



MINOR LEAGUE REPORT

WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS (8): 1903, 1912, 1915, 1916, 1918, 2004, 2007, 2013
AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS (13): 1903, 1904, 1912, 1915, 1916, 1918, 1946, 1967, 1975, 1986, 2004, 2007, 2013
AMERICAN LEAGUE EAST DIVISION CHAMPIONS (9): 1975, 1986, 1988, 1990, 1995, 2007, 2013, 2016, 2017
AMERICAN LEAGUE WILD CARD (7): 1998, 1999, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009

Red Sox Minor League Recap: May

TRIPLE-A PAWTUCKET – INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE NORTH DIVISION (May: 13-17; Overall: 24-27, 6th, 5.0 GB)

Pitching notes: **LHP Jalen Beeks** was 1-2 with a 3.19 ERA (13 ER/36.2 IP) and .207 opponent AVG (28-for-135), tossing 6.0+ innings in 5 of his 6 starts during the month...**RHP Chandler Shepherd** allowed 1 or 0 earned runs in 4 of his 5 starts, posting a 2.22 ERA (7 ER/28.1 IP)...Shepherd surrendered just 1 home run in May...**RHP William Cuevas** tossed 6.0+ scoreless frames in 2 of his 5 starts: 6.0 IP on 5/4 at Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (NYY), 7.0 IP on 5/27 vs. Lehigh Valley (PHI)...Following an April in which he posted a 4.50 ERA, **RHP Justin Haley** had a 2.59 ERA (9 ER/31.1 IP) over 6 starts in May...**LHP Robby Scott** did not allow a run in 8 of his 9 appearances, all in relief (2.00 ERA, 2 ER/9.0 IP).

Batting notes: **IF Jordan Betts** hit .298 (25-for-84) with 6 doubles, 2 home runs, and 10 RBI, including .350 (18-for-50) over 14 games from 5/1-14...**INF Mike Olt** scored 14 runs over 26 games during the month...**OF Ramon Flores** recorded 4 RBI on 5/22 vs. Scranton/Wilkes-Barre, going 2-for-5 with a 3-run home run...It marked Flores' highest single-game RBI total since 8/7/13 with Double-A Trenton (NYY).

DOUBLE-A PORTLAND – EASTERN LEAGUE EASTERN DIVISION (May: 12-23; Overall: 18-34, 6th, 15.0 GB)

Pitching notes: **RHP Michael Shawaryn** allowed 2 earned runs or fewer in 3 straight starts from 5/19-30 (0-1, 2.65 ERA, 5 ER/17.0 IP)...**LHP Kyle Hart** was 2-1 with a 1.86 ERA (6 ER/29.0 IP) over 5 starts...Hart allowed 1 earned run over 7.0 innings on 5/22 and 1 earned run over a career-high 8.0 innings in his next start on 5/27.

Batting notes: **IF-OF Tony Renda** hit .367 (29-for-79) with 16 runs scored, 8 doubles, 2 home runs, and 10 RBI games during the month...Renda recorded an 11-game hitting streak from 5/6-15 (.479 AVG/23-for-48)...**OF Cole Sturgeon** hit .361 (22-for-61) with 9 runs, 5 doubles, 3 home runs, and 9 RBI over 14 games with Portland...Sturgeon had a .391 OBP and .590 SLG...Over 20 games with the Sea Dogs, **3B Jantzen Witte** hit .365 (27-for-74) with 12 runs, 9 doubles, 4 home runs, and 22 RBI...**SS Chad De La Guerra** hit .330 (31-for-94) in 22 games (16 R, 3 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 15 RBI).

SINGLE-A SALEM – CAROLINA LEAGUE SOUTHERN DIVISION (May: 12-15; Overall: 25-25, T-2nd, 1.5 GB)

Pitching notes: **RHP Daniel Gonzalez** was 3-0 with a 3.43 ERA (8 ER/21.0 IP) over 6 appearances (1 start) during the month...**LHP Matthew Gorst** converted all 5 of his save opportunities and posted a 2.53 ERA (3 ER/10.2 IP) over 9 relief appearances during the month...**RHP Tanner Houck** recorded a career-high 9 strikeouts on 5/8 vs. Winston-Salem (CWS).

Batting notes: **2B Brett Netzer** hit .413 (19-for-46) with 6 doubles and 7 RBI over a 12-game hitting streak from 5/7-25...**SS Santiago Espinal** also had a 12-game hitting streak during the month, batting .432 (19-for-44) with 2 doubles, 1 triple, 4 home runs, and 8 RBI from 5/1-13...On 5/24 at Frederick (BAL), **1B Jerry Downs** hit 2 home runs in his 1st career multi-HR contest on 5/24 at Frederick, and recorded a season-high 4 RBI...**SS C.J. Chatham** went 2-for-5 with a grand slam on 5/23 at Frederick as Salem scored a season-high 13 runs.

SINGLE-A GREENVILLE – SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE SOUTHERN DIVISION (May: 7-19; Overall: 13-38, 7th, 20.5 GB)

Pitching notes: **RHP Denyi Reyes** needed just 92 pitches to complete the first 9.0-inning shutout in the Drive's history on 5/28 vs. Columbia (NYM)...Over 6 starts during the month, Reyes was 2-2 with a 1.66 ERA (7 ER/38.0 IP), a .191 opponent AVG (26-for-136), and 0.79 WHIP...Reyes allowed 2 earned runs or fewer in each of his last 5 starts in May...**RHP Kutter Crawford** surrendered 2 ER or fewer in 4 straight starts from 5/5-23, and held a 2.20 ERA (7 ER/28.2 IP) over 5 starts during the month.

Batting notes: **OF Lorenzo Cedrola** hit .329 (27-for-82) during 20 games (12 R, 3 2B, 2 3B, 6 RBI), including 5 multi-hit games in his 7 games from 5/18-31...**OF Victor Acosta** lifted 5 home runs in 22 games after hitting just 1 over 16 games in April...After batting .191 in April, **OF Marino Campana** hit .280 (28-for-100) with 7 HR and 17 RBI (13 R, 4 2B, 2 3B)...**OF Kervin Suarez** hit .282 (24-for-85) over 23 games (12 R, 21 2B, 2 HR, 10 RBI).