

Friday, August 21, 2026

American League Standings

Central	W	L	PCT	GB	DIFF	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
White Sox	66	61	.520	—	+45	37-25	29-36	5-5	L1
Twins	63	65	.492	3.5	-41	35-31	28-34	5-5	W3
Guardians	62	66	.484	4.5	-23	31-34	31-32	4-6	W1
Tigers	61	66	.480	5	+82	32-31	29-35	4-6	L2
Royals	55	74	.426	12	-100	33-30	22-44	6-4	W5

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Today's Games

DET at KC, 8:10 PM ET — Troy Melton vs Noah Cameron

Yesterday's Box Scores

Kansas City Royals 6, Athletics 2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Athletics	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	8	2
Kansas City Royals	1	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	x	6	12	0

W: Thomas L: Jump

Athletics	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	AVG
Bolte cf	5	0	1	0	0	2	.269
McNeil 1b	5	0	0	0	0	0	.261
Gelof lf	4	0	0	0	1	1	.269
Butler, L dh	3	1	2	0	1	0	.218
Muncy 3b	2	1	0	0	2	1	.216
Cortes rf	3	0	2	0	1	0	.260
Serven c	4	0	1	1	0	2	.205
Walton 2b	3	0	1	1	1	0	.281
Hernaiz ss	3	0	1	0	1	0	.236
Jump p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rashi p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blewett p	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Totals3228276

2B: Walton (12, Dobnak).
TB: Bolte; Butler, L 2; Cortes 2; Hernaiz; Serven; Walton 2.
RBI: Serven (8); Walton (17).
GIDP: Bolte; McNeil.
CS: Butler, L (4, 2nd base by Kimbrel/Maile).
E: Hernaiz (4, fielding); Muncy (4, fielding).
DP: 2 (Muncy-Walton-McNeil; Walton-Hernaiz-McNeil).

Athletics Pitchers	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Jump (L, 5-8)	4.0	8	5	5	3	3	4.83
Rashi	2.0	3	1	1	2	1	7.94
Blewett	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	2.60

IBB: Witt Jr. (by Jump).
Umpires: HP, Cory Blaser; 1B, John Bacon; 2B, Andy Fletcher; 3B, Alex Tosi. Weather: 80, Sunny. T: 2:58. A: 11,867. Kauffman Stadium.

Kansas City Royals	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	AVG
Loftin 3b	4	0	1	1	1	1	.231
Witt Jr. ss	4	3	2	1	1	0	.286
Garcia, M 3b	1	0	1	0	0	0	.269
Rave rf	4	0	0	0	0	2	.194
Perez, S 1b	5	1	3	1	0	0	.219
Pasquantino dh	3	0	1	0	1	0	.244
Collins lf	3	1	1	2	1	1	.227
Tolbert cf	3	0	0	0	1	0	.303
Massey 2b	4	1	3	1	0	0	.278
Maile c	4	0	0	0	0	2	.200
Dobnak p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Duran, C p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Thomas p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kimbrel p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Schreiber p	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Pearson p	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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2B: Garcia, M (18, Jump); Massey (21, Rashi).
3B: Loftin (2, Jump).
HR: Witt Jr. (16, 1st inning off Jump, 0 on, 1 out).
TB: Collins; Garcia, M 2; Loftin 3; Massey 4; Pasquantino; Perez, S 3; Witt Jr. 5.
RBI: Collins 2 (38); Loftin (36); Massey (43); Perez, S (56); Witt Jr. (48).
GIDP: Maile; Perez, S.
SB: Tolbert (18, 2nd base off Jump/Serven).
DP: 2 (Perez, S-Witt Jr.-Perez, S; Dobnak-Massey-Perez, S).

Kansas City Royals Pitchers	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Dobnak	4.0	6	0	0	4	4	1.58
Duran, C	0.1	1	2	2	3	0	13.50
Thomas (W, 1-1)	1.2	1	0	0	0	2	15.00
Kimbrel	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	4.26
Schreiber	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3.52
Pearson	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2.64