 12 | 5.00 | 753-828 |
| Tor | 9-6 | 145⅓ | 12 | 4.03 | 19-11 |
| Cal | 7-4 | 101 | 5 | 2.76 | 151-109 |
| Chi | 9-2 | 99 | 2 | 2.82 | 804-757 |
| KC | 4-6 | 87 | 10 | 4.24 | 57-60 |
| Minn | 4-6 | 87 | 10 | 4.66 | 122-138 |
| Oak | 6-4 | 88 | 8 | 2.86 | 221-171£ |
| Sea | 8-2 | 97⅓ | 4 | 2.03 | 13-8 |
| Tex | 7-3 | 96⅓ | 10 | 3.64 | 868-714§ |
| 1st Half | 40-41 | 725 | 70 | 3.77 | |
| 2nd Half | 46-35 | 730⅔ | 65 | 3.51 | |
| Apr | 13-5 | 165 | 11 | 3.27 | |
| May | 13-15 | 251⅓ | 27 | 3.29 | |
| June | 10-18 | 247 | 25 | 4.52 | |
| July | 19-11 | 276⅓ | 26 | 3.26 | |
| Aug | 18-10 | 253 | 19 | 3.31 | |
| Sept | 13-17 | 263 | 27 | 4.11 | |
| Start | 66-56 | 1111⅔ | 109 | 3.78 | |
| Relief | 20-20 | 344 | 26 | 3.19 | |

†NL record
*Inc. Seattle 1969
£Inc. KC 1955-67
‡Vs. Detroit with Cleveland
§Inc. Washington 1901-71

## NO-HIT GAMES BY TIGER PITCHERS

| | |
|---|---|
| 1912—George Mullin vs. St. Louis, July 4 (at Detroit) | 7-0 |
| 1952—Virgil Trucks vs. Washington, May 15 (at Detroit) | 1-0 |
| Virgil Trucks vs. New York, Aug. 25 (at New York) | 1-0 |
| 1958—Jim Bunning vs. Boston, July 20 (at Boston) | 3-0 |

## NO-HIT GAMES VS. TIGERS

| | |
|---|---|
| 1902—Jim Callahan, Chicago, Sept. 20 (at Chicago) | 3-0 |
| 1905—Frank Smith, Chicago, Sept. 6 (at Detroit) | 15-0 |
| 1912—Earl Hamilton, St. Louis, Aug. 30 (at Detroit) | 5-1 |
| 1918—Hub Leonard, Boston, June 3 (at Detroit) | 5-0 |
| 1922—Charley Robertson, Chicago, April 30 (at Detroit) | 2-0* |
| 1948—Bob Lemon, Cleveland, June 30 (at Detroit) | 2-0 |
| 1951—Bob Feller, Cleveland, July 1 (at Cleveland) | 2-1 |
| 1967—Steve Barber - Stu Miller, Baltimore, April 30 (at Baltimore) | 1-2† |
| Joe Horlen, Chicago, Sept. 10 (at Chicago) | 6-0 |
| 1973—Steve Busby, Kansas City, April 27 (at Detroit) | 3-0 |
| Nolan Ryan, California, July 15 (at Detroit) | 6-0 |

*Perfect game. †Tiger victory.

# 1978 FIELDING — American League

| Club | Ave. | G | PO | A | E | TC | DP | PB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | .9823 | 161 | 4287 | 1887 | 111 | 6285 | 166 | 7 |
| New York | .9819 | 163 | 4382 | 1758 | 113 | 6253 | 134 | 11 |
| DETROIT | .981 | 162 | 4367 | 1858 | 118 | 6343 | 177 | 10 |
| Cleveland | .980 | 159 | 4222 | 1769 | 123 | 6114 | 142 | 15 |
| Toronto | .979 | 161 | 4288 | 1763 | 128 | 6179 | 163 | 16 |
| California | .978 | 162 | 4367 | 1624 | 135 | 6126 | 135 | 5 |
| Seattle | .978 | 160 | 4258 | 1882 | 141 | 6281 | 174 | 6 |
| Chicago | .977 | 161 | 4228 | 1715 | 137 | 6080 | 130 | 13 |
| Minnesota | .977 | 162 | 4379 | 1943 | 146 | 6468 | 171 | 7 |
| Boston | .977 | 163 | 4418 | 1842 | 146 | 6406 | 171 | 8 |
| Milwaukee | .977 | 162 | 4308 | 1976 | 150 | 6434 | 146 | 4 |
| Texas | .976 | 162 | 4369 | 1972 | 153 | 6494 | 140 | 12 |
| Kansas City | .976 | 162 | 4317 | 1676 | 150 | 6143 | 153 | 11 |
| Oakland | .971 | 162 | 4300 | 1626 | 177 | 6103 | 145 | 10 |
| **Totals** | **.978** | **1131** | **60490** | **25291** | **1928** | **87709** | **2147** | **135** |

Triple Plays: Baltimore 1, Toronto 1.

## INDIVIDUAL DETROIT FIELDING RECORDS

| | Pos | Ave. | G | PO | A | E | TC | DP |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Stanley | 1b | 1.000 | 12 | 126 | 8 | 0 | 134 | 8 |
| Thompson | 1b | .993 | 151 | 1503 | 92 | 11 | 1606 | 153 |
| Wagner | 2b | 1.000 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Whitaker | 2b | .978 | 137 | 301 | 458 | 17 | 776 | 95 |
| Dillard | 2b | .958 | 41 | 88 | 118 | 9 | 215 | 31 |
| Rodriguez | 3b | .987 | 131 | 79 | 228 | 4 | 311 | 20 |
| Mankowski | 3b | .972 | 81 | 42 | 129 | 5 | 176 | 17 |
| Trammell | ss | .979 | 139 | 239 | 421 | 14 | 674 | 95 |
| Wagner | ss | .964 | 35 | 55 | 79 | 5 | 139 | 18 |
| Stegman | of | 1.000 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 |
| Corcoran | of | .985 | 109 | 186 | 6 | 3 | 195 | 4 |
| Wockenfuss | of | .978 | 60 | 89 | 2 | 2 | 93 | 0 |
| Kemp | of | .977 | 157 | 325 | 11 | 8 | 344 | 2 |
| LeFlore | of | .976 | 155 | 440 | 9 | 11 | 460 | 4 |
| Stanley | of | .960 | 34 | 47 | 1 | 2 | 50 | 0 |
| Spikes* | of | .909 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 1 |
| Parrish** | c | .987 | 79 | 353 | 39 | 5 | 397 | 5 |
| May** | c | .979 | 94 | 406 | 58 | 10 | 474 | 5 |
| Pitchers | | .960 | 162 | 66 | 196 | 11 | 273 | 14 |
| **Team** | | **.981** | **162** | **4367** | **1858** | **118** | **6343** | **177** |

*Not with team at end of season. **Passed balls: May 5, Parrish 5.

## INSIDE-THE-PARK HOMERS

Fans at Tiger Stadium have seen 10 inside-the-park home runs in the past eight years and nine in the decade preceding that for a 1961-78 total of 19. Eleven were provided by Tiger batters.

None was hit at Tiger Stadium in 1978, but Lou Whitaker socked one at Chicago August 13 off Pablo Torrealba.

During the 18-year period from 1961-78, the Tigers have hit 17 inside-the-park home runs (home and road) while giving up 16.

### 1979 TIGERS WITH INSIDE-THE-PARK HOMERS

| Player | Date-Opponent | Pitcher |
|---|---|---|
| Steve Kemp | 9- 4-77 vs Oakland | Rick Langford |
| Ron LeFlore | 5-27-75 vs Minnesota | Bert Blyleven |
| | 7-25-77 vs Toronto | Mike Willis |
| Milt May | 5- 3-73 at San Francisco | Sam McDowell |
| Rusty Staub | 6-12-66 vs Chicago | Dick Ellsworth |
| Lou Whitaker | 8-13-78 at Chicago | Pablo Torrealba |

## TIGERS LEAD IN TRIPLE PLAYS

The Tigers hold the triple play championship of the major leagues, according to Raymond J. Gonzalez, a baseball statistician from Woodside, N.Y., who has tracked down every triple play made since 1900.

His report shows the Tigers have made 30, followed by the Pirates and Cardinals with 27 each, Indians 26, Red Sox and Cubs 25 each.

The Tigers of 1908 made two triple plays (both against the Red Sox) to start the historic run of three-ply killings and the 1911 Tigers had three to their credit.

Most recent on the books for the Tigers was July 15, 1969 at Washington. Ed Brinkman, who later played with the Tigers, was the Senators' batter in the mass wipeout, which was executed by Don Wert, Ike Brown and Bill Freehan.

During 1978, six triple plays were turned, two in the American League. The Orioles and Blue Jays had one each in the American League. In the National League, the Expos had two while the Padres and Braves made one each.



# 1978 BATTING — American League

| Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | TB | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB | CS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mil | .276 | 162 | 5536 | 804 | 1530 | 2330 | 265 | 38 | 173 | 762 | 520 | 805 | 95 | 53 |
| DET | .271 | 162 | 5601 | 714 | 1520 | 2193 | 218 | 34 | 129 | 666 | 563 | 695 | 90 | 38 |
| KC | .268 | 162 | 5474 | 743 | 1469 | 2186 | 305 | 59 | 98 | 695 | 498 | 644 | 216 | 84 |
| Bos | .267 | 163 | 5587 | 796 | 1493 | 2371 | 270 | 46 | 172 | 738 | 582 | 835 | 74 | 51 |
| NY | .267 | 163 | 5583 | 735 | 1489 | 2168 | 228 | 38 | 125 | 693 | 505 | 695 | 98 | 42 |
| Minn | .267 | 162 | 5522 | 666 | 1472 | 2071 | 259 | 47 | 82 | 621 | 604 | 684 | 99 | 56 |
| Chi | .264 | 161 | 5393 | 634 | 1423 | 2044 | 221 | 41 | 106 | 595 | 409 | 625 | 83 | 68 |
| Cle | .261 | 159 | 5365 | 639 | 1400 | 2031 | 223 | 45 | 105 | 566 | 488 | 698 | 64 | 63 |
| Cal | .259 | 162 | 5472 | 691 | 1417 | 2023 | 226 | 28 | 108 | 646 | 539 | 682 | 86 | 69 |
| Balt | .258 | 161 | 5422 | 659 | 1397 | 2145 | 248 | 19 | 154 | 612 | 552 | 864 | 76 | 61 |
| Tex | .253 | 162 | 5347 | 692 | 1353 | 2037 | 216 | 36 | 132 | 650 | 624 | 781 | 196 | 91 |
| Tor | .250 | 161 | 5430 | 590 | 1358 | 1947 | 217 | 39 | 98 | 551 | 448 | 645 | 27 | 52 |
| Sea | .248 | 160 | 5358 | 614 | 1327 | 1921 | 229 | 37 | 97 | 571 | 522 | 702 | 123 | 47 |
| Oak | .245 | 162 | 5321 | 532 | 1304 | 1866 | 200 | 31 | 100 | 492 | 433 | 800 | 144 | 117 |
| **Total** | **.261** | **1131** | **76411** | **9509** | **19952** | **29393** | **3325** | **538** | **1680** | **8888** | **7287** | **10155** | **1471** | **892** |

## INDIVIDUAL DETROIT BATTING RECORDS

| | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SH | SF | HP | SB | CS | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corcoran | .265 | 116 | 324 | 37 | 86 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 27 | 24 | 27 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| Dillard | .223 | 56 | 130 | 21 | 29 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| Kemp | .277 | 159 | 582 | 75 | 161 | 18 | 4 | 15 | 79 | 97 | 87 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| LeFlore | .297 | 155 | 663 | 126 | 198 | 30 | 3 | 12 | 62 | 65 | 104 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 68 | 15 | 11 |
| Mankowski | .275 | 88 | 222 | 28 | 61 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 20 | 22 | 28 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| May | .250 | 105 | 352 | 24 | 88 | 9 | 0 | 10 | 37 | 27 | 26 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Parrish | .219 | 85 | 288 | 37 | 63 | 11 | 3 | 14 | 41 | 11 | 71 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Rodriguez | .265 | 134 | 385 | 40 | 102 | 25 | 2 | 7 | 43 | 19 | 37 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Spikes* | .250 | 10 | 28 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Stanley | .265 | 53 | 151 | 15 | 40 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 9 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Staub | .273 | 162 | 642 | 75 | 175 | 30 | 1 | 24 | 121 | 76 | 35 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Stegman | .286 | 8 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Thompson | .287 | 153 | 589 | 79 | 169 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 96 | 74 | 96 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| Trammell | .268 | 139 | 448 | 49 | 120 | 14 | 6 | 2 | 34 | 45 | 56 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 14 |
| Wagner | .239 | 39 | 109 | 10 | 26 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Whitaker | .285 | 139 | 484 | 71 | 138 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 58 | 61 | 65 | 13 | 8 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 17 |
| Wockenfuss | .283 | 71 | 187 | 23 | 53 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 22 | 21 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| **Team** | **.271** | | **5601** | **714** | **1520** | **218** | **34** | **129** | **666** | **563** | **695** | **57** | **47** | **31** | **90** | **38** | **118** |

*Not with team at end of season.

## DESIGNATED HITTING

| | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | SH-SF | SB-CS | BB | SO | HB | DP | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corcoran | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Dillard | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Mankowski | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Staub | 162* | 642* | 75 | 175‡ | 30 | 1 | 24 | 121* | 2-11† | 3-1 | 76‡ | 35 | 3 | 24 | .273 |
| Whitaker | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Wockenfuss | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .333 |
| **Team** | | **647** | **78** | **176** | **31** | **1** | **24** | **121** | **3-11** | **3-1** | **77** | **35** | **3** | **24** | **.272** |

‡Led league †Tied for league lead *American League record

## PINCH HITTING

| | App. | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | SH-SF | BB | SO | HB | DP | O-B | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corcoran | 18 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0-1 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 8 | .167 |
| Dillard | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Kemp | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .333 |
| Mankowski | 10 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .222 |
| May | 16 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0-1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | .083 |
| Parrish | 6 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .167 |
| Rodriguez | 22 | 20 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0-0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 | .350 |
| Spikes* | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Stanley | 12 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .167 |
| Thompson | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Wagner | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1.000 |
| Whitaker | 7 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | .500 |
| Wockenfuss | 19 | 17 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | .353 |
| **Team** | **118** | **99** | **9** | **26** | **4** | **1** | **1** | **12** | **0-2** | **16** | **19** | **0** | **5** | **43** | **.263** |

Mankowski at plate when game ended vs. Cal., July 23(1).

*Not with team at end of season.

# HOW THEY BATTED IN 1978

| CORCORAN | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 324 | 86 | 1 | 27 | .265 |
| At Det | 160 | 48 | 1 | 17 | .300 |
| Road | 164 | 38 | 0 | 10 | .232 |
| Vs Balt | 25 | 6 | 0 | 2 | .240 |
| Bos | 43 | 17 | 0 | 4 | .395 |
| Cle | 23 | 4 | 0 | 0 | .174 |
| Mil | 26 | 5 | 0 | 2 | .192 |
| NY | 24 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .125 |
| Tor | 24 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .125 |
| Cal | 18 | 4 | 0 | 0 | .222 |
| Chi | 14 | 3 | 0 | 2 | .214 |
| KC | 16 | 5 | 0 | 1 | .313 |
| Minn | 26 | 8 | 0 | 3 | .308 |
| Oak | 31 | 10 | 0 | 3 | .323 |
| Sea | 22 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .091 |
| Tex | 32 | 16 | 1 | 10 | .500 |
| 1st Half | 151 | 36 | 0 | 11 | .238 |
| 2nd Half | 173 | 50 | 1 | 16 | .289 |
| Apr | 40 | 7 | 0 | 5 | .175 |
| May | 61 | 19 | 0 | 5 | .311 |
| June | 39 | 10 | 0 | 1 | .256 |
| July | 68 | 17 | 0 | 4 | .250 |
| Aug | 60 | 19 | 1 | 10 | .317 |
| Sept | 56 | 14 | 0 | 2 | .250 |
| Vs RHP | 254 | 66 | 0 | 20 | .260 |
| Vs LHP | 70 | 20 | 1 | 7 | .286 |

| MANKOWSKI | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 222 | 61 | 4 | 20 | .275 |
| At Det | 106 | 31 | 3 | 13 | .292 |
| Road | 116 | 30 | 1 | 7 | .259 |
| Vs Balt | 15 | 5 | 0 | 1 | .333 |
| Bos | 33 | 5 | 2 | 3 | .152 |
| Cle | 10 | 3 | 0 | 4 | .300 |
| Mil | 19 | 7 | 0 | 0 | .368 |
| NY | 21 | 8 | 1 | 4 | .381 |
| Tor | 18 | 7 | 1 | 5 | .389 |
| Cal | 17 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .176 |
| Chi | 12 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .250 |
| KC | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .222 |
| Minn | 13 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .154 |
| Oak | 22 | 10 | 0 | 1 | .455 |
| Sea | 14 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .143 |
| Tex | 19 | 4 | 0 | 0 | .211 |
| 1st Half | 117 | 35 | 3 | 13 | .299 |
| 2nd Half | 105 | 26 | 1 | 7 | .248 |
| Apr | 31 | 7 | 1 | 5 | .226 |
| May | 46 | 14 | 2 | 4 | .304 |
| June | 35 | 13 | 0 | 4 | .371 |
| July | 42 | 10 | 0 | 0 | .238 |
| Aug | 26 | 8 | 0 | 1 | .308 |
| Sept | 42 | 9 | 1 | 6 | .214 |
| Vs RHP | 211 | 60 | 4 | 20 | .284 |
| Vs LHP | 11 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .091 |

| KEMP | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 582 | 161 | 15 | 79 | .277 |
| At Det | 292 | 86 | 9 | 48 | .295 |
| Road | 290 | 75 | 6 | 31 | .259 |
| Vs Balt | 50 | 14 | 1 | 4 | .280 |
| Bos | 48 | 13 | 1 | 4 | .271 |
| Cle | 60 | 15 | 3 | 15 | .250 |
| Mil | 51 | 16 | 1 | 4 | .314 |
| NY | 53 | 13 | 1 | 7 | .245 |
| Tor | 54 | 21 | 1 | 12 | .389 |
| Cal | 47 | 10 | 1 | 3 | .213 |
| Chi | 43 | 13 | 1 | 9 | .302 |
| KC | 40 | 12 | 2 | 5 | .300 |
| Minn | 29 | 4 | 1 | 2 | .138 |
| Oak | 39 | 12 | 0 | 1 | .308 |
| Sea | 35 | 8 | 0 | 8 | .229 |
| Tex | 33 | 10 | 2 | 5 | .303 |
| 1st Half | 283 | 79 | 5 | 35 | .279 |
| 2nd Half | 299 | 82 | 10 | 44 | .274 |
| Apr | 57 | 19 | 1 | 11 | .333 |
| May | 97 | 25 | 1 | 8 | .258 |
| June | 104 | 25 | 2 | 10 | .240 |
| July | 120 | 34 | 4 | 20 | .283 |
| Aug | 94 | 31 | 2 | 17 | .330 |
| Sept | 110 | 27 | 5 | 13 | .245 |
| Vs RHP | 293 | 91 | 12 | 47 | .311 |
| Vs LHP | 289 | 70 | 3 | 32 | .242 |

| MAY | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 352 | 88 | 10 | 37 | .250 |
| At Det | 174 | 39 | 7 | 24 | .224 |
| Road | 178 | 49 | 3 | 13 | .275 |
| Vs Balt | 24 | 6 | 0 | 0 | .250 |
| Bos | 40 | 7 | 1 | 2 | .175 |
| Cle | 28 | 9 | 1 | 5 | .321 |
| Mil | 27 | 4 | 0 | 0 | .148 |
| NY | 39 | 7 | 0 | 2 | .179 |
| Tor | 27 | 5 | 1 | 2 | .185 |
| Cal | 18 | 6 | 0 | 1 | .333 |
| Chi | 15 | 6 | 1 | 1 | .400 |
| KC | 22 | 6 | 0 | 4 | .273 |
| Minn | 21 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .143 |
| Oak | 30 | 7 | 1 | 5 | .233 |
| Sea | 26 | 9 | 2 | 7 | .346 |
| Tex | 35 | 13 | 3 | 8 | .371 |
| 1st Half | 174 | 46 | 7 | 25 | .264 |
| 2nd Half | 178 | 42 | 3 | 12 | .236 |
| Apr | 43 | 17 | 4 | 11 | .395 |
| May | 56 | 15 | 3 | 10 | .268 |
| June | 58 | 10 | 0 | 3 | .172 |
| July | 75 | 19 | 1 | 3 | .253 |
| Aug | 51 | 16 | 2 | 8 | .314 |
| Sept | 69 | 11 | 0 | 2 | .159 |
| Vs RHP | 267 | 70 | 9 | 32 | .262 |
| Vs LHP | 85 | 18 | 1 | 5 | .212 |

| LeFLORE | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 666 | 198 | 12 | 62 | .297 |
| At Det | 322 | 93 | 5 | 36 | .289 |
| Road | 344 | 105 | 7 | 26 | .305 |
| Vs Balt | 54 | 12 | 0 | 2 | .222 |
| Bos | 61 | 20 | 2 | 5 | .328 |
| Cle | 61 | 20 | 0 | 5 | .328 |
| Mil | 64 | 18 | 2 | 9 | .281 |
| NY | 57 | 14 | 2 | 2 | .246 |
| Tor | 65 | 22 | 3 | 8 | .338 |
| Cal | 37 | 13 | 0 | 3 | .351 |
| Chi | 47 | 13 | 0 | 6 | .277 |
| KC | 42 | 11 | 3 | 3 | .262 |
| Minn | 37 | 13 | 0 | 4 | .351 |
| Oak | 42 | 12 | 0 | 8 | .286 |
| Sea | 48 | 13 | 0 | 2 | .271 |
| Tex | 51 | 17 | 0 | 5 | .333 |
| 1st Half | 341 | 92 | 6 | 27 | .270 |
| 2nd Half | 325 | 106 | 6 | 35 | .326 |
| Apr | 82 | 25 | 3 | 9 | .305 |
| May | 122 | 31 | 2 | 10 | .254 |
| June | 111 | 28 | 1 | 7 | .252 |
| July | 117 | 43 | 0 | 12 | .368 |
| Aug | 125 | 37 | 2 | 15 | .296 |
| Sept | 109 | 34 | 4 | 9 | .312 |
| Vs RHP | 357 | 100 | 5 | 39 | .280 |
| Vs LHP | 309 | 98 | 7 | 23 | .317 |

| PARRISH | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 288 | 63 | 14 | 41 | .219 |
| At Det | 140 | 28 | 7 | 19 | .200 |
| Road | 148 | 35 | 7 | 22 | .236 |
| Vs Balt | 34 | 4 | 1 | 2 | .118 |
| Bos | 13 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .154 |
| Cle | 30 | 9 | 0 | 4 | .300 |
| Mil | 31 | 7 | 2 | 5 | .226 |
| NY | 19 | 4 | 0 | 1 | .211 |
| Tor | 37 | 7 | 1 | 5 | .189 |
| Cal | 25 | 5 | 1 | 5 | .200 |
| Chi | 31 | 10 | 3 | 6 | .323 |
| KC | 15 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .133 |
| Minn | 21 | 6 | 1 | 6 | .286 |
| Oak | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .200 |
| Sea | 17 | 4 | 2 | 3 | .235 |
| Tex | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .200 |
| 1st Half | 144 | 33 | 5 | 16 | .229 |
| 2nd Half | 144 | 30 | 9 | 25 | .208 |
| Apr | 31 | 6 | 1 | 2 | .194 |
| May | 51 | 12 | 4 | 10 | .235 |
| June | 51 | 12 | 0 | 2 | .235 |
| July | 45 | 9 | 3 | 6 | .200 |
| Aug | 66 | 14 | 5 | 16 | .212 |
| Sept | 44 | 10 | 1 | 5 | .227 |
| Vs RHP | 62 | 10 | 1 | 8 | .161 |
| Vs LHP | 226 | 53 | 13 | 33 | .235 |



# HOW THEY BATTED IN 1978

| RODRIGUEZ | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 385 | 102 | 7 | 43 | .265 |
| At Det | 189 | 49 | 4 | 24 | .259 |
| Road | 196 | 53 | 3 | 19 | .270 |
| Vs Balt | 40 | 10 | 1 | 7 | .250 |
| Bos | 20 | 4 | 0 | 1 | .200 |
| Cle | 43 | 12 | 0 | 5 | .279 |
| Mil | 30 | 11 | 1 | 2 | .367 |
| NY | 33 | 9 | 1 | 1 | .273 |
| Tor | 44 | 6 | 1 | 4 | .136 |
| Cal | 26 | 5 | 0 | 3 | .192 |
| Chi | 34 | 14 | 2 | 7 | .412 |
| KC | 27 | 5 | 1 | 3 | .185 |
| Minn | 20 | 8 | 0 | 3 | .400 |
| Oak | 14 | 4 | 0 | 0 | .286 |
| Sea | 27 | 6 | 0 | 4 | .222 |
| Tex | 27 | 8 | 0 | 3 | .296 |
| 1st Half | 179 | 48 | 5 | 22 | .268 |
| 2nd Half | 206 | 54 | 2 | 21 | .262 |
| Apr | 44 | 18 | 2 | 9 | .409 |
| May | 48 | 10 | 2 | 7 | .208 |
| June | 68 | 16 | 1 | 6 | .235 |
| July | 79 | 18 | 0 | 7 | .228 |
| Aug | 76 | 18 | 1 | 7 | .237 |
| Sept | 70 | 22 | 1 | 7 | .314 |
| Vs RHP | 102 | 24 | 0 | 10 | .235 |
| Vs LHP | 283 | 78 | 7 | 33 | .276 |

| STAUB | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 642 | 175 | 24 | 121 | .273 |
| At Det | 320 | 86 | 16 | 60 | .269 |
| Road | 322 | 89 | 8 | 61 | .276 |
| Vs Balt | 59 | 17 | 1 | 8 | .288 |
| Bos | 56 | 15 | 5 | 9 | .268 |
| Cle | 55 | 12 | 2 | 11 | .218 |
| Mil | 59 | 10 | 3 | 12 | .169 |
| NY | 61 | 20 | 1 | 9 | .328 |
| Tor | 64 | 19 | 0 | 10 | .297 |
| Cal | 44 | 13 | 3 | 12 | .295 |
| Chi | 44 | 12 | 5 | 17 | .273 |
| KC | 40 | 10 | 1 | 6 | .250 |
| Minn | 37 | 9 | 0 | 5 | .243 |
| Oak | 40 | 10 | 3 | 9 | .250 |
| Sea | 44 | 14 | 0 | 3 | .318 |
| Tex | 39 | 14 | 0 | 10 | .359 |
| 1st Half | 327 | 96 | 11 | 63 | .294 |
| 2nd Half | 315 | 79 | 13 | 58 | .251 |
| Apr | 76 | 24 | 2 | 19 | .316 |
| May | 112 | 33 | 4 | 14 | .295 |
| June | 110 | 28 | 4 | 20 | .255 |
| July | 124 | 42 | 6 | 33 | .339 |
| Aug | 107 | 27 | 4 | 18 | .252 |
| Sept | 113 | 21 | 4 | 17 | .186 |
| Vs RHP | 323 | 92 | 14 | 64 | .285 |
| Vs LHP | 319 | 83 | 10 | 57 | .260 |

| THOMPSON | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 589 | 169 | 26 | 96 | .287 |
| At Det | 286 | 92 | 13 | 49 | .322 |
| Road | 303 | 77 | 13 | 47 | .254 |
| Vs Balt | 53 | 13 | 2 | 9 | .245 |
| Bos | 59 | 15 | 5 | 10 | .254 |
| Cle | 49 | 16 | 1 | 7 | .327 |
| Mil | 50 | 12 | 3 | 9 | .240 |
| NY | 58 | 19 | 1 | 8 | .328 |
| Tor | 54 | 18 | 4 | 15 | .333 |
| Cal | 44 | 14 | 2 | 8 | .318 |
| Chi | 44 | 11 | 0 | 3 | .250 |
| KC | 31 | 6 | 1 | 4 | .194 |
| Minn | 29 | 10 | 1 | 2 | .345 |
| Oak | 39 | 14 | 3 | 10 | .359 |
| Sea | 40 | 14 | 2 | 7 | .350 |
| Tex | 39 | 7 | 1 | 4 | .179 |
| 1st Half | 322 | 97 | 19 | 58 | .301 |
| 2nd Half | 267 | 72 | 7 | 38 | .270 |
| Apr | 75 | 22 | 4 | 10 | .293 |
| May | 114 | 33 | 9 | 20 | .289 |
| June | 109 | 35 | 4 | 20 | .321 |
| July | 111 | 34 | 5 | 28 | .306 |
| Aug | 71 | 18 | 1 | 4 | .254 |
| Sept | 109 | 27 | 1 | 14 | .248 |
| Vs RHP | 292 | 89 | 17 | 53 | .305 |
| Vs LHP | 297 | 80 | 9 | 43 | .269 |

| TRAMMELL | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 448 | 120 | 2 | 34 | .268 |
| At Det | 236 | 57 | 0 | 19 | .242 |
| Road | 212 | 63 | 2 | 15 | .297 |
| Vs Balt | 43 | 12 | 0 | 5 | .279 |
| Bos | 41 | 10 | 0 | 3 | .244 |
| Cle | 40 | 11 | 0 | 3 | .275 |
| Mil | 43 | 14 | 0 | 3 | .326 |
| NY | 43 | 10 | 0 | 1 | .233 |
| Tor | 41 | 12 | 1 | 1 | .293 |
| Cal | 19 | 3 | 0 | 1 | .158 |
| Chi | 26 | 5 | 0 | 2 | .192 |
| KC | 34 | 10 | 0 | 3 | .294 |
| Minn | 32 | 8 | 0 | 3 | .250 |
| Oak | 27 | 9 | 1 | 6 | .333 |
| Sea | 29 | 8 | 0 | 0 | .276 |
| Tex | 30 | 8 | 0 | 3 | .267 |
| 1st Half | 203 | 52 | 2 | 13 | .256 |
| 2nd Half | 245 | 68 | 0 | 21 | .278 |
| Apr | 33 | 10 | 0 | 1 | .303 |
| May | 60 | 15 | 1 | 8 | .250 |
| June | 88 | 23 | 1 | 3 | .261 |
| July | 89 | 25 | 0 | 8 | .281 |
| Aug | 88 | 23 | 0 | 7 | .261 |
| Sept | 90 | 24 | 0 | 7 | .267 |
| Vs RHP | 256 | 72 | 2 | 21 | .281 |
| Vs LHP | 192 | 48 | 0 | 13 | .250 |

| WHITAKER | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 484 | 138 | 3 | 58 | .285 |
| At Det | 273 | 86 | 2 | 40 | .315 |
| Road | 211 | 52 | 1 | 18 | .246 |
| Vs Balt | 31 | 5 | 0 | 2 | .161 |
| Bos | 45 | 13 | 1 | 5 | .289 |
| Cle | 47 | 18 | 0 | 7 | .383 |
| Mil | 50 | 17 | 0 | 4 | .340 |
| NY | 46 | 10 | 0 | 7 | .217 |
| Tor | 52 | 17 | 0 | 5 | .327 |
| Cal | 24 | 5 | 0 | 1 | .208 |
| Chi | 34 | 11 | 1 | 9 | .324 |
| KC | 38 | 8 | 0 | 0 | .211 |
| Minn | 28 | 6 | 0 | 2 | .214 |
| Oak | 28 | 10 | 0 | 6 | .357 |
| Sea | 28 | 7 | 1 | 6 | .250 |
| Tex | 33 | 11 | 0 | 4 | .333 |
| 1st Half | 225 | 71 | 0 | 18 | .316 |
| 2nd Half | 259 | 67 | 3 | 40 | .259 |
| Apr | 36 | 11 | 0 | 2 | .306 |
| May | 67 | 22 | 0 | 5 | .328 |
| June | 97 | 27 | 0 | 3 | .278 |
| July | 113 | 33 | 1 | 22 | .292 |
| Aug | 90 | 27 | 1 | 14 | .300 |
| Sept | 81 | 18 | 1 | 12 | .222 |
| Vs RHP | 299 | 90 | 1 | 37 | .301 |
| Vs LHP | 185 | 48 | 2 | 21 | .259 |

| TEAM | AB | H | HR | RBI | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Season | 5601 | 1520 | 129 | 666 | .271 |
| At Det | 2752 | 769 | 74 | 370 | .279 |
| Road | 2849 | 751 | 55 | 296 | .264 |
| Vs Balt | 485 | 115 | 8 | 48 | .237 |
| Bos | 497 | 131 | 18 | 48 | .264 |
| Cle | 501 | 143 | 7 | 70 | .285 |
| Mil | 500 | 133 | 12 | 53 | .266 |
| NY | 504 | 129 | 7 | 43 | .256 |
| Tor | 556 | 160 | 16 | 73 | .288 |
| Cal | 497 | 131 | 9 | 47 | .257 |
| Chi | 398 | 113 | 13 | 67 | .284 |
| KC | 343 | 87 | 11 | 34 | .254 |
| Minn | 341 | 91 | 4 | 35 | .267 |
| Oak | 347 | 105 | 9 | 52 | .303 |
| Sea | 367 | 99 | 7 | 42 | .270 |
| Tex | 380 | 116 | 8 | 54 | .305 |
| 1st Half | 2823 | 776 | 66 | 321 | .275 |
| 2nd Half | 2778 | 744 | 63 | 345 | .268 |
| Apr | 659 | 190 | 18 | 91 | .288 |
| May | 966 | 266 | 29 | 107 | .275 |
| June | 956 | 247 | 15 | 85 | .258 |
| July | 1066 | 307 | 21 | 148 | .288 |
| Aug | 966 | 270 | 22 | 129 | .280 |
| Sept | 988 | 240 | 24 | 106 | .243 |
| Vs RHP | 2872 | 792 | 65 | 359 | .276 |
| Vs LHP | 2729 | 728 | 64 | 307 | .267 |

# TEAM TOPS IN 1978

**Most runs in game** — 15, vs. Oak, May 14.
**Most runs in game by opp** — 12, vs. NY, June 23.
**Most runs in inn** — 7, vs. Tor, Apr 9 (2nd inn); vs. Oak, May 14 (8th inn); vs. Cle, July 5 (2nd inn).
**Most runs in inn by opp** — 8, at NY, Sept 4 (1) (7th inn).
**Most hits in 9-inn game** — 23, at Tex, July 7.
**Most hits in 9-inn game by opp** — 17, at NY, June 30; vs. Tor, July 4.
**Most hits in extra-inn game** — 15, at Tor, July 31 (14 inn).
**Most hits in extra-inn game by opp** — 15, vs. Cal, July 21 (1) (11 inn).
**Biggest winning margin** — 15 runs, vs. Oak, May 14 (15.0).
**Biggest losing margin** — 9 runs, vs. NY, June 23 (12-3); vs. Mil, Aug 28 (10-1).
**Most home runs in game** — 3, vs. Tor, April 7; vs. Oak, May 14; at Mil, May 17; at KC, Sept 2; vs. NY, Sept 12; vs. Bos, Sept 18.
**Most home runs in game by opp** — 3, vs. Bos, May 19; at Bos, May 26; vs. Balt, May 29; vs. Minn, June 4; vs. Balt, July 26; at KC, Sept 2; vs. Cle, Sept 10.
**Longest game in inn** — 16, vs. Sea, May 16.
**Longest 9-inn game in time** — 3:08, at Tex, July 7.
**Longest extra-inn game in time** — 4:30, vs. Sea, May 16 (16 inn).
**Shortest 9-inn game in time** — 1:49, vs. Sea, May 15.
**Longest winning streak** — 5 games, Apr 15-23 (1); Aug 1-6.
**Longest losing streak** — 7 games, May 24 (2)-29; June 12-18.
**Highest attendance** — 52,528, vs. Tor, Apr 7; 50,449, at NY, July 2.
**Lowest attendance** — 8,412, vs. Sea, May 15; 3,023 at Oak, July 18.

## 1978 INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

**Longest hitting streak** — 27 games, LeFlore, Aug 11-Sept 5.
**Most hits in game** — 5, Trammell, at Tex, July 7.
**Most home runs in game** — 2, Parrish, vs. Chi, Aug 5.
**Most RBI in game** — 6, Kemp, vs. Cle, Aug 17; Parrish, at Minn, Aug 21.
**Longest winning streak by pitcher** — 9 games, Billingham, July 1-Aug 21.
**Longest losing streak by pitcher** — 5 games, Wilcox, June 6-28 (2).
**Most strikeouts in game** — 11, Wilcox, vs. Bos, May 21 (1).
**Most walks in game** — 6, Slaton, at Mil, June 7; Sykes, vs. Oak, May 14; Wilcox, vs. Bos, Sept 21 and at Bos, Sept 27.
**Fewest walks in 9-inn complete game** — 0, Billingham, vs. Cle, Aug 16; Rozema, at Cle, June 27, at Chi, Aug 13 and vs. Bos, Sept 20; Wilcox, at Cal, July 15 and vs. Minn, Aug 29.

## TIGER PLAYER MOVES — 1978 SEASON

| Date | Player | Transaction |
|---|---|---|
| Jan. 18 | Steve Grilli, p | Assigned outright to Evansville. |
| Jan. 30 | Steve Dillard, if | Acquired from Bos for Mike Burns, Frank Harris and cash. |
| | Tito Fuentes, if | Sold to Montreal. |
| Feb. 21 | John Valle, of | Assigned outright to Evansville. |
| Mar. 6 | Jack Billingham, p | Acquired from Cincinnati for George Cappuzzello and John Valle. |
| Mar. 27 | Fernando Arroyo, p | On 21-day disabled list (right knee, recovering from surgery). |
| Mar. 28 | Tom Brookens, if | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Sheldon Burnside, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Ed Glynn, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Bruce Kimm, c | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Jack Murphy, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Chuck Scrivener, if | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Bob Sykes, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Steve Viethaus, p | Optioned to Montgomery. |
| Apr. 4 | Bob Adams, c | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Jack Morris, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| Apr. 17 | Jack Morris, p | Recalled from Evansville. |
| | Bruce Taylor, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| May 1 | Mark Fidrych, p | On 21-day disabled list (right shoulder, tendonitis). |
| May 3 | Fernando Arroyo, p | Reinstated from disabled list. |
| | Charlie Spikes, of | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Bob Sykes, p | Recalled from Evansville. |
| May 24 | Steve Baker, p | Purchased from Evansville. |
| May 30 | Fernando Arroyo, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| July 13 | John Hiller, p | On 21-day disabled list (pulled muscle, left side). |
| July 20 | Mark Fidrych, p | Optioned to Lakeland. |
| | Steve Baker, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| | Ed Glynn, p | Recalled from Evansville. |
| | Kip Young, p | Purchased from Evansville. |
| Aug. 3 | John Hiller, p | Reinstated from disabled list. |
| Aug. 4 | Jim Crawford, p | Optioned to Evansville. |
| Aug. 8 | Mark Fidrych, p | On 60-day disabled list. |
| Aug. 16 | Steve Foucault, p | Claimed on waivers by KC. |
| | Dave Tobik, p | Purchased from Evansville. |
| Sept. 1 | Steve Baker, p | Recalled from Evansville. |
| | Sheldon Burnside, p | Recalled from Evansville. |
| | Dave Stegman, of | Recalled from Evansville. |



# FORMATION OF 1979 TIGERS

| Year | Non-Drafted Free Agents | Free Agent Draft (Commencing 1965) | Purchases and Trades |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1962 | John Hiller (p) | | |
| 1970 | | Phil Mankowski (if) (#9) | Aurelio Rodriguez (if) *from Washington* |
| 1971 | Ed Glynn (p) | | |
| 1972 | | Jerry Manuel (if) (#1)<br>*Dan Gonzales (of) (#2)<br>Mark Wagner (if) (#19) | |
| 1973 | Ron LeFlore (of)<br>Ralph Treuel (p) | | Bruce Kimm (c) *from California*<br>John Wockenfuss (c) *from St. Louis* |
| 1974 | Tim Corcoran (of)<br>Sheldon Burnside (p) | Lance Parrish (c) (#1)<br>Mark Fidrych (p) (#10) | |
| 1975 | | *†Dave Tobik (p) (#1)<br>*Dave Rozema (p) (#4)<br>Jason Thompson (if) (#4)<br>Lou Whitaker (if) (#5) | Milt May (c) *from Houston*<br>Rusty Staub (of) *from N.Y. Mets*<br>**Bruce Taylor (p) *from Cincinnati* |
| 1976 | Steve Baker (p) | *Steve Kemp (of) (#1)<br>†Dave Stegman (of) (#1)<br>Pat Underwood (p) (#1)<br>Alan Trammell (ss) (#2)<br>Dan Petry (p) (#4)<br>Jack Morris (p) (#5)<br>*Garry Grafton (p) (#6)<br>Roger Weaver (p) (#16)<br>Kip Young (p) (#23) | Milt Wilcox (p) *from Chicago Cubs* |
| 1978 | | Kirk Gibson (of) (#1) | Jack Billingham (p) *from Cincinnati*<br>Steve Dillard (if) *from Boston* |
| 1979 | | | Jerry Morales (of) and Aurelio Lopez (p) *from St. Louis*<br>**Lynn Jones (of) *from Cincinnati*<br>**Dave Machemer (if) *from California* |

* January draftee  † Secondary phase  ** Selected in major/minor draft

## FETZER IS TIGERS' 10TH HEAD MAN

John E. Fetzer, who became part-owner of the Tigers in October, 1956 and sole owner Nov. 14, 1961, is the 10th in line to head the club. Charter president of the Tigers when the American League won major league status in 1901 was James D. Burns, also sheriff of Wayne County. In succeeding years, the post has been held by Samuel F. Angus (1902-03), William H. Yawkey (1904-06), Frank J. Navin (1907-35), Walter O. Briggs Sr. (1936-51), Walter O. Briggs Jr. (1952-56), Fred A. Knorr (1956), Harvey R. Hansen (1957-59), William O. DeWitt (1960) and Fetzer from October, 1960 until August, 1978 when Fetzer became chairman of the board and James A. Campbell was named president.

## TIGER LOSSES IN EXPANSION DRAFTS

**December, 1960**

Los Angeles Angels — Pitchers Aubrey Gatewood and Bob Sprout, Catcher Bob Rodgers, Infielders Eddie Yost and Steve Bilko.

Washington Senators — Pitchers Pete Burnside and Dave Sisler, Infielder Coot Veal.

**October, 1968**

Kansas City Royals — Pitchers Jon Warden, Bill Butler and Dick Drago.

Seattle Pilots — Pitcher Mike Marshall, Infielder Ray Oyler, Outfielder Wayne Comer.

**November, 1976**

Seattle Mariners — Infielder Dan Meyer, Pitchers Frank MacCormack and Bill Laxton.

Toronto Blue Jays — Pitchers Dennis DeBarr and Dave Lemanczyk.

## MOSS, John Lester — Manager

**Nickname: Les. Born: Tulsa, Okla. 5-14-25 (53) 5-11 200 B-R T-R. (Catcher). Married: Carol Jean Gigandet 2-4-56. Child: Sondra Lee (Wall). Residence: Longwood, Fla.**

When Les Moss was appointed the 27th manager of the Tigers, it marked the 10th time the club had tapped a former catcher for the pilot's post. Moss, selected to take charge at the close of the 1978 season, succeeded another ex-backstop as Ralph Houk chose to take retirement.

In 11 seasons as a minor league manager, Moss' teams won three pennants and none ever finished lower than third place. Four seasons were spent in the Tiger farm system, the last two at Evansville (American Association) and the previous two at Montgomery (Southern League), where he had two straight pennant winners.

In 12 campaigns of winter baseball in Latin America, Moss managed eight more championship nines.

In 15 years on the major league scene, he accumulated five seasons as a coach of the Chicago White Sox and was interim manager of the club for five weeks in 1968 while Al Lopez was recovering from surgery.

Born May 14, 1925 at Tulsa, Okla., Moss was signed by the St. Louis Browns in September, 1941. The following year, he batted .299 in the Georgia-Florida League and followed up with a .308 in the Eastern League in 1943, before spending two years in the Merchant Marine, 1944-45.

Back in flannels in 1946, Moss hit .297 at Toledo (American Association) and was with the Browns before the end of the campaign. There he remained until May, 1951 when he was traded to the Boston Red Sox for three players and $100,000 in cash. At the end of that season, however, Moss was on his way back to St. Louis in a two-for-two player swap.

In 1954, the Browns moved to Baltimore to become the Orioles and Moss went along, to be traded to the White Sox in June, 1955. He remained with the Pale Hose as a player, coach, special assignment scout and minor league manager until 1971.

Moss' major league playing days ended in 1957 (except for two token appearances in 1958 when he was sidelined with a sore arm).

He was a player-coach at Indianapolis in 1959 but returned to Chicago as a coach in 1960 and was a special assignment scout there in 1961.

His first experience as a minor league manager followed in 1962 at Savannah and 1963 at Lynchburg (both South Atlantic).

Moss was promoted to manage Indianapolis (Pacific Coast) in 1964, spent 1965 as a special scout for Chicago, then managed Indianapolis again in 1966. Four more seasons as a White Sox coach ensued but in 1971 Moss left that organization to join the California Angels as manager of their farm clubs at Shreveport and Salt Lake City until 1974, when he scouted for the Angels.

That was when the Tigers put him back into uniform as manager at Montgomery, then at Evansville and finally at Tiger Stadium.

| Year Club | Ave | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1942 Americus | .299 | 109 | 391 | 46 | 117 | 23 | 2 | 3 | 58 | 30 | 57 | 1 |
| 1943 Elmira | .308 | 96 | 279 | 50 | 86 | 18 | 3 | 3 | 45 | 48 | 29 | 4 |
| 1944-45 | | | | | (In military service) | | | | | | | |
| 1946 Toledo | .297 | 121 | 390 | 44 | 116 | 21 | 1 | 13 | 54 | 32 | 49 | 2 |
| St. Louis (A) | .371 | 12 | 35 | 4 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 1 |
| 1947 St. Louis (A) | .157 | 96 | 274 | 17 | 43 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 27 | 35 | 48 | 0 |
| 1948 St. Louis (A) | .257 | 107 | 335 | 35 | 86 | 12 | 1 | 14 | 46 | 39 | 50 | 0 |
| 1949 St. Louis (A) | .291 | 97 | 278 | 28 | 81 | 11 | 0 | 10 | 39 | 49 | 32 | 0 |
| 1950 St. Louis (A) | .266 | 84 | 222 | 24 | 59 | 6 | 0 | 8 | 34 | 26 | 32 | 0 |
| 1951 St. Louis (A)* | .170 | 16 | 47 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 0 |
| Boston (A)** | .198 | 71 | 202 | 18 | 40 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 26 | 25 | 34 | 0 |
| 1952 St. Louis (A) | .246 | 52 | 118 | 11 | 29 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 15 | 13 | 0 |
| 1953 St. Louis (A))*** | .276 | 78 | 239 | 21 | 66 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 28 | 18 | 31 | 0 |
| 1954 Baltimore | .246 | 50 | 126 | 7 | 31 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 14 | 16 | 0 |
| 1955 Baltimore**** | .339 | 29 | 56 | 5 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 0 |
| Chicago (A) | .254 | 32 | 59 | 5 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 10 | 0 |
| 1956 Chicago (A) | .244 | 56 | 127 | 20 | 31 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 22 | 18 | 15 | 0 |
| 1957 Chicago (A) | .270 | 42 | 115 | 10 | 31 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 20 | 18 | 0 |
| 1958 Chicago (A) | .000 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 1959 Indianapolis | .223 | 43 | 94 | 5 | 21 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 10 | 7 | 0 |
| 1960 San Diego (PCL) | .333 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — |
| Major League Totals | .247 | 824 | 2234 | 210 | 552 | 75 | 4 | 63 | 276 | 282 | 316 | 1 |

*Traded to Boston Red Sox for Pitchers Jim Suchecki and Jim McDonald, Catcher Matt Batts and $100,000; Moss, Suchecki and Batts transferred May 17 and McDonald from Louisville, July 18,1951.

**Traded to St. Louis Browns with Outfielder Tom Wright for Catcher Gus Niarhos and Outfielder Ken Wood, Nov. 28,1951.

***St. Louis Browns' frachise transferred to Baltimore, Oct. 29, 1953.

****Traded to Chicago White Sox for Pitcher Harry Dorrish, June 6, 1955.

**RECORD AS MANAGER**

| Year Club, League | Pos | W-L | Year Club, League | Pos | W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1962 Savannah (So Atlantic) | 1st | 92-47 | 1972 Salt Lake City (PCL) | 3rd‡ | 80-68 |
| 1963 Lynchburg (So Atlantic) | 6th* | 32-37 | 1973 Salt Lake City (PCL) | 2nd‡ | 79-65 |
| | 1st† | 47-24 | 1975 Montgomery (South)£ | 1st‡ | 73-61 |
| 1964 Indianapolis (PCL) | 2nd‡ | 89-69 | 1976 Montgomery (South)£ | 1st‡ | 81-56 |
| 1966 Indianapolis (PCL) | 3rd‡ | 80-68 | 1977 Evansville (Amer Assn) | 3rd‡ | 65-68 |
| 1968 Chicago (A)§ | | 12-24 | 1978 Evansville (Amer Assn) | 2nd‡ | 78-58 |
| 1971 Shreveport (Dix Assn) | 3rd‡ | 69-73 | | | |

*1st half-season †2nd half-season; full season T2 79-61 ‡Division standing
§Acting manager (five weeks) £Won 1975 playoff 3-0, 1976 playoff 4-1

**Coach**—Chicago White Sox 1960 and 1967-70

**Scout**—Chicago White Sox 1961 and 1965; California Angels 1974.



## BRINKMAN, Edwin Albert — Coach

**Nickname: Ed or Brink. Born: Cincinnati, Ohio 12-8-41 (37) 6-0 170 B-R T-R. (Infielder). Married: Donna L. Raber 11-6-65. Children: Kimberly 8-31-67; Shari 1-10-70. Residence: Cincinnati, Ohio.**

| Years | Ave | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2—Minor League | .313 | 122 | 469 | 93 | 147 | 31 | 10 | 11 | 79 | 44 | 56 | 6 |
| 15—Major League | .224 | 1845 | 6045 | 550 | 1355 | 201 | 38 | 60 | 461 | 444 | 845 | 30 |

**Major League Clubs** — Washington Senators 1961-70; Detroit Tigers 1971-74; St. Louis Cardinals, Texas Rangers and New York Yankees 1975.
**Manager** — Montgomery (Class AA) 1977-78.

## BROWN, William James — Coach

**Nickname: Gates. Born: Crestline, Ohio 5-2-39 (39) 5-11 225 B-L T-R (Outfielder). Married; Norma Jean Sterling 7-7-62. Children: Pamela Ann 5-22-63; William James, Jr. 3-23-65. Residence: Detroit, Mich.**

| Years | Ave | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4—Minor League | .256 | 451 | 1733 | 314 | 513 | 87 | 33 | 43 | 252 | 228 | 200 | 82 |
| 13—Major League | .257 | 1051 | 2262 | 330 | 582 | 78 | 19 | 84 | 322 | 242 | 275 | 30 |

**Major League Club** — Detroit Tigers 1963-75.
**Coach** — Detroit Tigers 1978-

## GRODZICKI, John — Coach

**Nickname: John or Grod. Born: Nanticoke, Pa. 2-26-17 (62) 6-2 200 B-R T-R. (Pitcher). Married: Anita Stewart 4-14-61. Residence: Daytona Beach, Fla.**

| Years | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12—Minor League | 3.65 | 108-84 | 365 | 122 | 78 | 1639 | 1486 | 820 | 665 | 864 | 1050 |
| 3—Major League | 4.43 | 2-2 | 24 | 1 | 0 | 41 | 31 | 29 | 20 | 34 | 20 |

**Major League Club** — St. Louis Cardinals 1941; 1946-47.
**Manager** — Geneva (Class D) 1950.
**Coach** — Rochester (Class AAA) 1950; St. Louis Cardinals organization 1951-63; Buffalo (Class AAA) 1964; Detroit Tigers organization 1967-78.

## TRACEWSKI, Richard Joseph — Coach

**Nickname: Dick or Trixie. Born: Eynon, Pa. 2-3-35 (44) 5-11 165 B-R T-R (Infielder). Married: Delores Patricia Totski 2-16-63. Child: Joy Ann 11-12-63. Residence: Peckville, Pa.**

| Years | Ave | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8—Minor League | .265 | 974 | 3619 | 612 | 960 | 127 | 53 | 15 | 358 | 552 | 475 | 94 |
| 8—Major League | .213 | 614 | 1231 | 148 | 262 | 31 | 9 | 8 | 91 | 134 | 253 | 15 |

**Major League Clubs** — Los Angeles Dodgers 1962-65; Detroit Tigers 1966-69.
**Coach** — Detroit Tigers 1972-

# BEHIND THE SCENES

## Clarence S. Livingood, M.D. — Physician

**Born: Elverson, Pa. 8-7-11. Residence: Grosse Pointe, Mich. Married: Louise Wilson Sinclair 10-24-47. Children: Wilson, Louise, Clarence A. II, Susan, Elizabeth.**

Chairman of the dermatology department of Henry Ford Hospital since 1953, Dr. Clarence Livingood has been associated with the Tigers since 1965 (as medical consultant) and their team physician since 1968. A graduate of Ursinus College in 1932, he received his M.D. at the University of Pennsylvania in 1936. During his 1941-46 army career, he was a lieutenant-colonel with service in the India-Burma theatre. Prominent in American Medical Assn. affairs, he has been a member of the House of Delegates since 1963. Dr. Livingood lists baseball and golf as his hobbies.

## William Lewis Behm Jr. — Trainer

**Born: Pittsburgh, Pa. 4-6-22. Residence: Dearborn, Mich. Married: Donna Todorov 9-14-68. Child: Annmarie.**

A trainer in the Tiger organization since 1960 and at Tiger Stadium since 1966, Bill Behm got his start while a student at Wake Forest College, where he received a B.S. degree in 1943. His first professional experience was at Norfolk in the Yankee farm system in 1945, with later minor league assignments at Denver, Knoxville and Montgomery. He worked with Jack Homel at Tiger Stadium in 1966, then became head trainer when Homel retired in 1967.

## James Bryan Schmakel — Equipment Manager

**Born: Toledo, Ohio 3-8-51. Residence: Toledo, Ohio. Married: Patricia Kathleen O'Connell 9-7-73, Child: Katrina Therese.**

A graduate of the University of Toledo and former basketball coach with a background in industrial relations, Schmakel joined the Tigers in 1979 after experience as the clubhouse manager at Toledo's Lucas County Stadium where the Tigers formerly had their Class AAA team for many years.

Manager: Les Moss (28)
Traveling Secretary: Bill Brown
Trainer: Bill Behm

# TIGERS 1979 ROSTER

Coaches: Ed Brinkman (51)
Gates Brown (26)
John Grodzicki (52)
Dick Tracewski (53)

## PITCHERS (18)

| No. | Name | B | T | Ht | Wt | Birthdate and Place | Residence | Service* | 1978 Club(s) | ERA | W-L | G | IP | H | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 31 | Baker, Steve | R | R | 6-0 | 185 | 8-30-56 Eugene, Ore. | Eugene, Ore. | 0-88 | Evansville | 3.22 | 8-1 | 16 | 101 | 93 | 53 | 87 |
| | | | | | | | | | Detroit | 4.55 | 2-4 | 15 | 63 | 66 | 42 | 39 |
| 41 | Billingham, Jack | R | R | 6-4 | 215 | 2-21-43 Orlando, Fla. | Winter Park, Fla. | 11-0 | Detroit | 3.88 | 15-8 | 30 | 202 | 218 | 65 | 59 |
| 42 | Burnside, Sheldon | R | L | 6-5 | 200 | 12-22-54 South Bend, Ind. | Etobicoke, Ont. | 0-30 | Evansville | 3.53 | 14-5 | 41 | 161 | 184 | 51 | 100 |
| | | | | | | | | | Detroit | 9.00 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| 20 | Fidrych, Mark | R | R | 6-3 | 175 | 8-14-54 Worcester, Mass. | Belleville, Mich. | 2-162 | Detroit | 2.45 | 2-0 | 3 | 22 | 17 | 5 | 10 |
| | | | | | | | | | Lakeland | 3.46 | 1-1 | 4 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 48 | Glynn, Ed | R | L | 6-2 | 180 | 6- 3-53 Flushing, N.Y. | Flushing, N.Y. | 0-154 | Evansville | 3.32 | 3-2 | 27 | 38 | 32 | 32 | 28 |
| | | | | | | | | | Detroit | 3.07 | 0-0 | 10 | 15 | 11 | 4 | 9 |
| 49 | Grafton, Garry | R | R | 6-2 | 195 | 9-14-55 Sewickley, Pa. | Coraopolis, Pa. | — | Evansville | 3.95 | 4-6 | 37 | 80 | 76 | 36 | 56 |
| 18 | Hiller, John | R | L | 6-0 | 165 | 4- 8-43 Scarborough, Ont. | Duluth, Minn. | 10-92 | Detroit | 2.34 | 9-4 | 51 | 92 | 64 | 35 | 74 |
| 29 | Lopez, Aurelio | R | R | 6-0 | 200 | 10- 5-48 Puebla, Mex. | Tecamachalco, Mex. | 0-107 | Springfield | 3.55 | 6-6 | 34 | 76 | 72 | 39 | 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | St. Louis | 4.29 | 4-2 | 25 | 65 | 52 | 32 | 46 |
| 47 | Morris, Jack | R | R | 6-3 | 195 | 5-16-55 St. Paul, Minn. | St. Paul, Minn. | 1-64 | Detroit | 4.33 | 3-5 | 28 | 106 | 107 | 49 | 48 |
| 46 | Petry, Dan | R | R | 6-4 | 180 | 11-13-58 Palo Alto, Calif. | Placentia, Calif. | — | Montgomery | 2.45 | 6-7 | 14 | 92 | 70 | 41 | 67 |
| | | | | | | | | | Evansville | 4.56 | 4-3 | 13 | 71 | 59 | 33 | 50 |
| 19 | Rozema, Dave | R | R | 6-4 | 190 | 8- 5-56 Grand Rapids, Mich. | Wyoming, Mich. | 2-0 | Detroit | 3.14 | 9-12 | 28 | 209 | 205 | 41 | 57 |
| 32 | Taylor, Bruce | R | R | 6-0 | 175 | 4-16-53 Holden, Mass. | Rutland, Mass. | 0-88 | Detroit | 0.00 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | | | | | Evansville | 4.57 | 4-7 | 41 | 65 | 55 | 41 | 53 |
| 38 | Tobik, Dave | R | R | 6-1 | 190 | 3- 2-53 Euclid, Ohio | Lyndhurst, Ohio | 0-46 | Evansville | 3.42 | 5-4 | 33 | 79 | 71 | 26 | 70 |
| | | | | | | | | | Detroit | 3.75 | 0-0 | 5 | 12 | 12 | 3 | 11 |
| 45 | Treuel, Ralph | R | R | 6-3 | 190 | 6- 7-55 Elyria, Ohio | Elyria, Ohio | — | Montgomery | 3.18 | 12-6 | 21 | 147 | 128 | 53 | 73 |
| | | | | | | | | | Evansville | 5.85 | 2-3 | 7 | 32 | 46 | 10 | 6 |
| 40 | Underwood, Pat | L | L | 6-0 | 175 | 2- 9-57 Kokomo, Ind. | Kokomo, Ind. | — | Evansville | 4.17 | 5-5 | 20 | 104 | 116 | 31 | 73 |
| 44 | Weaver, Roger | R | R | 6-3 | 190 | 10- 6-54 Amsterdam, N.Y. | St. Johnsville, N.Y. | — | Montgomery | 1.50 | 1-0 | 7 | 12 | 12 | 3 | 4 |
| 39 | Wilcox, Milt | R | R | 6-2 | 185 | 4-20-50 Honolulu, Hawaii | Belleville, Mich. | 6-18 | Detroit | 3.76 | 13-12 | 29 | 215 | 208 | 68 | 132 |
| 37 | Young, Kip | R | R | 5-11 | 175 | 10-20-54 Georgetown, Ohio | Winchester, Ohio | 0-73 | Evansville | 3.02 | 11-3 | 20 | 140 | 128 | 41 | 88 |
| | | | | | | | | | Detroit | 2.81 | 6-7 | 14 | 106 | 94 | 30 | 49 |

## CATCHERS (4)

| No. | Name | B | T | Ht | Wt | Birthdate and Place | Residence | Service* | 1978 Club(s) | AVE. | G | AB | H | HR | RBI | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11 | Kimm, Bruce | R | R | 5-11 | 170 | 6-29-51 Cedar Rapids, Ia. | Norway, Ia. | 1-97 | Evansville | .242 | 127 | 389 | 94 | 8 | 49 | 8 |
| 12 | May, Milt | L | R | 6-0 | 190 | 8- 1-50 Gary, Ind. | Bradenton, Fla. | 8-29 | Detroit | .250 | 105 | 352 | 88 | 10 | 37 | 0 |
| 13 | Parrish, Lance | R | R | 6-3 | 195 | 6-15-56 McKeesport, Pa. | Diamond Bar, Calif. | 1-31 | Detroit | .219 | 85 | 288 | 63 | 14 | 41 | 0 |
| 14 | Wockenfuss, John | R | R | 6-0 | 190 | 2-27-49 Welch, W. Va. | Wilmington, Del. | 3-165 | Detroit | .283 | 71 | 187 | 53 | 7 | 22 | 0 |

## INFIELDERS (9)

| No. | Name | B | T | Ht | Wt | Birthdate and Place | Residence | Service* | 1978 Club(s) | AVE. | G | AB | H | HR | RBI | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | Dillard, Steve | R | R | 6-1 | 180 | 2- 8-51 Memphis, Tenn. | Saltillo, Miss. | 2-152 | Detroit | .223 | 56 | 130 | 29 | 0 | 7 | 1 |
| 9 | Machemer, Dave | R | R | 5-11 | 175 | 5-24-51 St. Joseph, Mich. | Benton Harbor, Mich. | 0-52 | Salt Lake City | .324 | 97 | 376 | 122 | 5 | 40 | 36 |
| | | | | | | | | | California | .273 | 10 | 22 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| 2 | Mankowski, Phil | L | R | 6-0 | 180 | 1- 9-53 Buffalo, N.Y. | Huntington Woods, Mich. | 2-36 | Detroit | .275 | 88 | 222 | 61 | 4 | 20 | 2 |
| 15 | Manuel, Jerry | R | R | 6-0 | 150 | 12-23-53 Hahira, Ga. | Sacramento, Calif. | 1-10 | Evansville | .263 | 114 | 430 | 113 | 7 | 50 | 8 |
| 4 | Rodriguez, Aurelio | R | R | 5-11 | 180 | 12-28-47 Cananea, Mex. | Los Mochis, Mex. | 10-160 | Detroit | .265 | 134 | 385 | 102 | 7 | 43 | 0 |
| 30 | Thompson, Jason | L | L | 6-4 | 200 | 7- 6-54 Hollywood, Calif. | Southfield, Mich. | 2-165 | Detroit | .287 | 153 | 589 | 169 | 26 | 96 | 0 |
| 3 | Trammell, Alan | R | R | 6-0 | 160 | 2-21-58 Garden Grove, Calif. | Belleville, Mich. | 1-25 | Detroit | .268 | 139 | 448 | 120 | 2 | 34 | 3 |
| 5 | Wagner, Mark | R | R | 6-1 | 175 | 3- 4-54 Conneaut, Ohio | Ashtabula, Ohio | 1-102 | Detroit | .239 | 39 | 109 | 26 | 0 | 6 | 1 |
| 1 | Whitaker, Lou | L | R | 5-11 | 160 | 5-12-57 New York, N.Y. | Martinsville, Va. | 1-25 | Detroit | .285 | 139 | 484 | 138 | 3 | 58 | 7 |

## OUTFIELDERS (9)

| No. | Name | B | T | Ht | Wt | Birthdate and Place | Residence | Service* | 1978 Club(s) | AVE. | G | AB | H | HR | RBI | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 25 | Corcoran, Tim | L | L | 5-11 | 175 | 3-19-53 Glendale, Calif. | Covina, Calif. | 1-128 | Detroit | .265 | 116 | 324 | 86 | 1 | 27 | 3 |
| 23 | Gibson, Kirk | L | L | 6-3 | 215 | 5-28-57 Pontiac, Mich. | Waterford, Mich. | — | Lakeland | .240 | 54 | 175 | 42 | 7 | 40 | 13 |
| 34 | Gonzales, Dan | L | R | 6-1 | 180 | 9-30-53 Whittier, Calif. | Tucson, Ariz. | — | Evansville | .305 | 107 | 364 | 111 | 6 | 66 | 11 |
| 35 | Jones, Lynn | R | R | 5-9 | 175 | 1- 1-53 Meadville, Pa. | Harmonsburg, Pa. | — | Indianapolis | .328 | 126 | 482 | 158 | 9 | 62 | 20 |
| 33 | Kemp, Steve | L | L | 6-0 | 195 | 8- 7-54 San Angelo, Tex. | Newport Beach, Calif. | 2-0 | Detroit | .277 | 159 | 582 | 161 | 15 | 79 | 2 |
| 8 | LeFlore, Ron | R | R | 6-0 | 200 | 6-16-52 Detroit, Mich. | Detroit, Mich. | 4-63 | Detroit | .297 | 155 | 666 | 198 | 12 | 62 | 68 |
| 27 | Morales, Jerry | R | R | 5-10 | 175 | 2-18-49 Yabucoa, P.R. | Caguas, P.R. | 7-94 | St. Louis | .239 | 130 | 457 | 109 | 4 | 46 | 4 |
| 10 | Staub, Rusty | L | R | 6-2 | 205 | 4- 1-44 New Orleans, La. | Houston, Tex. | 15-106 | Detroit | .273 | 162 | 642 | 175 | 24 | 121 | 3 |
| 22 | Stegman, Dave | R | R | 5-11 | 190 | 1-30-54 Inglewood, Calif. | Lompoc, Calif. | 0-30 | Evansville | .264 | 135 | 462 | 122 | 14 | 67 | 17 |
| | | | | | | | | | Detroit | .286 | 8 | 14 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |

***Major League service in years, days (172 days in year)**

**Non-roster players on next page; also numerical and alphabetic listings**

# NON-ROSTER PLAYERS INVITED TO SPRING TRAINING

## PITCHERS (3)

| No. | Name | B | T | Ht | Wt | Birthdate and Place | Residence | 1978 Club(s) | ERA | W-L | G | IP | H | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 60 | Blair, Ted | L | L | 5-10 | 170 | 6-19-55 Detroit, Mich. | Southgate, Mich. | (Did not play: Disabled List) | | | | | | | |
| 61 | Rucker, Dave | L | L | 6-1 | 180 | 9- 1-58 San Bernardino, Calif | Rialto, Calif. | Bristol<br>Lakeland | 5.14<br>3.16 | 1-0<br>6-3 | 3<br>18 | 7<br>31 | 10<br>26 | 2<br>13 | 7<br>18 |
| 62 | Steffen, Dave | R | R | 6-3 | 220 | 12-17-58 Dearborn, Mich. | Flat Rock, Mich. | Lakeland<br>Montgomery | 0.87<br>4.02 | 9-4<br>0-0 | 32<br>11 | 62<br>16 | 35<br>22 | 28<br>7 | 35<br>10 |

## CATCHERS (2)

| No. | Name | B | T | Ht | Wt | Birthdate and Place | | | AVE. | G | AB | H | HR | RBI | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 68 | Brazell, Ted | R | R | 5-11 | 185 | 1-30-52 St. Louis, Mo. | St. Louis, Mo. | Montgomery | .222 | 18 | 45 | 10 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| 67 | Upshaw, John | R | R | 6-1 | 190 | 10- 9-56 Yuma, Ariz. | Tucson, Ariz. | Lakeland | .232 | 121 | 345 | 80 | 1 | 38 | 3 |

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

1 Whitaker, if
2 Mankowski, if
3 Trammell, if
4 Rodriguez, if
5 Wagner, if
*6 Kaline, inst
7 Dillard, if
8 LeFlore, of
9 Machemer, if
10 Staub, of
11 Kimm, c
12 May, c
13 Parrish, c
14 Wockenfuss, c
15 Manuel, if
18 Hiller, p
19 Rozema, p
20 Fidrych, p
22 Stegman, of
23 Gibson, of
25 Corcoran, of
26 Brown, coach
27 Morales, of
28 Moss, manager
29 Lopez, p
30 Thompson, if
31 Baker, p
32 Taylor, p
33 Kemp, of
34 Gonzales, of
35 Jones, of
37 Young, p
38 Tobik, p
39 Wilcox, p
40 Underwood, p
41 Billingham, p
42 Burnside, p
44 Weaver, p
45 Treuel, p
46 Petry, p
47 Morris, p
48 Glynn, p
49 Grafton, p
51 Brinkman, coach
52 Grodzicki, coach
53 Tracewski, coach
*54 Leyland, inst
*55 Day, bpp
*56 Muffett, inst
*60 Blair, p
*61 Rucker, p
*62 Steffen, p
*67 Upshaw, c
*68 Brazell, c

*Not on major league roster

## ALPHABETIC ROSTER

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Baker, Steve | 31 | Morales, Jerry | 27 |
| Billingham, Jack | 41 | Morris, Jack | 47 |
| *Blair, Ted | 60 | Moss, Les | 28 |
| *Brazell, Ted | 68 | *Muffett, Billy | 56 |
| Brinkman, Ed | 51 | Parrish, Lance | 13 |
| Brown, Gates | 26 | Petry, Dan | 46 |
| Burnside, Sheldon | 42 | Rodriguez, Aurelio | 4 |
| Corcoran, Tim | 25 | Rozema, Dave | 19 |
| *Day, Boots | 55 | *Rucker, Dave | 61 |
| Dillard, Steve | 7 | Staub, Rusty | 10 |
| Fidrych, Mark | 20 | *Steffen, Dave | 62 |
| Gibson, Kirk | 23 | Stegman, Dave | 22 |
| Glynn, Ed | 48 | Taylor, Bruce | 32 |
| Gonzales, Dan | 34 | Thompson, Jason | 30 |
| Grafton, Garry | 49 | Tobik, Dave | 38 |
| Grodzicki, John | 52 | Tracewski, Dick | 53 |
| Hiller, John | 18 | Trammell, Alan | 3 |
| Jones, Lynn | 35 | Treuel, Ralph | 45 |
| *Kaline, Al | 6 | Underwood, Pat | 40 |
| Kemp, Steve | 33 | *Upshaw, John | 67 |
| Kimm, Bruce | 11 | Wagner, Mark | 5 |
| LeFlore, Ron | 8 | Weaver, Roger | 44 |
| *Leyland, Jim | 54 | Whitaker, Lou | 1 |
| Lopez, Aurelio | 29 | Wilcox, Milt | 39 |
| Machemer, Dave | 9 | Wockenfuss, John | 14 |
| Mankowski, Phil | 2 | Young, Kip | 37 |
| Manuel, Jerry | 15 | | |
| May, Milt | 12 | | |

*Not on major league roster

## SAY THEM THIS WAY

Corcoran—CORE-core-ann
Fidrych—FID-rich
Gonzales—Gon-ZAHL-ess
Grodzicki—Grahd-ZIK-ee
LeFlore—Luh-FLOOR
Machemer—MAHK-uh-muhr
Mankowski—Man-COW-skee
Manuel—MAN-you-ell
Morales—More-AHL-ess
Petry—PEET-ree
Rodriguez—Rod-REE-gess
Rozema—ROZE-mah
Staub—STOBB
Tobik—TOE-bick
Trammell—TRAM-ell
Treuel—TROY-ell
Wockenfuss—WAHK-en-fuss

## MOSS NO. 1 MANAGER IN MINORS

When Les Moss became manager of the Tigers in 1979, he brought with him the distinction of "1978 Minor League Manager of the Year."

The honor was awarded by The Sporting News in recognition of excellence in 1978 at Evansville, Tiger affiliate in the Class AAA American Association — and probably in reflection of Moss' outstanding career as a minor league manager.

His Evansville team started the 1978 season with a 34-8 record on June 1 for the best in Organized Baseball at that point and a 12-game lead in its division. Injuries and frequent player promotions to the Tigers checked the Triplets and they finally missed the championship by a half-game on the final night of the season.

In his 11 seasons as a minor league manager, Moss' teams won three pennants and none ever finished below third.

## BAKER, Steven Byrne — Pitcher

**Born: Eugene, Ore. 8-30-56 (22) 6-0 185 B-R T-R. Single. Att. Univ. of Oregon, Grossmont JC.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in May, 1976.***

**1978 SEASON:** Purchased from Evansville May 24 and optioned back July 20. Recalled Sept. 1. Split time as starter and reliever. Scored first major league victory vs. Baltimore, May 30, in second start. Second victory in relief vs. Baltimore, Sept. 30.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Primarily a starter in 1976, his first professional season, Steve also has been learning to relieve. Won his first five starts, including three shutouts, at Evansville in 1978 before called to Detroit; finished 8-1 there.

**MISCELLANY:** Lettered in baseball, football and and basketball at Monte Vista (Spring Valley, Calif.) High. Signed as undrafted free agent out of Grossmont (El Cajon, Calif.) Junior College. Enjoys fishing, water and snow skiing. Parents own Eugene Register-Guard, daily newspaper in Eugene, Ore. Baker was American Association managers' pick as the "best prospect and pitcher with the best curve" for 1978. Pitched briefly for Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, last winter.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Lakeland | 2.51 | 5-4 | 19 | 17 | 5 | 97 | 83 | 38 | 27 | 61 | 60 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | 4.30 | 4-5 | 15 | 8 | 2 | 69 | 65 | 44 | 33 | 35 | 71 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 3.22 | 8-1 | 16 | 16 | 4 | 101 | 93 | 39 | 36 | 53 | 87 |
| | Detroit | 4.55 | 2-4 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 63 | 66 | 37 | 32 | 42 | 39 |
| Major League Tot. | | 4.55 | 2-4 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 63 | 66 | 37 | 32 | 42 | 39 |

## 1979 BIRTHDAYS OF CURRENT TIGERS

**JANUARY**

1—Lynn Jones ..... 1953
9—Phil Mankowski ..... 1953
30—Dave Stegman ..... 1954

**FEBRUARY**

3—Dick Tracewski ..... 1935
8—Steve Dillard ..... 1951
9—Pat Underwood ..... 1957
18—Jerry Morales ..... 1949
21—Jack Billingham ..... 1943
21—Alan Trammell ..... 1958
26—John Grodzicki ..... 1917
27—John Wockenfuss ..... 1949

**MARCH**

2—Dave Tobik ..... 1953
4—Mark Wagner ..... 1954
19—Tim Corcoran ..... 1953

**APRIL**

1—Rusty Staub ..... 1944
8—John Hiller ..... 1943
16—Bruce Taylor ..... 1953
20—Milt Wilcox ..... 1950

**MAY**

2—Gates Brown ..... 1939
12—Lou Whitaker ..... 1957
14—Les Moss ..... 1925
16—Jack Morris ..... 1955
24—Dave Machemer ..... 1951
28—Kirk Gibson ..... 1957

**JUNE**

3—Ed Glynn ..... 1953
7—Ralph Treuel ..... 1955
15—Lance Parrish ..... 1956
16—Ron LeFlore ..... 1952
29—Bruce Kimm ..... 1951

**JULY**

6—Jason Thompson ..... 1954

**AUGUST**

1—Milt May ..... 1950
5—Dave Rozema ..... 1956
7—Steve Kemp ..... 1954
14—Mark Fidrych ..... 1954
30—Steve Baker ..... 1956

**SEPTEMBER**

14—Garry Grafton ..... 1955
30—Dan Gonzales ..... 1953

**OCTOBER**

5—Aurelio Lopez ..... 1948
6—Roger Weaver ..... 1954
20—Kip Young ..... 1954

**NOVEMBER**

13—Dan Petry ..... 1958

**DECEMBER**

8—Ed Brinkman ..... 1941
22—Sheldon Burnside ..... 1954
23—Jerry Manuel ..... 1953
28—Aurelio Rodriguez ..... 1947

## AMERICAN LEAGUE STADIUMS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | Memorial Stadium | 52,860 |
| Boston | Fenway Park | 33,502 |
| California | Anaheim Stadium | 43,250 |
| Chicago | Comiskey Park | 44,492 |
| Cleveland | Municipal Stadium | 76,713 |
| Detroit | Tiger Stadium | 53,676 |
| Kansas City | Royals Stadium | 40,762 |
| Milwaukee | County Stadium | 54,187 |
| Minnesota | Metropolitan Stadium | 45,919 |
| New York | Yankee Stadium | 57,545 |
| Oakland | Oakland Coliseum | 50,000 |
| Seattle | Kingdome | 59,059 |
| Texas | Arlington Stadium | 41,097 |
| Toronto | Exhibition Stadium | 43,737 |



## BILLINGHAM, John Eugene — Pitcher

**Nickname: Jack. Born: Orlando, Fla. 2-21-43 (36) 6-4 215 B-R T-R. Married: Jolene Suslavich 10-9-64. Children: John Eugene Jr. 4-11-66, Jennifer Jo 5-20-69.**

***OBTAINED from Reds in 3-man trade, March 6, 1978.***

**1978 SEASON:** Acquired shortly after start of spring training, Jack enjoyed one of his most satisfying seasons in Tigers' starting rotation after spending the second half of 1977 in Reds' bullpen. Posted best winning percentage (.652) on starting staff while registering ninth straight season with at least 10 victories. Won nine straight games, July 1-Aug. 21. Fired back-to-back shutouts against California, July 16 and July 21 (2). ERA of 3.88 his lowest since 3.04 mark for Cincinnati in 1973.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Originally signed by Dodgers, Billingham was groomed as reliever, starting only once in 50 games in his 1958 rookie season ("When Don Drysdale got sick just before game time one night," Jack says). Developed into starter after trade to Astros in 1960, filled same role with Reds, who acquired him in 1972. Reached peak in 1973-74 with 19-10 and 19-11 records; led NL in shutouts (7), tied for lead in starts (40) and innings pitched (293) all in 1973. Selected for 1973 All-Star Game but did not play. Remarkable in World Series play (1972, 1975, 1976) with 2-0 record, 0.35 ERA in seven games, three starts.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Spent seven seasons in Dodger farm system after 1961 signing, almost all in relief work, before reaching Los Angeles in 1968 to remain in majors.

**MISCELLANY:** Played baseball, basketball, football at Winter Park (Fla.) High School. Had winter baseball experience in Venezuela, Nicaragua and the Dominican Republic. Distant relative of Christy Mathewson. Lists fishing, bowling, golf as hobbies.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1961 | Orlando | 4.50 | 1-6 | 12 | 9 | 2 | 56 | 53 | 37 | 28 | 37 | 30 |
| 1962 | St. Petersburg | 5.16 | 1-5 | 22 | 8 | 0 | 68 | 74 | 52 | 39 | 39 | 58 |
| 1963 | Salisbury | 3.49 | 9-6 | 31 | 18 | 9 | 142 | 124 | 72 | 55 | 53 | 136 |
| 1964 | Santa Barbara | 4.91 | 1-1 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 17 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 31 |
| | St. Petersburg | 1.03 | 7-3 | 32 | 5 | 2 | 105 | 63 | 21 | 12 | 27 | 126 |
| 1965 | Spokane | 3.60 | 0-0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 17 | 9 | 8 | 10 | 20 |
| | Albuquerque | 1.78 | 7-3 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 86 | 68 | 29 | 17 | 27 | 67 |
| 1966 | Spokane | 3.82 | 6-9 | 50 | 2 | 1 | 106 | 107 | 47 | 45 | 41 | 84 |
| 1967 | Spokane | 3.00 | 7-4 | 51 | 2 | 0 | 123 | 98 | 46 | 41 | 46 | 108 |
| 1968 | Los Angeles* | 2.15 | 3-0 | 50 | 1 | 0 | 71 | 54 | 18 | 17 | 30 | 46 |
| 1969 | Houston | 4.23 | 6-7 | 52 | 4 | 1 | 88 | 92 | 45 | 39 | 29 | 71 |
| 1970 | Houston | 3.97 | 13-9 | 46 | 24 | 8 | 188 | 190 | 102 | 83 | 63 | 134 |
| 1971 | Houston** | 3.39 | 10-16 | 33 | 33 | 8 | 228 | 205 | 98 | 86 | 68 | 139 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | 3.18 | 12-12 | 36 | 31 | 8 | 218 | 197 | 83 | 77 | 64 | 137 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | 3.04 | 19-10 | 40‡ | 40 | 16 | 293‡ | 257 | 112 | 99 | 95 | 155 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | 3.95 | 19-11 | 36 | 35 | 8 | 212 | 233 | 105 | 93 | 64 | 103 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | 4.11 | 15-10 | 33 | 32 | 5 | 208 | 222 | 100 | 95 | 76 | 79 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 4.32 | 12-10 | 34 | 29 | 5 | 177 | 190 | 96 | 85 | 62 | 76 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati*** | 5.22 | 10-10 | 36 | 23 | 3 | 162 | 195 | 105 | 94 | 56 | 76 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 3.88 | 15-8 | 30 | 30 | 10 | 202 | 218 | 95 | 87 | 65 | 59 |
| Major League Tot. | | 3.77 | 134-103 | 426 | 282 | 72 | 2042 | 2053 | 959 | 855 | 672 | 1075 |

‡Tied for league lead.
*Selected by Montreal from Los Angeles in expansion draft, Oct. 5, 1968; traded by Montreal with Pitcher Skip Guinn and cash to Houston to complete deal in which Donn Clendenon refused to report to Houston, April 8, 1969.
**Traded to Cincinnati with Infielders Joe Morgan and Dennis Menke and Outfielders Cesar Geronimo and Ed Armbrister for Infielders Lee May and Tommy Helms and Outfielder Jim Stewart, Nov. 29, 1971.
***Traded to Detroit for Pitcher George Cappuzzello and Outfielder John Valle, March 6, 1978.

**WORLD SERIES RECORD**

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Cincinnati | 0.00 | 1-0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 11 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | 1.00 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 0.00 | 1-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| World Series Tot. | | 0.36 | 2-0 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 26 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 19 |

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | League-Site | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1973 | National (KC) | | | | | | (Did not play) | | | | | |

## GAME-WINNING RBI RECOGNIZED

The "game-winning RBI" has become an official statistic of baseball. It is defined as that run-batted-in which gives a team a lead it never relinquishes. No more than one can be awarded in a game.

Based on that definition, Rusty Staub led the Tigers in 1978 with 13; followed by Ron LeFlore and Jason Thompson, 12 each; Steve Kemp and Aurelio Rodriguez, seven each.

## BURNSIDE, Sheldon John — Pitcher

**Born: South Bend, Ind. 12-22-54 (24) 6-5 200 B-R T-L. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in July, 1974.***

**1978 SEASON:** His 14 victories and 100 strikeouts led Evansville staff, with hard slider effective against left-handed hitters. Strong season there earned him a spot with the Tigers in September. Made two appearances, both against World Champion Yankees, with no decision.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Toronto sandlot graduate advanced steadily with impressive ERA records after signing as free agent in 1974. Promoted from Lakeland to Montgomery in June, 1976. Burnside responded with seven-inning no-hitter vs. Charlotte June 24. Tossed 16 complete games, tying for league lead, for Montgomery's 1977 Southern League champions.

**MISCELLANY:** Although born in United States, Burnside resides in Toronto suburb, played sandlot baseball there and basketball at Michael Power High School. Tennis and volleyball are his hobbies.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1975 | Bristol | 3.81 | 4-6 | 21 | 9 | 4 | 78 | 66 | 49 | 33 | 48 | 65 |
| 1976 | Lakeland | 2.61 | 6-3 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 76 | 61 | 30 | 22 | 25 | 54 |
| | Montgomery | 2.73 | 6-5 | 12 | 12 | 7 | 79 | 62 | 31 | 24 | 20 | 43 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | 3.32 | 10-12 | 27 | 26 | 16‡ | 176 | 154 | 80 | 65 | 86 | 100 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 3.53 | 14-5 | 41 | 18 | 4 | 161 | 184 | 82 | 63 | 51 | 100 |
| | Detroit | 9.00 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| Major League Tot. | | 9.00 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 3 |

‡Tied for league lead

## CORCORAN, Timothy Michael — Outfielder

**Nickname: Tim. Born: Glendale, Cal. 3-19-53 (26) 5-11 175 B-L T-L. Single. Att: Mt. San Antonio JC, Cal. State-Los Angeles.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in June, 1974.***

**1978 SEASON:** Shared the rightfield job in first full major league season. Hit just one home run but it was eighth-inning game-winning grand slam off Texas' Jim Umbarger, Aug. 9. Collected four hits in game, including two doubles with two RBI, vs. Oakland, July 25.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called up twice from Evansville in 1977. Tigers' top pinch hitter with 10 hits in 32 trips for .313 average. Collected four hits in game at New York Oct. 2, 1977.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed as undrafted free agent, Corcoran strong at plate in three minor league seasons, earned first spot on Tiger roster with .309 campaign with Montgomery Southern League champions of 1976 and .282 average in Florida Instructional League that winter. Was hitting .378 when first called to the Tigers from Evansville, May 18, 1977, after leading Tigers in 1977 spring training with .378 average.

**MISCELLANY:** Lefthander all the way, Corcoran can play first base as well as outfield. Native Californian, played baseball at Covina's Northview High School, Cal State at Los Angeles and Mt. San Antonio JC. Played 1977-78 and 1978-79 winter baseball with Caracas, Venezuela. Fishing is his hobby.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1974 | Bristol | .370 | 27 | 92 | 20 | 34 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 25 | 16 | 5 | 7 |
| | Lakeland | .270 | 36 | 126 | 15 | 34 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 13 | 9 | 0 |
| 1975 | Montgomery | .245 | 122 | 388 | 42 | 95 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 36 | 46 | 35 | 7 |
| 1976 | Montgomery | .309 | 129 | 437 | 66 | 135 | 25 | 5 | 5 | 60 | 57 | 33 | 13 |
| 1977 | Evansville | .346 | 39 | 136 | 27 | 47 | 11 | 3 | 7 | 33 | 30 | 13 | 3 |
| | Detroit | .282 | 55 | 103 | 13 | 29 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .265 | 116 | 324 | 37 | 86 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 27 | 24 | 27 | 3 |
| Major League Tot. | | .269 | 171 | 427 | 50 | 115 | 16 | 1 | 4 | 42 | 30 | 36 | 3 |

## HOW TO GET SLUGGING AVERAGE

To figure a slugging average, divide the number of total bases (one base for a single, two for a double, three for a triple and four for a home run) by the times at bat.

## GRAND SLAM HOMERS BY TIGERS

| | Career | 1978 | Most Recent | Pitcher |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corcoran | 1 | 1 | 8- 9-78 vs. Texas | Umbarger |
| Kemp | 1 | 1 | 8-17-78 vs. Cleveland | Freisleben |
| May | 2 | 0 | 8-15-77 vs. Seattle | Pole |
| Morales | 1 | 0 | 9- 8-74 vs. Philadelphia | Christenson |
| Parrish | 1 | 1 | 8-21-78 vs. Minnesota | Sutton |
| Rodriguez | 2 | 0 | 7-19-75 vs. Kansas City | Bird |
| Staub | 8 | 1 | 4-17-78 vs. Chicago | Wood |
| Thompson | 2 | 1 | 9-19-78 vs. Boston | Tiant |



## DILLARD, Stephen Bradley — Infielder

**Nickname: Steve. Born: Memphis, Tenn. 2-8-51 (28) 6-1 180 B-R T-R. Married: Mary Jane Young 9-9-72. Child: Jeffrey Stephen 6-17-78. Att. Univ. of Mississippi.**

***OBTAINED from Red Sox in 3-man trade, Jan. 30, 1978.***

**1978 SEASON:** Valuable infield reserve, also contributed as pinch runner. He had two or more hits in seven of 56 games in which he played, collected three hits at Minnesota, Aug. 22.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Got first taste of big time with one Red Sox game 1975, batting 2-for-5 and stealing a base. Returned to Fenway Park midway through 1976 and filled assorted infield jobs, batting .275 in 57 games. Played 44 games at second base and nine at shortstop in first full season with Red Sox in 1977.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed as Boston's No. 2 selection in June, 1972 draft; broke in at Winston-Salem that year, played full season with same club 1973 to bat .279 and steal 43 bases. Split next two seasons between Bristol and Pawtucket, then at Rhode Island in 1976 before promotion to Red Sox. Underwent surgery in both 1974 and 1975 with good results. Rated high on batting contact, fielding dexterity and running speed good for 109 stolen bases in five minor league campaigns.

**MISCELLANY:** Outstanding star at University of Mississippi, making every all-star team in Southeastern Conference and College World Series. Versatile prep performer at Saltillo, Miss., winning 16 letters — five in baseball, four each in basketball and track, and three in football. Played winter baseball in Venezuela 1976-77 off-season.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Winston-Salem | .228 | 44 | 114 | 14 | 26 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 7 | 13 | 4 |
| 1973 | Winston-Salem | .279 | 132 | 516 | 84 | 144 | 20 | 8 | 7 | 64 | 49 | 55 | 43 |
| 1974 | Bristol | .179 | 24 | 28 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
| | Pawtucket | .263 | 90 | 338 | 50 | 89 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 14 | 20 | 41 | 19 |
| 1975 | Pawtucket | .194 | 57 | 155 | 20 | 30 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 19 | 28 | 12 |
| | Bristol | .280 | 68 | 261 | 34 | 73 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 20 | 29 | 32 | 8 |
| | Boston | .400 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1976 | Rhode Island | .230 | 34 | 135 | 17 | 31 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10 | 16 | 11 |
| | Boston | .275 | 57 | 167 | 22 | 46 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 17 | 20 | 6 |
| 1977 | Boston* | .241 | 66 | 141 | 22 | 34 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 7 | 13 | 4 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .223 | 56 | 130 | 21 | 29 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 11 | 1 |
| Major League Tot. | | .251 | 180 | 443 | 67 | 111 | 26 | 2 | 2 | 35 | 30 | 44 | 12 |

*Traded to Detroit for Pitchers Mike Burns and Frank Harris, plus cash, Jan. 30, 1978.

## ALUMNI AND WIVES ARE ACTIVE

Two organizations with strong ties to the Tigers are active in charity work. The Detroit Tiger Alumni Association, open to all former Tigers, has helped the Michigan Special Olympics. The TeamMates, for wives of players, former players and media members has aided several worthwhile programs.

## SHUTOUTS AND LOW HIT GAMES

**JACK BILLINGHAM**

| | Sho | 0-H | 1-H | 2-H | 3-H | 4-H |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1970 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1971 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 1973 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 1974 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 1977 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1978 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | 27 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 4 |

**MARK FIDRYCH**

| | Sho | 0-H | 1-H | 2-H | 3-H | 4-H |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1977 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

**JOHN HILLER**

| | Sho | 0-H | 1-H | 2-H | 3-H | 4-H |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1967 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1968 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1969 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1970 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1977 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |

**DAVE ROZEMA**

| | Sho | 0-H | 1-H | 2-H | 3-H | 4-H |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1977 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1978 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

**MILT WILCOX**

| | Sho | 0-H | 1-H | 2-H | 3-H | 4-H |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1970 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 1973 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1978 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |

**KIP YOUNG**

| | Sho | 0-H | 1-H | 2-H | 3-H | 4-H |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1978 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

## FIDRYCH, Mark Steven — Pitcher

**Nickname: The Bird. Born: Worcester, Mass. 8-14-54 (24) 6-3 175 B-R T-R. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 10th selection in June, 1974 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** As frustrating as 1976 was exhilarating as tendonitis in right shoulder persisted from 1977. After complete game victories in first two starts, stiff shoulder forced departure from third game after only 40 pitches. Last major league appearance of season before a series of medical examinations by doctors across the United States. Optioned to Lakeland July 20 for rehabilitation. Pitched 13 innings in four appearances there before leaving game on Aug. 5 because of stiffness in shoulder. Worked on specially designed rehabilitation program throughout off-season.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** In his third professional season, Fidrych became talk of baseball world in 1976, winning Rookie of Year Award, leading league in ERA, complete games and fielding. Hottest drawing card in Tiger history, starting 29 times before crowds totalling 901,239 and averaging 31,077. Pitched 24 complete games, handled 78 fielding chances without error. After two relief appearances, got first start May 15, responded with two-hit 2-1 decision over Cleveland, followed with eight-game winning streak (May 31-July 3), was national folk hero by All-Star break with 9-2 record, 1.78 ERA, 10 complete games in 11 starts. Became second rookie pitcher ever to start All-Star game; was charged with AL's 7-1 defeat. Mopped up post-season honors with dozen citations including AL Rookie of Year, ML Man of Year, Tiger Rookie of Year (Detroit Sports Broadcasters) and Tiger of Year (Detroit writers). Injuries limited 1977 appearances to 11. Injured left knee March 21 during spring training workout, underwent surgery 10 days later to repair torn cartilage. Recovered to pitch in May 19 exhibition at Cincinnati and make first start May 27 against Seattle before 44,207 at Tiger Stadium. Lost first two decisions then won six straight and was 6-4 with 2.89 ERA by July 12 when forced to leave game after 15 pitches aginst Toronto at Detroit because of pain in right shoulder. Diagnosed as tendonitis. Placed on disabled list (effective July 20) and pitched no more until stint at Florida Instructional League.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Had whirlwind two-year trip through minors, starting with 3-0 2.38 records as relief pitcher for 1974 Bristol rookie league team, then three stops on quick journey through farm system in 1975, moving from Lakeland (5-9) to Montgomery (2-0) and Evansville (4-1 and 1.59) in short order, ultimately helping Evansville win Junior World Series.

**MISCELLANY:** Nicknamed The Bird by minor league coach at Bristol because of resemblance to television's Sesame Street character. Fascinating to fans for talking to ball, repairing mound on hands and knees, sprinting to and from mound, congratulating teammates after good plays or following victory. Author of tape-recorded biography "No Big Deal" (1977). Enjoys repair work on motorcycle and autos, rock music and photography. Worked as sales representative in 1978 off-season.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1974 | Bristol | 2.38 | 3-0 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 24 | 13 | 9 | 16 | 40 |
| 1975 | Lakeland | 3.77 | 5-9 | 17 | 16 | 10 | 117 | 111 | 58 | 49 | 50 | 73 |
| | Montgomery | 3.21 | 2-0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 15 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 11 |
| | Evansville | 1.59 | 4-1 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 40 | 27 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 29 |
| 1976 | Detroit | 2.34† | 19-9 | 31 | 29 | 24† | 250 | 217 | 76 | 65 | 53 | 97 |
| 1977 | Detroit | 2.89 | 6-4 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 81 | 82 | 29 | 26 | 12 | 42 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 2.45 | 2-0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 22 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 10 |
| | Lakeland | 3.46 | 1-1 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 13 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 |
| Major League Tot. | | 2.47 | 27-13 | 45 | 44 | 33 | 353 | 316 | 111 | 97 | 70 | 149 |

†Led league

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | League-Site | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | American (Phil) | 9.00 | 0-1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| 1977 | American (N.Y.-AL) | | | | | (Did not play) | | | | | | |

## GIBSON, Kirk Harold — Outfielder

**Nickname: Gib. Born: Pontiac, Mich. 5-28-57 (21) 6-3 215 B-L T-L. Single. Att. Michigan State University.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st selection in June, 1978 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Highly-sought prospect although playing only one year of college baseball at Michigan State, signed lucrative contract with Tigers as No. 1 draft pick. Allowed to finish college grid career at Michigan State 1978 but contracted to pass up pro football although highly-rated prospect. In 54 games at Lakeland displayed power and speed that made him so coveted by both sports. Belted seven home runs, knocked in 40 runs and scored 27. Called out at second base on first attempted steal, but followed with 13 successful attempts without missing.

**MISCELLANY:** Natural all-around athlete who was All-America as a football flanker and baseball centerfielder at Michigan State. A four-year starter in football, Gibson set Michigan State records with 112 catches, 2,347 yards and 24 touchdown receptions. Playing just one season (1978) of baseball for Spartans, he batted .390 with 16 home runs and 52 RBI in 48 games. Enjoys all sports and shoots in the 70s in golf.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1978 | Lakeland | .240 | 54 | 175 | 27 | 42 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 40 | 22 | 54 | 13 |



## GLYNN, Edward Paul — Pitcher

**Nickname: Ed. Born: Flushing, N.Y. 6-3-53 (25) 6-2 180 B-R T-L. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in September, 1971.***

**1978 SEASON:** Splitting season between Evansville and Detroit, was used exclusively in relief for first time in career. Recalled from Evansville July 20, got 10 appearances to post lowest ERA in four Tiger trials.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Made major league debut at Boston Sept. 19, 1975, relieving with two on, one out; fanned Yastrzemski and Lynn to end threat. Back again in September, 1976 to get his first victory in majors in his final appearance, at Cleveland Sept. 30. Defeated Oakland in relief and Baltimore in a start after being called up in September, 1977.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed as undrafted free agent in late 1971, blossomed in 1975 after three undistinguished minor league seasons, jumping from Montgomery (10-5 and 3.12) to Evansville (1-2 and 2.45) to Tiger Stadium. Regular starter at Evansville 1976 and 1977 with combined 15-15 mark. Reliever in 1978, with a 3-2 mark before called to the Tigers, July 20.

**MISCELLANY:** Born and raised in shadow of Shea Stadium in Flushing, N.Y., played baseball and basketball at Francis Lewis High School there and attended York College. Teen-age fan of Mets and sometime vendor of hot dogs at Shea Stadium. Played in Florida Instructional League 1972 and 1973, winter baseball at Magallanes, Venezuela in 1977-78 and Caracas, Venezuela in 1978-79.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Lakeland | 4.42 | 1-4 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 57 | 52 | 30 | 28 | 50 | 54 |
| | Bristol | 4.74 | 4-2 | 11 | 9 | 3 | 57 | 38 | 35 | 30 | 46 | 67 |
| 1973 | Clinton | 4.53 | 9-6 | 24 | 24 | 6 | 135 | 109 | 71 | 68 | 84 | 130 |
| 1974 | Montgomery | 5.51 | 1-4 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 49 | 60 | 44 | 30 | 29 | 31 |
| | Clinton | 3.00 | 8-4 | 15 | 15 | 8 | 114 | 104 | 46 | 38 | 46 | 104 |
| 1975 | Montgomery | 3.12 | 10-5 | 19 | 19 | 6 | 127 | 116 | 50 | 44 | 72 | 66 |
| | Evansville | 2.45 | 1-2 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 40 | 40 | 18 | 11 | 19 | 23 |
| | Detroit | 4.30 | 0-2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 11 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 8 |
| 1976 | Evansville | 3.59 | 9-7 | 24 | 24 | 5 | 148 | 146 | 76 | 59 | 82 | 92 |
| | Detroit | 6.08 | 1-3 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 24 | 22 | 18 | 16 | 20 | 17 |
| 1977 | Evansville | 4.95 | 6-8 | 28 | 27 | 3 | 156 | 163 | 97 | 86 | 71 | 125 |
| | Detroit | 5.27 | 2-1 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 27 | 36 | 17 | 16 | 12 | 13 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 3.32 | 3-2 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 38 | 32 | 14 | 14 | 32 | 28 |
| | Detroit | 3.07 | 0-0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 9 |
| Major League Tot. | | 4.89 | 3-6 | 26 | 8 | 1 | 81 | 80 | 48 | 44 | 44 | 47 |

## GONZALES, Daniel David — Outfielder

**Nickname: Dan. Born: Whittier, Cal. 9-3-53 (25) 6-1 180 B-L T-R. Single. Att: Fullerton JC.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 2nd selection in January, 1972 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Most productive season since turning pro in 1972. Batted .305 with six home runs and 66 RBI for Evansville to get 2nd spring trial.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Was Southern League Player of Month in May and Southern League All-Star at Montgomery in 1975.

**MISCELLANY:** Enjoys all sports, particularly water skiing. While playing in an amateur all-star game, hit home run in Anaheim Stadium.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Rocky Mount | .237 | 65 | 215 | 15 | 51 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 14 | 34 | 1 |
| 1973 | Anderson | .290 | 102 | 376 | 39 | 109 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 51 | 38 | 49 | 6 |
| | Lakeland | .150 | 10 | 20 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| 1974 | Lakeland | .260 | 101 | 358 | 35 | 93 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 46 | 27 | 24 | 0 |
| 1975 | Montgomery | .263 | 123 | 467 | 45 | 123 | 19 | 11 | 10 | 54 | 21 | 48 | 8 |
| | Evansville | .370 | 7 | 27 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 1976 | Evansville | .306 | 37 | 108 | 15 | 33 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 2 |
| | Montgomery | .292 | 77 | 271 | 26 | 79 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 31 | 19 | 31 | 5 |
| 1977 | Evansville | .239 | 79 | 234 | 27 | 56 | 10 | 2 | 6 | 25 | 13 | 19 | 2 |
| | Sarasota | .000 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| 1978 | Evansville | .305 | 107 | 364 | 54 | 111 | 25 | 4 | 6 | 66 | 45 | 37 | 11 |

## GRAFTON, Garry Jon — Pitcher

**Born: Sewickley, Pa. 9-14-55 (23) 6-2 195 B-R T-R. Single. Att. Robert Morris College, Slippery Rock State College.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 6th selection in January, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Right-handed fastball artist made more relief appearances (37) for Evansville than anyone but Bruce Taylor.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Except for one start in his first pro assignment at Lakeland in 1976, all of Garry's appearances have been in relief. Has 162 strikeouts in 201 professional innings.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Lakeland | 3.23 | 2-3 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 39 | 25 | 16 | 14 | 31 | 26 |
| | Bristol | 0.95 | 3-1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 19 |
| 1977 | Lakeland | 3.23 | 7-4 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 53 | 42 | 21 | 19 | 40 | 51 |
| | Montgomery | 1.80 | 2-0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 10 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 3.95 | 4-6 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 80 | 76 | 39 | 35 | 36 | 56 |

## HILLER, John Frederick — Pitcher

**Born: Scarborough, Ont. 4-8-43 (36) 6-0 165 B-R T-L. Married: Janis Patricia Baldwin 9-21-65. Children: Wendy Louise, 6-6-67; Joseph Scott, 7-24-69; Danielle Patricia, 6-9-73.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in November, 1962.***

**1978 SEASON:** Rebounded strongly from liver disorder that slowed him in 1977 with club-leading 15 saves and a 9-4 record, all in relief. Moved into fourth place on Tiger all-time pitcher appearance list with total of 491 games, only 47 behind leader George Dauss. Raised career saves to 116, more than twice as many as No. 2 man, Terry Fox (55). Lowered career ERA to 2.63 with 2.34 in 1978.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Floored by heart attack in January, 1971, after three seasons in majors, missed all of 1971 and half of 1972 but came back in 1973 to set major league records with 38 saves and 48 Firemen's Trophy points (38 saves, 10 relief wins) and Tiger club record with 60 games finished. Post-season awards included Comeback Player, Hutch Award, Fireman of Year, Tiger of Year and King Tiger; 4th in both Cy Young and MVP voting. Followed with more records in 1974, setting American League mark with 17 relief victories and major league record for relief decisions with 31. Continued in 1975 with 14 saves and 2.17 ERA before being sidelined for season July 25 with pulled muscle. Tigers slumped to 13-51 after Hiller and Mickey Stanley both knocked out of action for duration of campaign on same night. Rebounded in 1976 with 12-8 record, 13 saves and 2.38 ERA. Given first start in four years in last appearance of 1976; responded with four-hit shutout at Milwaukee Oct. 1, after 215 consecutive relief jobs. Added seven saves and five victories in 37 relief appearances in 1977. After shaky beginning in relief, moved into starting rotation May 18 and made seven starts. Added another in September to finish 3-5 as a starter. Fanned 12 in game vs. Toronto June 14, high for his career and tops for 1977 Tiger staff. Pitched only twice after mid-September because of a liver deficiency, but finished with a complete game 5-2 victory over New York Sept. 30. In period before heart attack, made 1967 splash at Tiger Stadium with three successive August starts in which he shut out Indians, 4-0, on four hits in 1:55; blanked A's, 3-0, on six hits in 2:11 and beat Angels, 2-1, in 2:19 with late-inning help. Had Tigers' best nine-inning performance in 1968 with one-hit 7-0 shutout of White Sox and set major league record with six straight strikeouts at start of Aug. 6, 1968 game with Indians. Relieved 74 times next two seasons but topped off 1970 blanking Indians, 1-0, on two hits, fanning seven straight to tie Tiger and AL records.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed in 1962 off Toronto sandlots, Hiller was impressive from start, with 14-9 record and 172 strikeouts at Jamestown first season. Was starter again following season but went to bullpen at Montgomery 1965 (47 appearances) and continued at Syracuse 1966 (54 appearances).

**MISCELLANY:** Played five years amateur baseball in hometown Scarborough (Ont.) Baseball Association before signing Tiger contract without bonus in late 1962. Also participated in hockey, track and field, basketball, soccer, swimming and lacrosse. Attended David and Mary Thomson High School in Scarborough. Answers to clubhouse nickname of "Ratso." Played winter baseball in Puerto Rico 1965. Fishing is principal hobby.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1963 | Jamestown | 4.03 | 14-9 | 29 | 22 | 11 | 181 | 178 | 89 | 81 | 78 | 172 |
| 1964 | Duluth-Superior | 3.45 | 10-13† | 30 | 19 | 9 | 167 | 167 | 74 | 64 | 66 | 137 |
| | Knoxville | 3.60 | 0-3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 15 | 19 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 15 |
| 1965 | Montgomery | 2.53 | 5-7 | 47 | 4 | 1 | 103 | 91 | 33 | 29 | 32 | 84 |
| | Detroit | 0.00 | 0-0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| 1966 | Detroit | 9.00 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| | Syracuse | 4.45 | 3-7 | 54 | 0 | 0 | 87 | 71 | 46 | 43 | 33 | 69 |
| 1967 | Detroit | 2.63 | 4-3 | 23 | 6 | 2 | 65 | 57 | 20 | 19 | 9 | 49 |
| | Toledo | 3.00 | 5-1 | 13 | 5 | 2 | 45 | 34 | 16 | 15 | 21 | 39 |
| 1968 | Detroit | 2.39 | 9-6 | 39 | 12 | 4 | 128 | 92 | 37 | 34 | 51 | 78 |
| 1969 | Detroit | 4.00 | 4-4 | 40 | 8 | 1 | 99 | 97 | 50 | 44 | 44 | 74 |
| 1970 | Detroit | 3.03 | 6-6 | 47 | 5 | 1 | 104 | 82 | 39 | 35 | 46 | 89 |
| 1971 | Detroit | | | (On Voluntary Retired List) | | | | | | | | |
| 1972 | Detroit | 2.05 | 1-2 | 24 | 3 | 1 | 44 | 39 | 13 | 10 | 13 | 26 |
| 1973 | Detroit | 1.44 | 10-5 | 65† | 0 | 0 | 125 | 89 | 21 | 20 | 39 | 124 |
| 1974 | Detroit | 2.64 | 17-14 | 59 | 0 | 0 | 150 | 127 | 51 | 44 | 62 | 134 |
| 1975 | Detroit | 2.15 | 2-3 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 71 | 52 | 20 | 17 | 36 | 87 |
| 1976 | Detroit | 2.38 | 12-8 | 56 | 1 | 1 | 121 | 93 | 37 | 32 | 67 | 117 |
| 1977 | Detroit | 3.56 | 8-14 | 45 | 8 | 3 | 124 | 120 | 59 | 49 | 61 | 115 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 2.34 | 9-4 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 92 | 64 | 27 | 24 | 35 | 74 |
| Major League Tot. | | 2.63 | 82-69 | 491 | 43 | 13 | 1131 | 919 | 376 | 330 | 466 | 972 |

†Led league

**WORLD SERIES RECORD**

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1968 | Detroit | 13.50 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 |

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | League-Site | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1974 | American (Pitt) | | | | | | (Did Not Play) | | | | | |



## JONES, Lynn M. — Outfielder

**Born: Meadville, Pa. 1-1-53 (26) 5-9 175 B-R T-R. Single. Grad: Thiel College.**

***DRAFTED from Indianapolis (American Association), Dec. 4, 1978.***

**1978 SEASON:** Most productive offensive season with nine home runs, 62 RBI and .328 average in first year at Class AAA level for Cincinnati's Indianapolis club. Second to Detroit's Dave Stegman (playing at Evansville) with .988 fielding percentage for outfielders.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Cincinnati's 10th selection in June, 1974 free agent draft. Always an outstanding defensive outfielder, Jones batted .336 at Eugene (Class A) in 1975. Led Eastern League outfielders with .996 fielding percentage at Three Rivers in 1977.

**MISCELLANY:** Has B.A. degree in Sociology from Thiel (Pa.) College. Batted .440 in senior year at Thiel.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1974 | Seattle | .262 | 76 | 282 | 53 | 74 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 37 | 40 | 42 | 22 |
| 1975 | Three Rivers | .206 | 53 | 141 | 12 | 29 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 14 | 12 | 16 | 5 |
| | Eugene | .336 | 62 | 211 | 53 | 71 | 13 | 3 | 13 | 63 | 36 | 25 | 12 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | .251 | 131 | 418 | 41 | 105 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 36 | 36 | 30 | 13 |
| 1977 | Three Rivers | .269 | 94 | 324 | 49 | 87 | 14 | 2 | 5 | 32 | 31 | 37 | 15 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | .328 | 126 | 482 | 81 | 158 | 28 | 4 | 9 | 62 | 39 | 42 | 20 |

## KEMP, Steven F. — Outfielder

**Nickname: Steve. Born: San Angelo, Texas 8-7-54 (24) 6-0 195 B-L T-L. Married: Leanne Weitzman 9-11-76. Att. Univ. of Southern California.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st selection in January, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Raised his batting average to .277 from .257 in 1977. Appeared in more games (159) than any Tiger except Rusty Staub who appeared in all 162. Exceptionally good eye and tied Ken Singleton for second place in American League with 97 walks, 10 behind Mike Hargrove. Had six RBI, including first major league grand slam, vs. Cleveland, Aug. 17. Enjoyed two 11-game hitting streaks, June 30-July 9 and July 29-Aug. 11.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Drove home 88 runs in 1977 rookie season. Of his 18 home runs, two came in one game at Seattle, Aug. 19, and one was an inside-the-park poke at Oakland, Sept. 4. Runnerup to Dave Rozema in Detroit sportscasters' voting for Tiger Rookie of Year. Named to Baseball Bulletin's American League 1977 all-rookie team.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Sensational in professional debut at Montgomery and Evansville 1976, winning Southern League Player of Month (June) honors at Montgomery before burning up American Association at Evansville with .386 average, 11 home runs, 38 RBI in 52 games. Tore ankle ligaments Aug. 29, underwent surgery following day, stalling promotion to Tiger Stadium until spring.

**MISCELLANY:** Collegiate All-American at Southern Cal dropped out of school after junior year to become eligible for major league draft; Tigers obliged by making Kemp the No. 1 pick of the nation in regular phase of January, 1976 selections. Signed for sizable bonus Jan. 11, 1976. Devastating hitter in college — .351, 5 HR, 42 RBI in 61 G as DH in sophomore season; .435 (USC record), 17 2B, 8 3B, 13 HR, 67 RBI in 57 G as outfielder in junior year. Hit .395 for U.S. team in 1975 Pan-American Games, also played summer baseball at Fairbanks, Alaska. Rod Dedeaux, veteran USC coach, calls him "more of a pure hitter" than Fred Lynn, another USC product. Texas-born but raised in California, playing baseball at Arcadia High School before USC career. Winner of 1976 Win Clark award as California's outstanding first-year player. Enjoys all outdoor sports, lists golf and fishing first.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Montgomery | .289 | 73 | 256 | 41 | 74 | 17 | 2 | 8 | 43 | 33 | 35 | 3 |
| | Evansville | .386 | 52 | 171 | 37 | 66 | 14 | 3 | 11 | 38 | 40 | 35 | 3 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .257 | 151 | 552 | 75 | 142 | 29 | 4 | 18 | 88 | 71 | 93 | 3 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .277 | 159 | 582 | 75 | 161 | 18 | 4 | 15 | 79 | 97 | 87 | 2 |
| Major League Tot. | | .267 | 310 | 1134 | 150 | 303 | 47 | 8 | 33 | 167 | 168 | 180 | 5 |

### 1978 SLUGGING PERCENTAGES OF 1979 TIGERS

| Player | Pct. | TBB | IBB | GIDP |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corcoran | .321 | 24 | 2 | 10 |
| Dillard | .292 | 6 | 0 | 5 |
| Kemp | .399 | 97 | 3 | 9 |
| LeFlore | .405 | 65 | 7 | 11 |
| Machemer* | .455 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Mankowski | .365 | 22 | 3 | 10 |
| May | .361 | 27 | 3 | 13 |
| Morales** | .341 | 33 | 1 | 13 |
| Parrish | .424 | 11 | 0 | 8 |
| Rodriguez | .395 | 19 | 1 | 9 |
| Staub | .435 | 76 | 5 | 24 |
| Stegman | .643 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Thompson | .472 | 74 | 3 | 11 |
| Trammell | .339 | 45 | 0 | 12 |
| Wagner | .284 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Whitaker | .357 | 61 | 0 | 9 |
| Wockenfuss | .422 | 21 | 4 | 7 |
| Team | .389 | 587 | 32 | 155 |

*With California **With St. Louis

## KIMM, Bruce Edward — Catcher

**Born: Cedar Rapids, Iowa 6-29-51 (27) 5-11 170 B-R T-R. Married: Deborah Ann Hicks. Child: Matthew Tyson 11-30-72. Att. University of Iowa.**

***OBTAINED in minor league trade with Angels, March 25, 1973.***

**1978 SEASON:** Spent entire campaign at Evansville after most of 1976 and part of 1977 with Tigers. Posted his second highest home run (eight) and RBI (49) marks since turning pro in 1969. Had surgery to remove torn cartilage from right knee because of injury suffered while playing in a charity basketball game in November, 1978.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** A strong-armed receiver, Kimm was called up from Evansville April 20, 1976 when Milt May was injured, appearing in 63 games — including all of Mark Fidrych's starts. Lone home run of season, off California's Frank Tanana Aug. 17, won classic duel for Fidrych before largest Detroit crowd of season (51,822).

**CAREER/MINORS:** Originally signed by White Sox in 1969, Kimm was traded to Angels for their Salt Lake City farm at close of 1972 season, then to Tigers during 1973 spring training. Was impressive defensively at Evansville 1975, his first full season in Class AAA, as Triplets won Junior World Series. Sent to Rochester, farm club of Orioles, on option in 1977. Was restored to Tiger roster during off-season.

**MISCELLANY:** Played baseball and basketball at hometown Norway (Ia.) High School. Hunting and trapping his hobbies.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1969 | Sarasota W. Sox | .310 | 36 | 84 | 9 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 2 |
| 1970 | Appleton | .125 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| | Duluth-Superior | .269 | 64 | 238 | 50 | 64 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 43 | 47 | 35 | 7 |
| 1971 | Appleton | .167 | 54 | 168 | 18 | 28 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 27 | 29 | 1 |
| 1972 | Knoxville | .258 | 119 | 353 | 51 | 91 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 55 | 65 | 58 | 4 |
| | Tucson | .158 | 10 | 19 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| 1973 | Montgomery | .255 | 74 | 220 | 33 | 56 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 36 | 26 | 33 | 5 |
| | Toledo | .226 | 24 | 62 | 6 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 12 | 1 |
| 1974 | Montgomery | .216 | 33 | 111 | 22 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 1 |
| | Evansville | .280 | 64 | 200 | 27 | 56 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 25 | 21 | 28 | 9 |
| 1975 | Evansville | .235 | 92 | 268 | 35 | 63 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 21 | 28 | 35 | 7 |
| | Tucson | .133 | 5 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1976 | Evansville | .333 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| | Detroit | .263 | 63 | 152 | 13 | 40 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 15 | 20 | 4 |
| 1977 | Rochester | .167 | 37 | 108 | 11 | 18 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 13 | 8 | 0 |
| | Detroit | .080 | 14 | 25 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 1978 | Evansville | .242 | 127 | 389 | 61 | 94 | 16 | 1 | 8 | 49 | 45 | 48 | 8 |
| Major League Tot. | | .237 | 77 | 177 | 15 | 42 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 15 | 24 | 4 |

## GATES BROWN PINCH HIT KING

Gates Brown, now a Tiger coach, broke into the major leagues with a pinch hit home run on his first trip to the plate and when he retired as an active player 13 years later, he was the premier pinch hitter of American League history.

Brown's initial shot off Bob Heffner at Fenway Park, June 19, 1963, was the first of 16 pinch homers and 107 pinch hits during his career. Both figures set records in the American League.

The major league mark for pinch hits was set by Smokey Burgess, who had 144 during his 1949-67 career with Chicago, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh of the National League and Chicago of the American League.

The only other players with more than 100 pinch hits are National Leaguers — Manny Mota, 130 with San Francisco, Pittsburgh, Montreal and Los Angeles from 1962 to the present; Jerry Lynch, 116 with Pittsburgh and Cincinnati from 1954-66; and Red Lucas, 114 with Boston, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh from 1923-28.

Until Brown came along, the record for pinch hits in the American League was held by Bob Fothergill, one-time Tiger who also played with Chicago and Boston between 1922 and 1933. Brown passed Fothergill's mark of 76 in 1971.

Gates' 16 pinch hit homers were topped only by Lynch's 18 and equalled by Burgess in major league history.

The seventh player in history to clear the fence as a pinch hitter in his major league debut, Brown became the 15th to homer in consecutive pinch-hitting appearances when he belted four-baggers on Aug. 9-11, 1968.

| Year | APP | AB | PH | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | On Base | Ave. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1963 | 37 | 30 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 12 | .200 |
| 1964 | 20 | 19 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 5 | .211 |
| 1965 | 37 | 34 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 13 | .265 |
| 1966 | 49 | 40 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 20 | .325 |
| 1967 | 33 | 26 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 9 | .154 |
| 1968 | 49 | 39 | 18 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 8 | 2 | 26 | .462 |
| 1969 | 46 | 39 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 13 | .205 |
| 1970 | 55 | 41 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 19 | .244 |
| 1971 | 32 | 26 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 15 | .342 |
| 1972 | 35 | 28 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 8 | .143 |
| 1973 | 22 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 7 | .000 |
| 1974 | 60 | 53 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 5 | 9 | 21 | .302 |
| 1975 | 47 | 35 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 6 | 17 | .171 |
| | 522 | 424 | 107 | 14 | 5 | 16 | 74 | 70 | 61 | 185 | .252 |



## LE FLORE, Ronald — Outfielder

**Nickname: Ron. Born: Detroit, Mich. 6-16-52 (26) 6-0 200 B-R T-R. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in July, 1973.***

**1978 SEASON:** Most productive since joining Tigers in 1974 as Ron combined speed and natural abilities to lead major leagues in runs (126), lead American League in stolen bases (68) and post league's 9th highest batting average (.297). First Tiger to lead majors in runs since Hank Greenberg with 144 in 1938. Most runs by Tiger since Rocky Colavito's 129 in 1961. First Tiger with consecutive 100-run seasons since Greenberg (112-129) and Barney McCosky (120-123) in 1939-40. First Tiger to lead league in stolen bases since Marty McManus with 23 in 1930 and most by Tiger since Ty Cobb's 68 in 1916. Moved up to 4th on Tigers' all-time stolen base list with career total of 216. Set American League record of 27 straight stolen bases (July 16-Aug. 22). First Tiger since Cobb (1915-19) with five straight 20-stolen base seasons. Had league's longest hitting streak, 27 games (Aug. 11-Sept. 5). Led AL outfielders with 440 putouts and missed 2nd straight 200-hit season by just two safeties when bruised right heel benched him two of last three games of season. Voted Tiger of Year for 2nd straight year by Detroit baseball writers.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Had only 134 minor league games under belt when he joined Tigers July 31, 1974 to replace Mickey Stanley, out with broken hand. Posted .260 average, stole 23 bases (first Tiger to steal 20 since 1962) balance of season; went on to hit .333 and steal 20 bases (in 23 attempts) in Florida Instructional League and become Tiger Rookie of Year on vote of Detroit sports broadcasters. In first full season 1975, tailed off from .289 at All-Star break to .258 at finish but led club in runs and stolen bases (28). Blossomed into All-Star in 1976, starting for AL squad after 30-game hitting streak (April 17-May 27), longest in majors in six years, in AL in 27 years and by a Tiger in 42 years. Sat out last three weeks after rupturing tendon in knee at New York Sept. 12, with surgery following day. After slow start, had sensational 1977 season with 212 hits, first Tiger to reach 200 since Al Kaline in 1955; 100 runs, first to score 100 since Rocky Colavito, Norm Cash and Kaline in 1961; 310 total bases, first with 300 since Colavito in 1962; 212 hits and 100 runs, first with 20/100 ratio since Kaline in 1955; .325 average following .316 in 1976, first Tiger regular with consecutive .300 seasons since Harvey Kuenn in 1958-59. Second in AL in at-bats and hits. Had Tiger's longest hitting streak of 17 games (Aug. 23-Sept. 7).

**CAREER/MINORS:** Although a product of Detroit's Eastern High School, LeFlore never played baseball as a prep; jumped from Class A to Tiger Stadium in less than two seasons after signing when paroled from Southern Michigan Prison 1973. Broke in at Clinton (Midwest) that July with 32-game average of .277. Opened 1974 at Lakeland, hitting .339 in 93 games before promotion to Evansville, where he played only nine games before sudden elevation to Tiger Stadium.

**MISCELLANY:** LeFlore's signing resulted from a Tiger good will trip to Southern Michigan Prison (Jackson) in May, 1973. The group included Manager Billy Martin, Outfielder Frank Howard and Broadcaster Ernie Harwell — who heard about LeFlore's exploits from prison recreation officials. After two workouts in Detroit in June, he was signed July 2 as he received his parole. One of LeFlore's minor league managers called him "the fastest I have ever seen from the right side of the plate" and his home-to-first dash has been clocked at 3.8 seconds. Played winter baseball at Mayaguez, Puerto Rico 1977-78. Lists music, reading and working with teen-agers as his favorite off-field pursuits. Named by President Carter in July, 1978, to the National Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice and Deliquency Prevention. Life story depicted in national network TV special in September, 1978.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1973 | Clinton | .277 | 32 | 65 | 10 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 26 | 2 |
| 1974 | Lakeland | .339† | 93 | 386 | 79† | 131 | 11 | 7 | 6 | 38 | 37 | 70 | 42 |
| | Evansville | .235 | 9 | 34 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 3 |
| | Detroit | .260 | 59 | 254 | 37 | 66 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 13 | 58 | 23 |
| 1975 | Detroit | .258 | 136 | 550 | 66 | 142 | 13 | 6 | 8 | 37 | 33 | 139 | 28 |
| 1976 | Detroit | .316 | 135 | 544 | 93 | 172 | 23 | 8 | 4 | 39 | 51 | 111 | 58 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .325 | 154 | 652 | 100 | 212 | 30 | 10 | 16 | 57 | 37 | 121 | 39 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .297 | 155 | 666 | 126 | 198 | 30 | 3 | 12 | 62 | 65 | 104 | 68 |
| Major League Tot. | | .296 | 639 | 2666 | 422 | 790 | 104 | 28 | 42 | 208 | 199 | 533 | 216 |

†Led league.

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | American (Phil) | .500 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

## TIGERS SHOWER CASH ON SANDLOTTERS

In the past nine seasons, the Tigers have raised more than $850,000 for amateur baseball in the Michigan-Ohio-Ontario area with a series of benefit exhibition games which will continue in 1979.

The 1978 event at Tiger Stadium, matching the Tigers with the Cincinnati Reds, resulted in ticket sales of $172,929.70 which went to 232 baseball teams and organizations in 128 cities. A similar amount was raised by the two teams in an exhibition at Cincinnati for the benefit of youngsters in that area.

The two teams have been scheduled to renew their benefit series in 1979 at Cincinnati April 18 and at Detroit April 23.

By splitting the two games in 1978, the Tigers boosted their record against the Reds in their benefit meetings to 10-4-1.

## LOPEZ, Aurelio Alejandro — Pitcher

**Born: Tecamachalco, Puebla, Mexico 10-5-48 (30) 200 B-R T-R. Married: Maria Celia Corral De Lopez 5-16-71. Children: Aurelio 4-8-72; Kachia Guadalupe 10-23-76.**

***OBTAINED from Cardinals in 4-man trade, Dec. 4, 1978.***

**1978 SEASON:** Hard-throwing relief artist posted 4-2 record for Cardinals in first real major league test after mid-season promotion from Springfield of the American Association. Of 25 appearances for Cardinals, 21 were in relief. Was 6-6 with nine saves in 34 appearances, all relief, at Springfield.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Although Lopez made eight appearances and pitched 16 innings in a brief stay with Kansas City in 1974, most of his career has been spent in the Mexican League. Split time as starter and reliever his first seven seasons, but has been used primarily in relief since 1974. Led Mexican League in games and saves from 1974 through 1977. Fired no-hitter against Carmen in May, 1969 and finished Mexican League career with 109-83 record.

**MISCELLANY:** According to several major league scouts, Lopez has outstanding fastball, slider and screwball. In spare time, he enjoys reading and movies.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1967 | Las Chopas | 4.31 | 5-3 | 27 | 13 | 3 | 96 | 93 | 62 | 46 | 66 | 80 |
| 1968 | Mexico City | 2.61 | 10-10 | 31 | 25 | 5 | 162 | 154 | 73 | 47 | 64 | 99 |
| 1969 | Mexico City | 3.86 | 10-4 | 21 | 18 | 6 | 105 | 131 | 53 | 45 | 49 | 76 |
| | Minatitlan | 1.95 | 7-4 | 16 | 7 | 5 | 83 | 56 | 29 | 18 | 40 | 64 |
| 1970 | Mexico City | 2.98 | 16-11 | 37 | 24 | 14 | 172 | 153 | 64 | 57 | 100 | 127 |
| 1971 | Mexico City | 4.88 | 4-7 | 21 | 15 | 3 | 83 | 86 | 49 | 45 | 59 | 36 |
| 1972 | Mexico City | 3.64 | 5-7 | 46 | 12 | 1 | 121 | 109 | 57 | 49 | 58 | 89 |
| 1973 | Mexico City | 3.33 | 12-10 | 53 | 12 | 3 | 127 | 115 | 58 | 47 | 82 | 117 |
| 1974 | Mexico City* | 2.55 | 7-7 | 60† | 0 | 0 | 113 | 94 | 50 | 32 | 70 | 134 |
| | Kansas City | 5.63 | 0-0 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 21 | 12 | 10 | 10 | 5 |
| 1975 | Mexico City | 2.84 | 10-8 | 71† | 0 | 0 | 114 | 97 | 46 | 36 | 68 | 114 |
| | Waterloo | 0.00 | 1-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 1976 | Mexico City | 4.50 | 4-11 | 59† | 2 | 0 | 98 | 111 | 61 | 49 | 49 | 65 |
| 1977 | Mexico City** | 2.01 | 19-8 | 73† | 0 | 0 | 157 | 132 | 39 | 35 | 49 | 165 |
| 1978 | Springfield | 3.55 | 6-6 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 76 | 72 | 37 | 30 | 39 | 81 |
| | St. Louis*** | 4.29 | 4-2 | 25 | 4 | 0 | 65 | 52 | 35 | 31 | 32 | 46 |
| Major League Tot. | | 4.56 | 4-2 | 33 | 5 | 0 | 81 | 73 | 47 | 41 | 42 | 51 |

†Led league
*Purchased by Kansas City, Aug. 29, 1974.
**Purchased by St. Louis, Oct. 26, 1977.
***Traded to Detroit with Outfielder Jerry Morales for Pitchers Bob Sykes and Jack Murphy, Dec. 4, 1978.

## MACHEMER, David Ritchie — Infielder

**Nickname: Mac. Born: St. Joseph, Mich. 5-24-51 (27) 5-11 175 B-R T-R. Married: Marcia Dwan 9-20-75. Grad: Central Michigan Univ.**

***OBTAINED from Angels in minor league draft Dec. 4, 1978.***

**1978 SEASON:** Called the "Pete Rose of the PCL" because of his hustling style, Dave enjoyed auspicious major league debut with Angels by belting a home run in his first at bat, leading off game against Minnesota's Geoff Zahn on June 21. Hit .273 in 10-game stint with the Angels during which he played second base, third base and shortstop. Batted .324 and scored 87 runs in 97 games for Salt Lake City in Pacific Coast League.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Spent last three seasons at Class AAA level after leading Texas League (AA) with 133 games, 507 at bats, 100 runs, 87 walks and 153 hits in 1975 while playing for El Paso. Consistent minor league player since turning pro in 1972 and enjoyed highest career average (.324) in 1978.

**MISCELLANY:** A Michigan native and resident, Dave has a bachelor's degree in education from Central Michigan. Originally signed by the Angels as a 4th-round draft selection in June, 1972, he was traded to Boston with John Balaz and former Tiger Dick Sharon on March 3, 1976 for Dick Drago. He was reacquired by Angels on Jan. 4, 1977 for John Doherty. Played 1978-79 winter ball for Mexicali in the Mexican League.

| Year | Club | Ave | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Stockton | .163 | 40 | 123 | 17 | 20 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 16 | 47 | 5 |
| 1973 | Quad City | .262 | 111 | 393 | 60 | 104 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 35 | 58 | 58 | 30 |
| 1974 | Salinas | .293 | 136 | 522 | 106 | 153 | 19 | 8 | 2 | 35 | 74 | 62 | 49 |
| 1975 | El Paso* | .320 | 133† | 507† | 100† | 153† | 17 | 6 | 1 | 46 | 87† | 41 | 44 |
| 1976 | Pawtucket** | .282 | 108 | 308 | 57 | 87 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 27 | 1 | 31 | 2 |
| 1977 | Salt Lake City | .260 | 130 | 504 | 95 | 131 | 41 | 8 | 5 | 44 | 77 | 36 | 47 |
| 1978 | Salt Lake City | .324 | 97 | 376 | 87 | 122 | 23 | 4 | 5 | 40 | 61 | 32 | 36 |
| | California | .273 | 10 | 22 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .273 | 10 | 22 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

†Led league
*Traded to Boston with Outfielders John Balaz and Dick Sharon for Pitcher Dick Drago, March 3, 1976.
**Traded to California for First Baseman John Doherty, Jan. 4, 1977.



## MANKOWSKI, Philip Anthony — Infielder

**Nickname: Phil. Born: Buffalo, N.Y. 1-9-53 (26) 6-0 180 B-L T-R. Married: Susan Elizabeth Tapke 1-12-74.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 9th selection in June, 1970 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Shared third-base duties with Aurelio Rodriguez to take advantage of Mankowski's left-hand hitting. Appeared in 88 games and made only five errors. Started season with flourish — home run and three RBI on Opening Day.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Promoted from Evansville to Tiger Stadium Aug. 30, 1976 to replace injured Rodriguez and played 23 games at hot corner in first major league experience. Played 94 games in first full major league season in 1977. Had two seven-game hitting streaks.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Played nearly six years in minors before getting first trip to majors, starting with all-rookie Bristol and Batavia clubs 1971 and improving at plate as he advanced through farm system. Prime factor in Montgomery's 1975 Southern League pennant drive with .283 average.

**MISCELLANY:** Father, Ben, played in Dodger farm system (1941-42) and brother, Paul, was Twins' farmhand (1965-69). Limited sports action to baseball at Bishop Turner High School in Buffalo, N.Y., also attended Bryant Stratton Business Institute. Played in Florida Instructional League 1970 and 1976, winter baseball at Escondido, Dominican Republic 1977-78. Interested in music and automobiles.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1971 | Bristol | .377 | 14 | 53 | 5 | 20 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| | Batavia | .262 | 52 | 195 | 20 | 51 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 27 | 19 | 16 | 1 |
| 1972 | Lakeland | .273 | 103 | 400 | 38 | 109 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 34 | 41 | 26 | 1 |
| 1973 | Clinton | .231 | 121 | 454 | 43 | 105 | 23 | 4 | 2 | 36 | 54 | 42 | 2 |
| 1974 | Lakeland | .256 | 64 | 234 | 30 | 60 | 10 | 3 | 5 | 38 | 26 | 21 | 1 |
| 1975 | Montgomery | .283 | 124 | 407 | 44 | 115 | 18 | 2 | 9 | 49 | 33 | 31 | 1 |
| 1976 | Evansville | .288 | 122 | 413 | 50 | 119 | 21 | 2 | 5 | 49 | 38 | 40 | 3 |
| | Detroit | .271 | 24 | 85 | 9 | 23 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 0 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .276 | 94 | 286 | 21 | 79 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 16 | 41 | 1 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .275 | 88 | 222 | 28 | 61 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 20 | 22 | 28 | 2 |
| Major League Tot. | | .275 | 206 | 593 | 58 | 163 | 17 | 4 | 8 | 51 | 42 | 77 | 3 |

## MANUEL, Jerry — Infielder

**Born: Hahira, Ga. 12-23-53 (25) 6-0 165 B-R T-R. Married: Renette Elizabeth Caldwell 4-24-74. Children: Angela Joy 5-10-75; Jerry Lorenzo 10-5-77.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st selection in June, 1972 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** In second full season with Triplets after finishing 1976 with Tigers, Jerry posted career highs with seven home runs and 50 RBI.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called to Detroit in September, 1975, and appeared in six games. Defensive specialist with Detroit in 1976, appearing in 54 games at second base and shortstop.

**CAREER/MINORS:** No. 1 draft choice in June, 1972, has been called one of American Association's finest fielders.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Bristol | .240 | 67 | 233 | 31 | 56 | 8 | 8 | 4 | 29 | 19 | 61 | 11 |
| 1973 | Lakeland | .252 | 117 | 433 | 66 | 109 | 17 | 4 | 2 | 28 | 52 | 98 | 20 |
| | Toledo | .278 | 27 | 72 | 8 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 2 |
| 1974 | Evansville | .211 | 127 | 384 | 44 | 81 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 24 | 35 | 74 | 3 |
| 1975 | Evansville | .230 | 137 | 501 | 63 | 115 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 43 | 44 | 101 | 20 |
| | Detroit | .056 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 1976 | Evansville | .182 | 11 | 44 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| | Detroit | .140 | 54 | 43 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 1 |
| 1977 | Evansville | .272 | 110 | 375 | 52 | 102 | 19 | 7 | 1 | 38 | 45 | 55 | 12 |
| 1978 | Evansville | .263 | 114 | 430 | 65 | 113 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 50 | 50 | 83 | 8 |
| Major League Tot. | | .115 | 60 | 61 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 1 |

## SOME REGULATIONS

A player is considered a rookie unless, during a previous season or seasons, he has (a) exceeded 130 times at bat or 50 innings pitched in the major leagues or (b) accumulated more than 45 days on the active roster of a major league club or clubs during the period of the 25-player limit, excluding time in military service.

A batting champion must have 502 or more actual or projected appearances at the plate. A pitching champion (ERA) must pitch 162 or more innings. A fielding champion must appear in 108 games at his position, except a catcher, who must appear in 81 games.

Player limit is 40 men from Sept. 1 to opening day of following season; then 25 until Sept. 1.

To determine the "magic number" in a pennant race, compute the number of games yet to be played, add one, then subtract the number of games ahead in the lost column of the standings from the closest opponent.

## MAY, Milton Scott — Catcher

**Nickname: Milt. Born: Gary, Ind. 8-1-50 (28) 6-0 190 B-L T-R. Married: Brenda Faye Boyd 8-25-71. Children: Milton Scott, Jr 6-1-73; Merrily Lauren 1-13-76. Att: Manatee JC.**

***OBTAINED from Astros in 7-man trade Dec. 6, 1975.***

**1978 SEASON:** Shared catching with rookie Lance Parrish; especially effective handling young Tiger pitchers. Belted home run on Opening Day and had second straight season with at least 10 homers. Fine start, with four homers, 11 RBI and .395 average in April.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Was only 25 but already veteran of three seasons with Pirates, two with Astros when obtained by Tigers from Houston in seven-man swap following 1975 season. Signed by Pirates in 1968, jumped from Class A to major leagues in three seasons; soon became most-sought "non-regular" in National League. Went to Astros when they offered any pitcher on their staff and Pirates picked Jerry Reuss at close of 1973 season. No. 1 catcher at Houston when traded to Detroit. Caught only six games for Tigers 1976 before crashing into backstop chasing foul fly at Oakland April 20, missing rest of season with broken ankle. Recovered in 1977 to catch 112 games. Had personal high of 12 home runs which included two in game vs. California, Aug. 27, and second grand slam of career vs. Seattle, Aug. 15.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Pirates' No. 11 selection in June, 1968 draft as third baseman, was soon converted to catching. Hit .280 with 21 home runs and 86 RBI at Columbus (International) in 1970 for late-season promotion to Pirates.

**MISCELLANY:** Son of Merrill (Pinky) May, Phillies' infielder 1939-43 and veteran minor league manager, played baseball at St. Petersburg (Fla.) High School, also attended Manatee JC. Played winter baseball in Puerto Rico 1971-72. Hunting is his hobby.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1968 | Bradenton | .241 | 52 | 166 | 21 | 40 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 30 | 13 | 1 |
| 1969 | Gastonia | .289 | 86 | 301 | 58 | 87 | 17 | 2 | 11 | 57 | 43 | 41 | 1 |
| 1970 | Columbus | .280 | 111 | 337 | 49 | 111 | 14 | 3 | 21 | 86 | 35 | 49 | 1 |
| | Pittsburgh | .500 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1971 | Pittsburgh | .278 | 49 | 126 | 15 | 35 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 25 | 9 | 16 | 0 |
| 1972 | Pittsburgh | .281 | 57 | 139 | 12 | 39 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 10 | 13 | 0 |
| 1973 | Pittsburgh* | .269 | 101 | 283 | 29 | 76 | 8 | 1 | 7 | 31 | 34 | 26 | 0 |
| 1974 | Houston | .289 | 127 | 405 | 47 | 117 | 17 | 4 | 7 | 54 | 39 | 33 | 0 |
| 1975 | Houston** | .241 | 111 | 386 | 29 | 93 | 15 | 1 | 4 | 52 | 26 | 41 | 1 |
| 1976 | Detroit | .280 | 6 | 25 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .249 | 115 | 397 | 32 | 99 | 9 | 3 | 12 | 46 | 26 | 31 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .250 | 105 | 352 | 24 | 88 | 9 | 0 | 10 | 37 | 27 | 26 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .263 | 676 | 2117 | 191 | 556 | 71 | 9 | 46 | 262 | 171 | 187 | 1 |

*Traded to Houston for Pitcher Jerry Reuss, Oct. 31, 1973.
**Traded to Detroit with Pitchers Jim Crawford and Dave Roberts for Pitchers Mark Lemongello and Gene Pentz, Catcher Terry Humphrey and Outfielder Leon Roberts, Dec. 6, 1975.

**WORLD SERIES RECORD**

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1971 | Pittsburgh | .500 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### THE MEN IN WHITE

| | Trainer | Team Physician |
|---|---|---|
| BALTIMORE | Ralph Salvon | Dr. Leonard Wallenstein |
| BOSTON | Charles Moss | Dr. Arthur Pappas |
| CALIFORNIA | Richard Smith | Dr. Robert Kerlan<br>Dr. Lewis Yocum<br>Dr. Jules Rasinski |
| CHICAGO | | Dr. Edwin Feldman<br>Dr. William Meltzer<br>Dr. Sid Shafer |
| CLEVELAND | Jim Warfield | Dr. William T. Wilder |
| DETROIT | Bill Behm | Clarence S. Livingood, M.D.<br>Edwin R. Guise Jr., M.D. |
| KANSAS CITY | Mickey Cobb | Dr. Paul W. Meyer |
| MILWAUKEE | Curt Rayer | Dr. Gary A. Guten |
| MINNESOTA | Dick Martin | Dr. Harvey O'Phelan<br>Dr. Leonard Michienzi |
| NEW YORK | Gene Monahan<br>Herman Schneider | Maurice Cowen, M.D. |
| OAKLAND | Joe Romo | Dr. Thomas Richmond |
| SEATTLE | Gary Nicholson | Dr. Ernest Burgess<br>Dr. Larry Pedegana |
| TEXAS | Bill Ziegler | Dr. B. J. Mycoskie |
| TORONTO | Ken Carson | Dr. Robert Galway<br>Dr. Bruce Edey |



## MORALES, Julio Ruben — Outfielder

**Nickname: Jerry. Born: Yabucoa, Puerto Rico 2-18-49 (30) 5-10 175 B-R T-R. Single.**

***OBTAINED from Cardinals in 4-man trade Dec. 4, 1978.***

**1978 SEASON:** Below par for righthanded hitter who enjoyed five straight productive seasons for Cubs and Padres. Average slipped to .239 and RBI to 46 in spacious Busch Memorial Stadium. Despite tough adjustment to new park, still remained sure-handed defensive outfielder.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** One of the most consistent National League performe s from 1973 through 1977 when he batted between .270 and .290. Enjoyed single-season high of 91 RBI for Cubs in 1975. Belted 16 home runs for same club in 1976 and featured a single-season high batting average of .290 for Cubs in 1977 when he collected 34 doubles. Originally signed by Mets in 1966, was selected by Padres in 1968 National League expansion draft. Traded to Cubs in 1973 and Cardinals in 1977.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Broke in as Player of Year in Appalachian League in 1966. Led 1969 Eastern League with 12 triples and was top outfielder with 349 putouts and 364 total chances playing for Elmira. Received Silver Glove Award at Hawaii in 1971 for leading PCL outfielders with .993 fielding average.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1966 | Marion | .345 | 38 | 119 | 33 | 41 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 25 | 43 | 20 | 7 |
| 1967 | Winter Haven | .248 | 139 | 501 | 82 | 124 | 11 | 14 | 8 | 48 | 61 | 81 | 27 |
| 1968 | Raleigh-Durham | .225 | 43 | 129 | 18 | 29 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 17 | 24 | 4 |
| | Visalia* | .264 | 70 | 250 | 44 | 66 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 33 | 35 | 56 | 3 |
| 1969 | San Diego | .195 | 19 | 41 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 0 |
| | Elmira | .272 | 127 | 459 | 62 | 125 | 11 | 12 | 15 | 63 | 38 | 63 | 15 |
| 1970 | San Diego | .155 | 28 | 58 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 0 |
| | Salt Lake City | .247 | 109 | 433 | 50 | 107 | 20 | 7 | 6 | 35 | 31 | 60 | 16 |
| 1971 | Hawaii | .272 | 137 | 470 | 81 | 128 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 52 | 47 | 56 | 7 |
| | San Diego | .118 | 12 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 1972 | San Diego | .239 | 115 | 347 | 38 | 83 | 15 | 7 | 4 | 18 | 35 | 54 | 4 |
| 1973 | San Diego** | .281 | 122 | 388 | 47 | 109 | 23 | 2 | 9 | 34 | 27 | 55 | 6 |
| 1974 | Chicago (N) | .273 | 151 | 534 | 70 | 146 | 21 | 7 | 15 | 82 | 46 | 63 | 2 |
| 1975 | Chicago (N) | .270 | 153 | 578 | 62 | 156 | 21 | 0 | 12 | 91 | 50 | 65 | 3 |
| 1976 | Chicago (N) | .274 | 140 | 537 | 66 | 147 | 17 | 0 | 16 | 67 | 41 | 49 | 3 |
| 1977 | Chicago (N)*** | .290 | 136 | 490 | 56 | 142 | 34 | 5 | 11 | 69 | 43 | 75 | 0 |
| 1978 | St. Louis§ | .239 | 130 | 457 | 44 | 109 | 19 | 8 | 4 | 46 | 33 | 44 | 4 |
| Major League Tot. | | .264 | 1106 | 3447 | 395 | 911 | 152 | 30 | 73 | 428 | 285 | 425 | 23 |

*Selected by San Diego in National League expansion draft, Oct. 14, 1968.
**Traded to Chicago Cubs for Infielders Glenn Beckert and Bob Fenwick, Nov. 12, 1973.
***Traded to St. Louis with Catcher Steve Swisher and player to be named for Catcher Dave Rader and Outfielder Heity Cruz, Dec. 8, 1977.
§Traded to Detroit with Pitcher Aurelio Lopez for Pitchers Bob Sykes and John Murphy, Dec. 4, 1978.

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | League-Site | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1977 | National (N.Y.-AL) | .000 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## MORRIS, John Scott — Pitcher

**Nickname: Jack. Born: St. Paul, Minn. 5-16-55 (23) 6-3 190 B-R T-R. Married: Carolyn Blake 6-29-77. Att: Brigham Young Univ.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 5th selection in June, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Hampered by sore shoulder in spring training, opened at Evansville but was recalled April 17 without appearance there. Strung together 9.2 innings of hitless and 14.1 innings of scoreless relief May 27-June 4 in four appearances vs. Boston, Baltimore and Minnesota twice. Started seven times in 28 appearances for season but registered all three victories in relief.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called up from Evansville July 25, 1977 to replace injured Mark Fidrych on Tiger roster but was sidelined with sore arm in late August after seven appearances with win over Milwaukee, loss to Seattle.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Debuted at Montgomery halfway through 1976 season, with 2-3 record and 6.25 ERA for 12 games, nine as starter. Non-roster player in Tigers' 1977 spring training but opened at Evansville to post 6-7 record (losing first four decisions) and 3.60 ERA when summoned to Tiger Stadium.

**MISCELLANY:** Noted for his fastball, Morris has been clocked at 94 MPH, probably fastest on Tiger staff. Also uses slider and deceptive change-up. Played baseball and basketball in high school at St. Paul's Highland Park, baseball only at Brigham Young University, where he completed three years. Pitched in Florida Instructional League 1976; for Mayaguez, Puerto Rico 1978-79.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Montgomery | 6.25 | 2-3 | 12 | 9 | 0 | 36 | 37 | 31 | 25 | 36 | 18 |
| 1977 | Evansville | 3.60 | 6-7 | 20 | 20 | 4 | 135 | 141 | 68 | 54 | 42 | 95 |
| | Detroit | 3.74 | 1-1 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 46 | 38 | 20 | 19 | 23 | 28 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 4.33 | 3-5 | 28 | 7 | 0 | 106 | 107 | 57 | 51 | 49 | 48 |
| Major League Tot. | | 4.14 | 4-6 | 35 | 13 | 1 | 152 | 145 | 77 | 70 | 72 | 76 |

## PARRISH, Lance Michael — Catcher

**Born: McKeesport, Pa. 6-15-56 (22) 6-3 B-R T-R. Married: Arlyne Christine Nolan 12-1-78.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st selection in June, 1974 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Displayed outstanding power in first full ML season, developed rapidly defensively. Only Tiger with two home runs in game (vs. Chicago Aug. 5), had first major league grand slam at Minnesota Aug. 21, with six RBI in game. Homered in three straight games May 12, 16 and 17. Collected four hits in game at Cleveland Sept. 16. Named to Baseball Bulletin's American League all-rookie team at end of season.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called up by Tigers in September, 1977 for first trial. In second game behind plate, walked, singled, doubled for three runs and homered vs. Baltimore Sept. 7.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Tigers' No. 1 selection in June, 1974 draft, never above .221 in first three minor league campaigns but turned it around at Evansville 1977 and credits Tiger Manager Les Moss (manager there 1977 and at Montgomery previous season) for hitting improvement. Third baseman at Bristol (Appalachian) and all-star in all-rookie league 1974 despite .213 average. Moved behind plate following year and developed fast defensively. Regular catcher on Montgomery's Southern League champions 1976, represented Evansville on American Association all-star team 1977.

**MISCELLANY:** Played baseball and football at Walnut (Calif.) High School; spurned UCLA gridiron scholarship to sign Tigers' bonus contract. Catcher first two years high school, "pitcher and all over" last two seasons. Father, Otto Parrish, deputy sheriff in California, played baseball, football and swam competitively. Lance spent part of one off-season as bodyguard to Singer Tina Turner. Played in Florida Instructional League three years 1974-76. Played for Mayaguez, Puerto Rico in 1978-79 winter league. Lists golf and skiing as favorite hobbies.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1974 | Bristol | .213 | 68 | 253 | 45 | 54 | 11 | 1 | 11 | 46 | 32 | 92 | 2 |
| 1975 | Lakeland | .220 | 100 | 341 | 30 | 75 | 15 | 2 | 5 | 37 | 30 | 85 | 0 |
| 1976 | Montgomery | .221 | 107 | 340 | 46 | 75 | 9 | 2 | 14 | 55 | 38 | 95 | 0 |
| 1977 | Evansville | .279 | 115 | 416 | 74 | 116 | 21 | 2 | 25 | 90 | 56 | 105 | 2 |
| | Detroit | .196 | 12 | 46 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .219 | 85 | 288 | 37 | 63 | 11 | 3 | 14 | 41 | 11 | 71 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .216 | 97 | 334 | 47 | 72 | 13 | 3 | 17 | 48 | 16 | 83 | 0 |

## PETRY, Daniel Joseph — Pitcher

**Nickname: Peaches. Born: Palo Alto, Cal. 11-13-58 (20) 6-4 180 B-R T-R. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 4th selection in June, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Split year as starter for Montgomery and Evansville for a combined 10-10 record. Posted impressive 2.45 ERA at Montgomery and 4.56 mark at Evansville.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Pitched at Bristol after signing in 1976 and at Lakeland in 1977 before promotion to Montgomery in 1978. Has started all 66 pro appearances.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Bristol | 3.76 | 2-3 | 14 | 14 | 1 | 79 | 54 | 42 | 33 | 56† | 51 |
| 1977 | Lakeland | 3.41 | 10-11 | 25 | 25 | 8 | 145 | 139 | 68 | 55 | 68 | 68 |
| 1978 | Montgomery | 2.45 | 6-7 | 14 | 14 | 6 | 92 | 70 | 38 | 25 | 41 | 69 |
| | Evansville | 4.56 | 4-3 | 13 | 13 | 2 | 71 | 59 | 38 | 36 | 33 | 50 |

## POST-SEASON HONORS FOR 1978 TIGERS

**Ron LeFlore**

Tiger of Year, Detroit Baseball Writers Association

**Lance Parrish**

AL Rookie All-Star Team, Baseball Bulletin

**Rusty Staub**

Outstanding Designated Hitter, American League and Manchester (N.H.) Union Leader
AL All-Star Team, Associated Press
AL All-Star Team, United Press International
AL All-Star Team, Sporting News
Fifth, Most Valuable Player Voting, Baseball Writers Association of America

**Alan Trammell**

AL Rookie All-Star Team, Baseball Bulletin

**Lou Whitaker**

AL Rookie of Year, Baseball Writers Association of America
Tiger Rookie of Year, Detroit Sports Broadcasters Association
AL Rookie of Year, Baseball Bulletin
AL Rookie All-Star Team, Baseball Bulletin
AL All-Star Team, Baseball Bulletin
Tiger Most Valuable Player, Baseball Bulletin



## RODRIGUEZ, Aurelio (Ituarte) — Infielder

**Born: Cananea, Sonora, Mexico. 12-28-47 (31) 5-11 180 B-R T-R. Married: Maria Arce 12-8-71. Child: Aurelio Jr. 12-23-73.**

***OBTAINED from Senators in 8-man trade, Oct. 9, 1970.***

**1978 SEASON:** Enjoyed finest season at bat and in the field since joining Tigers in 1971. Set Tiger club record and led American League third basemen with .987 fielding percentage on just four errors in 134 games. Posted highest batting average (.265) since breaking into the major leagues in 1967. Had 10-game hitting streak, April 9-28, and collected four hits against Chicago, April 17. Batted .350 (7-for-20) as pinch hitter and belted team's only pinch homer, against Baltimore, May 30.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Was purchased by Angels after two seasons in native Mexico, traded to Senators in April, 1970, then to Tigers that October, already established as one of game's top third basemen. Showed good power 1970 with Angels-Senators: 33 doubles, 19 homers. Has led Tigers in games 1974, at-bats 1971-72, hits 1971, doubles 1971 and 1973, triples 1971 and RBI 1973. Was only .00002 from top in fielding among 1973 American League third basemen; broke through for first Gold Glove trophy 1976 with .978 fielding average, highest in league at third base. Played first 128 games 1976, missed last 33 after tearing ligaments right ankle sliding into second at Oakland Aug. 29. In 1977, action reduced to 96 games, lowest total since becoming full-time major leaguer in 1969, because of injuries and platooning. Out of action April 27-May 31 after spraining same ankle (right) injured in 1976, missed another 10 days with cracked rib after fall in shower July 2.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Spent two seasons at Fresnillo (Class A — Mexican Center) and Jalisco (Class AA — Mexican) before 1966 purchase at age of 18 by Angels. In shuttle to Seattle and El Paso during 1966-68 seasons with best minor league marks in 1967: .327 in 79 games at El Paso, .308 in 51 games at Seattle.

**MISCELLANY:** Played baseball and basketball at Leona Vicario High School in hometown of Cananea, Sonora, and at Martires de 1906 College. Winter player in Mexico regularly except 1976, following ankle injury.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1965 | Fresnillo | .253 | 138 | 552 | 103 | 162 | 26 | 9 | 25 | 104 | 34 | 62 | 10 |
| | Jalisco | .260 | 15 | 50 | 5 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| 1966 | Jalisco | .292 | 135 | 480 | 64 | 140 | 17 | 16† | 3 | 53 | 13 | 79 | 6 |
| | Seattle | .254 | 17 | 59 | 6 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| 1967 | El Paso | .327 | 79 | 309 | 49 | 101 | 20 | 9 | 11 | 47 | 17 | 43 | 4 |
| | Seattle | .308 | 51 | 185 | 18 | 57 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 5 | 29 | 0 |
| | California | .238 | 29 | 130 | 14 | 31 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 21 | 1 |
| 1968 | California | .242 | 76 | 223 | 14 | 54 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 17 | 36 | 0 |
| | Seattle | .249 | 46 | 181 | 21 | 45 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 6 | 25 | 4 |
| 1969 | California | .232 | 159 | 561 | 47 | 130 | 17 | 2 | 7 | 49 | 32 | 88 | 5 |
| 1970 | Calif.*-Wash.** | .249 | 159 | 610 | 70 | 152 | 33 | 7 | 19 | 83 | 40 | 87 | 15 |
| 1971 | Detroit | .253 | 154 | 604 | 68 | 153 | 30 | 7 | 15 | 39 | 27 | 93 | 4 |
| 1972 | Detroit | .236 | 153 | 601 | 65 | 142 | 23 | 5 | 13 | 56 | 28 | 104 | 2 |
| 1973 | Detroit | .222 | 160 | 555 | 46 | 123 | 27 | 3 | 9 | 58 | 31 | 85 | 3 |
| 1974 | Detroit | .222 | 159 | 571 | 54 | 127 | 23 | 5 | 5 | 49 | 26 | 70 | 2 |
| 1975 | Detroit | .245 | 151 | 507 | 47 | 124 | 20 | 6 | 13 | 60 | 30 | 63 | 1 |
| 1976 | Detroit | .240 | 128 | 480 | 40 | 115 | 13 | 2 | 8 | 50 | 19 | 61 | 0 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .219 | 96 | 306 | 30 | 67 | 14 | 1 | 10 | 32 | 16 | 36 | 1 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .265 | 134 | 385 | 40 | 102 | 25 | 2 | 7 | 43 | 19 | 37 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .239 | 1558 | 5533 | 535 | 1320 | 238 | 42 | 108 | 543 | 287 | 781 | 34 |

†Led league
*Traded to Washington with Outfielder Rick Reichardt for Infielder Ken McMullen, April 26, 1970.
**Traded to Detroit with Infielder Ed Brinkman and Pitchers Jim Hannan and Joe Coleman for Infielders Elliott Maddox and Don Wert and Pitchers Denny McLain and Norm McRae, Oct. 9, 1970.

## TIGER ROOKIES: 12 ON SPRING ROSTER

The Tiger spring roster lists 12 rookies, two more than in 1978. They are: Sheldon Burnside, Kirk Gibson, Dan Gonzales, Garry Grafton, Lynn Jones, Dave Machemer, Dan Petry, Dave Stegman, Dave Tobik, Ralph Treuel, Pat Underwood and Roger Weaver.

## 1979 TIGERS' CAREER HIGH STRIKEOUTS

| Pitcher | Strikeouts | Date - Opp. |
|---|---|---|
| Baker | 7 | 5-30-78 vs. Balt |
| Billingham | 12 | 9-28-70 vs. SF |
| Burnside | 3 | 9-13-78 vs. NY |
| Fidrych | 9 | 6-20-77 vs. NY |
| Glynn | 8 | 9- 5-76 vs. Mil |
| Hiller | 12 | 6-14-77 vs. Tor |
| Lopez | 7 | 8-15-78 vs. Hous |
| Morris | 11 | 7-31-77 at Tex |
| Rozema | 6 | 5-12-77 at Mil |
| Taylor | 6 | 9-24-77 vs. Bos |
| Tobik | 3 | 8-28-78 vs. Mil |
| | | 9-18-78 vs. Bos |
| | | 9-26-78 at Bos |
| Wilcox | 11 | 5-21-78 (1) vs. Bos |
| Young | 6 | 8- 4-78 vs. Chi |
| | | 8-20-78 at Mil |

## ROZEMA, David Scott — Pitcher

**Nickname: Dave or The Rose. Born: Grand Rapids, Mich. 8-5-56 (22) 6-4 185 B-R T-R. Single. Att. Grand Rapids JC.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 4th selection in Jan., 1975 draft (secondary).***

**1978 SEASON:** Recovered from early-season sore shoulder to pitch in regular rotation. Despite 9-12 record, posted impressive 3.14 ERA. Strung together four straight complete games, Sept. 3-20, winning three to indicate shoulder had recovered completely. Fired shutouts against Seattle, April 29, and Cleveland, Sept. 15. Posted 3-0 record against Indians. Maintained pinpoint control that has marked his professional career, walking just 41 in 209 innings.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Exploded onto major league scene in 1977 from non-roster status in spring training. Jumped from Class AA to lead Tigers in victories (15), complete games (16), innings pitched (218) and ERA (3.09) when Mark Fidrych was sidelined most of the season. Outstanding season resulted in: American League Rookie Pitcher of Year (Sporting News), American League All-Rookie Team (Topps), Tiger Rookie of the Year (Detroit Sports Broadcasters), and American League RH Rookie Pitcher of the Year (Baseball Bulletin). Made 28 starts despite missing pair of starts after June 21 because of sore shoulder and rest of season after recurrence Sept. 9.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Selected by Giants in June, 1974 draft but refused to sign; was taken by Tigers in secondary phase of January, 1975 selections. Started in bullpen at Clinton (Midwest) that year, soon promoted to starter and ended fast with 14-5 and 2.09 marks, with five shutouts to tie for league lead. Shot to stardom at Montgomery 1976, leading Rebels to Southern League pennant with 12-4 and 1.57 readings, again tying for league lead with four shutouts. Post-season medical examination disclosed he pitched much of season with broken elbow — well-healed by 1977 spring training, when Rozema (on non-roster list) won major league job with 2-1 record and 1.97 ERA in Grapefruit League.

**MISCELLANY:** Played baseball, basketball and football at Grand Rapids Central High School, caught eye of Tiger Scout Bob Sullivan pitching for sandlot team from Holland, Mich., summer 1974. Lists golf and bowling as hobbies.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1975 | Clinton | 2.09 | 14-5 | 27 | 19 | 9 | 164 | 128 | 50 | 38 | 32 | 123 |
| 1976 | Montgomery | 1.57 | 12-4 | 19 | 18 | 10 | 126 | 98 | 29 | 22 | 15 | 96 |
| 1977 | Detroit | 3.09 | 15-7 | 28 | 28 | 16 | 218 | 222 | 87 | 75 | 34 | 92 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 3.14 | 9-12 | 28 | 28 | 11 | 203 | 205 | 83 | 73 | 41 | 57 |
| Major League Tot. | | 3.12 | 24-19 | 56 | 56 | 27 | 427 | 427 | 170 | 148 | 75 | 147 |

## TIGERS UNDER THE LIGHTS

The first night game the Tigers ever played was June 20, 1939, when they blanked the Athletics, 5-0, at Philadelphia — one of three cities (along with Cleveland and Chicago) to launch night play in the American League that year.

The Tigers' first game under the lights at Tiger Stadium was June 15, 1948, when they again defeated the A's, 4-1. The Tigers, last of the American League's then eight teams to install lights, scheduled only seven night games that year but soon doubled the number, then proceeded to the current level of 45-50 per season.

In the 1939-1978 period, the Tigers have played 2,359 night games (home and road), winning 1,213 for a .514 percentage which is three percentage points below their all-time day-night reading.

## TIGERS' LONGEST HITTING STREAKS

| Games | Player | Season | Games | Player | Season |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 40 | Ty Cobb, of | 1911 | 30 | Goose Goslin, of | 1934 |
| 35 | Ty Cobb, of | 1917 | 30 | Ron LeFlore, of | 1976* |
| 34 | Jonathon Stone, of | 1930 | | | |

*Start of season (April 17-May 27)

## Longest Career Hitting Streaks of 1979 Tigers

| Player | No. Games | Year | Player | No. Games | Year |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corcoran | 7 | 1978 | Parrish | 5 | 1978 |
| Dillard | 7 | 1976* | Rodriguez | 16 | 1968** |
| Kemp | 11 | 1978 | Staub | 20 | 1967*** |
| Kimm | 6 | 1976 | Stegman | 2 | 1978 |
| LeFlore | 30 | 1976 | Thompson | 16 | 1978 |
| Machemer | 3 | 1978** | Trammell | 6 | 1978 |
| Mankowski | 7 | 1976, 1977 | Wagner | 7 | 1976 |
| Manuel | 2 | 1976 | Whitaker | 12 | 1978 |
| May | 9 | 1974*** | Wockenfuss | 8 | 1978 |
| Morales | 14 | 1973† | | | |

*With Boston **With California ***With Houston †With San Diego



## STAUB, Daniel Joseph — Outfielder

**Nickname: Rusty. Born: New Orleans, La. 4-1-44 (35) 6-2 205 B-L T-R. Single.**

***OBTAINED from Mets in 4-man trade Dec. 12, 1975.***

**1978 SEASON:** Enhanced reputation as one of baseball's finest pure hitters by winning Outstanding Designated Hitter Award in a runaway. Among DHs was first in hits (175), total bases (279) and walks (76); tied for first in sacrifice flies (11); second in average (.273), runs (75) and doubles (30); third in home runs (24). Reached 20/100 home run-RBI level for second straight year. Career high of 121 RBI was second only to Boston's Jim Rice in the major leagues. First Tiger with back-to-back 100 RBI seasons since Willie Horton in 1965-66. Had two 12-game hitting streaks and smashed eighth career grand slam against Chicago, April 17. One of just three American League players to play in all of his team's games. Set Tiger record for lefthanders at bat, with 642.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Popular figure at all stops, Staub played with Astros, Expos and Mets before Tigers; became regular at age of 19 at Houston 1963 after single season in minors. Hit only .224 in rookie year and spent part of following season in minors before returning to majors 1965 to remain. Selected for National League All-Star Game squad five straight years (1967-71), started 1976 game for American League — one of handful of players to represent both leagues in All-Star. Staub was at his best as clutch hitter in 1973 when he belted three homers for the Mets before injuring his shoulder in the fourth game of the playoffs, then bounced back to hit .423 in the World Series, top mark among all batsmen. A durable performer, Rusty's only serious injury was a broken right hand which forced him to miss 66 games in 1972. A switch in leagues in 1976 did not curb Staub's clutch hitting as he led Tigers in game-winning hits, RBI, hits, total bases, AB, doubles, walks, SF and was one of only three AL players to perform in each of his team's games. During season he passed 1,000th-RBI, 2,000th-hit and 200th-home run milestones. After slow start in 1977 as full-time DH (.227 with 10 home runs and 40 RBI on July 10), went on tear in second half to finish at .278 with 22 homers and 101 RBI. Reached 20/100 home run-RBI level first time in career. Played his 2,000th game (April 9 vs. Kansas City) and scored 1,000th run (Sept. 29 vs. Baltimore).

**CAREER/MINORS:** Broke into professional ball with a bang, batting .293 at Durham and tying for the league lead in runs and games in 1962. That earned him a promotion to Houston the following season, but in 1964 he was optioned to Oklahoma City, where his .314 swat mark, 20 HR and 45 RBI in just 71 games prompted his recall.

**MISCELLANY:** Staub is noted as a gourmet cook, specializing in French cuisine, and has his own restaurant (Rusty's) in New York. He was named "Louisiana Scholastic Athlete of the Year" in 1961 and signed a bonus for a reported $100,000 after graduating from Jesuit High School in his native New Orleans.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1962 | Durham | .293 | 140‡ | 509 | 115‡ | 149 | 20 | 4 | 23 | 93 | 116 | 53 | 9 |
| 1963 | Houston | .224 | 150 | 513 | 43 | 115 | 17 | 4 | 6 | 45 | 59 | 58 | 0 |
| 1964 | Oklahoma City | .314 | 71 | 226 | 55 | 71 | 13 | 1 | 20 | 45 | 44 | 32 | 1 |
| | Houston | .216 | 89 | 292 | 26 | 63 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 35 | 21 | 31 | 1 |
| 1965 | Houston | .256 | 131 | 410 | 43 | 105 | 20 | 1 | 14 | 63 | 52 | 57 | 3 |
| 1966 | Houston | .280 | 153 | 554 | 60 | 155 | 28 | 3 | 13 | 81 | 58 | 61 | 2 |
| 1967 | Houston | .333 | 149 | 546 | 71 | 182 | 44‡ | 1 | 10 | 74 | 60 | 47 | 0 |
| 1968 | Houston* | .291 | 161 | 591 | 54 | 172 | 37 | 1 | 6 | 72 | 73 | 57 | 2 |
| 1969 | Montreal | .302 | 158 | 549 | 89 | 166 | 26 | 5 | 29 | 79 | 110 | 61 | 3 |
| 1970 | Montreal | .274 | 160 | 569 | 98 | 156 | 23 | 7 | 30 | 94 | 112 | 93 | 12 |
| 1971 | Montreal** | .311 | 162‡ | 599 | 94 | 186 | 34 | 6 | 19 | 97 | 74 | 42 | 9 |
| 1972 | New York (N) | .293 | 66 | 239 | 32 | 70 | 11 | 0 | 9 | 38 | 31 | 13 | 0 |
| 1973 | New York (N) | .279 | 152 | 585 | 77 | 163 | 36 | 1 | 15 | 76 | 74 | 52 | 1 |
| 1974 | New York (N) | .258 | 151 | 561 | 65 | 145 | 22 | 2 | 19 | 78 | 77 | 39 | 2 |
| 1975 | New York (N)*** | .282 | 155 | 574 | 93 | 162 | 30 | 4 | 19 | 105 | 77 | 55 | 2 |
| 1976 | Detroit | .299 | 161 | 589 | 73 | 176 | 28 | 3 | 15 | 96 | 83 | 49 | 3 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .278 | 158 | 623 | 84 | 173 | 34 | 3 | 22 | 101 | 59 | 47 | 1 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .273 | 162 | 642 | 75 | 175 | 30 | 1 | 24 | 121 | 76 | 35 | 3 |
| Major League Tot. | | .280 | 2318 | 8436 | 1077 | 2364 | 430 | 44 | 258 | 1255 | 1096 | 797 | 44 |

†Led League ‡Tied for league lead

*Traded to Montreal for Infielder Donn Clendenon and Outfielder Jesus Alou, Jan. 22, 1969. (When Clendenon refused to report, Pitchers Jack Billingham and Skip Guinn and cash were sent to complete the deal, April 8, 1969.)

**Traded to New York Mets for Outfielder Ken Singleton, Infielder Mike Jorgensen and Infielder Tim Foli, April 6, 1972.

***Traded to Detroit with Pitcher Bill Laxton for Pitcher Mickey Lolich and Outfielder Billy Baldwin, Dec. 12, 1975.

**WORLD SERIES RECORD**

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1973 | New York (NL) | .423 | 7 | 26 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 |

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | League-Site | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1967 | National (Calif.) | 1.000 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1968 | National (Hous) | .000 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1969 | National (Wash) | | | | | (Did not play) | | | | | | | |
| 1970 | National (Cinn) | .000 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1971 | National (Det) | | | | | (Did not play) | | | | | | | |
| 1976 | American (Phil) | 1.000 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## STEGMAN, David William — Outfielder

**Born: Inglewood, Cal. 1-30-54 (25) 5-11 190 B-R T-R. Single, Grad. Univ. of Arizona.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st sel. in June, 1976 draft (secondary).***

**1978 SEASON:** Called up Sept. 1 from Evansville where he was outstanding defensive centerfielder and Silver Glove Award winner for leading American Association outfielders with .990 percentage for 134 games. Doubled off Paul Lindblad in first major league at bat at Yankee Stadium, Sept. 4 (2). Belted first major league home run off Baltimore's Mike Flanagan, Sept. 30.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Moved from Montgomery to Evansville to Detroit in three professional seasons. Hefty .345 average at Montgomery in 1977 before promotion to Evansville. Showed power and speed at Evansville in 1978 with 14 homers and 17 stolen bases.

**MISCELLANY:** Majored in engineering and mathematics at the University of Arizona where he was All-America in his junior and senior years. He played on the Pan-American team in 1975, but his greatest thrill as an amateur was playing centerfield for the 1976 Arizona team which won the NCAA college world series.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Montgomery | .266 | 61 | 188 | 31 | 50 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 33 | 24 | 15 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | .345 | 67 | 226 | 55 | 78 | 19 | 5 | 11 | 59 | 62 | 33 | 16 |
| | Evansville | .222 | 50 | 153 | 25 | 34 | 12 | 0 | 6 | 18 | 26 | 46 | 4 |
| 1978 | Evansville | .264 | 135 | 462 | 95 | 122 | 30 | 1 | 14 | 67 | 87 | 85 | 17 |
| | Detroit | .286 | 8 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .286 | 8 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |

## TAYLOR, Bruce Bell — Pitcher

**Born: Holden, Mass. 4-16-53 (25) 6-0 180 B-R T-R. Single.**

***DRAFTED from Indianapolis (American Association), Dec. 8, 1975.***

**1978 SEASON:** Made one appearance with no decision for Detroit before option to Evansville April 17. Submarine delivery righthander led Evansville with 41 relief appearances.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Started 1976 with Tigers but was unable to shake arm injury suffered in spring training and was optioned to Evansville before he pitched in a game. Called up Aug. 4, 1977, Taylor won his only decision (at New York, Oct. 1) and saved two.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed originally by the Reds, sidearming righthander was drafted by Detroit after performing impressively for Indianapolis against Evansville in 1975, when he posted his best record in the minors — 8-1 with a 2.22 ERA. Showed steady improvement in each of his first three professional seasons, advancing from Class A to Class AAA, where he caught eye of Tiger personnel. Tied Dave Tobik with nine saves for Evansville lead in 1978.

**MISCELLANY:** Taylor's father, Francis, was an outfielder in the Washington Senators farm system in 1942. Bruce was signed by Cincinnati after prepping at Worcester (Mass.) Academy and has started only seven of his 309 professional games

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1973 | Tampa | 1.46 | 5-6 | 17 | 7 | 2 | 74 | 62 | 16 | 12 | 25 | 49 |
| | Three Rivers | 3.18 | 4-3 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 24 | 14 | 12 | 16 | 27 |
| 1974 | Three Rivers | 2.14 | 9-4 | 59 | 0 | 0 | 101 | 69 | 32 | 24 | 74 | 101 |
| | Indianapolis | 0.60 | 0-2 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 11 |
| 1975 | Indianapolis | 2.22 | 8-1 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 81 | 65 | 22 | 20 | 61 | 61 |
| 1976 | Evansville | 4.08 | 6-7 | 47 | 0 | 0 | 68 | 60 | 35 | 31 | 52 | 58 |
| 1977 | Evansville | 2.21 | 5-6 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 77 | 60 | 27 | 19 | 39 | 65 |
| | Detroit | 3.37 | 1-0 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 23 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 19 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 0.00 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Evansville | 4.57 | 4-7 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 55 | 42 | 33 | 41 | 53 |
| Major League Tot. | | 3.30 | 1-0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 23 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 19 |

## TOP 20 CROWDS AT TIGER STADIUM

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 58,369 | July 20, 1947 | New York (dh) |
| 2 | 57,888 | Sept. 26, 1948 | Cleveland |
| 3 | 57,271 | June 27, 1961 | Chicago (tn) |
| 4 | 57,235 | Aug. 18, 1946 | St. Louis (dh) |
| 5 | 57,149 | April 28, 1946 | Cleveland |
| 6 | 57,130 | May 19, 1946 | Boston (dh) |
| 7 | 56,787 | June 8, 1947 | Boston |
| 8 | 56,586 | Aug. 9, 1948 | Cleveland (n) |
| 9 | 56,548 | Sept. 16, 1950 | New York |
| 10 | 56,367 | May 30, 1947 | St. Louis (dh) |
| 11 | 56,038 | Sept. 8, 1946 | Chicago (dh) |
| 12 | 55,875 | May 31, 1948 | Chicago (dh) |
| 13 | 55,857 | June 5, 1949 | Boston (dh) |
| 14 | 55,787 | Sept. 22, 1940 | Cleveland |
| 15 | 55,628 | June 25, 1950 | New York (dh) |
| 16 | 55,537 | May 30, 1950 | Cleveland (dh) |
| 17 | 55,255 | Sept. 19, 1948 | Boston (dh) |
| 18 | 55,189 | Oct. 6, 1940 | Cincinnati (World Series) |
| 19 | 55,145 | July 7, 1950 | Cleveland (n) |
| 20 | 54,875 | July 8, 1945 | New York (dh) |



## THOMPSON, Jason Dolph — Infielder

**Born: Hollywood, Cal. 7-6-54 (24) 6-4 200 B-L T-L. Single. Att. Cal. State-Northridge.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 4th selection in June, 1975 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Matured as a hitter by adding 17 points to his average of previous season, for .287 mark. Led Tigers in home runs for second straight season with 26. Slowed by injury to right hand when hit by line drive in Chicago on Aug. 13 and fell four short of his second straight 100-RBI season. Strung together a 16-game hitting streak, July 17-31. Blasted second career grand slam vs. Boston, Sept. 19. Selected for All-Star Game second straight season.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called up April 21, 1976 from Evansville, Jason took over as the regular at first base, starting his major league career with a hit in 14 of his first 16 games. By the end of the year he had slumped to .218 but led the club with 17 HR and was named to the Topps ML Rookie All-Star team. Blossomed into a full-fledged slugger in 1977, leading Tigers with 31 home runs (first Tiger to top 30 since Norm Cash with 32 in 1971) and 105 RBI (first Tiger to reach 100 since Willie Horton's 100 in 1966). Appeared in 158 games to tie Rusty Staub for team lead. Hit first grand slam vs. Chicago, April 27. Belted two homers over the roof at Tiger Stadium (vs. New York, Aug. 18 and Sept. 17).

**CAREER/MINORS:** Broke in with a bang, hitting .324 in 75 games at Montgomery after signing in 1975, with 10 HR and 38 RBI in just 222 AB. Promoted to Evansville the next spring, he got off to such a good start (3 HR, 6 RBI in 4 G) that the Tigers called him up after a week in the American Association and less than a year in professional ranks.

**MISCELLANY:** Primarily a pitcher at Apple Valley (Calif.) High School and was drafted but unsigned by Dodgers. Also played basketball and ran cross-country at Apple Valley. Installed at first base at Cal State-Northridge but generally overlooked by scouts and taken by Tigers in fourth round of June, 1976 draft. Tore up 1976 Florida Instructional League by topping circuit in home runs, RBI, total bases and slugging. Calls selection for All-Star team his greatest baseball thrill.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1975 | Montgomery | .324 | 75 | 222 | 42 | 72 | 12 | 1 | 10 | 38 | 38 | 22 | 2 |
| 1976 | Evansville | .313 | 4 | 16 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| | Detroit | .218 | 123 | 412 | 45 | 90 | 12 | 1 | 17 | 54 | 68 | 72 | 2 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .270 | 158 | 585 | 87 | 158 | 24 | 5 | 31 | 105 | 73 | 91 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .287 | 153 | 589 | 79 | 169 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 96 | 74 | 96 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .263 | 434 | 1586 | 211 | 417 | 61 | 9 | 74 | 255 | 215 | 259 | 2 |

**ALL-STAR GAME RECORD**

| Year | League-Site | Ave. | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1977 | American (N.Y.-AL) | | | | (Did not play) | | | | | | | |
| 1978 | American (San Diego) | .000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## TOBIK, David Vance — Pitcher

**Nickname: Tobe. Born: Cleveland, Ohio 3-2-53 (26) 6-1 190 B-R T-R. Single. Grad: Ohio University.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st selection in Jan., 1975 draft (secondary).***

**1978 SEASON:** Impressive in relief for Tigers after Aug. 16 purchase. No decisions and 3.75 ERA in five appearances. Struck out 11 in 12 innings, including six in his last five innings against Boston. Posted 5-4 record with nine saves in 33 relief appearances at Evansville.

**CAREER/MINORS:** After spending 2½ pro seasons at Lakeland and Montgomery, pitched 1½ years at Evansville where he compiled combined 9-5 record in 46 relief appearances.

**MISCELLANY:** Graduate of Ohio University with a bachelor's degree in Business Administration. Spends off-seasons as insurance agent.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1975 | Lakeland | 2.50 | 1-4 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 36 | 29 | 14 | 10 | 19 | 22 |
| | Montgomery | 4.36 | 6-9 | 27 | 20 | 3 | 99 | 107 | 57 | 48 | 44 | 62 |
| 1976 | Montgomery | 3.71 | 4-5 | 18 | 8 | 0 | 63 | 56 | 33 | 26 | 32 | 44 |
| | Lakeland | 1.07 | 3-1 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 42 | 28 | 11 | 5 | 15 | 29 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | 2.63 | 4-4 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 48 | 31 | 17 | 14 | 17 | 42 |
| | Evansville | 3.26 | 4-1 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 19 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 17 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 3.42 | 5-4 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 79 | 71 | 43 | 30 | 26 | 70 |
| | Detroit | 3.75 | 0-0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 11 |
| Major League Tot. | | 3.75 | 0-0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 11 |

## TIGERS BIG HIT IN JAPAN IN 1962

The Tigers were the 12th major league team (including five all-star aggregations) to visit Japan when they made an exhibition excursion to the Orient following the 1962 season. They won 12 games, lost four and tied two before a total of 407,500 fans. Bubba Morton was the hitting leader of the tour at .347, followed by Al Kaline .343, Norm Cash .342 and Billy Bruton .333. On the mound, Phil Regan and Paul Foytack each won twice.

## TRAMMELL, Alan Stuart — Infielder

**Born: Garden Grove, Cal. 2-21-58 (21) 6-0 160 B-R T-R. Married: Barbara Leverett 2-21-78.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 2nd selection in June, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** One of the finest-looking young shortstops to debut in the American League in awhile. With Second Baseman Lou Whitaker, primarily responsible for the Tigers leading the major leagues with 177 double plays. Committed just 14 errors in 139 games at shortstop. Collected five hits in game at Texas, July 7, and finished with respectable .268 average. Named to Baseball Bulletin's American League Rookie All-Star Team.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called to Detroit after Southern League playoffs in 1977 and hit .186 in 19 games.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Alan split his first professional season, 1976, between Bristol, where he hit .271 in 41 games and was named to the Appalachian League All-Star team, and Montgomery, where he hit .179 during the Rebels' drive to the championship. Capped banner 1977 season at Montgomery by being named Southern League MVP after hitting .291 with 50 RBI for Rebels, on way to second straight pennant. Set league record with 19 triples.

**MISCELLANY:** Was an all-C.I.F. basketball player as well as diamond star at Kearny High School in San Diego before signing. Married high school sweetheart on birthday just prior to 1978 spring training.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Bristol | .271 | 41 | 140 | 27 | 38 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 26 | 20 | 8 |
| | Montgomery | .179 | 21 | 56 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 12 | 3 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | .291 | 134 | 454 | 78 | 132 | 9 | 19† | 3 | 50 | 56 | 92 | 4 |
| | Detroit | .186 | 19 | 43 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 12 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .268 | 139 | 448 | 49 | 120 | 14 | 6 | 2 | 34 | 45 | 56 | 3 |
| Major League Tot. | | .261 | 158 | 491 | 55 | 128 | 14 | 6 | 2 | 34 | 49 | 68 | 3 |

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## TREUEL, Ralph Martin — Pitcher

**Born: Elyria, Ohio 6-7-55 (23) 6-3 190 B-R T-R. Single. Att. Lorain County CC.**

***SIGNED by Tigers Sept. 12, 1973.***

**1978 SEASON:** Split season between Montgomery and Evansville for a combined 14-9 record. Four of 12 victories at Montgomery were shutouts.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed as undrafted free agent in 1973 and finally started to blossom in fourth professional season with 10-6 mark at Lakeland in 1977.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1974 | Lakeland | 4.50 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | Bristol | 4.76 | 3-2 | 9 | 6 | 1 | 34 | 33 | 22 | 18 | 13 | 25 |
| | Clinton | 1.93 | 1-1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 14 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 13 |
| 1975 | Lakeland | 3.21 | 9-9 | 26 | 24 | 9 | 160 | 143 | 68 | 57 | 67 | 87 |
| 1976 | Montgomery | 6.75 | 1-1 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 16 | 10 | 17 | 12 | 17 | 9 |
| | Lakeland | 8.47 | 0-1 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 13 | 17 | 16 | 28 | 16 |
| 1977 | Lakeland | 2.77 | 10-6 | 26 | 26 | 3 | 146 | 133 | 59 | 45 | 84 | 75 |
| 1978 | Montgomery | 3.18 | 12-6 | 21 | 21 | 9 | 147 | 128 | 64 | 52 | 53 | 73 |
| | Evansville | 5.85 | 2-3 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 32 | 46 | 23 | 21 | 10 | 6 |

## UNDERWOOD, Patrick John — Pitcher

**Nickname: Pat. Born: Kokomo, Ind. 2-9-57 (22) 6-0 175 B-L T-L. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 1st selection in June, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Started 18 of his 20 appearances for Evansville, splitting 10 decisions.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Owns 23-14 lifetime mark for three professional seasons. His lone losing record came in second half of 1977 at Evansville.

**MISCELLANY:** Assortment of pitches led Pat to be the nation's second pick in June, 1976 free agent draft. Brother of Toronto pitcher Tom Underwood. Pitched in Florida Instructional League in 1976-77-78.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Lakeland | 2.22 | 6-2 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 77 | 63 | 26 | 19 | 32 | 45 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | 3.38 | 9-2 | 14 | 14 | 6 | 104 | 82 | 46 | 39 | 37 | 64 |
| | Evansville | 5.26 | 3-5 | 16 | 9 | 0 | 50 | 57 | 39 | 29 | 22 | 37 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 4.17 | 5-5 | 20 | 18 | 2 | 104 | 116 | 57 | 48 | 31 | 73 |

### TIGER BACK-TO-BACK HOMERS, 1978

| Date | Opp | Batters | Pitcher |
|---|---|---|---|
| May 14 | — vs Oak | Staub-Thompson | Heaverlo |
| June 12 | — vs Mil | Staub-Thompson | Rodriguez |



## WAGNER, Mark Duane — Infielder

**Born: Conneaut, Ohio 3-4-54 (25) 6-1 175 B-R T-R. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 19th selection in June, 1972 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Solid backup at shortstop or second base. Singled in his only pinch hitting appearance.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Received first chance with Tigers in 1976, called up from Evansville August 19 to replace injured Tom Veryzer. Hit safely in first seven games following promotion. Opened 1977 with Tigers, but optioned to Evansville May 31 to hit .306 there in 64 games.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Highly-regarded shortstop prospect from start, winning honors at Clinton in 1973. Complicated leg fracture followed good start at Lakeland in 1974, missing all but 23 games, but full recovery became apparent when Mark capped second successful season at Clinton by winning Midwest League 1975 all-star award. At Evansville in 1977, he hit .306 in 64 games after return from Detroit but tendonitis in right ankle finished his season early.

**MISCELLANY:** Played baseball, football and basketball at Ashtabula (Ohio) Harbor High School and spurned career at Ashland College to sign with Tigers. Mark's grandfather, Joe Scott, an Ohio sandlotter of note, was invited by Ty Cobb to spring training tryout with Tigers but reported late and missed chance. In addition to his baseball injuries, Wagner nearly lost little finger on throwing hand in machine shop accident during high school days. Likes golf and racquetball for recreation. Played for Bayamon, Puerto Rico in 1978-79 winter league.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1972 | Bristol | .204 | 56 | 196 | 35 | 40 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 23 | 40 | 10 |
| 1973 | Clinton | .277 | 122 | 451 | 51 | 125 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 48 | 41 | 78 | 2 |
| 1974 | Lakeland | .273 | 23 | 77 | 12 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 17 | 13 | 2 |
| 1975 | Clinton | .255 | 113 | 436 | 52 | 111 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 50 | 40 | 53 | 10 |
| 1976 | Evansville | .260 | 107 | 304 | 32 | 79 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 22 | 60 | 60 | 8 |
| | Detroit | .261 | 39 | 115 | 9 | 30 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 6 | 18 | 0 |
| 1977 | Evansville | .306 | 64 | 222 | 33 | 68 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 27 | 25 | 37 | 3 |
| | Detroit | .146 | 22 | 48 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 12 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .239 | 39 | 109 | 10 | 26 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 11 | 1 |
| Major League Tot. | | .232 | 100 | 272 | 23 | 63 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 21 | 13 | 41 | 1 |

## WEAVER, Roger Edward — Pitcher

**Born: Amsterdam, N.Y. 10-6-54 (24) 6-3 190 B-R T-R. Single. Grad. Oneonta (N.Y.) State Univ.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 16th selection in June, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Right elbow injury sidelined big reliever most of year, but he won his lone decision in seven appearances at Montgomery.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Began as a starter, but good slider has made him reliable reliever as shown in 17-7 lifetime mark. Led Florida State League with 52 appearances for Lakeland in 1977.

**MISCELLANY:** Oneonta (N.Y.) State graduate with degree in American history. Played first base and outfield on sandlots before switch to pitcher because he was told he lacked running speed.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Bristol | 1.43† | 6-2 | 13 | 11 | 4 | 82 | 53 | 22 | 12 | 21 | 67 |
| 1977 | Lakeland | 1.58 | 10-5 | 52† | 0 | 0 | 97 | 65 | 20 | 17 | 43 | 84 |
| 1978 | Montgomery | 1.50 | 1-0 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

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### LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

**Steal of Home** — By Tiger: Al Kaline at Boston April 19, 1973 (Veale pitching). By opp.: Doug Collins at California Aug. 30, 1976 (Crawford pitching).

**Inside Park Home Run** — By Tiger: Lou Whitaker at Chicago Aug. 13, 1978 (Torrealba pitching). By opp.: Tom Poquette, Kansas City, June 15, 1976 (Grilli pitching).

**Home Run Over Roof** — By Tiger: Jason Thompson vs. New York Sept. 17, 1977 (Tidrow pitching). By opp.: Boog Powell, Baltimore, July 6, 1969 (McLain pitching).

**Hitting for Cycle** — By Tiger: Hoot Evers vs. Cleveland Sept. 7, 1950. By opp.: Mike Hegan, Milwaukee, Sept. 3, 1976.

**Grand Slam Home Run** — By Tiger: Jason Thompson vs. Boston Sept. 19, 1978 (Tiant pitching). By opp.: Rico Carty at Toronto July 31, 1978 (Billingham pitching).

**Back-to-Back Homers** — By Tigers: Staub/Thompson vs. Milwaukee June 12, 1978 (Rodriguez pitching, 8th inn.) By opp.: Murray/Singleton, Baltimore, July 27, 1978 (Slaton pitching, 1st inn.).

**Three Cons. Home Runs** — By Tigers: Kaline/Freehan/Stanley at Cleveland July 29, 1974 (Peterson pitching, 1st inn.) By opp.: F. Robinson/Powell/B. Robinson, Baltimore, Sept. 4, 1969 (Wilson pitching, 9th inn.).

**No-Hitter** — By Tiger: Jim Bunning at Boston July 20, 1958. By opp.: Nolan Ryan, California, July 15, 1973.

**Triple Play** — By Tigers: Wert to Ike Brown to Freehan at Washington, July 15, 1969 (Brinkman batter). By opp.: B. Robinson to Grich to Crowley, Baltimore, Sept. 20, 1973 (Howard batter).

## WHITAKER, Louis Rodman — Infielder

**Nickname: Sweet Lou. Born: New York, N.Y. 5-12-57 (21) 5-11 160 B-L T-R. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 5th selection in June, 1975 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** One of baseball's most exciting new players, "Sweet Lou" capped an outstanding first season by winning American League Rookie of the Year Award by a landslide margin. Only Tiger beside Harvey Kuenn (1953) and Mark Fidrych (1976) to earn that honor. Also named Tiger Rookie of the Year by Detroit Sports Broadcasters. "Sweet Lou" swept four additional honors from Baseball Bulletin — AL Rookie of Year, AL Rookie All-Star Team, AL All-Star Team and Tiger Most Valuable Player. Flashy at plate and in the field, committed just 17 errors in 139 games. Cracked inside-the-park home run at Chicago, Aug. 13. Had 12-game hitting streak, April 29-May 24 (1), and led Tigers in triples (seven) and sacrifice bunts (13).

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Called to Tigers in September, 1977, after helping Montgomery to a second straight Southern League championship. In first Tiger start, collected three hits, including a double. In 11 games, batted .250 and fielded flawlessly.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Prize infield prospect signed in 1975, broke in at Bristol that season; came into his own at Lakeland following year. Was MVP of 1976 Florida State League with .297 average and 48 stolen bases. That brought move from third to second and non-roster trial with Tigers in 1977 spring training. Hit .280 and stole 38 bases for Montgomery before September call to Detroit.

**MISCELLANY:** Brooklyn-born, Whitaker was raised in Martinsville, Va., where he played high school baseball and basketball. Spent two winters in Florida Instructional League. Was tagged with nickname of "Sweet Lou" by Tigertown teammates.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1975 | Bristol | .237 | 42 | 114 | 17 | 27 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 25 | 13 | 1 |
| 1976 | Lakeland | .297 | 124 | 434 | 70 | 129 | 12 | 5 | 1 | 62 | 55 | 51 | 48 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | .280 | 107 | 396 | 81 | 111 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 48 | 58 | 52 | 38 |
| | Detroit | .250 | 11 | 32 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 2 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .285 | 139 | 484 | 71 | 138 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 58 | 61 | 65 | 7 |
| Major League Tot. | | .283 | 150 | 516 | 76 | 146 | 13 | 7 | 3 | 60 | 65 | 71 | 9 |

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## TIGERS ON THE AIR

The Tigers' games are aired by two broadcasting teams — selected games on television by George Kell and Al Kaline; all games on radio by Ernie Harwell and Paul Carey.

Originating station for the television network is Station WDIV (channel 4), formerly called Station WWJ-TV. It has been the Tiger flagship since 1975 but actually was a pioneer in the field, carrying some Tiger games back in 1947. On radio, Station WJR (760) has been the originating station since 1965 and currently feeds a network of nearly 50 stations.

Kell was an American League infield star 14 years with the Tigers and four other teams and was 1949 batting champion before entering broadcasting to become one of the top play-by-play experts on the air. He broke in with a pre-game network show in 1958, moved into the Tiger booth in 1959 and has been there ever since, except 1964.

Kaline, all-time Tiger great, began his broadcasting career in 1976 for a limited number of games in the second year of his retirement; became a full-time telecaster in 1977.

Kell does complete play-by-play description and Kaline supplies expert analysis.

Harwell's broadcast background goes back to 1940 and he has been on the major league scene since 1948; describing the action for the Brooklyn Dodgers, New York Giants and Baltimore Orioles before coming to the Tigers in 1960.

Carey, new on the air for the Tigers in 1973, has been assistant sports director of Station WJR since 1958 but his air experience dates back to 1949.

## JOHN HILLER CAREER RELIEF RECORD

| Year | ERA | App | W-L | Sv | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1965 | 0.00 | 5 | 0-0 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| 1966 | 9.00 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 1967 | 3.13 | 17 | 1-1 | 3 | 23 | 24 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 21 |
| 1968 | 2.34 | 27 | 4-2 | 2 | 50 | 29 | 13 | 13 | 23 | 33 |
| 1969 | 3.50 | 32 | 3-1 | 4 | 54 | 45 | 24 | 21 | 22 | 39 |
| 1970 | 2.79 | 42 | 5-3 | 3 | 71 | 50 | 26 | 22 | 36 | 58 |
| 1971 | (On voluntary retired list January, 1971 — July, 1972) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1972 | 2.22 | 21 | 0-0 | 3 | 28 | 27 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 21 |
| 1973 | 1.44 | 65 | 10-5 | 38 | 125 | 89 | 21 | 20 | 39 | 124 |
| 1974 | 2.64 | 59 | 17-14 | 13 | 150 | 127 | 51 | 44 | 62 | 134 |
| 1975 | 2.17 | 36 | 2-3 | 14 | 71 | 52 | 20 | 17 | 36 | 87 |
| 1976 | 2.57 | 55 | 11-8 | 13 | 112 | 89 | 37 | 32 | 66 | 110 |
| 1977 | 3.41 | 37 | 5-9 | 7 | 69 | 69 | 36 | 26 | 37 | 62 |
| 1978 | 2.34 | 51 | 9-4 | 15 | 92 | 64 | 27 | 24 | 35 | 74 |
| Career | 2.49 | 448 | 67-50 | 116 | 853 | 672 | 273 | 236 | 370 | 768 |



## WILCOX, Milton Edward — Pitcher

**Nickname: Milt. Born: Honolulu, Hawaii 4-20-50 (28) 6-2 185 B-R T-R. Married: Lujuanda Faye Erwin 9-14-68. Children: Stacy Rhea 7-31-70; Brian Edward 5-18-76.**

***PURCHASED from Wichita (Chicago Cubs), June 10, 1976.***

**1978 SEASON:** Veteran righthander enjoyed his most successful big league season with a career-high 13 victories and led Tigers with 16 complete games and 132 strikeouts. Won eight of nine decisions, including six straight, July 3-Aug. 29, after losing five straight. Recorded shutouts at Oakland May 7 and vs. Milwaukee May 31.

**CAREER/MAJORS:** Signed by Reds 1968, pitched briefly for them before trade to Indians in December, 1971. Won first five without loss for Tribe in 1972 but injured arm, tried to come back too soon and lost 10 straight. On military and injury list much of 1973-74, then traded to Cubs in February, 1975, but soon dispatched to Wichita farm club, where Tigers purchased him for their Evansville club in June, 1976. Called up in late June, 1977.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Enjoyed banner season at Indianapolis in 1970, his third year in minors, with 12 victories, seven-inning no-hitter and five shutouts (leading American Association). Almost gave up baseball while at Wichita 1976 but arm grew stronger after sale to Evansville, resulting in non-roster trial with Tigers in 1977 spring training and call-up in June.

**MISCELLANY:** Milt calls his fastball a "yackadoo"; also uses sinker and slip pitch. He says off-season bowling strengthened his arm when he was fighting tendonitis following resection at Cleveland. He also likes added weight (20 pounds). Although born in Honolulu, Wilcox played his high school baseball at Crooked Oak (Okla.), near Oklahoma City. In his long struggle with arm trouble, Milt spent six winters pitching in Latin America.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1968 | Sarasota Reds | 1.09 | 3-2 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 33 | 24 | 10 | 4 | 11 | 33 |
| | Tampa | 1.34 | 3-3 | 8 | 8 | 4 | 47 | 28 | 11 | 7 | 18 | 48 |
| 1969 | Tampa | 5.48 | 4-1 | 15 | 6 | 2 | 46 | 53 | 30 | 28 | 29 | 38 |
| 1970 | Indianapolis | 2.84 | 12-10 | 28 | 26 | 7 | 168 | 144 | 58 | 53 | 53 | 110 |
| | Cincinnati | 2.45 | 3-1 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 22 | 19 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 13 |
| 1971 | Cincinnati | 3.35 | 2-2 | 18 | 3 | 0 | 43 | 43 | 22 | 16 | 17 | 21 |
| | Indianapolis* | 2.20 | 8-5 | 16 | 15 | 4 | 102 | 84 | 29 | 25 | 22 | 62 |
| 1972 | Cleveland | 3.40 | 7-14 | 32 | 27 | 4 | 156 | 145 | 67 | 59 | 72 | 90 |
| 1973 | Cleveland | 5.84 | 8-10 | 26 | 19 | 4 | 134 | 143 | 90 | 87 | 68 | 82 |
| 1974 | Cleveland** | 4.69 | 2-2 | 41 | 2 | 1 | 71 | 74 | 42 | 37 | 24 | 33 |
| 1975 | Wichita | 4.31 | 4-3 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 48 | 56 | 31 | 23 | 15 | 18 |
| | Chicago (N) | 5.68 | 0-1 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 38 | 50 | 27 | 24 | 17 | 21 |
| 1976 | Wichita*** | 5.40 | 0-2 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 27 | 33 | 22 | 16 | 18 | 17 |
| | Evansville | 3.41 | 6-5 | 18 | 14 | 3 | 103 | 108 | 50 | 39 | 45 | 77 |
| 1977 | Evansville | 2.44 | 9-4 | 14 | 14 | 6 | 107 | 89 | 38 | 29 | 40 | 69 |
| | Detroit | 3.64 | 6-2 | 20 | 13 | 1 | 106 | 96 | 46 | 43 | 37 | 82 |
| 1978 | Detroit | 3.76 | 13-12 | 29 | 27 | 16 | 215 | 208 | 94 | 90 | 68 | 132 |
| Major League Tot. | | 4.15 | 41-44 | 196 | 93 | 27 | 785 | 778 | 394 | 362 | 310 | 474 |

*Traded to Cleveland for Outfielder Ted Uhlaender, Dec. 6, 1971.
**Traded to Chicago Cubs for Pitcher Dave LaRoche and Outfielder Brock Davis, Feb. 28, 1975.
***Purchased by Evansville from Wichita (Chicago Cubs), June 10, 1976.

**WORLD SERIES RECORD**

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1970 | Cincinnati | 9.00 | 0-1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 |

## CHANGE IN SUSPENDED GAME RULE

A 1979 change in the playing rules of baseball creates suspended games in some infrequently-encountered scoring situations. Revised Rule 4.11(d), the new regulation says:

A called game ends at the moment the umpire terminates play. EXCEPTION: If the game is called while an inning is in progress and before it is completed, the game becomes a suspended game in each of the following situations: (1) The visiting team has scored one or more runs to tie the score and the home team has not scored; (2) The visiting team has scored one or more runs to take the lead and the home team has not tied the score or retaken the lead.

## WON, LOST AND SAVED IN RELIEF, 1978

| | W-L | Sv | Pts* | | W-L | Sv | Pts* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baker | 1-1 | 0 | 1 | Slaton | 0-1 | 0 | 0 |
| Crawford | 2-3 | 0 | 1 | Sykes | 3-1 | 2 | 9 |
| Foucault | 2-4 | 4 | 8 | Wilcox | 0-1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hiller | 9-4 | 15 | 44 | Young | 0-1 | 0 | 0 |
| Morris | 3-4 | 0 | 2 | | | | |
| | | | | TOTALS | 20-20 | 21 | 62 |

*Rolaids Relief Man points — 2 for each win or save, minus 1 for each loss

## WOCKENFUSS, Johnny Bilton — Catcher

**Nickname: Fuss. Born: Welch, W. Va. 2-27-49 (30) 6-0 190 B-R T-R. Married: Pamela Jo Lennon 1-9-71. Children: John Bradley 7-20-73; Jeremy James 12-29-75.**

***OBTAINED in minor league trade with Cardinals, Dec. 2, 1973.***

**1978 SEASON:** Confined field action to outfield despite background as catcher, enjoying career-high 73 hits and .283 average, also career high. Had four three-hit games and was deadly pinch hitter with .353 average (6-for-17).

**CAREER/MAJORS:** After 7½ seasons in minors, got first major league call from Tigers in August, 1974 to replace injured Jerry Moses. Called up again in June, 1975 when Bill Freehan and Terry Humphrey both were injured; caught both games of doubleheader vs. California upon reporting and responded with single, double and home run. Finished season as Tiger backup catcher, filled same role next two seasons, with best success 1977 following winter campaign at Caguas, Puerto Rico, where he drastically altered his batting stance to closed position. Started to play outfield in 1977 and set personal career highs in runs, doubles, home runs and RBI. Twice socked two homers in one game.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Signed by Washington Senators 1967 as an outfielder, was converted to catcher at Pittsfield 1972, his sixth season in Texas farm system. Traded in June, 1973, minor league deal (Spokane to Tulsa) to Cardinal organization, which sent him to Tigers' Evansville club in December, 1973.

**MISCELLANY:** Wockenfuss was four-sport star at Wilmington (Del.) Dickinson High School; rejected college football and track scholarship offers in favor of baseball. Reports his ancestry is three-quarters German and one-quarter Indian.

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1967 | Geneva | .143 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1968 | Geneva | .197 | 39 | 132 | 13 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 17 | 10 | 26 | 4 |
| 1969 | Burlington | .168 | 62 | 197 | 23 | 33 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 15 | 21 | 28 | 0 |
| | Shelby | .325 | 39 | 157 | 26 | 51 | 12 | 0 | 7 | 29 | 13 | 6 | 0 |
| 1970 | Pittsfield | .247 | 123 | 429 | 65 | 106 | 11 | 6 | 15 | 47 | 63 | 69 | 3 |
| 1971 | Pittsfield | .233 | 103 | 331 | 37 | 77 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 41 | 39 | 45 | 1 |
| 1972 | Pittsfield | .288 | 125 | 410 | 57 | 118 | 20 | 2 | 9 | 60 | 64 | 44 | 3 |
| 1973 | Spokane | .204 | 20 | 54 | 6 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 0 |
| | Tulsa | .266 | 60 | 184 | 22 | 49 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 22 | 25 | 21 | 2 |
| 1974 | Evansville | .275 | 84 | 233 | 40 | 64 | 11 | 2 | 10 | 43 | 44 | 31 | 0 |
| | Detroit | .138 | 13 | 29 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| 1975 | Evansville | .289 | 43 | 142 | 20 | 41 | 11 | 0 | 6 | 28 | 28 | 17 | 0 |
| | Detroit | .229 | 35 | 118 | 15 | 27 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 13 | 10 | 15 | 0 |
| 1976 | Detroit | .222 | 60 | 144 | 18 | 32 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 17 | 14 | 0 |
| 1977 | Detroit | .274 | 53 | 164 | 26 | 45 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 25 | 14 | 18 | 0 |
| 1978 | Detroit | .283 | 71 | 187 | 23 | 53 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 22 | 21 | 14 | 0 |
| Major League Tot. | | .251 | 232 | 642 | 83 | 161 | 27 | 6 | 23 | 72 | 65 | 63 | 0 |

## YOUNG, Kip Lane — Pitcher

**Born: Georgetown, Ohio 10-29-54 (24) 5-11 175 B-R T-R. Married: Debbie Lynn Roberts 6-17-77. Grad: Bowling Green State Univ.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 23rd selection in June, 1976 draft.***

**1978 SEASON:** Most pleasant rookie pitching surprise after purchase from Evansville on July 20. After losing major league debut in a two-inning relief stint against California July 21, made 13 consecutive starts, winning first four — all complete games. Only once lasted less than 7.1 innings.

**CAREER/MINORS:** Composure and pinpoint control have made Young a winner since turning pro in 1976. Before promotion to Detroit on July 20, enjoyed finest season at Evansville with 11-3 record and 3.02 ERA.

**MISCELLANY:** Graduate of Bowling Green State University where he played varsity baseball. A substitute teacher in Winchester, Ohio, during the off-season.

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1976 | Lakeland | 2.78 | 4-2 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 55 | 44 | 21 | 17 | 18 | 30 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | 3.20 | 5-2 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 45 | 42 | 19 | 16 | 26 | 44 |
| | Evansville | 4.03 | 4-4 | 21 | 6 | 1 | 58 | 58 | 32 | 26 | 19 | 57 |
| 1978 | Evansville | 3.02 | 11-3 | 20 | 20 | 9 | 140 | 128 | 52 | 47 | 41 | 88 |
| | Detroit | 2.81 | 6-7 | 14 | 13 | 7 | 106 | 94 | 34 | 33 | 30 | 49 |
| Major League Tot. | | 2.81 | 6-7 | 14 | 13 | 7 | 106 | 94 | 34 | 33 | 30 | 49 |

### NIGHT GAME: DEFINITION

Any game scheduled to start after 6:00 p.m. will be considered a night game. If a game is scheduled to start at 6:00 p.m. and is delayed by rain, or for any other reason, it will be considered a day game. If a game is scheduled to start at 6:01 p.m., it will be considered a night game.

Twi-night doubleheaders shall be included in doubleheader statistics and shall also be considered two night games.

When afternoon and night games are played on the same date (separate admissions), the games shall be day and night and count as single games.



# NON-ROSTER PLAYERS

## BLAIR, Theodore Hubert Jr. — Pitcher

**Nickname: Ted. Born: Detroit, Mich. 6-19-55 (23) 5-10 170 B-L T-L. Single. Att. Macomb County CC.**

***SIGNED by Tigers in September, 1976.***

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1977 | Lakeland | 2.44 | 7-4 | 29 | 11 | 1 | 96 | 67 | 29 | 26 | 46 | 60 |
| 1978 | (Missed season; knee surgery) | | | | | | | | | | | |

## BRAZELL, Ted William — Catcher

**Born: St. Louis, Mo. 1-30-52 (27) 5-11 185 B-R T-R. Married. Att: Meramec CC.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 15th selection in June, 1970 draft.***

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1970 | Bristol | .268 | 45 | 157 | 17 | 42 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 20 | 16 | 24 | 6 |
| 1971 | Lakeland | .268 | 134 | 466 | 51 | 125 | 21 | 10 | 4 | 51 | 42 | 67 | 2 |
| 1972 | Rocky Mount | .271 | 118 | 347 | 48 | 94 | 19 | 1 | 6 | 48 | 35 | 55 | 2 |
| 1973 | Clinton | .255 | 110 | 372 | 48 | 95 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 57 | 59 | 57 | 2 |
| 1974 | Montgomery | .236 | 45 | 123 | 16 | 29 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 10 | 23 | 0 |
| 1975 | Montgomery | .278 | 92 | 288 | 29 | 80 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 31 | 37 | 47 | 1 |
| 1976 | Montgomery | .216 | 66 | 185 | 13 | 40 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 27 | 19 | 3 |
| 1977 | Montgomery | .264 | 29 | 87 | 15 | 23 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 10 | 11 | 0 |
| | Lakeland | .317 | 52 | 161 | 18 | 51 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 19 | 15 | 17 | 0 |
| 1978 | Montgomery | .222 | 19 | 45 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 0 |

## RUCKER, David Michael — Pitcher

**Nickname: Dave. Born: San Bernardino, Cal. 9-1-57 (21) 6-1 180 B-L T-L. Single. Att: LaVerne (Cal.) College.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 16th selection in June, 1978 draft.***

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1978 | Bristol | 5.14 | 1-0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 7 |
| | Lakeland | 3.16 | 6-3 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 26 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 18 |

## STEFFEN, David Michael — Pitcher

**Nickname: Dave. Born: Dearborn, Mich. 12-17-58 (20) 6-3 220 B-R T-R. Single.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 6th selection in June, 1977 draft.***

| Year | Club | ERA | W-L | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1977 | Bristol | 3.49 | 6-2 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 49 | 38 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 19 |
| 1978 | Lakeland | 3.25 | 9-4 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 62 | 35 | 14 | 6 | 28 | 35 |
| | Montgomery | 4.00 | 0-0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 24 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 10 |

## UPSHAW, John Charles — Catcher

**Born: Yuma, Ariz. 10-9-56 (22) 6-1 190 B-R T-R. Single. Att. Pima (Ariz.) College, Emporia (Kan.) State Univ.**

***SIGNED by Tigers as 9th selection in June, 1977 draft.***

| Year | Club | Ave. | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1977 | Montgomery | .138 | 25 | 65 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 23 | 0 |
| 1978 | Lakeland | .232 | 121 | 345 | 36 | 80 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 38 | 32 | 61 | 3 |

### TIGERS BY MONTHS

| | 1978 | 1977 | 1976 | 1975 | 1974 | 1973 | 1972 | 1971 | 1970 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| April | 13-5 | 8-12 | 7-6 | 10-6 | 9-10 | 10-10 | 7-4 | 10-10 | 12-6 |
| May | 13-15 | 10-15 | 10-17 | 9-15 | 13-14 | 15-11 | 14-12 | 16-12 | 9-17 |
| June | 10-18 | 16-11 | 17-12 | 8-24 | 16-12 | 12-17 | 15-12 | 16-12 | 17-10 |
| July | 19-11 | 12-17 | 14-16 | 19-14 | 11-17 | 19-10 | 19-12 | 13-15 | 19-12 |
| Aug | 18-10 | 17-12 | 13-18 | 6-22 | 13-17 | 15-16 | 12-18 | 17-12 | 12-18 |
| Sep-Oct | 13-17 | 11-21 | 13-18 | 5-21 | 10-20 | 14-13 | 19-12 | 19-10 | 10-20 |
| | 86-76 | 74-88 | 74-87 | 57-102 | 72-90 | 85-77 | 86-70 | 91-71 | 79-83 |

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Aber, Al, p, 1953-57
Adams, Bob, c, 1977
Aguirre, Hank, p, 1958-67
Ainsmith, Eddie, c, 1919-21
Akers, Bill, if, 1929-31
Alexander, Dale, if-of, 1929-32
Alten, Ernie, p, 1920
Alusik, George, of, 1958, 1961-62
Alvarado, Louis, if, 1977
Alvarez, Ossie, if, 1959
Amoros, Sandy, of, 1960
Anderson, Bob, p, 1963
Archer, Jimmy, c-if, 1907
Archie, George, if, 1938
Arndt, Harry, if-of, 1902
Arroyo, Fernando, p, 1975, 1977-78
Auker, Eldon, p, 1933-38
Averill, Earl, of, 1939-40
Ayers, Doc, p, 1919-21

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Bailey, Bill, p, 1918
Baker, Del, c, 1914-16
Baker, Steve, p, 1978-
Baldwin, Billy, of, 1975
Bare, Ray, p, 1975-77
Barfoot, Clyde, p, 1926
Barnes, Frank, p, 1929
Barnes, Sam, if, 1921
Barrett, Jimmy, of, 1901-05
Bartell, Dick, if, 1940-41
Bashang, Al, of, 1912
Bassler, Johnny, C, 1921-27
Batts, Matt, c, 1952-54
Baumann, Paddy, if-of, 1911-14
Baumgartner, Harry, p, 1920
Baumgartner, John, if, 1953
Bearden, Gene, p, 1951
Beck, Erve, if-of, 1902
Beck, Walter, p, 1944
Beckendorf, Heinie, c, 1909-10
Belardi, Wayne, if-of, 1954-56
Bell, Beau, of, 1939
Benton, Al, p, 1938-42, 1945-48
Berberet, Lou, c, 1959-60
Bero, Johnny, if, 1948
Berry, Neil, if, 1948-52
Bertoia, Reno, if-of, 1953-58, 1961-62
Beville, Monte, c-if, 1904
Bilko, Steve, if, 1960
Billingham, Jack, p, 1978-
Billings, Haskell, p, 1927-29
Birrer, Babe, p, 1955
Black, Bud, p, 1952, 1955-56
Blessitt, Ike, of, 1972
Bloodworth, Jimmy, if, 1942-43, 1946
Blue, Lu, if-of, 1921-27
Boehler, George, p, 1912-16
Bogart, John, p, 1920
Boland, Bernie, p, 1915-20
Bolling, Frank, if, 1954-60
Bolling, Milt, if, 1958
Bolton, Clif, c, 1937
Boone, Danny, p, 1921
Boone, Ray, if, 1953-58
Borom, Red, if, 1944-45
Boros, Steve, if, 1957-58, 1961-62
Borowy, Hank, p, 1950-51
Boswell, Dave, p, 1971
Brady, Jim, p, 1956
Branca, Ralph, p, 1953-54
Brideweser, Jim, if, 1956
Bridges, Rocky, if, 1959-60
Bridges, Tommy, p, 1930-43, 1945-46
Brinkman, Ed, if, 1971-74
Brookens, Ike, p, 1975
Brower, Lou, if, 1931
Brown, Dick, c, 1961-62
Brown, Gates, of-if, 1963-75
Brown, Ike, if-of, 1969-74
Browning, Frank, p, 1910
Bruce, Bob, p, 1959-61
Bruckmiller, Andy, p, 1905
Brunsberg, Arlo, c, 1966
Bruton, Billy, of, 1961-64
Bucha, Johnny, c, 1953
Buddin, Don, if, 1962
Buelow, Fritz, c-if, 1901-04
Bullard, George, if, 1954
Bunning, Jim, p, 1955-63
Burke, Les, if-c, 1923-26
Burns, Bill, p, 1912
Burns, George, if, 1914-17
Burns, Jack, if, 1936
Burns, Joe, of, 1913
Burns, John, if, 1903-04
Burnside, Pete, p, 1959-60
Burnside, Sheldon, p, 1978-
Bush, Donie, if, 1908-21
Byrd, Harry, p, 1957

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Cain, Bob, p, 1951
Cain, Les, p, 1968, 1970-72
Calvert, Paul, p, 1950-51
Campbell, Bruce, of, 1940-41
Campbell, Dave, if, 1967-68
Campbell, Paul, if, 1948-50
Cantrell, Guy, p, 1930
Carisch, Fred, c, 1923
Carr, Charlie, if, 1903-04
Carroll, Ownie, p, 1925, 1927-30
Carswell, Frank, of, 1953
Casale, Jerry, p, 1961-62
Casey, Doc, if, 1901-02
Casey, Joe, c-of, 1909-11
Cash, Norm, if-of, 1960-74
Cash, Ron, if-of, 1973-74
Caster, George, p, 1945-46
Cavet, Pug, p, 1911, 1914-15
Chance, Dean, p, 1971
Chiti, Harry, c, 1960-61
Chrisley, Neil, of-if, 1959-60
Christian, Bob, if-of, 1968
Christman, Mark, if, 1938-39
Cicotte, Al, p, 1958
Cicotte, Eddie, p, 1905
Claire, Danny, if, 1920
Clark, Danny, if-of, 1922
Clark, Mel, of, 1957
Clarke, Nig, c, 1905
Clarke, Rufe, p, 1923-24
Clauss, Al, p, 1913
Clifton, Flea, if, 1934-37
Cobb, Joe, ph, 1918
Cobb, Ty, of-if-p, 1905-26
Cochrane, Mickey, c, 1934-37
Coffey, Jack, if, 1918
Coffman, Slick, p, 1937-39
Colavito, Rocky, of, 1960-63
Colbert, Nate, if, 1975
Cole, Bert, p, 1921-25
Coleman, Joe, p, 1955
Coleman, Joe, p, 1971-76
Collier, Orlin, p, 1931
Collins, Kevin, if-of, 1970-71
Collins, Rip, p, 1923-27
Comer, Wayne, of-c, 1967-68, 1972
Comstock, Ralph, p, 1913
Conger, Dick, p, 1940
Conkwright, Allen, p, 1920
Connelly, Bill, p, 1950
Cook, Earl, p, 1941
Cooley, Dick, of, 1905
Coombs, Jack, p, 1920
Cooper, Wilbur, p, 1926
Corcoran, Tim, of, 1977-
Corriden, Red, if, 1912
Cottier, Chuck, if, 1961
Couch, Johnny, p, 1917
Coughlin, Bill, if, 1904-08
Courtney, Ernie, if, 1903
Coveleski, Harry, p, 1914-18
Covington, Bill, p, 1911-12
Cox, Red, p, 1920
Cramer, Doc, of, 1942-48
Crawford, Jim, p, 1976-78
Crawford, Sam, of-if, 1903-17
Crimian, Jack, p, 1957
Cristante, Leo, p, 1955
Crockett, Davey, if, 1901
Cronin, Jack, p, 1901-02
Croucher, Frank, if, 1939-41
Crowder, General, p, 1934-36
Crumpler, Roy, p, 1920
Cullenbine, Roy, of-if, 1938-39, 1945-47
Cunningham, George, p-of, 1916-19, 1921
Curry, Jimmy, if, 1918
Cutshaw, George, if, 1922-23

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Dalton, Jack, of, 1916
Daniel, Chuck, p, 1957
Daugherty, Doc, ph, 1951
Dauss, Hooks, p, 1912-26
Davie, Jerry, p, 1959
Davis, Harry, if, 1932-33
Davis, Woody, p, 1938
Deal, Charlie, if, 1912-13
Deering, John, p, 1903
DeFate, Tony, if, 1917
Delahanty, Jim, if, 1909-12
Delsing, Jim, of, 1952-56
Demeter, Don, of-if, 1964-66
Demeter, Steve, if, 1959
Demmit, Ray, of, 1914
Denehy, Bill, p, 1971
Desautels, Gene, c, 1930-33
DeViveiros, Bernie, if, 1927
Didier, Bob, c, 1973
Dillard, Steve, if, 1978-
Dillon, Pop, if, 1901-02
Disch, George, p, 1905
Dittmer, Jack, if, 1957
Dobson, Pat, p, 1967-69
Doby, Larry, of, 1959
Doljack, Frank, of-if, 1930-34
Donahue, Red, p, 1906
Donohue, Jim, p, 1961
Donovan, Dick, p, 1954
Donovan, Wild Bill, p-if-of, 1903-12,1918
Doran, Tom, c, 1905
Dowd, Snooks, if, 1919
Downs, Red, if-of, 1907-08
Doyle, Jess, p, 1925-27
Drake, Delos, of-if, 1911
Dressen, Lee, if, 1918
Drill, Lew, c-of-if, 1904-05
Dropo, Walt, if, 1952-54
Dubuc, Jean, p-of, 1912-16
Dugan, Joe, if, 1931
Dustal, Bob, p, 1963
Dyer, Ben, if-of-p, 1916-19

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Eason, Mel, p, 1903
Easterling, Paul, of, 1928, 1930
Eaton, Zeb, p, 1944-45
Egan, Dick, p, 1963-64
Egan, Wish, p, 1902
Ehmke, Howard, p, 1916-17, 1919-22
Eisenstat, Harry, p, 1938-39
Elberfeld, Kid, if, 1901-03





Elder, Heinie, p, 1913
Ellison, Bert, if-of, 1916-20
English, Gil, if, 1936-37
Erickson, Eric, p, 1916, 1918-19
Erickson, Hal, p, 1953
Erwin, Tex, c, 1907
Eubank, John, p, 1905-07
Evers, Hoot, of, 1941, 1946-52, 1954

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Face, Roy, p, 1968
Fain, Ferris, if, 1955
Farley, Bob, if-of, 1962
Farmer, Ed, p, 1973
Faul, Bill, p, 1962-64
Federoff, Al, if, 1951-52
Feller, Jack, c, 1958
Fernandez, Chico, if, 1960-63
Ferry, Cy, p, 1904
Fidrych, Mark, p, 1976-
Finigan, Jim, if, 1957
Finneran, Happy, p, 1918
Fischer, Bill, p, 1958, 1960-61
Fischer, Carl, p, 1933-35
Fisher, Fritz, p, 1964
Fisher, Tom, p, 1902
Flagstead, Ira, of-if, 1917, 1919-23
Fleming, Les, of, 1939
Fletcher, Tom, p, 1962
Fletcher, Van, p, 1955
Flowers, Ben, p, 1955
Floyd, Bubba, if, 1944
Foiles, Hank, c, 1960
Foor, Jim, p, 1971-72
Ford, Gene, p, 1905
Foster, Larry, p, 1963
Fothergill, of, 1922-30
Foucault, Steve, p, 1977-78
Fox, Pete, of, 1933-40
Fox, Terry, p, 1961-66
Foytack, Paul, p, 1953, 1955-63
Francis, Ray, p, 1923
Francona, Tito, of, 1958
Franklin, Murray, if, 1941-42
Frasier, Vic, p, 1933-34
Freehan, Bill, c-if-of, 1961, 1963-76
Freese, George, ph, 1953
Fried, Cy, p, 1920
Friend, Owen, if, 1953
Frisk, Emil, p-of, 1901
Froats, Bill, p, 1955
Fryman, Woodie, p, 1972-74
Fuchs, Charlie, p, 1942
Fuentes, Tito, if, 1977
Fuller, Frank, if, 1915-16
Funk, Liz, of, 1930

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Gagnon, Chick, if, 1922
Gainor, Del, if, 1909, 1911-14
Gallagher, Doug, p, 1962
Galloway, Chick, if-of, 1928
Gamble, John, if, 1972-73
Garbowski, Alex, pr, 1952
Garcia, Pedro, if, 1976
Garver, Ned, p, 1952-56
Gehringer, Charlie, if, 1924-42
Gelbert, Charley, if, 1937
Gentry, Rufe, p, 1943-44, 1946-48
Gernert, Dick, if-of, 1960-61
Gessler, Doc, of, 1903
Gibson, Frank, c-of, 1913
Gibson, Sam, p, 1926-28
Giebell, Floyd, p, 1939-41
Gilbreth, Bill, p, 1971-72
Gill, George, p, 1937-39
Gillespie, Bob, p, 1944
Ginsberg, Joe, c, 1948, 1950-53
Gladding, Fred, p, 1961-67
Glaiser, John, p, 1920
Gleason, Kid, if, 1901-02
Glynn, Ed, p, 1975-
Goldstein, Izzy, p, 1932
Goldy, Purnal, of, 1962-63
Gorsica, Johnny, p, 1940-44, 1946-47
Goslin, Goose, of, 1934-37
Grabowski, Johnny, c, 1931
Graham, Bill, p, 1966
Graham, Kyle, p, 1929
Gray, Ted, p, 1946, 1948-54
Green, Lenny, of, 1967-68
Greenberg, Hank, if-of, 1930, 1933-41, 1945-46
Greene, Willie, if, 1903
Gremminger, Ed, if, 1904
Griggs, Art, if, 1918
Grilli, Steve, p, 1975-77
Grissom, Marv, p, 1949
Gromek, Steve, p, 1953-57
Groth, Johnny, of, 1946-52, 1957-60
Grover, Bert, p, 1913
Grzenda, Joe, p, 1961
Gutierrez, Cesar, if, 1969-71

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Hafe, Sammy, if-of, 1920-21
Hall, Charley, p, 1918
Hall, Herb, p, 1918
Hall, Marc, p, 1913-14
Haller, Tom, c, 1972
Hamilton, Earl, p, 1916
Hamilton, Jack, p, 1964-65
Hamlin, Luke, p, 1933-34
Haney, Fred, if, 1922-25
Hankins, Don, p, 1927
Hannan, Jim, p, 1971
Harding, Charlie, p, 1913
Hargrave, Pinky, c, 1928-30
Harley, Dick, of, 1902
Harper, George, of, 1916-18
Harrington, Andy, ph, 1925
Harris, Bob, p, 1938-39
Harris, Ned, of, 1941-43, 1946
Harris, Bucky, if, 1929, 1931
Harris, Gail, if, 1958-60
Harrist, Earl, p, 1953
Hatfield, Fred, if, 1952-56
Hatter, Clyde, p, 1935, 1937
Hayworth, Ray, c, 1926, 1929-38
Hazle, Bob, of, 1958
Heath, Bill, c, 1967
Heffner, Don, if, 1944
Hegan, Jim, c, 1958
Heilmann, Harry, of-if, 1914, 1916-29
Hennessy, Les, if, 1913
Henshaw, Roy, p, 1942-44
Herbert, Ray, p, 1950-51, 1953-54
Herman, Babe, of, 1937
Herring, Art, p, 1929-33
Herzog, Whitey, of-if, 1963
Hetling, Gus, if, 1906
Hickman, Piano Legs, if-of, 1904-05
Hicks, Buddy, if, 1956
Higgins, Pinky, if, 1939-44, 1946
High, Ed, p, 1901
High, Hugh, of, 1913-14
Hiller, John, p, 1965-70, 1972-
Hitchcock, Billy, if, 1942, 1946, 1953
Hoeft, Billy, p, 1952-59
Hogsett, Chief, p, 1929-36, 1944
Holdsworth, Fred, p, 1972-74
Holloway, Ken, p, 1922-28
Holling, Carl, p, 1921-22
Holmes, Ducky, of, 1901-02
Holtgrave, Vern, p, 1965
Hoover, Joe, if, 1943-45
Hopp, Johnny, if-of, 1952
Horton, Willie, of, 1963-77
Hosley, Tim, c-if, 1970-71
Host, Gene, p, 1956
Hostetler, Chuck, of, 1944-45
House, Frank, c, 1950-51, 1954-57, 1961
House, Will, p, 1913
Houtteman, Art, p, 1945-50, 1952-53
Howard, Frank, if-of, 1972-73
Hoyt, Waite, p, 1930-31
Huber, Clarence, if, 1920-21
Huelsman, Frank, of, 1904
Hughes, Tom, of, 1930
Humphrey, Terry, c, 1975
Humphreys, Bob, p, 1962
Hutchinson, Fred, p, 1939-41, 1946-53

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Ignasiak, Gary, p, 1973
Irvin, Ed, if, 1912

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Jackson, Charlie, p, 1905
Jacobson, Baby Doll, of-if, 1915
Jaeger, Charlie, p, 1904
James, Art, of, 1975
James, Bill, p, 1915-19
Jata, Paul, if-of, 1972
Jennings, Hughie, if, 1907, 1909, 1912, 1918
Jensen, Bill, p, 1912
Johns, Augie, p, 1926-27
Johnson, Alex, of, 1976
Johnson, Earl, p, 1951
Johnson, Ken, p, 1952
Johnson, Roy, of, 1929-32
Johnson, Syl, p, 1922-25
Jones, Alex, p, 1903
Jones, Bob, if, 1917-25
Jones, Dalton, if-of, 1970-72
Jones, Davy, of, 1906-12
Jones, Deacon, p, 1916-18
Jones, Elijah, p, 1907, 1909
Jones, Ken, p, 1924
Jones, Sam, p, 1962
Jones, Tom, if, 1909-10
Jordan, Milt, p, 1953
Justis, Walt, p, 1905

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Kaline, Al, of-if, 1953-74
Kallio, Rudy, p, 1918-19
Kane, Harry, p, 1903
Kavanagh, Marty, if-of, 1914-16
Kell, George, if, 1946-52
Keller, Charlie, of, 1950-51
Kemp, Steve, of, 1977-
Kennedy, Bob, if-of, 1956
Kennedy, Vern, p, 1938-39
Kerns, Russ, ph, 1945
Kerr, John, if-of, 1923-24
Kilkenny, Mike, p, 1969-72
Killefer, Red, if-of, 1907-09
Killian, Ed, p, 1904-10
Kimm, Bruce, c, 1976-77
Kimsey, Chad, p, 1936
King, Chick, of, 1954-56
Kirke, Jay, if-of, 1910
Kisinger, Rube, p, 1902-03

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Klippstein, Johnny, p, 1967
Kniesch, Rudy, p, 1926
Knox, John, if, 1972-75
Koch, Al, p, 1963-64
Kocher, Brad, c, 1912
Koenig, Mark, if-p, 1930-31
Kolloway, Don, if, 1949-52
Koplitz, Howie, p, 1961-62
Korince, George, p, 1966-67
Kostro, Frank, if-of, 1962-63
Kress, Charlie, if-of, 1954
Kress, Red, if, 1939-40
Kretlow, Lou, p, 1946, 1948-49
Kryhoski, Dick, if, 1950-51
Kuenn, Harvey, if-of, 1952-59

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Laabs, Chet, of, 1937-39
Labine, Clem, p, 1960
Lafitte, Ed, p, 1909, 1911-12
LaGrow, Lerrin, p, 1970, 1972-75
Lake, Eddie, if, 1946-50
Lake, Joe, p, 1912-13
Lakeman, Al, c, 1954
Lamont, Gene, c, 1970-72, 1974-75
Landis, Jim, of, 1967
Lane, Marvin, of, 1971-74, 1976
Larkin, Steve, p, 1934
Lary, Frank, p, 1954-64
Lasher, Fred, p, 1967-70
Lathers, Chick, if, 1910-11
Lau, Charlie, c, 1956, 1958-59
Lawrence, Bill, of, 1932
Lawson, Roxie, p, 1933, 1935-39
Laxton, Bill, p, 1976
Ledbetter, Razor, p, 1915
Lee, Don, p, 1957-58
LeFlore, Ron, of, 1974-
Leinhauser, Bill, of, 1912
Lelivelt, Bill, p, 1909-10
Lemanczyk, Dave, p, 1973-76
Lenhardt, Don, of, 1952
Leonard, Dutch, p, 1919-21, 1924-25
Lepcio, Ted, if, 1959
Lepine, Peter, of-if, 1902
Lerchen, George, of, 1952
Leshnock, Don, p, 1972
Lindbeck, Em, ph, 1960
Lindsay, Pinky, if, 1905-06
Linhart, Carl, ph, 1952
Lipon, Johnny, if, 1942, 1946, 1948-52
Littlefield, Dick, p, 1952
Lively, Jack, p, 1911
Lockhead, Harry, if, 1901
Logan, Bob, p, 1937
Lolich, Mickey, p, 1963-75
Long, Herman, if, 1903
Lorenzen, Lefty, p, 1913
Loudell, Art, p, 1910
Louden, Baldy, if-of, 1912-13
Love, Slim, p, 1919-20
Lowdermilk, Grover, p, 1915-16
Lowe, Bobby, if-of, 1904-07
Ludolph, Willie, p, 1924
Lumpe, Jerry, if, 1964-67
Lund, Don, of, 1949, 1952-54
Lush, Billy, of-if, 1903
Lynn, Red, p, 1939

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Maas, Duke, p, 1955-57
MacCormack, Frank, p, 1976
Maddox, Elliott, if-of, 1970
Madison, Dave, p, 1952-53
Maharg, Billy, if, 1912
Maier, Bob, if-of, 1945
Main, Alex, p, 1914
Maisel, George, if, 1916
Makowski, Tom, p, 1975
Malloy, Herm, p, 1907-08
Malmberg, Harry, if, 1955
Manders, Hal, p, 1941-42, 1946
Manion, Clyde, c-if, 1920-24, 1926-27
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Manuel, Jerry, if, 1975-76
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Mapes, Cliff, of, 1952
Marberry, Firpo, p, 1933-35
Marentette, Leo, p, 1965
Marlowe, Dick, p, 1951-56
Marrow, Buck, p, 1932
Marshall, Mike, p, 1967
Martin, Billy, if, 1958
Masterson, Walt, p, 1956
Matchick, Tom, if, 1967-69
Mathews, Eddie, if, 1967-68
Mavis, Bob, pr, 1949
Maxwell, Charlie, of-if, 1955-62
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Mayo, Eddie, if, 1944-48
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McCarthy, Arch, p, 1902
McCosky, Barney, of, 1939-42, 1946
McCoy, Benny, if, 1938-39
McCreery, Ed, p, 1914
McDermott, Mickey, p, 1958
McDermott, Red, of, 1912
McFarlane, Orlando, c, 1966
McGarr, Jim, if, 1912
McGarvey, Dan, of, 1912
McGehee, Pat, p, 1912
McGuire, Deacon, c-if, 1902-03, 1912
McHale, John, if, 1943-45, 1947-48
McIntyre, Matty, of, 1904-10
McKain, Archie, p, 1939-41
McKee, Red, c, 1913-16
McLain, Denny, p, 1963-70
McLaughlin, Pat, p, 1937, 1945
McLeland, Wayne, p, 1951-52
McMackin, Sam, p, 1902
McMahon, Don, p, 1968-69
McManus, Frank, c, 1904
McManus, Marty, if, 1927-31
McMullin, Fred, if, 1914
McNabb, Carl, ph, 1945
McNair, Eric, if, 1941-42
McRae, Norm, p, 1969-70
McTigue, Bill, p, 1916
Meany, Pat, if, 1912
Meeler, Phil, p, 1972
Mercer, Win, p, 1902
Merritt, Herm, if, 1921
Metha, Scat, if, 1940
Metro, Charlie, of, 1943-44
Meyer, Dan, of-if, 1974-76
Meyer, Dutch, if, 1940-42
Michael, Gene, if, 1975
Middleton, Jim, p, 1921
Mierkowicz, Ed, of 1945, 1947-48
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Miller, Bob, p, 1973
Miller, Hack, c, 1944-45
Miller, Roscoe, p, 1901-02
Mitchell, Clarence, p, 1911
Mitchell, Willie, p, 1916-19
Moford, Herb, p, 1958
Mohardt, John, of, 1922
Molinaro, Bob, of, 1975, 1977
Monbouquette, Bill, p, 1966-67
Montejo, Manny, p, 1961
Moore, Anse, of, 1946
Moore, Bill, p, 1925
Moore, Jackie, c, 1965
Moore, Roy, p, 1922-23
Mooty, Jake, p, 1944
Moran, Harry, p, 1912
Morgan, Chet, of, 1935, 1938
Morgan, Tom, p, 1958-60
Moriarty, George, if-of, 1909-15
Morris, Jack, p, 1977-
Morrisette, Bill, p, 1920
Morton, Bubba, of-if, 1961-63
Moses, Jerry, c, 1974
Mossi, Don, p, 1959-63
Mueller, Les, p, 1941, 1945
Mullen, Billy, if, 1926
Mullin, George, p-of, 1902-13
Mullin, Pat, of, 1940-41, 1946-53
Murphy, Soldier Boy, if, 1903
Myatt, Glenn, c, 1936

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Nagelson, Russ, of-if, 1970
Nance, Doc, of, 1901
Narleski, Ray, p, 1959
Navarro, Julio, p, 1964-66
Nekola, Bots, p, 1933
Nelson, Lynn, p, 1940
Ness, Jack, if, 1911
Nettles, Jim, of, 1974
Neun, Johnny, if, 1925-28
Newhouser, Hal, p, 1939-53
Newsom, Bobo, p, 1939-41
Nicholls, Simon, if, 1903
Nicholson, Fred, of, 1917
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Nieman, Bob, of, 1953-54
Nischwitz, Ron, p, 1961-62, 1965
North, Lou, p, 1913
Northrup, Jim, of-if, 1964-74

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Oana, Prince, p, 1943, 1945
O'Connell, John, if, 1902
Oglivie, Ben, if-of, 1974-77
Okrie, Frank, p, 1920
Oldham, Red, p, 1914-15, 1920-22
O'Leary, Charley, if-of, 1904-12
Olsen, Ole, p, 1922-23
Olson, Karl, of, 1957
O'Mara, Ollie, if, 1912
Onslow, Eddie, if, 1912-13
Onslow, Jack, c, 1912
Orengo, Joe, if, 1944
O'Rourke, Frank, if, 1924-26
Orrell, Joe, p, 1943-45
Osborne, Bobo, if-of-c, 1957-59, 1961-62
Outlaw, Jimmy, of-if, 1943-49
Overmire, Stubby, p, 1943-49
Owen, Frank, p, 1901
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Parker, Salty, if, 1936
Parks, Slicker, p, 1921
Parrish, Lance, c, 1977-
Parsons, Dixie, c, 1939, 1942-43
Partenheimer, Steve, if, 1913
Pasek, Johnny, c, 1933
Patrick, Bob, of, 1941-42



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Pena, Orlando, p, 1965-67
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Pepper, Don, if, 1966
Perkins, Cy, ph, 1934
Pernoll, Hub, p, 1910, 1912
Perranoski, Ron, p, 1971-72
Perritt, Pol, p, 1921
Perry, Boyd, if, 1941
Perry, Clay, if, 1908
Perry, Hank, of, 1912
Perry, Jim, p, 1973
Pesky, Johnny, if, 1952-54
Peters, John, c, 1915
Philley, Dave, if-of, 1957
Phillips, Bubba, if-of, 1955, 1963-64
Phillips, Eddie, c, 1929
Phillips, Jack, if-of, 1955-57
Phillips, Red, p, 1934, 1936
Pierce, Billy, p, 1945, 1948
Pierce, Jack, if, 1975
Piet, Tony, if, 1938
Pillette, Herman, p, 1922-24
Pinelli, Babe, if, 1920
Pipp, Wally, if, 1913
Pippen, Cotton, p, 1939-40
Platte, Al, of, 1913
Podres, Johnny, p, 1966-67
Poffenberger, Boots, p, 1937-38
Porter, J. W., c-of-if, 1955-57
Poste, E., of, 1902
Powell, Ray, of, 1913
Pratt, Del, if, 1923-24
Presko, Joe, p, 1957-58
Price, Jim, c, 1967-71
Priddy, Jerry, if, 1950-53
Proctor, Jim, p, 1959
Prudhomme, Johnny, p, 1929
Purtell, Billy, if, 1914

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Quellich, George, of, 1931

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Radatz, Dick, p, 1969
Radcliff, Rip, of-if, 1941-43
Rakow, Ed, p, 1964-65
Rapp, Earl, of, 1949
Ray, Jim, p, 1974
Raymond, Bugs, p, 1904
Redmond, Wayne, of, 1965, 1969
Reed, Bob, p, 1969-70
Reese, Rich, if-of, 1973
Regan, Phil, p, 1960-65
Reiber, Frank, c-of, 1933-36
Remneas, Alex, p, 1912
Renfer, Erwin, p, 1913
Rensa, Tony, c, 1930
Reynolds, Bob, p, 1975
Reynolds, Ross, p, 1914-15
Rhiel, Billy, if-of, 1932-33
Ribant, Dennis, p, 1968
Rice, Harry, of-if, 1928-30
Richards, Paul, c, 1943-46
Richardson, Nolen, if, 1929, 1931-32
Riebe, Hank, c, 1942, 1947-49
Rigney, Topper, if, 1922-25
Roarke, Mike, c, 1961-64
Roberts, Dave, p, 1976-77
Roberts, Leon, of, 1974-75
Robertson, Jerry, p, 1970
Robinson, Aaron, c, 1949-51
Robinson, Eddie, if, 1957
Robinson, Rabbit, if-of, 1904
Rodriguez, Aurelio, if, 1971-
Rogalski, Joe, p, 1938
Rogell, Billy, if-of, 1930-39
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Roman, Bill, if, 1964-65
Rondeau, Henri, c-if, 1913
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Ross, Don, if-of, 1938, 1942-45
Rossman, Claude, if, 1907-09
Rowan, Jack, p, 1906
Rowe, Schoolboy, p, 1933-42
Rozema, Dave, p, 1977-
Ruble, Art, of, 1927
Ruel, Muddy, c, 1931-32
Ruhle, Vern, p, 1974-77
Russell, Jack, p, 1937

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Samford, Ron, if, 1955, 1957
Samuels, Joe, p, 1930
Sanders, Reggie, if, 1974
Sargent, Joe, if, 1921
Saunders, Dennis, p, 1970
Scarborough, Ray, p, 1953
Schaefer, Germany, if-of, 1905-09
Schaller, Biff, of-if, 1911
Schang, Wally, c, 1931
Scheibeck, Frank, if, 1906
Scherman, Fred, p, 1969-73
Schiappacasse, Lou, of, 1902
Schmidt, Boss, c-of, 1906-11
Schuble, Heinie, if, 1929, 1932-35
Schultz, Barney, p, 1959
Schultz, Bob, p, 1955
Scrivener, Chuck, if, 1975-77
Seale, Johnnie, p, 1964-65
Seats, Tom, p, 1940
Secory, Frank, of, 1940
Seelbach, Chuck, p, 1971-74
Semproch, Ray, p, 1960
Sewell, Rip, p, 1932
Sharon, Dick, of, 1973-74
Shaw, Al, c-if, 1901
Shaw, Bob, p, 1957-58
Shea, Merv, c, 1927-29, 1939
Shelley, Hugh, of, 1935
Sherry, Larry, p, 1964-67
Shevlin, Jimmy, if, 1930
Shiver, Ivey, of, 1931
Shoop, Ron, c, 1959
Shorten, Chick, of-c, 1919-21
Siever, Ed, p, 1901-02, 1906-08
Sigafoos, Frank, if, 1929
Simmons, Al, of-if, 1936
Simmons, Hack, if-of, 1910
Sims, Duke, c-of, 1972-73
Sisler, Dave, p, 1959-60
Skeels, Dave, p, 1910
Skizas, Lou, of-if, 1958
Skopec, John, p, 1903
Slaton, Jim, p, 1978
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Smith, Bob, p, 1959
Smith, Clay, p, 1940
Smith, George, p, 1926-29
Smith, George, if, 1963-65
Smith, Heinie, if, 1903
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Smith, Rufus, p, 1927
Smith, Willie, p, 1963
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Souchock, Steve, of-if, 1951-55
Sparma, Joe, p, 1964-69
Speer, Kid, p, 1909
Spencer, George, p, 1958, 1960
Spencer, Tubby, c-if, 1916-18
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Stainback, Tuck, of, 1940-41
Staley, Gerry, p, 1961
Stanage, Oscar, c-if, 1909-20, 1925
Stanley, Mickey, of-if, 1964-78
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Staub, Rusty, of, 1976-
Steen, Bill, p, 1915
Stegman, Dave, of, 1978-
Steiner, Ben, pr, 1947
Stewart, Walter, p, 1921
Stone, John, of, 1928-33
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Strampe, Bob, p, 1972
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Stuart, Marlin, p, 1949-52
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Sturdivant, Tom, p, 1963
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Sullivan, Billy, c-if, 1940-41
Sullivan, Charlie, p, 1928, 1930-31
Sullivan, Jack, if, 1944
Sullivan, Joe, p, 1935-36
Sullivan, John, c, 1905
Sullivan, John, c, 1963-65
Sullivan, Russ, of, 1951-53
Summers, Ed, p, 1908-12
Susce, George, c, 1932
Susce, George, p, 1958-59
Sutherland, Gary, if, 1974-76
Sutherland, Suds, p, 1921
Sweeney, Bill, if-of, 1928
Swift, Bob, c, 1944-53
Sykes, Bob, p, 1977-78
Szotkiewicz, Ken, if, 1970

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Tavener, Jackie, if, 1921, 1925-28
Taylor, Bennie, if, 1952
Taylor, Bill, of, 1957-58
Taylor, Bruce, p, 1977-
Taylor, Gary, p, 1969
Taylor, Tony, if-of, 1971-73
Taylor, Wiley, p, 1911
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Terry, John, p, 1902
Thomas, Bud, p, 1939-41
Thomas, Frosty, p, 1905
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Thomas, Ira, c, 1908
Thompson, Jason, if, 1976-
Thompson, Sam, of, 1906
Thompson, Tim, c, 1958
Timmerman, Tom, p, 1969-73
Tobik, Dave, p, 1978-
Tobin, Jim, p, 1945
Torgeson, Earl, if, 1955-57
Tracewski, Dick, if, 1966-69
Trammell, Alan, if, 1977-
Travers, Allan, p, 1912
Tresh, Tom, if-of, 1969
Triandos, Gus, c, 1963
Trout, Dizzy, p, 1939-52
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Trucks, Virgil, p, 1941-43, 1945-52, 1956
Tsitouris, John, p, 1957
Tuttle, Bill, of, 1952, 1954-57
Tutwiler, Guy, if-of, 1911, 1913

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Uhle, Bob, p, 1940
Uhle, George, p, 1929-33
Unser, Al, c-if, 1942-44

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Vedder, Lou, p, 1920
Veryzer, Tom, if, 1973-77
Vico, George, if, 1948-49
Virgil, Ozzie, if-c, 1958, 1960-61
Vitt, Ossie, if-of, 1912-18

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Wade, Jake, p, 1936-38
Wagner, Hal, c, 1947-48
Wagner, Mark, if, 1976-
Wakefield, Dick, of, 1941, 1943-44, 1946-49
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Walker, Gee, of, 1931-37
Walker, Hub, of, 1931, 1935, 1945
Walker, Luke, p, 1974
Walker, Tom, p, 1975
Walkup, Jim, p, 1927
Walkup, Jim, p, 1939
Walsh, Jim, p, 1921
Ward, Hap, of, 1912
Warden, Jon, p, 1968
Warner, Jack, if, 1925-28
Warner, John, c, 1905-06
Watson, Johnny, if, 1930
Webb, Earl, of-if, 1932-33
Webb, Skeeter, if, 1945-57
Wehmeier, Herm, p, 1958
Weik, Dick, p, 1954
Welch, Milt, c, 1945
Wells, Ed, p, 1923-27
Wert, Don, if, 1963-70
Wertz, Vic, of-if, 1947-52, 1961-63
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Whillock, Jack, p, 1971
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White, Hal, p, 1941-43, 1946-52
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Willett, Ed, p, 1906-13
Williams, Johnny, p, 1914
Williams, Lefty, p, 1913-14
Wilson, Earl, p, 1966-70
Wilson, Icehouse, ph, 1934
Wilson, Jack, p, 1942
Wilson, Mutt, p, 1920
Wilson, Red, c, 1954-60
Wilson, Squanto, c, 1911
Wilson, Walter, p, 1945
Wingo, Red, of-if, 1924-28
Winter, George, p, 1908
Wise, Casey, if, 1960
Wise, Hughie, c, 1930
Wockenfuss, John, c-of, 1974-
Wojey, Peter, p, 1956-57
Wood, Bob, c, 1904-05
Wood, Jake, if-of, 1961-67
Wood, Joe, if, 1943
Woodall, Larry, c, 1920-29
Woodeshick, Hal, p, 1956, 1961
Woods, Ron, of, 1969
Works, Ralph, p, 1909-12
Wuestling, Yats, if, 1929-30
Wyatt, John, p, 1968
Wyatt, Whitlow, p, 1929-33

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Yde, Emil, p, 1929
Yeager, Joe, if-p-of, 1901-03
Yelle, Archie, c, 1917-19
Yewcic, Tom, c, 1957
York, Rudy, if-c-of, 1934, 1937-45
Yost, Eddie, if, 1959-60
Young, John, if, 1971
Young, Kip, p, 1978-
Young, Ralph, if, 1915-21

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Zachary, Chris, p, 1972
Zamloch, Carl, p, 1913
Zepp, Bill, p, 1971
Zernial, Gus, of-if, 1958-59
Zuverink, George, p, 1954-55

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Baldwin, Lady, p-of, 1885-88
Beatin, Ed, p, 1887-88
Beatle, Dave, c-of, 1884
Bennett, Charlie, c-if-of, 1881-88
Bradley, George, if, 1881
Brill, John, p, 1884
Briody, Fatty, c, 1887
Broughton, Cal, c, 1888
Brouthers, Dan, if, 1886-88
Brown, Lew, if-of, 1881
Bryant, —, if, 1885
Buker, Harry, if-of, 1884
Burke, Walter, p, 1887
Burns, Dick, of-p, 1883

Campau, Count, of, 1888
Casey, Bob, if, 1882
Casey, Dan, p, 1885
Collins, Chub, if, 1885
Conway, Pete, p-of, 1886-88
Cox, Frank, if, 1884
Crane, Sam, if-of, 1885-86

Decker, Harry, c-if-of, 1886
Derby, George, p, 1881-82
Donely, Jim, if, 1885
Dorgan, Mike, if-of, 1881
Dunlap, Fred, if-of-p, 1886-87

Farrell, Joe, if-of, 1882-84
Foley, Will, if, 1881
Forster, Tom, if, 1882

Ganzel, Charlie, c-if-of, 1886-88
Gastfield, Ed, c-if-of, 1884-85
Geiss, Bill, if-of-p, 1884
Gerhardt, Joe, if, 1881
Getzein, Charlie, p, 1884-88
Gillen, Tom, c, 1886
Gilligan, Barney, c, 1888
Gruber, Henry, p, 1887-88
Guiney, Ben, c-of, 1883-84

Halpin, Jim, if, 1885
Hanlon, Ned, if-of, 1881-88
Houck, Sadie, if, 1881, 1883

Jones, Frank, if-of, 1884
Jones, Jumping Jack, p, 1883

Kearns, Tom, if, 1882, 1884
Kellogg, Nat, if, 1885
Kenzie, Walt, if, 1882
Knight, Lon, of-if, 1881-82

LaRouque, Sam, if, 1888
Leary, Jack, of-p, 1881
Lowe, —, c, 1884
Luff, Henry, if, 1882

Manning, Jimmy, if-of, 1885-87
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McGeachy, Jack, of, 1886
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McGuire, Deacon, c-of, 1885, 1888
McIntyre, Frank, p, 1883
McQuery, Mox, if-of, 1885
Meinke, Frank, if-p-of, 1884-85
Moore, Jerry, c, 1885
Moriarity, Gene, of-if-p, 1885
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Morton, Charlie, if, 1885
Mountain, Frank, p, 1881
Moynahan, Mike, of, 1881
Mullane, Tony, p, 1881

Nicholson, Parson, if, 1888

O'Leary, Dan, of, 1881
Olin, Frank, if, 1885
Phillips, Marr, if, 1885
Powell, Martin, if-c, 1881-83
Prince, Walter, if-of, 1884

Quest, Joe, if-of, 1883, 1885

Radbourn, George, p-of, 1883
Reilley, Charlie, c-if-of, 1881
Richardson, Hardy, if-of-p, 1886-88
Ringo, Frank, c-if-of, 1885
Robinson, Yank, if-of-p, 1882
Rowe, Jack, if-c, 1886-88

Santry, Ed, if, 1884
Scheffler, Ted, of, 1888
Scheibeck, Frank, if, 1888
Scott, Milt, if, 1884-85
Shaw, Dupee, p-of, 1883-84
Shindle, Bill, if-of, 1886-87
Smith, Bill, p, 1886
Smith, Phenomenal, p, 1886
Stearns, Dan, if, 1881
Sutcliffe, Sy, if-c-of, 1888

Taylor, Billy, of, 1881
Thompson, Sam, of, 1885-88
Trott, Sam, c-if-of, 1881-83
Troy, Dasher, if, 1881-82
Twitchell, Larry, of-p, 1886-88

Weber, Harry, of, 1884
Weidman, Stump, p-of-if, 1881-85, 1887
Wells, Jake, c, 1888
White, Deacon, if-of, 1886-88
White, Will, p, 1881
Whitney, Art, if-p, 1881-82
Willigrod, Julius, of, 1882
Wise, Sam, if, 1881
Wood, Fred, c-of-if, 1884
Wood, George, of-if-p, 1881-85

Zimmer, Chief, c-of, 1884



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# 1979 EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

| | | | DET | OPP |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 8 | Thur. . . . . Boston Red Sox at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 9 | Fri. . . . . Boston Red Sox at Winter Haven | ___ | ___ |
| | 10 | Sat. . . . . Minnesota Twins at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 11 | Sun. . . . . Minnesota Twins at Orlando | ___ | ___ |
| | 12 | Mon. . . . . Pittsburgh Pirates at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 13 | Tue. . . . . Houston Astros at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 14 | Wed. . . . . St. Louis Cardinals at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 15 | Thur. . . . . Philadelphia Phillies at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 16 | Fri. . . . . Pittsburgh Pirates at Bradenton | ___ | ___ |
| | 17 | Sat. . . . . Boston Red Sox at Winter Haven | ___ | ___ |
| | | Tiger B. vs. Florida Southern College at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 18 | Sun. . . . . Texas Rangers at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 19 | Mon. . . . . Montreal Expos at Daytona Beach | ___ | ___ |
| | 20 | Tue. . . . . Chicago White Sox at Sarasota | ___ | ___ |
| | 21 | Wed. (8:00) . . . . . Boston Red Sox at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 22 | Thur. . . . . Houston Astros at Cocoa | ___ | ___ |
| | 23 | Fri. . . . . Pittsburgh Pirates at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 24 | Sat. . . . . New York Yankees at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 25 | Sun. . . . . St. Louis Cardinals at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 26 | Mon. . . . . Philadelphia Phillies at Clearwater | ___ | ___ |
| | 27 | Tue. (8:00) . . . . Philadelphia Phillies at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 28 | Wed. . . . . St. Louis Cardinals at St. Petersburg | ___ | ___ |
| | 29 | Thur. (8:00) . . . . Boston Red Sox at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 30 | Fri. . . . . Philadelphia Phillies at Clearwater | ___ | ___ |
| | 31 | Sat. . . . . Chicago White Sox at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| April | 1 | Sun. . . . . New York Yankees at Ft. Lauderdale | ___ | ___ |
| | 2 | Mon. (8:00) . . . . . Cincinnati Reds at Lakeland | ___ | ___ |
| | 3 | Tue. (12:30) . . . Boston Red Sox at Winter Haven | ___ | ___ |

(All games at 1:30 p.m. except where indicated otherwise above)

The Tigers will open their 79th American League season
April 5 (Thursday afternoon) at Detroit
against the Texas Rangers

# 1979 DETROIT TIGERS SCHEDULE

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **APRIL** | | | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 1:30 Texas | 6 | 7 TV 2:15 Texas |
| 8 TV 1:30 Texas | 9 8:35 Kansas City | 10 8:35 Kansas City | 11 TV 8:35 Kansas City | 12 | 13 8:35 Texas | 14 TV 8:35 Texas |
| 15 3:05 Texas | 16 1:30 Kansas City | 17 1:30 Kansas City | 18 | 19 | 20 1:30 Toronto | 21 TV 2:15 TD Toronto |
| 22 1:30 Toronto | 23 | 24 TV 7:00 Milwaukee | 25 7:00 Milwaukee | 26 2:30 Milwaukee | 27 8:00 Minnesota | 28 TV 2:15 TD Minnesota |
| 29 1:30 Minnesota | 30 | | | | | |
| **MAY** | | 1 8:30 Chicago | 2 TV 8:30 Chicago | 3 8:30 Minnesota | 4 8:30 Minnesota | 5 TV 2:15 Minnesota |
| 6 TV 2:15 Minnesota | 7 8:00 FN Chicago | 8 8:00 Chicago | 9 8:00 Chicago | 10 | 11 8:00 Milwaukee | 12 TV 2:15 TD Milwaukee |
| 13 TV 1:30 Milwaukee | 14 8:00 New York | 15 TV 8:00 New York | 16 TV 8:00 New York | 17 | 18 7:35 Cleveland | 19 TV 2:05 Cleveland |
| 20 TV 2:05 Cleveland | 21 8:00 FN New York | 22 8:00 New York | 23 8:00 New York | 24 | 25 8:00 Baltimore | 26 TV 2:15 TD Baltimore |
| 27 TV 1:30 DH Baltimore | 28 7:30 Toronto | 29 7:30 Toronto | 30 7:30 Toronto | 31 7:30 Toronto | | |
| **JUNE** | | | | | 1 10:30 Oakland | 2 4:30 Oakland |
| 3 TV 4:30 Oakland | 4 10:35 Seattle | 5 10:35 Seattle | 6 10:35 Seattle | 7 | 8 10:30 California | 9 TV 10:00 California |
| 10 TV 4:00 California | 11 8:00 FN Oakland | 12 8:00 Oakland | 13 8:00 Seattle | 14 8:00 Seattle | 15 8:00 California | 16 TV 2:15 TD California |
| 17 TV 1:30 California | 18 7:30 Boston | 19 TV 7:30 Boston | 20 TV 7:30 Boston | 21 TV 7:30 Boston | 22 7:30 Baltimore | 23 TV 5:30 TN Baltimore |
| 24 TV 2:00 Baltimore | 25 | 26 8:00 Boston | 27 8:00 Boston | 28 8:00 Boston | 29 8:00 Cleveland | 30 TV 2:15 TD Cleveland |
| **JULY** | | | | | | |
| 1 1:30 Cleveland | 2 8:00 FN Cleveland | 3 8:00 Toronto | 4 8:00 Toronto | 5 8:00 Toronto | 6 TV 8:30 Milwaukee | 7 2:30 Milwaukee |
| 8 TV 2:00 DH Milwaukee | 9 8:00 FN Minnesota | 10 8:00 Minnesota | 11 8:00 Minnesota | 12 8:30 Chicago | 13 TV 8:30 Chicago | 14 TV 8:30 Chicago |
| 15 TV 2:15 Chicago | 16 | 17 ALL-STAR Seattle | 18 | 19 TV 8:30 Minnesota | 20 TV 8:30 Minnesota | 21 8:00 Chicago |
| 22 TV 1:30 Chicago | 23 8:00 FN Chicago | 24 8:00 Milwaukee | 25 8:00 Milwaukee | 26 8:00 Milwaukee | 27 7:30 Toronto | 28 7:30 Toronto |
| 29 1:30 Toronto | 30 8:35 Texas | 31 TV 8:35 Texas | | | | |
| **AUGUST** | | | 1 TV 8:35 Texas | 2 | 3 5:30 TN Kansas City | 4 TV 2:15 TD Kansas City |
| 5 TV 1:30 Kansas City | 6 | 7 8:00 Texas | 8 8:00 Texas | 9 8:00 Texas | 10 TV 8:35 Kansas City | 11 TV 8:35 Kansas City |
| 12 2:35 Kansas City | 13 10:30 California | 14 10:30 California | 15 10:30 California | 16 | 17 10:35 Seattle | 18 10:35 Seattle |
| 19 9:05 Seattle | 20 10:30 Oakland | 21 10:30 Oakland | 22 4:30 Oakland | 23 | 24 8:00 Seattle | 25 TV 2:15 TD Seattle |
| 26 1:30 DH Seattle | 27 8:00 FN California | 28 8:00 California | 29 8:00 California | 30 8:00 Oakland | 31 8:00 Oakland | |
| **SEPTEMBER** | | | | | | 1 TV 2:15 TD Oakland |
| 2 1:30 Oakland | 3 2:05 Cleveland | 4 TV 7:35 Cleveland | 5 7:35 Cleveland | 6 8:00 New York | 7 8:00 New York | 8 8:00 New York |
| 9 1:30 New York | 10 | 11 8:00 Cleveland | 12 8:00 Cleveland | 13 8:00 Cleveland | 14 8:00 New York | 15 2:00 New York |
| 16 2:00 New York | 17 8:00 FN Baltimore | 18 8:00 Baltimore | 19 8:00 Baltimore | 20 | 21 7:30 Boston | 22 2:00 Boston |
| 23 2:00 Boston | 24 | 25 7:30 Baltimore | 26 7:30 Baltimore | 27 | 28 8:00 Boston | 29 TV 2:15 TD Boston |
| 30 1:30 Boston | | | | | | |

HOME GAME TIMES SHOWN ARE DETROIT TIME (ALL P.M.) **FN**—Family Night **TD**—Tiger Day
**DH**—Doubleheader **TN**—Twi-nighter TV—Televised (Network) TV—Televised (WDIV-TV only)

# ANDERSON, George Lee — Manager

**Nickname: Sparky. Born: Bridgewater, S.D. 2-22-34 (45) 5-9 170 B-R T-R. (Infielder). Married: Carol Valle. Children: George Jr., Shirlee Trece, Albert William. Residence: Thousand Oaks, Calif.**

Sparky Anderson brought a special mark of distinction when he became the 28th manager of the Tigers, effective with the game of June 14, 1979.

Still only 45 years of age, the two-time National League Manager of the Year had the second-highest winning percentage in baseball history for managers with at least five years experience.

The only mark better than Anderson's was the .617 (2126-1335) compiled by the late Joe McCarthy, a comparatively few points higher than the .596 attained by Anderson while directing the Cincinnati Reds to a nine-year record of 863-586 between 1970 and 1978.

Numbers, however, can't capture Anderson's strength as a manager. He is a tireless worker whose enthusiasm for the game and flair for his profession is contagious.

"Sparky Anderson never won anything," Anderson is quick to explain. "It was the kids who played on that ball club in Cincinnati who won it."

Under the leadership of Anderson, the Reds won two world championships, four National League pennants and five West Division titles from 1970 through 1978. During that period, the Reds finished first or second each year except 1971 when they finished fourth.

Born Feb. 22, 1934 in Bridgewater, S.D., but raised in California, Anderson played in the minor leagues as an infielder for six years before playing for the Philadelphia Phillies in 1959.

That was his only season in the major leagues as a player. In 152 games, he batted .218 with no home runs and 34 runs batted in.

Anderson then returned to the minor leagues and played four more seasons with Toronto in the International League before taking over as manager at Toronto in 1964. He then managed in the minor leagues four more years before becoming a coach for the San Diego Padres in 1969. He was added to the California Angels' coaching staff that October — but within 24 hours was named manager of the Cincinnati Reds on Oct. 9, 1969.

In Anderson's first year as a major league manager, the 1970 Reds won 102 games before sweeping Pittsburgh in three games in the playoffs and then losing the World Series to Baltimore.

The 1972 Reds won another National League pennant before losing to Oakland in the World Series. In 1973, the Reds won the National League West Division, but bowed to the New York Mets in the playoffs.

The Anderson-led Reds made the most of their next two trips to the World Series by winning back-to-back championships in 1975 and 1976. The Reds defeated the Red Sox in seven games in 1975 in a memorable struggle.

They came back in 1976 to sweep the New York Yankees in four games.

Anderson was named National League Manager of the Year in 1972 and 1975. He credits the late Charlie Dressen, former Tiger manager, for having the most influence on his becoming a manager.

| Year | Club | Ave | G | AB | R | H | 2b | 3b | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1953 | Santa Barbara | .263 | 141 | 598 | 98 | 157 | 21 | 4 | 5 | 55 | 57 | 47 | 13 |
| 1954 | Pueblo | .296 | 147 | 497 | 72 | 147 | 13 | 5 | 0 | 62 | 80 | 35 | 14 |
| 1955 | Fort Worth | .266 | 158 | 594 | 86 | 158 | 24 | 1 | 0 | 42 | 69 | 35 | 6 |
| 1956 | Montreal (Int) | .298 | 140 | 453 | 65 | 135 | 17 | 5 | 0 | 47 | 53 | 28 | 4 |
| 1957 | Los Angeles (PCL) | .260 | 168 | 619 | 74 | 161 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 35 | 72 | 48 | 8 |
| 1958 | Montreal (Int)* | .269 | 155 | 580 | 78 | 156 | 35 | 5 | 2 | 56 | 47 | 50 | 21 |
| 1959 | Philadelphia | .218 | 152 | 477 | 42 | 104 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 34 | 42 | 53 | 6 |
| 1960 | Toronto (Int) | .227 | 148 | 543 | 67 | 123 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 21 | 41 | 36 | 12 |
| 1961 | Toronto (Int) | .240 | 97 | 275 | 30 | 66 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 34 | 33 | 5 |
| 1962 | Toronto (Int) | .257 | 124 | 432 | 56 | 111 | 18 | 2 | 2 | 38 | 49 | 32 | 2 |
| 1963 | Toronto (Int) | .249 | 116 | 358 | 56 | 89 | 12 | 5 | 3 | 25 | 37 | 45 | 3 |
| Major League Totals | | .218 | 152 | 477 | 42 | 104 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 34 | 42 | 53 | 6 |

*Recalled by Los Angeles Dodgers; traded to Philadelphia Phillies for Pitchers Jim Golden and Gene Snyder and Outfielder Rip Repulski, Dec. 23, 1958.

## RECORD AS MANAGER

| Year | Club, League | Pos | W-L | Year | Club, League | Pos | W-L |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1964 | Toronto (Int) | 5th | 80-72 | 1970 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 1st¢ | 102-60 |
| 1965 | Rock Hill (W Car) | 8th£ | 24-40 | 1971 | Cincinnati (Nat) | T-4th¢ | 79-83 |
| | | 1st§† | 35-23 | 1972 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 1st¢ | 95-59 |
| 1966 | St. Petersburg (Fla St) | 2nd£ | 42-24 | 1973 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 1st¢ | 99-63 |
| | | 1st§‡ | 49-21 | 1974 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 2nd¢ | 98-64 |
| 1967 | Modesto (Cal) | 2nd£ | 38-32 | 1975 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 1st¢ | 108-54 |
| | | 1st§‡ | 41-29 | 1976 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 1st¢ | 102-60 |
| 1968 | Asheville (Sou) | 1st | 86-54 | 1977 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 2nd¢ | 88-74 |
| | | | | 1978 | Cincinnati (Nat) | 2nd¢ | 92-69 |

£1st half-season §2nd half-season †Won playoff ‡Lost playoff ¢West division

## CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES RECORD

| Year | Club | Opp | W-L |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1970 | Cincinnati | Pittsburgh | 3-0 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | Pittsburgh | 3-2 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | New York | 2-3 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | Pittsburgh | 3-0 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | Philadelphia | 3-0 |

## WORLD SERIES RECORD

| Year | Club | Opp | W-L |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1970 | Cincinnati | Baltimore | 1-4 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | Oakland | 3-4 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | Boston | 4-3 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | New York | 4-0 |

**Coach** — San Diego Padres 1969.

Manager, National League All-Stars 1971, 1973 and 1976. Coach, NL All-Stars 1974.