

# AIR FORCE BASEBALL #AMERICASTEAM

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Feb. 16	at Mississippi State	3:00 pm MT
Feb. 17	at Mississippi State	3:00 pm MT
Feb. 18	at Mississippi State	12:00 pm MT
Feb. 19	at Southern Miss	3:00 pm MT
Feb. 23	vs. Navy^	4:00 pm MT
Feb. 24	vs. Navy^	4:00 pm MT
Feb. 25	vs. Navy^	4:00 pm MT
Feb. 26	at UNC-Wilmington	1:00 pm MT
Mar. 1	vs. Creighton%	1:00 pm MT
Mar. 2	vs. Army%	4:00 pm MT
Mar. 3	vs. Louisiana Tech%	3:00 pm MT
Mar. 5	at Auburn	5:00 pm MT
Mar. 6	at Auburn	3:00 pm MT
Mar. 8	at San Jose State*	7:00 pm MT
Mar. 9	at San Jose State*	3:00 pm MT
Mar. 10	at San Jose State*	1:00 pm MT
Mar. 15	vs. San Diego State*	2:00 pm MT
Mar. 16	vs. San Diego State*	1:00 pm MT
Mar. 17	vs. San Diego State*	12:00 pm MT
Mar. 19	at Texas	5:00 pm MT
Mar. 20	at Texas	3:00 pm MT
Mar. 22	at Fresno State*	7:00 pm MT
Mar. 23	at Fresno State*	4:00 pm MT
Mar. 24	at Fresno State*	2:00 pm MT
Mar. 26	at Saint Mary's (CA)	4:00 pm MT
Mar. 28	at Nevada*	7:00 pm MT
Mar. 29	at Nevada*	7:00 pm MT
Mar. 30	at Nevada*	1:00 pm MT
Apr. 2	vs. Northern Colo.	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 5	at UNLV*	7:00 pm MT
Apr. 6	at UNLV*	7:00 pm MT
Apr. 7	at UNLV*	1:00 pm MT
Apr. 9	vs. Northern Colo.	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 12	vs. Dallas Baptist	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 13	vs. Dallas Baptist	1:00 pm MT
Apr. 14	vs. Dallas Baptist	12:00 pm MT
Apr. 16	at Texas A&M	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 19	vs. New Mexico*	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 20	vs. New Mexico*	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 21	vs. New Mexico*	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 23	at Northern Colo.	TBA
Apr. 26	vs. Nevada*	3:00 pm MT
Apr. 27	vs. Nevada*	1:00 pm MT
Apr. 28	vs. Nevada*	12:00 pm MT
Apr. 30	at Northern Colo.	3:00 pm MT
May 3	vs. San Jose State*	3:00 pm MT
May 4	vs. San Jose State*	1:00 pm MT
May 5	vs. San Jose State*	12:00 pm MT
May 6	vs. South Dakota St.	1:00 pm MT
May 10	at San Diego State*	7:00 pm MT
May 11	at San Diego State*	7:00 pm MT
May 12	at San Diego State*	2:00 pm MT
May 16	vs. Fresno State*	3:00 pm MT
May 17	vs. Fresno State*	1:00 pm MT
May 18	vs. Fresno State*	12:00 pm MT

\* Denotes Mountain West Conference game

^ Freedom Classic - Grainger Stadium, Kinston, N.C.

% Battle at the Ballpark - Constellation Field, Sugar Land, TX

All times are in Mountain Time

Dates and times subject to change

## FALCONS TO OPEN 2024 IN MISSISSIPPI

*Air Force to greet blue-chip programs Mississippi State, Southern Miss for opening weekend*

### Schedule

Fri: at Mississippi State, 3:00 pm MT  
Sat: at Mississippi State, 3:00 pm MT  
Sun: at Mississippi State, 12:00 pm MT  
Mon: at Southern Miss, 3:00 pm MT

### Broadcast Information (Mississippi State)

Live Stream: SEC Network+  
Live Stats: StatBroadcast  
Twitter: @AF\_Baseball

### Series History (Mississippi State)

-The Falcons and Bulldogs have met only once, a three-game series in 2008.  
-Air Force were defeated 3-1 in the opener, won the second game 6-4, and were bested 16-8 in the rubber game.

### Broadcast Information (Southern Miss)

Live Stream: ESPN+  
Live Stats: StatBroadcast  
Twitter: @AF\_Baseball

### Series History (Southern Miss)

-Monday, February 19 will mark the first-ever meeting between the two schools.

### Pitching Probables (2023 Stats)

Fri: LHP Seungmin Shim (4-3, 7.38 ERA) vs. RHP Nate Dohm (6-4, 4.07 ERA)  
Sat: LHP Jack Bello (N/A) vs. RHP Khal Stephen (7-4, 5.21 ERA)  
Sun: RHP Ben Weber (2-3, 6.13 ERA) vs. BHP Jurrangelo Cijntje (3-5, 8.10 ERA)  
Mon: TBA vs. TBA

### Projected Lineup (2023 OPS)

1. R/R. Chase Spencer, CF (.858 OPS)  
2. S/R. Sam Kulasingam, 1B (1.192 OPS)  
3. L/R. Jay Thomason, 3B (1.161 OPS)  
4. L/R. Jake Greiving, DH (.852 OPS)  
5. R/R. Chris Stallings, LF (.697 OPS)  
6. R/R. Aerik Joe, SS (.723 OPS)  
7. R/R. T.J. Oster, 2B (.751 OPS)  
8. R/R. Zach Peters, RF (.250 OPS)  
9. R/R. Walker Zapp, C (.445 OPS)

### Key Returners

Air Force landed two Preseason All-Mountain West selections prior to the 2024 season, as both Sam Kulasingam and Jay Thomason were among the conference's preseason standout list.

Kulasingam, awarded his second-consecutive Preseason All-Mountain West, is the reigning two-time Tony Gwynn Mountain West Player of the Year, having slashed a staggering .426/.537/.655 in 59 games in 2023 to secure consecutive POTY honors. Kulasingam reached the 100-hit mark yet again in 2023, compiling a program record-tying 28 doubles while producing more than twice as many walks (50) than strikeouts (24). His 50 walks became a single season program record, eclipsing none other than Mike Kazlauskys's previous program-high of 44 walks set in 1989. As well, Kulasingam is the only player in Air Force history to record multiple 100-hit seasons. His on-base streak will stretch into his senior year, a streak that now spans 55-consecutive games.

Kulasingam led all Mountain West players in batting average (.426), doubles (28), walks (50), on-base percentage (.537), as his batting average closed as the fourth-highest figure in Division I following the conclusion of his spring. His 28 doubles was tied with Florida's Wyatt Langford, the 4th-overall pick in the 2023 MLB Draft, for the national lead in two-baggers. Kulasingam will also carry a 124-game played streak into his senior season as well as a 22-game hitting streak into the new year. Kulasingam was also named a Preseason All-American by Perfect Game and the NCBWA,

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### 2024 Quick Facts

#### General Information

Location..... Air Force Academy, CO.  
Founded..... 1954  
Enrollment..... 4,000  
Nickname..... Falcons  
Colors..... Blue and Silver  
Home Field/Capacity..... Erdle Field/1,000  
Surface..... Sport Turf  
Dimensions-LF/CF/RF..... 360/415/330  
Affiliation..... NCAA I  
Conference..... Mountain West  
Superintendent..... Lt. Gen. Richard M. Clark  
Athletic Director..... Nathan Pine

#### Coaching Staff

Head Coach..... Mike Kazlauskas  
Alma Mater/Year..... USAFA, 1991  
Record at School/Yrs..... 291-380/14  
Career Record/Yrs..... Same  
Baseball Office Phone..... 719-333-7914  
Assistant Coaches.....  
..... Drew LaComb (Hitting/Fielding)  
..... 1st year (Regis, 2016)  
..... Kyle Winkler (Pitching)  
..... 1st year (TCU, 2011)  
..... Tyler Dawson (Hitting/Fielding)  
..... 2nd year (Bridgewater College, 2019)

#### Team Information

All-Time Record/Yrs..... 1,256-1,639-3/66  
2023 Record..... 28-31  
2023 Conf. Record/Finish..... 17-13  
Letterwinners R/L..... 24/8  
Starters R/L..... 8/3  
Pitchers R/L..... 11/5  
Newcomers..... 14

#### Athletic Communications

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#### Mid-Week Interviews

All interview requests with Air Force players and coaches must be made through the Athletic Communications office. All requests with players and coaches must be made at least one day in advance. Air Force players are not available on game day prior to the game. The locker room, the training room, and the indoor hitting facility are off limits to the media. To schedule an interview, please call Nick Cicere at 719-333-3950.

#### Post-Game Interviews

Head coach Mike Kazlauskas and the Falcon players will be available to the media following a 10-minute cooling off period. Please direct requests for interviews to Nick Cicere in the press box prior to the conclusion of the game.

The AFA indoor hitting facility and locker room is closed to the media.

and was named to the Golden Spikes Preseason Watch List.

Thomason, with his second Preseason All-Conference honor under his belt, was as prolific a slugger as any in college baseball a season ago, as his 21 home runs led all players in the Mountain West. His 21 home runs this season saw him tie Mark Frankenberg for the most home runs in a single season in program history, becoming the first Air Force player to record 20+ home runs and 20+ doubles. The left-handed power bat also led the conference in total bases (164), slugging (.722), RBI (74), and was second only to Kulasingam in OPS (1.161). Thomason's 74 RBI places him in a timeshare with Nic Ready for the second-most RBI by an Air Force player in program history, as his 164 total bases are also second-most in the program's existence. The Auburn native (37 career home runs) will enter his first season at Air Force 14 home runs shy of the program record, as Ready's 50 career home runs remains the program benchmark. His on-base streak of 29-consecutive games remains alive at the start of 2024, as does his 12-game hitting streak. Thomason also drew Preseason All-American honors from the NCBWA.

Air Force also returns Jake Greiving, who has appeared in all but four games since the start of 2022. Nicknamed "The Bull", Greiving finished with a .297 batting average and .852 OPS in 2023, as his 24 doubles were tied for fifth-most in a single season in Air Force history. Those 24 doubles were second-most behind teammate Sam Kulasingam for second-most in the Mountain West, and were tied for fifth-most in Division I. Greiving drove in 62 runs, third-most in the Mountain West, while compiling 124 total bases, eighth-most among Mountain West players. As well, his 73 hits were seventh-most among Mountain West players, having also led the conference with seven sacrifice flies. One can expect to see Greiving as a fixture in the Air Force lineup yet again in 2024.

Chase Spencer, now a junior, appeared in all 59 games for the Falcons last season, leading the Mountain West with 18 steals in 20 attempts (90%). To go with a solid .858 OPS, Spencer's speed and athleticism will see him slotted into center field for the foreseeable future. He also carries a 28-game on-base streak into 2024.

Air Force will be thankful to lean on Aerik Joe as the Falcons everyday shortstop. The senior has started all but one game since 2022, and brings solid tools to both sides of the game. Joe led all Mountain West players with 165 assists, hitting .271 over the past two seasons. Joe also maintains a lofty on-base streak, a run that stands at 34-straight games to begin the 2024 campaign.

Rounding out the lineup, expect Chris Stallings to remain a regular feature for Air Force, as he brings speed, power, and capable defense to the corner outfield.

On the mound, Air Force will see the early tutelage of new pitching coach Kyle Winkler in action. Seung-min Shim will assume Friday duties to begin the year, as the 6'4" lefty brings 16 starts and 30 games of experience since the start of 2022. Shim managed to hold opponents to one or fewer earned runs in 10 of his 18 appearances last season. Shim led the Falcons with a 2.07 GB/FB ratio a season ago.

Doyle Gehring, after starting 15 of his 16 games last season, will transition into the closer role. Gehring does have experience in the bullpen, as he accumulated six saves as sophomore in 2022 prior to moving into the starting rotation at the end of that year. The 2023 Preseason All-Conference selection will bring an interesting arsenal to late-game situations, including a reported uptick in velocity to go with his high-level spin rates.

Ben Weber, who provided a calming presence on the mound as a freshman, will begin his sophomore season in the starting rotation. Weber, a sinker-slider righty, appeared in 21 games last season, including five starts. Weber holds an ideal profile for Erdle Field, as the freshman sported a 1.63 groundball-flyball ratio in 2023.

Though Dylan Rogers will not be immediately available to start the 2024 season, the junior will be expected to return to the mound early this spring. Rogers has totaled 120.1 IP since debuting as a freshman in 2022, owning a 1.78 GB/FB ratio in 2023.

The Falcons will also bring back key relievers such as Kyle Moats, who has 24 career appearances in his first three seasons at Air Force. Zach Peters will also be a mainstay in both the lineup and out of the bullpen, as the junior made 17 appearances out of the bullpen a season ago. Fan can expect to see more out of Jimmy Hebenstreit, who drew rave reports following his work in the fall.

### Key Losses

Air Force will have to figure out life without such arms as Jake Sansing and Sawyer Hawks, two All-Conference selections from 2023.

Sansing led the Falcons starting arms with a 4.29 ERA and a team-best 79.2 innings last season. Air Force's Friday right-hander owned a 2.0 K/BB ratio with a team-high 7 wins.

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Hawks, a formidable closer, transferred to Vanderbilt. The righty led the Falcons in strikeouts (70), saves (8), opponent average (.214), and WHIP (1.32).

In the lineup and on defense, the Falcons will no longer trot out such players as Blake Covin and Trayden Tamiya, two elite-level defenders.

Tamiya was named a national Gold Glove recipient to stamp his reputation as the country's premier second baseman. The award, presented by the American Baseball Coaches Association in conjunction with Rawlings, was the first such honor to be awarded to an Air Force player. Tamiya routinely dazzled attending audiences with his defensive work up the middle. The Hawaiian's .992 fielding percentage was easily the highest mark among all Mountain West middle infielders, as Tamiya recorded just two errors in 243 chances at second base. Also responsible for 26 double plays, Tamiya's 164 assists were second in the Mountain West, trailing teammate Aerik Joe by a single out despite 26 fewer fielding opportunities. Tamiya also had his most impactful season at the plate, as his 82 hits were second-most in the Mountain West Conference. Tamiya managed a .329 batting average, the seventh-best mark among Mountain West players in 2023.

Covin, who played 175 career games for the Falcons, left an endearing legacy with his speed and prowess in center field. The now Second-Lieutenant compiled 36 career stolen bases with a career .262/.368/.360 slash to go with his elite-level defense.

Air Force also graduated the likes of Duke Bengie, Ryan Stohr, Matt Thompson, and Jason Shuger, all of whom combined for 219 games worth of playing time.

### Keep A Look Out

The Falcons' depth can only bring about curiosity, as tools abound serve as a glimpse into Air Force's future...and potentially its present.

The coaching staff will lean on such young players as T.J. Oster, who can expect to see much more playing time in 2024. Oster, an Arizona product, performed admirably in limited stints as a freshman, posting a .316 average in 19 at-bats. He brings a prototypical middle infielder profile to the 2024 lineup. Another sophomore, Charlie Jones, is also slated to see more plate appearances, as the hulking sophomore's power bat will surely be deployed often this spring. Jack Bello, who will be starting Saturday for the Falcons against Mississippi State, brings a bit of two-way excitement, as the Floridian won't be limited following a season-long injury his freshman year.

Walker Zapp took control of the catching job towards the end of last spring, and will hold on to it begin his sophomore campaign. The coaching staff has raved about Zapp's defensive abilities, and a step forward offensively is certainly not out of the question.

A handful of young arms were given of taste of college baseball last season, a roster of players that includes Joey Collier and Cooper Loveridge. The Air Force coaching staff was pleased with their progress in the fall, which should result in more appearances this spring.

The coaching staff has also brought up freshmen names such as Sam Hentges, Gaines Estridge, Patrick Davidson, and Bowen Brantingham as potential immediate contributors.

### On Deck

Following the weekend in Mississippi, Air Force will be licking its chops for a crack at Navy, as the Falcons and Midshipmen will meet for the annual Freedom Classic in Kinston, North Carolina. The three-game series is slated to begin February 23.

# Air Force Baseball 2024 Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School	Cadet Squadron
1	Jay Thomason	IF	6-1	200	Sr.	Auburn, AL / Auburn	11 / Rebeleven
2	T.J. Oster	IF	5-9	170	So.	Phoenix, AZ / Valley Christian	23 / Barnstormers
3	Chase Spencer	OF/RHP	6-1	180	Jr.	Plano, TX / Plano West	36 / Pink Panthers
4	Zach Peters	UT/RHP	5-9	170	Jr.	Garden Grove, CA / Los Alamitos	21 / Blackjacks
5	Sam Kulasingam	IF	6-2	185	Sr.	Holly Springs, N.C. / Holly Springs	27 / Thunderbirds
6	Connor Christenson	IF	5-10	165	Fr.	Cincinnati, OH / Archbishop Moeller	8 / Eagle Eight
9	Dylan Rogers	RHP	6-3	190	Jr.	McKinney, TX / McKinney North	4 / Fightin' Fourth
10	Tripp Garrish	OF	6-1	210	So.	Belmont, CA / Carlmont	40 / Warhawks
11	Charlie Jones	1B	6-3	215	So.	Cumming, GA / Kings Ridge Christian	15 / War Eagles
12	Christian Taylor	UT	5-11	180	Fr.	Davidson County, TN / Green Hill	37 / Animalistic Skyraiders
13	Cam Anstey	UT	6-1	185	Fr.	Winter Garden, FL / Monteverde Academy / USAFA Prep	21 / Blackjacks
16	Ben Niednagel	IF	5-9	160	So.	Santa Clarita, CA / Hart	11 / Rebeleven
17	Aaron Reyes	C	5-11	186	Jr.	Downey, CA / St. John Bosco	39 / Jedi Knights
18	Ben Weber	RHP	6-1	200	So.	St. Paul, MN / Cretin-Derham Hall	35 / Wild Weasels
19	Joey Collier	LHP	6-0	195	So.	Surprise, AZ / Paradise Honors	22 / Raptors
20	Aerik Joe	SS	5-10	180	Sr.	Elgin, SC / Groves	16 / Chicken Hawks
21	Jaxson Crump	RHP	6-0	175	Jr.	Sarasota, FL / Sarasota	40 / Warhawks
22	Chris Stallings	OF	6-0	180	Sr.	Houston, TX / The Kinkaid School	37 / Animalistic Skyraiders
23	Jack Bello	LHP/1B	6-3	205	So.	Palm Beach Gardens, FL / Cardinal Newman	27 / Thunderbirds
24	Walker Zapp	C	5-11	200	So.	Auburn, AL / Auburn	24 / Phantoms
25	Jake Greiving	OF/DH	5-9	195	Sr.	Parker, CO / Legend	31 / Grim Reapers
26	Cooper Loveridge	RHP	6-3	215	So.	Salem, UT / Salem Hills	37 / Animalistic Skyraiders
27	Sam Hentges	LHP	6-2	205	Fr.	Seal Beach, CA / St. John Bosco	2 / Deuce
28	Connor Bartz	IF	5-11	175	Fr.	Temple, TX / Lake Belton	29 / Black Panthers
29	Luke Elmore	OF	6-0	195	Fr.	Panama City, FL / Mosley	38 / All-Stars
30	Doyle Gehring	RHP	6-2	195	Sr.	Tulsa, OK / Bishop Kelley	11 / Rebeleven
31	Van Klein	C	6-0	180	Fr.	Flower Mound, TX / Marcus	36 / Pink Panthers
32	Kyle Moats	LHP	6-2	185	Sr.	Fresno, CA / St. John Bosco	21 / Blackjacks
33	Patrick Davidson	RHP	6-4	210	Fr.	Auburn, AL / Auburn	9 / Viking Nine
34	Landon Boyd	C	6-0	195	Jr.	Parker, CO / Sandra Day O'Connor / Navarro College	36 / Pink Panthers
35	Gio Sambito	RHP	6-2	180	Fr.	Irvine, CA / Arnold O. Beckham	29 / Black Panthers
36	Gaines Estridge	RHP	6-2	215	Fr.	Fort Worth, TX / Covenant Christian Academy	40 / Warhawks
37	Jimmy Hebenstreit	LHP	6-1	185	Sr.	Littleton, CO / Heritage	6 / Bull Six
38	Ethan Dillinger	LHP	6-1	180	Fr.	Erie, CO / Erie	19 / Starship 19
39	Charlie Russell	RHP	6-5	205	Fr.	Columbus, OH / Bishop Ready	16 / Chicken Hawks
40	Seungmin Shim	LHP	6-4	195	Sr.	Pleasanton, CA / Foothill	1 / Mighty Mach One
44	Davis Rhyne	RHP	6-5	195	Fr.	Harrisburg, NC / Hickory Ridge	14 / Cobras
45	Bowen Brantingham	RHP	6-3	215	Fr.	St. Louis, MO / John Burroughs	18 / Nightriders

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29	Luke Elmore	OF	6-0	195	Fr.	Panama City, FL / Mosley	
30	Doyle Gehring	RHP	6-2	195	Sr.	Tulsa, OK / Bishop Kelley	G-Air-ing
31	Van Klein	C	6-0	180	Fr.	Flower Mound, TX / Marcus	
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39	Charlie Russell	RHP	6-5	205	Fr.	Columbus, OH / Bishop Ready	
40	Seungmin Shim	LHP	6-4	195	Sr.	Pleasanton, CA / Foothill	Sung-Min Shim
44	Davis Rhyne	RHP	6-5	195	Fr.	Harrisburg, NC / Hickory Ridge	
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## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY FACT SHEET

Information obtained via USAFA Fact Sheet at [www.af.mil](http://www.af.mil)

### Nominations

Nominations to the academy may be obtained through a congressional sponsor or by meeting eligibility criteria in other categories of competition established by law.

### Freshmen

- All new cadets begin with six weeks of basic cadet training (BCT) in their first summer prior to classes.

### Summer Training

- Summer training for cadets is divided into three, three-week training periods. There are a variety of programs available, and each cadet is required to complete two training periods each summer with leave during the other period.

- Combat survival training (CST) is a required three-week program during cadets' second summer. For other second-summer training periods, cadets have options such as working with young airmen in an operational unit at an Air Force installation, airborne parachute training, soaring or basic free-fall parachute training.

- During their last two summers, all cadets are offered leadership training as supervisors or instructors in summer programs, such as basic cadet training, survival training, freefall parachuting and soaring.

### Graduation

- Each cadet graduates with a bachelor of science degree and a commission as a second lieutenant in the Air Force.

### History

In 1948 a board of leading civilian and military educators was appointed to plan the curriculum for an academy that would meet the needs of the newly established Air Force. The board determined that Air Force requirements could not be met by expanding the other service academies and recommended an Air Force academy be established without delay.

In 1949, then Secretary of the Air Force W. Stuart Symington appointed a commission to assist in selecting a site and on April 1, 1954, President Dwight D. Eisenhower authorized creation of the United States Air Force Academy. After considering 580 sites in 45 states, the commission narrowed the choice to three locations. The summer of 1954, Secretary of the Air Force Harold Talbott selected a site near Colorado Springs, Colo. Colorado contributed \$1 million toward purchase of the property.

In July 1955, the first academy class entered interim facilities at Lowry Air Force Base, Denver, while construction began. It was sufficiently completed for occupancy by the cadet wing in late August 1958. Initial construction cost was \$142 million.

Women entered the academy on June 28, 1976, as members of the class of 1980.



### The Honor Code

*"We Will Not Lie, Steal Or Cheat, Nor Tolerate Among Us Anyone Who Does"*

The Air Force Academy Honor Code was formally adopted in 1956 by the first graduating class, the Class of 1959. It was then, and continues to be today, a minimum standard of conduct which cadets expect of themselves and their fellow cadets.

### Cadet Pay

U.S. Air Force Academy cadets earn \$846 a month in basic pay that covers the costs of uniforms, books and supplies, with a modest amount left for personal spending and a savings account.

### A Day In The Life of an Air Force Academy Cadet

Below is a typical day at the Academy for a senior cadet

- 0630 Wakeup
- 0645-0650 Morning Formation/Officer Development
- 0700-0723 Breakfast
- 0730-1123 Class
- 1138-1155 March to Lunch
- 1200-1220 Mandatory Lunch
- 1230-1315 Military Training Period
- 1400-1645 Baseball practice
- 1700-1800 Weight Room
- 1830-1900 Dinner
- 1930-2300 Homework
- 2300-0630 Lights out

### After Graduation

#### Base Pay

The typical base pay per month after graduation is more than \$3,100. The salary increases as rank increases.

- \* All health care is provided, so there is no pay-check deduction for medical or dental care.
- \* Specialty career fields (aviation, medical, etc.) receive bonus pay on top of their annual salary.

### Military Commitment

- Although it depends on your job, basic service requirement is five years after graduation.
- All graduates begin their military career as 2nd Lieutenants.

### Flying

- Basic pilot and UAV Pilot (Drones) service requirement is 10 years.
- Pilots must undergo undergraduate pilot training (UPT) prior to actual service time.
- Pilots will undergo 1-4 years of UPT depending on aircraft (transport, fighter, etc.).

### More Facts & Figures

- USAFA education is valued at \$445,000
- Cost of education is 42,000 per year
- Rated #1 academic school in the West for three consecutive years by U.S. News & World Report.
- Rated #1 undergraduate business management program by U.S. News & World Report.
- Rated #2 aeronautical and astronautical engineering school by U.S. News & World Report.
- Ranked #2 (behind Stanford) in NCAA Postgraduate scholarships.
- There are currently 4,000 cadets at the Air Force Academy.



# Major Retired Mike Kazlauskas 14th Season

Mike Kazlauskas enters his 14th year as Air Force baseball head coach in 2024. Kazlauskas was named head baseball coach on June 2, 2011. Kazlauskas retired from active duty, effective June 1, 2011, and his interim tag was lifted to official head coach status. A former player and Academy graduate, Kazlauskas epitomizes what it means to don the Falcon baseball Blue and White.

Kazlauskas, known as "Coach Kaz" is a 1991 Academy graduate and has also logged six years as an assistant coach at the Academy. He is the first Academy graduate to become head baseball coach at Air Force and was the program's first military coach since 1988.

Kazlauskas retired with the rank of major after 20 years of meritorious service with the U.S. Air Force. As the interim head coach in 2011, Kazlauskas led the Falcons to a 19-36 overall record, leading the program to the most wins since 2002. The 19 wins were also the second-most in school history against Division I opponents and the most Division I wins by a first-year head coach at the Academy.

The Falcons fell one win away from repeating as conference champions in 2023, as Air Force suffered a 12-9 loss in the Mountain West Championship Game. However, the 2023 team helped to illuminate the unique success of the year before. Sam Kulasingam, named the Tony Gwynn Mountain West Player of the Year for the second-consecutive season, became the first player in Falcons history to record at least 100 hits multiple times. Air Force concluded the 2023 season with a 28-31 record, as the Falcons 17 conference wins were second-most in program history. Air Force's five All-Conference selections now stand as a program best.

On April 29, 2023, a 12-3 win over San Jose State saw Kazlauskas pass Joe Robison as the all-time wins leader at Air Force, notching his 283rd win as the Falcons skipper.

The 2022 season was a cascade of accolades for the Falcons, as Air Force clinched its first Mountain West Championship following three-consecutive wins at the conference tournament in San Diego. The Falcons eventually played in their first NCAA Regional in Austin, Texas, where Air Force reached the Regional Final before falling to host Texas.

The Falcons concluded the 2022 spring with a 32-29 record, the second-most wins in program history and the most overall victories since joining the Mountain West in 2000. Air Force set a myriad of program-bests in 2022, including the most home runs in a single season (95), as well as the most strikeouts ever by the Falcons pitching staff (455). Sophomore Sam Kulasingam was named the Mountain West Player of the Year, becoming the first Falcon to receive the award. Kulasingam's 109 hits in 2022 are the most-ever by an Air Force player in a single season. Sophomore Paul Skenes received Mountain West Co-Pitcher of the Year honors. He recorded a 7-1 mark on the mound in conference action with a league-best 2.40 ERA and 56 strikeouts in 10 starts.

Among the accolades received upon the commencement of the 2022 season, Skenes was named the John Olerud Two-Way Player of the Year, as well as a First Team All-American via such publications as Baseball America, D1Baseball, Collegiate Baseball News, and Perfect Game. Skenes was also honored as a First Team All-American by the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association in addition to being named a First Team All-Region selection by the American Baseball Coaches Association. Skenes continued his play into the summer as a member of the USA Baseball Collegiate National Team.

After a sterling 2022 season, Kulasingam was also honored by various organizations, having been named a First Team All-Region selection by the ABCA, as well as a Third Team All-American by Collegiate Baseball News. Jay Thomason received First Team All-Mountain West honors while Gabriel Garcia was named Second Team All-Conference. Thomason led the Falcons with 16 home runs, the most by any player in the MW in 2022. Garcia managed a 1.066 OPS in 61 games, clubbing 15 home runs to help collect 161 total bases. Air Force finished 9th in the country in batting average (.312), 4th in doubles (148), 10th in hits (697), and 14th in runs scored (507).

In the classroom, Air Force produced 13 All-Mountain West Academic Team selections, as well as eight Mountain West Scholar Athletes.

In the Falcons first full season after the COVID-19 pandemic, Air Force returned to play great baseball, posting a 26-22 overall record, the most wins by Air Force since 1993. The Falcons 18-16 Mountain West record stands as the best conference record in program history. The Falcons knocked off two top-15 teams for the first time since

2010 (#7 LSU & #13 Arizona) while going 10-7 against teams who made the 2021 NCAA Tournament. The Falcons picked up four wins against teams that advanced to Super Regional play (LSU, Arizona, Dallas Baptist). Over the course of the year, Air Force owned winning streaks of six and eight consecutive games over MW opponents, the longest winning streaks over MW opponents in program history. Air Force finished fourth in the MW standings, tied for the highest finish in the MW in program history. Paul Skenes and John Byrnes earned First Team All-Conference honors, with Braydon Altorfer being named Second Team All-Conference.

Freshman dynamo Paul Skenes was named the MW Freshman of the Year, as well as having been named a consensus First Team All-American after being named to three lists (Collegiate Baseball News, Baseball America, NCBWA). Skenes also earned Co-Freshman of the Year honors from CBN, was named the District 8 Player of the Year by the NCBWA, and was one of 25 semifinalists for the Golden Spikes Award. In the MW, Air Force was ranked top-three in eight offensive categories, while also top-three in strikeouts, saves (1st), pick-offs, fielding percentage, and runners caught stealing (1st). Nationally as a team, the Falcons ranked second in doubles/game (2.62), ninth in total doubles (126), 17th in batting average (.302), and 32nd in slugging (.468).

In an abbreviated 2020 season, which was canceled after 19 games due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Kazlauskas still had plenty of highlights. It started with his 200th win as Air Force's head man after a 7-3 win over rival Army West Point, Feb. 29. Kaz became just the second AF baseball coach to reach the 200 win milestone. As a team, Air Force finished the season second in the country in stolen bases, eighth in doubles, ninth in double plays, and 43rd in hits. Three players were named All-MW Conference, including senior Ashton Easley, who went on to be signed by the Miami Marlins organization. Easley is the seventh former Falcon to go on to play professional baseball under Kaz's tutelage.

The 2019 season saw the Falcons conclude the season with a 26-26 record, as well as a 12-14 record in MW play. It is the third time in the last four seasons Air Force has finished .500 or above, as well as the fourth season in a row with 12 conference wins. Four players were named All-Conference in catcher Rob Dau on the first team, and Nic Ready, Ashton Easley, and Jake Gilbert on the second team.

With four players honored, it marked the third time in the last four seasons Air Force has had four players earn all-conference accolades, joining the 2016 and 2017 teams. It is also the fourth straight season the Falcons have had at least one player named to the first team, the first time that has happened in program history. Kaz also saw the final chapter of one of his finest recruiting classes at the Academy, as the Class of 2019 finished with 107 wins, making them the winningest senior class in Academy history. In addition, 2019 graduate Nic Ready set new program career-best marks in games played (217), at bats (917), hits (300), home runs (50), RBIs (224), and total bases (544). He also finished second in career doubles (76) and third in career runs scored (190). This parlayed Ready into a 23rd round selection in the 2019 MLB Draft by the Miami Marlins. In addition, Gilbert was also signed as an undrafted free agent by the Cincinnati Reds organization.

In 2018, Kaz continued the momentum of the Air Force program, posting a 24-30 record to record the fourth 20-win season in a row. It is the first time that has happened at Air Force since recording eight straight from 1988-1995. He surpassed his mentor Paul Manieri for second on the all-time wins list at the Academy, with 171. The Falcon offense remain near the top of the national leaders in most offensive categories, ranking in the top 15 in batting average, doubles, scoring, slugging, and triples. They were also one of the most efficient fielding teams, ranking ninth in double plays and 41st in fielding percentage. He guided Nic Ready to one of the best single offensive seasons in program history, as he was named third team All-American, the 13th in program history and fifth under his leadership. In addition, he had two All-MW Conference honorees in Ready and Rob Dau, who were both also named All-Region.

The 2017 season had many highlights for Air Force. The Falcons posted a 27-26 season, marking back-to-back seasons over .500 for the first time since 1994-95. Air Force also produced two All-Americans in seniors Adam Groesbeck (3rd team OF) and Bradley Haslam (3rd team 3B), an Academic All-American in senior OF Russell Williams and a MLB Draft Pick in Groesbeck (38th round - Atlanta Braves). Air Force produced four all-conference players, including two first team. The Falcons had a banner year offensively, leading the nation in six offensive categories, including batting average (.344), doubles (153) and slugging (.545).

Air Force put together one of its best teams in program history in 2016. The Falcons





posted a 30-27 record and made a deep run through the Mountain West Championship, finishing third. Falcons had the second most wins in a season in program history and for the second-straight season, set a program record for most Div. I game wins. Air Force had four all-Mountain West honorees, including the conference co-pitcher of the year in junior righthander Griffin Jax and the conference co-freshman of the year in 3B/DH Nic Ready. Jax and junior left fielder Tyler Jones earned All-America honors, while Ready earned freshman All-American honors. Air Force had two junior pitchers picked in the MLB draft, as Jax was a third-round selection of the Minnesota Twins and junior LHP Jacob DeVries went in the 38th round to the Cleveland Indians. The Falcons also got it done in the classroom as well, garnering eight MW all-academic honors including junior first baseman Russell Williams, who earned Academic All-America honors.

The 2015 season showed Air Force's continued upswing as an emerging program. The Falcons went 23-29 for its winningest season since 2002. The 22 wins over Div. I opponents set a new program record. Kazlauskys guided the Falcons to its second-ever win over an SEC school with their win over Missouri. Coach Kaz also had his second-ever MLB draft pick, when senior RHP Ben Yokley was selected by the St. Louis Cardinals in the 29th round. In 2015, Kazlauskys also became Air Force's winningest coach in the Mountain West era. The 2015 team set 25 school records (individual, team, conference), including best fielding percentage (.966), lowest team ERA in conference play (5.06) and lowest ERA in MW play by a pitcher (Trent Monaghan - 3.65). Kazlauskys had three all-conference performers in outfielders Adam Groesbeck, Spencer Draws and pitcher Griffin Jax. In addition, the Falcons excelled in the classroom, with seven MW all-academic selection and an academic all-district honoree in outfielder Russell Williams. The Falcons also sent a player to the prestigious Cape Cod wood bat summer league as pitcher Jacob DeVries played for the Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox.

In 2014, Kazlauskys guided the Falcons to its best season in over a decade, posting a 20-34 record. The Falcons reached the 20 win mark for the first time since 2002 and its 19 wins over Div. I opponents is tied for the third-most ever in school history. Kazlauskys produced his first Freshman All-American in outfielder Tyler Jones, who earned Louisville Slugger Freshman All-American honors. Jones also earned All-Mountain West honors, becoming the first Air Force freshman to earn all-conference honors in 23 years, dating back to 1991. Air Force was 4-2 against ranked teams in 2014, earning its first-ever series sweep of a ranked team, when it swept #20 UNLV in a three-game series.

drafted in senior catcher Garrett Custons, who was a 10th round draft pick of the Toronto Blue Jays. Custons was also one of 15 semifinalists for the Johnny Bench Award. Falcon baseball also continued to excel in the classroom, producing a school-record eight Academic All-Conference players.

In 2012, Air Force went 14-39 with a young team that often times started as many as five freshmen in the field. The Falcons posted a 6.10 team ERA that was the second-lowest in the past 30 years. The Falcons featured two All-Mountain West selections in junior catcher Garrett Custons and sophomore designated hitter Seth Kline. The Falcons also posted their first winning season at home since 2002 and defeated a Big 12 school (Kansas) for the first time since 2001. In addition, Air Force set a school record with 46 sacrifice bunts.

In his first year, Kazlauskys led Air Force to its first win over a Pac 10 school in 21 years and its first four-game sweep since 2003. The team fielded .960 to set a new school record. Sophomore Garrett Custons earned First-Team All-Mountain West honors by ranking in the conference top 10 in 11 categories. Sophomore right-hander Sean Carley posted one of the best seasons ever by a Falcon pitcher, earning second-team All-MW honors, the first Falcon pitcher to earn all-conference honors since 2002. Carley posted a 3.94 earned run average, the lowest at the Academy in 28 years. His 4.10 ERA in conference games set a school record in the Mountain West era. Air Force lowered its team ERA by over five runs a game from the 2010 season (11.31 to 6.09). The 6.09 team ERA was the lowest at Air Force in 29 years, dating back to 1982.

"This is my school and no one is more proud than I to have gone through the Academy and to have served for 20 years in the Air Force," Kazlauskys said. "I look forward to having the opportunity to continue to represent our United States Air Force Academy! It is a tremendous honor and a privilege to be associated with the Academy and the Air Force as the Head Baseball Coach. I have a great understanding of all the pillars at the Academy, and I truly understand the mission of the Academy and the Air Force. Our job, as a staff, is to ensure success not only on the baseball field but in all facets of the Academy and that each young man is ready to lead our great country upon graduation!"

As one of the most inspirational and emotional players to ever wear the Air Force baseball uniform, Kazlauskys came to USAFA baseball as a walk-on and started all four years. At the time of his graduation, he held eight career records and still ranks among the top 10 in seven all-time offensive categories. A two-time all-Western Athletic Conference (WAC) selection, Kazlauskys led the Falcons in batting in 1989 and 1991.

After a standout baseball career with the Falcons, "Kaz" spent three seasons from 1993 to 1995 as an assistant coach to former Falcon head coach Paul Mainieri, the now-retired Hall-of-Fame. During this time, the Falcons posted three consecutive winning seasons. The 1994 team led the nation in batting average, slugging percentage and triples. The 1995 team won 29 games, the second most in school history. After leaving the Academy in the summer of 1995, Kaz spent four years at Charleston Air Force Base, S.C., as a pilot in the C-17 aircraft.

He later returned to the Academy in the fall of 2000 as a TG4 and T-41/C-150 evaluator pilot in the 94th Flying Training Squadron. In addition to his flight duties, he also served as the volunteer baseball coach for the Falcons as well as the Preparatory School head baseball coach. During his tenure, the 2002 Falcon team set the school record for most Div. I victories and two Falcon players were drafted into the minor leagues. Kazlauskys then returned back to Charleston Air Force Base in 2004. He spent the next two and a half years as a C-17 pilot actively serving in the War on Terror, before returning to the Academy from 2006-2008 for this third tour as an assistant baseball coach. Kazlauskys spent 2010 as an Air Officer Commanding (AOC) for cadet squadron 12 at the Academy.

In 2007, Kazlauskys was inducted to the Lake County Hall of Fame in Lake County, Ill., for outstanding achievement. In 2008, he was inducted into the 14th Airlift Squadron Hall of Fame in Charleston, S.C..

Coach Kaz and his wife, Kris, live in Monument, CO. Kaz's daughter Sam graduated from USAFA in 2022, while their son Mick begins his sophomore year as a Falcon in 2023.



# Hitting Coach

## Drew LaComb

### 1st Season

Drew LaComb enters his first season in the role of hitting coach and offensive coordinator for the Falcons, as he joins Air Force having previously served as the head coach of Regis University for four seasons. The Rangers were an impressive 87-77-1 during his tenure as skipper.

Regis continued its steady progression under LaComb in 2023 as the team reached the RMAC Tournament championship game for the first time since 2012, falling to nationally No. 1 ranked Colorado Mesa. The Rangers, who tied the school record for the longest winning streak (13) during the spring, finished the 2023 season with a 31-24 overall record and in third place in the RMAC regular season standings. The 2023 squad set the program record for runs scored (517) and saw first baseman Matt Marlow become the program's first All-American selection since 2018.

The year prior, LaComb was named the RMAC Coach of the Year in 2022 after leading the Rangers to the program's best regular season finish in the RMAC standings (2nd) since joining the conference in 1997. Regis posted a record of 27-24-1 overall and 20-12 in conference. The team had three players (Justin Kleinsorge, Colten Chase and Roger Riley) all earn All-Conference honors, while Kleinsorge went on to be named Second Team All-Region. Academically, the Rangers had 21 student-athletes earn RMAC academic recognition while the team won the 2021-22 RMAC Brechler Award for the highest team GPA in the conference (3.433).

In the spring of 2021, LaComb and the Regis University baseball team finished the season 21-19 with a 17-17 record inside of the RMAC. The team opened the season winning 10-straight games, which is now cemented as the best start in program history. Regis qualified for the RMAC Tournament where they matched up with three-seed University of Colorado-Colorado Springs. After falling to UCCS, RU's tournament hopes came to an end at the hands of #1 ranked Colorado Mesa University in the second game of the RMAC Tournament (double-elimination). During the regular season, Regis reached as high as sixth in the NCBWA South Central Regional Poll.

LaComb guided the Rangers to an 8-10 record overall during his first season, including a 4-0 record at home on account of a four-game sweep over Northern State from Feb. 28-March 1. Additionally, 11 student-athletes made the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference (RMAC) All-Academic Honor Roll under his watch.

Prior to taking the helm at Regis, he served as an assistant coach for three years at RU. During his first two years, LaComb helped the Rangers secure three All-Conference, one All-Region, and one national Gold Glove selection. He has helped coach nine additional All-Conference players.

Before being an assistant coach, LaComb was a standout player at RU (2014-16), bolstering a career batting average of .361, which ranks 18th all-time in Rangers baseball history. In addition, he was a coach at the Catalyst Baseball Club, located in Golden, Colo., and an instructor at the Las Vegas Baseball Academy in Las Vegas, Nev.

LaComb spent two seasons at Mesa Community College in Mesa, Ariz., before joining Regis. He was named captain of the MCC team that won the NJCAA Division II National title in 2014 with a 52-13 record.

He will be accompanied by his wife Kelsey to Colorado Springs.



# Pitching Coach Kyler Winkler 1st Season

Kyle Winkler, an accomplished hurler for the TCU Horned Frogs during his playing days, will enter his first season at Air Force and assume the role of pitching coach for the Falcons in 2024.

The former right-hander helped oversee a Horned Frogs pitching staff that was instrumental in guiding TCU to a trip to the College World Series in 2023, finishing as a national semifinalist. Winkler, assigned the role of bullpen coach in 2023, contributed to the efforts of five TCU relievers to post sub-3.00 ERA's in the spring. The Horned Frogs managed a team ERA of 4.64, the third-best mark in the Big XII and 46th among 295 Division I programs.

Winkler returned to Fort Worth in 2022 as the volunteer assistant. He also served as a student assistant for the 2019 campaign while completing his undergraduate degree.

Upon his return to TCU, Winkler was tasked with guiding the pitching corps. The group produced four draft picks while two (Luke Savage and River Ridings) were invited to the USA Baseball Collegiate National Team. Five members of the TCU pitching staff were drafted in the summer of 2023, including two (Ryan Vanderhei and Cam Brown) in the 10th round.

In his first stint on campus, Winkler served as the bullpen coach during the 2019 campaign. TCU put together a 34-28 record and advanced to the championship game of the NCAA Fayetteville (Arkansas) Regional. He helped in mentoring 1st-round draft pick Nick Lodolo to an All-American season.

Winkler also spent two seasons at Incarnate Word. Prior to the unexpected shutdown of the 2020 season, the Cardinals were off to a 9-7 start and had a team ERA of 4.75. The 2021 season saw the Cardinal finish with a 21-28 record. His staff produced a 2.01 K:BB ratio.

Winkler was a standout on the baseball field in his three years at TCU. A 2011 All-American, Winkler was twice an All-Mountain West Conference performer in addition to earning a spot on the 2010 USA Baseball Collegiate National Team. Five times in his career, he was voted the Mountain West Pitcher of the Week. Following his junior campaign, Winkler was drafted in the 10th round of the 2011 MLB Draft by the Arizona Diamondbacks.

As a freshman in 2009, Winkler was a key contributor in a starting role on TCU's first-ever NCAA Super Regional team. He made 14 starts as part of 17 appearances and boasted a 7-1 record to go along with a 4.15 ERA in 73 2/3 innings pitched.

In 2010, Winkler spearheaded an impressive starting rotation in helping the Horned Frogs to their first-ever College World Series appearance. In 19 starts, he posted a 12-3 record with a 3.39 ERA. Winkler was the winning pitcher in Game 3 of the Austin Super Regional, holding Texas to just five hits in 7 2/3 innings of work.

His final season at TCU saw him make 14 appearances, 13 starts, and boast a miniscule 1.39 ERA in 90 2/3 innings pitched. He posted a career-high 99 strikeouts and put up an 8-2 record.

For his career, Winkler was 27-6 in 50 appearances. He tossed five complete games and amassed 239 strikeouts in 281 innings of work. Winkler had a career ERA of 2.95.

Winkler spent seven seasons in professional baseball playing in the Arizona Diamondbacks, Los Angeles Dodgers and Tampa Bay Rays' organizations. He made 20 starts as part of 215 career appearances on the mound. In 352 innings pitched, Winkler fanned 345 batters and boasted an ERA of 4.50.

Winkler will be joined by his wife, Stephanie, and daughter, Kole.





## Assistant Coach Tyler Dawson 2nd Season

Tyler Dawson enters his second season in the Air Force dugout in 2024 after his tutelage helped guide the Falcons to a 28-win season in his inaugural campaign.

Working with hitters and infielders, Dawson saw Sam Kulasingam nab his second-consecutive Tony Gwynn Mountain West Player of the Year honor after slashing a staggering .426/.537/.655 in 59 games. Kulasingam reached the 100-hit mark for the second-consecutive season in 2023, compiling a program record-tying 28 doubles, while producing more than twice as many walks (50) than strikeouts (24). His 50 walks are also a single season program record, eclipsing none other than Mike Kazlauskys previous program-high of 44 walks set in 1989. As well, Kulasingam is the only player in Air Force history to record multiple 100-hit seasons.

Under Dawson, Trayden Tamiya earned the first national Gold Glove award in Air Force history. The Hawaiian's .992 fielding percentage was easily the highest mark among all Mountain West middle infielders, as Tamiya recorded just two errors in 243 chances at second base. Also responsible for 26 double plays, Tamiya's 164 assists were second in the Mountain West, trailing teammate Aerik Joe by a single out despite 26 fewer fielding opportunities.

Dawson also aided Jay Thomason to an incredible 2023, as the left-handed slugger clubbed 21 home runs to tie Mark Frankenberg for the most home runs in a single season in program history, becoming the first player in program history to record 20+ home runs and 20+ doubles. His 21 homers were the most by any player in the Mountain West in 2023.

On August 9, 2023, Air Force baseball head coach Mike Kazlauskys announced the addition of Dawson to the 2023 coaching staff.

"I am so excited to be joining the coaching staff here at the Air Force Academy," said Dawson. "The guys here have committed to serving all of us at all costs, and getting the opportunity to serve them is one of the coolest things I may ever get to do."

Dawson was among the youngest head coaches in the country at Cleveland Community College where he led the Yetis baseball program from 2022-23. As well as serving as head coach, Dawson also was tasked with producing the strength and conditioning objectives of both the baseball and softball programs. His duties also included the development of hitters and infielders, recruiting, scheduling, and sports information responsibilities.

At Cleveland Community College, Dawson played a large role in building the foundation of a start-up baseball program. In 2022, only the second year of the Yetis existence, Cleveland Community College finished second in the Region 10 DII Tournament, ending the spring with a 31-23 record.

Prior to his time in Shelby, N.C., Dawson was the Director of Operations for Big League Camp, a baseball and softball sports and lodging facility on Lake James, N.C. There, Dawson managed the schedule for the facility as well as teaching hitting, and speed and agility classes for high school and collegiate athletes.

Dawson worked as an assistant coach in the Coastal Plain Summer Collegiate League in the summer of 2019. With the Edenton Steamers, Dawson held the title of hitting coach while also assisting the development of the outfielders. Dawson also served as the head coach of Blacksburg (Va.) High School's baseball program in 2019.

From 2016-17, Dawson was a member of the softball coaching staff at Virginia Tech, primarily working as the program's strength and conditioning coach. His coaching stops include time spent with the Park City Rangers of the Kansas Collegiate League as well as Lime-stone University (S.C.).

Dawson graduated from Bridgewater College in 2016 with a Bachelor's Degree in Exercise Science. At Bridgewater College, Dawson played both baseball and football for the Eagles. This summer, he completed his Master's Degree in Sports Administration with an emphasis in Kinesiology at Southeastern Oklahoma State University.

A native of Amherst, Va., Dawson is certified as a strength and conditioning specialist by the NSCA, as well holding certificates from USA Weightlifting and USA Baseball. He lives in Colorado Springs alongside his fiancée, Emily.

OVERALL STATISTICS

Air Force Baseball  
Overall Statistics for Air Force (as of Feb 14, 2024)  
(All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 28-31   Home: 14-5   Away: 9-20   Neutral: 5-6   MW: 17-13

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
5 Sam Kulasingam	.426	59-59	235	71	100	28	4	6	51	154	.655	50	8	24	2	.537	1	0	6-10	495	37	3	.994
1 Jay Thomason	.344	58-57	227	55	78	21	1	21	74	164	.722	31	9	40	3	.439	2	0	6-10	38	74	11	.911
25 Trayden Tamiya	.329	59-59	249	37	82	14	3	2	43	108	.434	12	5	25	2	.365	5	1	3-6	77	164	2	.992
7 Jake Greiving	.297	59-59	246	38	73	24	3	7	62	124	.504	17	6	51	1	.348	7	0	1-1	8	0	1	.889
14 Chase Spencer	.292	59-53	192	40	56	15	2	4	30	87	.453	33	7	58	1	.405	5	0	18-20	105	8	2	.983
20 Matt Thompson	.291	51-45	182	24	53	7	2	2	22	70	.385	11	7	40	2	.350	3	1	8-9	78	5	1	.988
17 Aaron Reyes	.277	32-19	83	15	23	2	2	2	18	35	.422	1	2	22	0	.299	1	0	0-0	100	9	1	.991
12 Aerik Joe	.271	58-58	225	46	61	9	4	0	19	78	.347	29	9	49	0	.376	0	0	7-7	84	165	17	.936
3 Blake Covin	.257	58-53	191	47	49	8	0	4	25	69	.361	29	6	49	0	.368	2	13	10-12	145	2	3	.980
34 Landon Boyd	.204	41-32	93	13	19	6	0	3	17	34	.366	17	2	38	0	.333	2	2	0-4	214	28	6	.976
22 Chris Stallings	.183	40-20	82	12	15	2	0	4	13	29	.354	11	9	39	0	.343	0	0	1-2	43	0	2	.956
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33 Ben Niednagel	.333	6-0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	.333	0	0	1	0	.333	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
23 Jack Bello	.333	3-0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	.333	0	0	1	1	.333	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
2 T.J. Oster	.316	28-3	19	10	6	0	0	0	1	6	.316	4	0	3	0	.435	0	0	1-2	7	10	1	.944
11 Charlie Jones	.258	21-4	31	5	8	3	0	2	7	17	.548	5	1	14	0	.378	0	0	0-0	40	1	1	.976
28 Walker Zapp	.162	21-9	37	4	6	1	0	0	3	7	.189	4	1	14	0	.256	1	0	2-2	75	5	1	.988
4 Zach Peters	.000	25-2	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	3	0	5	0	.250	0	0	0-0	2	7	0	1.000
10 Tripp Garrish	.000	4-0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	1	0	.500	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
21 Jaxson Crump	.000	2-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
38 Cooper Loveridge	.000	8-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
36 Joey Collier	.000	9-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	1	0	1.000
37 Jimmy Hebenstreit	.000	3-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
18 Ben Weber	.000	21-5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	3	7	0	1.000
29 Jason Shuger	.000	6-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	1	0	1.000
32 Kyle Moats	.000	5-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
26 Sawyer Hawks	.000	22-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
40 Seungmin Shim	.000	18-7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	6	0	1.000
35 Jake Sansing	.000	18-11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	9	0	1.000
19 Duke Benge	.000	29-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	4	0	1.000
44 Ryan Stohr	.000	12-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	2	0	1.000
9 Dylan Rogers	.000	15-15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	11	0	1.000
30 Doyle Gehring	.000	16-15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	11	1	.929
Totals	.299	59	2108	421	631	140	21	57	386	984	.467	258	72	474	12	.390	29	17	63-85	1529	567	53	.975
Opponents	.327	59	2133	472	698	174	28	73	446	1147	.538	247	56	393	14	.405	35	14	53-68	1553	530	78	.964

LOB - Team (513), Opp (485). DPs turned - Team (40), Opp (41). CI - Team (1), BOYD 1, Opp (3). IBB - Team (9), THOMASON 4, KULASINGAM 3, THOMPSON 1, GREIVING 1, Opp (6). Picked off - TAMIYA 2, COVIN 2, KULASINGAM 1, JOE 1, GREIVING 1, STALLINGS 1, THOMASON 1, THOMPSON 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha	
26 Sawyer Hawks	2.84	4-0	22	1	0	0/1	8	50.2	40	16	16	27	70	8	0	6	.214	7	8	0	0	0	
35 Jake Sansing	4.29	7-4	18	11	0	0/0	1	79.2	90	38	38	24	50	21	6	8	.288	9	3	0	4	1	
18 Ben Weber	6.13	2-3	21	5	0	0/0	0	54.1	70	40	37	20	30	18	2	6	.320	1	9	0	3	3	
30 Doyle Gehring	6.32	4-4	16	15	0	0/1	1	74.0	83	57	52	33	63	24	2	11	.283	7	11	1	1	1	
40 Seungmin Shim	7.38	4-3	18	7	0	0/0	0	42.2	56	44	35	26	36	13	1	3	.320	5	6	0	4	1	
19 Duke Benge	7.81	3-4	29	1	0	0/0	1	53.0	80	51	46	13	29	22	4	10	.359	6	3	1	8	1	
9 Dylan Rogers	8.51	2-6	15	15	0	0/0	0	67.2	113	75	64	24	46	25	6	7	.370	6	3	0	2	4	
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38 Cooper Loveridge	7.71	0-0	8	0	0	0/0	0	7.0	12	15	6	8	4	2	1	0	.316	4	1	0	1	0	
4 Zach Peters	11.28	1-4	17	1	0	0/0	0	26.1	50	35	33	18	22	14	2	6	.397	1	3	1	3	2	
44 Ryan Stohr	12.91	0-2	12	0	0	0/0	0	23.0	44	35	33	10	15	11	0	8	.419	6	4	0	4	0	
36 Joey Collier	13.50	0-0	9	0	0	0/0	0	10.0	16	16	15	11	8	4	0	4	.356	1	3	0	0	0	
29 Jason Shuger	15.63	1-1	6	1	0	0/0	0	6.1	11	12	11	12	7	2	2	1	.379	5	1	0	1	1	
32 Kyle Moats	17.65	0-0	5	2	0	0/0	0	8.2	18	18	17	10	8	7	2	2	.429	1	0	1	2	0	
14 Chase Spencer	21.60	0-0	5	0	0	0/0	0	3.1	7	9	8	5	4	0	0	1	.412	2	0	0	1	0	
37 Jimmy Hebenstreit	27.00	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	1.2	3	6	5	3	0	2	0	0	.429	1	1	0	1	0	
21 Jaxson Crump	45.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	5	5	5	3	1	1	0	0	.625	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	7.42	28-31	59	59	0	1/1	11	509.1	698	472	420	247	393	174	28	73	.327	62	56	4	35	14	
Opponents	6.42	31-28	59	59	1	3/3	11	517.2	631	421	369	258	474	140	21	57	.299	71	72	9	29	17	

PB - Team (20), BOYD 11, REYES 7, ZAPP 2, Opp (12). Pickoffs - Team (5), SANSING 2, BOYD 2, SHIM 1, Opp (10). SBA/ATT - BOYD

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**Air Force Baseball**  
**Batting Analysis for Air Force (as of Feb 14, 2024)**  
**(All games Sorted by Player Name)**

Player	vs left			vs right			w/runners			w/bases empty			w/bases loaded			as leadoff			fly	gnd	fly/
	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	rch	ops	pct	out	out	gnd
23 Jack Bello	1	1	1.000	0	2	.000	1	2	.500	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	1	0.0
34 Landon Boyd	2	14	.143	17	79	.215	10	49	.204	9	44	.205	2	3	.667	6	22	.273	21	17	1.2
3 Blake Covin	16	52	.308	33	139	.237	22	90	.244	27	101	.267	2	9	.222	25	62	.403	54	48	1.1
10 Tripp Garrish	0	0	.000	0	1	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0.0
7 Jake Greiving	19	74	.257	54	172	.314	44	152	.289	29	94	.309	1	10	.100	17	40	.425	72	52	1.4
12 Aerik Joe	19	61	.311	42	164	.256	31	100	.310	30	125	.240	0	6	.000	27	69	.391	49	61	0.8
11 Charlie Jones	3	12	.250	5	19	.263	7	21	.333	1	10	.100	0	3	.000	2	4	.500	5	4	1.2
5 Sam Kulasingam	25	64	.391	75	171	.439	51	115	.443	49	120	.408	3	9	.333	30	59	.508	48	58	0.8
33 Ben Niednagel	0	1	.000	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	1	3	.333	0	0	.000	1	2	.500	0	1	0.0
2 T.J. Oster	3	7	.429	3	12	.250	4	11	.364	2	8	.250	0	2	.000	4	8	.500	4	5	0.8
4 Zach Peters	0	2	.000	0	7	.000	0	4	.000	0	5	.000	0	0	.000	3	4	.750	3	1	3.0
17 Aaron Reyes	8	27	.296	15	56	.268	14	47	.298	9	36	.250	2	3	.667	8	19	.421	20	15	1.3
14 Chase Spencer	17	48	.354	39	144	.271	33	102	.324	23	90	.256	0	8	.000	23	54	.426	46	34	1.4
22 Chris Stallings	1	11	.091	14	71	.197	7	35	.200	8	47	.170	1	2	.500	4	20	.200	18	8	2.2
25 Trayden Tamiya	17	66	.258	65	183	.355	44	129	.341	38	120	.317	5	9	.556	18	54	.333	89	53	1.7
1 Jay Thomason	31	64	.484	47	163	.288	49	141	.348	29	86	.337	5	10	.500	19	44	.432	53	55	1.0
20 Matt Thompson	15	51	.294	38	131	.290	29	97	.299	24	85	.282	1	12	.083	20	51	.392	52	38	1.4
28 Walker Zapp	2	11	.182	4	26	.154	4	18	.222	2	19	.105	0	1	.000	1	10	.100	7	10	0.7
Totals	179	566	.316	452	1542	.293	350	1114	.314	281	994	.283	22	88	.250	208	522	.398	541	461	1.2
Opponents	93	269	.346	605	1864	.325	387	1119	.346	311	1014	.307	23	65	.354	207	512	.404	513	540	0.9

	pinch hitting			w/runners in scoring pos			w/runner on 3rd and LT 2 out			with 2 outs			success adv runners			2- out	rnrs adv	rnrs lob	rch err	rch fc	kl
Player	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	rbi	ops	pct	h	ab	avg	adv	ops	pct	rbi	w/out				
23 Jack Bello	0	2	.000	1	1	1.000	0	0	.000	1	1	1.000	1	2	.500	1	0	0	0	0	
34 Landon Boyd	0	1	.000	6	31	.194	4	8	.500	8	34	.235	27	63	.429	11	8	25	1	4	
3 Blake Covin	0	0	.000	16	60	.267	9	13	.692	13	67	.194	55	112	.491	9	31	62	6	1	
10 Tripp Garrish	0	0	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	1	.000	1	2	.500	0	0	3	0	0	
7 Jake Greiving	0	0	.000	37	103	.359	22	31	.710	17	81	.210	76	167	.455	15	30	66	5	8	
12 Aerik Joe	0	0	.000	16	61	.262	6	14	.429	19	72	.264	54	112	.482	9	6	45	6	5	
11 Charlie Jones	2	9	.222	5	16	.313	1	2	.500	4	12	.333	9	23	.391	2	0	11	0	0	
5 Sam Kulasingam	0	0	.000	30	70	.429	12	16	.750	25	60	.417	89	137	.650	22	12	34	4	11	
33 Ben Niednagel	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	
2 T.J. Oster	1	2	.500	2	8	.250	0	3	.000	1	4	.250	7	12	.583	1	0	5	1	1	
4 Zach Peters	0	3	.000	0	3	.000	0	1	.000	0	2	.000	0	4	.000	0	0	2	0	0	
17 Aaron Reyes	1	3	.333	11	32	.344	2	6	.333	9	26	.346	25	50	.500	11	6	15	1	6	
14 Chase Spencer	1	2	.500	21	73	.288	11	18	.611	14	63	.222	56	119	.471	8	8	55	3	7	
22 Chris Stallings	2	10	.200	4	22	.182	3	6	.500	2	18	.111	20	42	.476	2	3	11	2	1	
25 Trayden Tamiya	0	0	.000	26	82	.317	20	26	.769	25	79	.316	62	139	.446	13	16	55	4	6	
1 Jay Thomason	0	0	.000	30	96	.313	8	17	.471	25	76	.329	89	162	.549	34	21	59	4	6	
20 Matt Thompson	0	3	.000	17	68	.250	9	18	.500	18	62	.290	48	108	.444	10	14	52	2	3	
28 Walker Zapp	0	1	.000	2	13	.154	2	4	.500	3	12	.250	10	22	.455	1	3	8	1	2	
Totals	7	37	.189	224	740	.303	109	183	.596	184	670	.275	629	1276	.493	149	158	513	40	61	
Opponents	12	44	.273	242	710	.341	121	177	.684	231	702	.329	636	1253	.508	166	179	485	31	51	

Success Advancing Runners = percentage of times the batter advanced at least one runner during a plate appearance

#Rnrs Adv w/Out = TOTAL number of runners advanced when the player made an out



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Player	vs left			vs right			w/runners			w/bases empty			vs leadoff			with 2 outs			fly	gnd	fly/
	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	h	ab	avg	rch	ops	pct	h	ab	avg	out	out	gnd
19 Duke Benge	29	93	.312	51	130	.392	46	124	.371	34	99	.343	18	40	.450	30	80	.375	60	60	1.0
36 Joey Collier	6	20	.300	10	25	.400	12	30	.400	4	15	.267	4	8	.500	12	23	.522	12	8	1.5
21 Jaxson Crump	2	4	.500	3	4	.750	4	7	.571	1	1	1.000	1	1	1.000	1	2	.500	0	2	0.0
30 Doyle Gehring	31	129	.240	52	164	.317	39	136	.287	44	157	.280	30	79	.380	20	89	.225	83	64	1.3
26 Sawyer Hawks	18	81	.222	22	106	.208	18	87	.207	22	100	.220	14	50	.280	10	59	.169	45	32	1.4
37 Jimmy Hebenstreit	1	4	.250	2	3	.667	3	6	.500	0	1	.000	1	2	.500	1	3	.333	3	2	1.5
38 Cooper Loveridge	5	17	.294	7	21	.333	9	28	.321	3	10	.300	5	8	.625	2	8	.250	12	5	2.4
32 Kyle Moats	2	12	.167	16	30	.533	10	30	.333	8	12	.667	9	11	.818	3	13	.231	12	5	2.4
4 Zach Peters	17	51	.333	33	75	.440	28	74	.378	22	52	.423	15	29	.517	16	42	.381	27	29	0.9
9 Dylan Rogers	35	120	.292	78	185	.422	68	161	.422	45	144	.313	30	71	.423	38	100	.380	52	93	0.6
35 Jake Sansing	42	145	.290	48	168	.286	37	140	.264	53	173	.306	22	79	.278	35	106	.330	91	83	1.1
40 Seungmin Shim	16	54	.296	40	121	.331	38	95	.400	18	80	.225	20	45	.444	18	53	.340	27	56	0.5
29 Jason Shuger	4	9	.444	7	20	.350	7	19	.368	4	10	.400	3	7	.429	5	10	.500	7	5	1.4
14 Chase Spencer	2	6	.333	5	11	.455	3	9	.333	4	8	.500	4	6	.667	1	4	.250	3	3	1.0
44 Ryan Stohr	17	49	.347	27	56	.482	24	59	.407	20	46	.435	10	21	.476	14	34	.412	33	17	1.9
18 Ben Weber	40	97	.412	30	122	.246	41	114	.360	29	105	.276	21	55	.382	25	75	.333	46	75	0.6
Totals	267	891	.300	431	1241	.347	387	1119	.346	311	1013	.307	207	512	.404	231	701	.330	513	539	1.0
Opponents	294	922	.319	337	1186	.284	350	1114	.314	281	994	.283	208	522	.398	184	670	.275	541	461	1.2

Player	ap	gs	ip/app	*h/g	*r/g	*er/g	*bb/g	*so/g	k/bb	*2b/g	*3b/g	*hr/g	*fo/g	*go/g	*bf/g	sba	att	pct
19 Duke Benge	29	1	1.83	13.58	8.66	7.81	2.21	4.92	2.2	3.74	0.68	1.70	10.19	10.19	42.11	6	6	1.000
36 Joey Collier	9	0	1.11	14.40	14.40	13.50	9.90	7.20	0.7	3.60	0.00	3.60	10.80	7.20	53.10	1	3	.333
21 Jaxson Crump	2	0	0.50	45.00	45.00	45.00	27.00	9.00	0.3	9.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.00	99.00	0	0	.000
30 Doyle Gehring	16	15	4.63	10.09	6.93	6.32	4.01	7.66	1.9	2.92	0.24	1.34	10.09	7.78	41.23	10	13	.769
26 Sawyer Hawks	22	1	2.30	7.11	2.84	2.84	4.80	12.43	2.6	1.42	0.00	1.07	7.99	5.68	39.43	5	6	.833
37 Jimmy Hebenstreit	3	0	0.56	16.20	32.40	27.00	16.20	0.00	0.0	10.80	0.00	0.00	16.20	10.80	64.80	1	1	1.000
38 Cooper Loveridge	8	0	0.88	15.43	19.29	7.71	10.29	5.14	0.5	2.57	1.29	0.00	15.43	6.43	61.71	1	1	1.000
32 Kyle Moats	5	2	1.73	18.69	18.69	17.65	10.38	8.31	0.8	7.27	2.08	2.08	12.46	5.19	56.08	2	3	.667
4 Zach Peters	17	1	1.55	17.09	11.96	11.28	6.15	7.52	1.2	4.78	0.68	2.05	9.23	9.91	51.95	2	2	1.000
9 Dylan Rogers	15	15	4.51	15.03	9.98	8.51	3.19	6.12	1.9	3.33	0.80	0.93	6.92	12.37	44.96	10	14	.714
35 Jake Sansing	18	11	4.43	10.17	4.29	4.29	2.71	5.65	2.1	2.37	0.68	0.90	10.28	9.38	38.97	5	5	1.000
40 Seungmin Shim	18	7	2.37	11.81	9.28	7.38	5.48	7.59	1.4	2.74	0.21	0.63	5.70	11.81	44.72	2	5	.400
29 Jason Shuger	6	1	1.06	15.63	17.05	15.63	17.05	9.95	0.6	2.84	2.84	1.42	9.95	7.11	62.53	3	3	1.000
14 Chase Spencer	5	0	0.67	18.90	24.30	21.60	13.50	10.80	0.8	0.00	0.00	2.70	8.10	8.10	62.10	0	0	.000
44 Ryan Stohr	12	0	1.92	17.22	13.70	12.91	3.91	5.87	1.5	4.30	0.00	3.13	12.91	6.65	48.13	3	3	1.000
18 Ben Weber	21	5	2.59	11.60	6.63	6.13	3.31	4.97	1.5	2.98	0.33	0.99	7.62	12.42	42.24	2	3	.667
Totals	59	59	8.63	12.33	8.34	7.42	4.36	6.94	1.6	3.07	0.49	1.29	9.06	9.52	43.91	53	68	.779
Opponents	59	59	8.77	10.97	7.32	6.42	4.49	8.24	1.8	2.43	0.37	0.99	9.41	8.01	43.24	63	85	.741

\* = average based on 9-inning game

## SUMMARY

**Air Force Baseball**  
**Games Summary for Air Force (as of Feb 14, 2024)**  
**(All games)**

Score by innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EX	Total
Air Force	65	50	42	48	42	62	54	37	12	9	421
Opponents	66	51	47	46	49	61	51	66	32	3	472

**Record when ...**

Overall	28-31	After 6 leading	27-5
Conference	17-13	..... trailing	1-23
Non-Conference	11-18	..... tied	0-3
Home games	14-5	After 7 leading	27-3
Away games	9-20	..... trailing	0-25
Neutral site	5-6	..... tied	0-2
Day games	22-21	After 8 leading	25-1
Night games	6-10	..... trailing	0-26
vs Left starter	8-9	..... tied	1-2
vs Right starter	20-22		
1-Run games	3-4	Hit 0 home runs	5-18
2-Run games	4-5	... 1 home run	12-11
5+Run games	16-17	... 2+ home runs	11-2
Extra innings	2-2		
Shutouts	1-3	Opponent 0 home runs	11-9
		..... 1 home run	11-8
Scoring 0-2 runs	1-9	..... 2+ HRs	6-14
..... 3-5 runs	4-13		
..... 6-9 runs	9-8	Made 0 errors	20-8
..... 10+ runs	14-1	.... 1 error	6-11
		.... 2+ errors	2-12
Opponent 0-2 runs	6-0		
..... 3-5 runs	13-6	Opp. made 0 errors	6-10
..... 6-9 runs	5-7	..... 1 error	8-14
..... 10+ runs	4-18	..... 2+ errors	14-7
Scored in 1st inning	14-11	Out-hit opponent	23-2
Opp. scored in 1st	8-19	Out-hit by opponent	4-29
Scores first	19-14	Hits are tied	1-0
Opp. scores first	9-17		

**Record when team scores:**

Runs	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
W-L	0-3	0-3	1-3	0-2	3-8	1-3	1-3	3-1	0-2	5-2	14-1

**Record when opponent scores:**

Runs	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
W-L	1-0	3-0	2-0	6-0	4-0	3-6	2-2	1-3	1-1	1-1	4-18

**Record when leading after:**

Inn.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
W-L	14-7	17-8	20-8	20-8	21-6	27-5	27-3	25-1

**Record when trailing after:**

Inn.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
W-L	5-17	4-19	4-20	4-22	4-24	1-23	0-25	0-26

**Record when tied after:**

Inn.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
W-L	9-7	7-4	4-3	4-1	3-1	0-3	0-2	1-2

Current losing streak: 2  
 Longest winning streak: 5  
 Longest losing streak: 4

Home attendance : 2678 ( 19 dates avg = 140 )  
 Away attendance : 51304 ( 40 dates avg = 1282 )  
 Total attendance: 53982 ( 59 dates avg = 914 )