



Columbus Jets 2017 Standard Instructions

2017 Roster

Batters	MLB	Bat	Comp	Board	Steal	Spd	Arm	SBA	Gms	PA	Position		
Andrus, Elvis	Tex	R	SA-2	+4/-3	D29	16	35	32	147	568	SS8		
Barnhart, Tucker	Cin	S	SA-0	-9/+1	R26	7	32	1	115	420	C7 (PB1 Th-0)		
Bruce, Jay	NYM	L	PR-4	-7/+1	F26	8	36	6	147	589	CF2		
Castro, Jason	Hou	L	PR-5	-11/+2	G26	6	33	3	113	376	C8 (PB3 Th-1) 1B2		
Coghlan, Chris	ChC	L	SA-3	-7/-1	F26	14	28	3	99	300	OF2 1B2 2B7 3B3 SS6		
Garcia, Adonis	Atl	R	SA-1	+2/-2	F24	7	31	5	134	563	3B3 OF1		
Kiermaier, Kevin	TB	L	SA-0	+2/-2	D34	16	37	24	105	414	CF3		
Kipnis, Jason	Cle	L	SA-1	-2/-1	F32	16	31	18	156	688	2B8		
Napoli, Mike	Cle	R	PL-1	+1/-2	G32	6	32	6	150	645	1B3		
Rua, Ryan	Tex	R	SA-1	-0/-2	E35	9	32	9	99	269	CF2 1B3 3B3		
Santana, Domingo	Milw	R	SA-3	+6/-5	D16	10	33	5	77	281	CF2		
Solarte, Yangervis	SD	S	SA-0	-2/-1	G20	9	32	2	109	443	3B4 1B2 2B7		
Votto, Joey	Cin	L	SA-4	-7/+1	G34	9	31	9	158	677	1B3		
Brantley, Michael	Cle	L									UNCARDED		
Liriano, Rymer	Milw	R									UNCARDED		
Pitchers	MLB	Thr	Grade	CTL	HRA	Ftg	WP	HB	BK	MF	GS	Rel IP	Field
Fulmer, Michael	Det	R	13 YG	+16	+22	25	1	-	-	+1	26	0.0	2
Tanaka, Masahiro	NYN	R	12 YZ	+33	+15	26	3	-	0	+1	31	0.0	2
Porcello, Rick	Bos	R	12 YZ	+41	+21	27	1	-	0	+0	33	0.0	2
Manaea, Sean	Oak	L	10 YZ	+21	-11	24	1	-	0	+3	24	5.0	1
Velasquez, Vincent	Phil	R	9 XYL	-11	-21	24	2	-	0	+2	24	0.0	1
Boyd, Matt	Det	L	8 YL	+13	-21	23	1	-	0	+3	18	5.7	1
Nola, Aaron	Phil	R	5 XZ	+25	+24	27	1	-	0	+0	20	0.0	2
Leake, Mike	StL	R	4 Z	+36	+13	27	3	-	0	+1	30	0.0	1
McGowan, Dustin	Mia	R	16* X	-25	+14	7*	3	-	0	+0		67.0	1
Shaw, Bryan	Cle	R	14* X	-24	+13	6*	2	-	0	+0		66.7	2
Robertson, David	CWS	R	13* XYWG	-42	+24	6*	1	-	0	+0		62.3	2
Moylan, Peter	KC	R	11* G	-15	+26	6*	3	-	0	+1		44.7	1
Guerra, Deolis	LAA	R	10* Z	+43	+15	7*	3	-	-	+0		53.3	2
Kintzler, Brandon	Min	R	9* ZG	+43	+25	6*	0	-	0	+0		54.3	2
Hernandez, David	Phil	R	9* X	-14	-15	7*	3	-	0	+0		72.7	2
Rogers, Taylor	Min	L	8* XZ	+26	+16	7*	1	-	0	+0		61.3	1
Hudson, Daniel [Innoc]	Ari	R	4* Y	+13	+22	6*	3	-	0	+1		80.3	1
Anderson, Brett	LAD	L											UNCARDED
McCarthy, Brandon	LAD	R											UNCARDED
Socolovich, Miguel	StL	R											UNCARDED

Limits reflect usage to date.

Waiver Transactions:

Mid Season Trading Period:

Projected Minor League Assignments (subject to change in monthly instructions). In addition to the uncarded Brantley, Liriano, Anderson, McCarthy, and Socolovich:

April: Boyd, Nola, Leake, Hudson, Guerra

May: Manaea, Nola, Leake, Hudson, Moylan

June: Velasquez, Boyd, Leake, Hudson, Kintzler

July: Boyd, Nola, Leake, Hudson, Guerra

August: Manaea, Nola, Leake, Hudson, Kintzler

September: Velasquez, Nola, Leake, Hudson, Moylan

October: Fulmer, Nola, Leake, Hudson, Kintzler

We'll be playing the **Board Game** at home this year.

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Offensive Strategies

These are representative lineups. I will send out series specific lineups by the 4th.

Vs LHP		vs RHP	
Andrus SS8	[R]	Andrus SS8	[R]
Kipnis 2B8	[H]	Kipnis 2B8	[H]
Votto DH		Votto DH	
Bruce RF2		Bruce RF2	
Napoli 1B3		Napoli 1B3	
Santana LF2		Solarte 3B4	
Kiermaier CF3	[R]	Kiermaier CF3	[R]
Garcia 3B3	[H]	Rua LF2	[H]
Castro C8		Barnhart C7	

Strategy 1: Hit and Run.

Hit and run designations are listed in the lineups above.
Employ whenever legal.

Strategy 2: Steal. If the hit and run isn't an option, attempt to steal with the following runners if the adjusted SSN > 27.

- Kiermaier and Andrus can attempt steals of 2nd, third inning or later if the score is +/- 2 runs.
- Kipnis, Rua, and Votto can attempt steals of 2nd, seventh inning or later if the score is +/- 1 run.
- Kiermaier, Andrus, and Kipnis can attempt a steal of 3rd as the go-ahead run, 8th inning or later.
- Don't attempt steals of home.

Strategy 3: Sacrifice.

Sacrifice with the 8th and 9th place hitters if:

- The score is tied or we're behind by one run.
- And there's a runner on 2nd with no outs

- And it's the 7th inning or later

Pinch Hitting/Running: Not much of an option this year as the roster is game limited and the bench is very thin. Unless injured, the starters play the whole game.

In case of injury, use Coghlan if available. Otherwise, select the best option off the bench.

Runner Advancement:

- Board Game: Use Adams Tables
- Computer Game: Go when the runner is "well around". Otherwise try to score when
0 out if (OF arm - Runner Speed) is less than 15
1 out if (OF Arm - Runner Speed) is less than 24
2 out if (OF Arm - Runner Speed) is less than 30

Defensive Strategies

Holding Runners on 1st:

- Always hold **fast** runners
- Hold **average** speed runners unless the Jets lead by 3 or more.
- Don't hold **slow** runners unless the batter is RH and the Jets lead by 3 or more.

Play infield in: Three cases-

- Runner on 3rd only: 0 or 1 out, 6th or later, Columbus +1 to -4
- Runners on 1st and 3rd: 8th or later, 0 out, Columbus +0 to -4
- Runners on 2nd and 3rd or bases loaded: only if winning run is on third, 9th inning or later, 0 or 1 out. (1 out, bases full, play infield deep if batter has 2+ 24s on his card.)

Intentional walk: If the go-ahead run is in scoring position, 8th inning or later with first base open:

- With one out, if on deck hitter has more than 2 24s

- With two outs, if batter is superior to the on deck hitter.
- Do not walk the bases loaded if the pitcher has a negative control rating.

Pitch from stretch: Always pitch from the stretch if there are runners on base.

Outfield Throws: Always throw for go-ahead run, 8th or later. Otherwise:

- Board Game- Throw for lead runner with less than 33/36 chances, otherwise cut the throw to hold training runners.
- Computer game- always throw for slow lead runner (speed 6 or less), throw for other runners unless "well around" otherwise cut the throw off to hold training runners.

Defensive Replacements:

None

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2017 Jets Pitching Rotation

1= Fulmer, Michael (RH 13YG +16/+22 f 25)
 2= Tanaka, Masahiro (RH 12YZ +33/+15 f 26)
 3= Porcello, Rick (RH 12YZ +41/+21 f27)

4= Manaea, Sean (LH 10YZ +21/-11 f 24)
 5= Velasquez, Vincent (RH 9XYL -11/-21 f 24)
 6= Boyd, Matt (LH 8YL +13/-21 f23)
 7= Nola, Aaron (RH 5XZ +25/+24 f27)

<p>April 1-4 (5) @ DET 3214x 6-8 (9) @ HUD 532x 10-12 (13) @ MUN 145x 14-17 (18) vs NBO 3214x 19-23 (24) vs MLR 53214x</p> <p>August 1-4 @ IND 6213 5-8 (9) @ RIV 5621x 10-13 @ STM 3562 14-17 vs GC 1356 18-21 (22) vs RYE 2135x</p>	<p>May 1-5 @ CAY 32156 6-9 (10) @ KAN 3215x 11-14 vs MAR 6321 15-18 (19) vs NW 5632x 20-23 vs ZIO 1563</p> <p>September (1-2) 3-5 @ DET xx621 6-9 @ HUD 3462 10-13 @ MUN 1346 14-17 (18) vs CAY 2134x 19-23 vs KAN 62134</p>	<p>June 1-4 (5) vs HUD 2417x 6-8 vs MUN 324 9-11 vs DET 173 12-16 (17) @ WAR 24173x 18-21 @ LV 2417</p> <p>October 1-4 @ BRO 5263 5-9 @ ZIO 45263 10-14 vs LV 45263 15-18 (19) vs MID 4526x 20-23 vs WAR 3452</p>	<p>July 1-5 vs STM 32514 6-9 (10) vs KNX 3251x 11-14 @ HOB 4325 15-18 @ BH 1432 19-22 (23) @ WHT 5143x</p> <p>November (1) 2-6 @ NBO x36452 7-10 @ MLR 3645 11-13 (14) vs HUD 237x 15-18 vs MUN 4513 19-22 (23) vs DET 7451x</p>
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Pitching Strategy: These are **general** guidelines. Managing the opposing pitching staff is the hardest part of the game, so use your best judgment and I'll be happy.

Never remove a starting pitcher who hasn't allowed an earned run and never let a starter pitch more than 11.7 innings.

Tier I starters (**Fulmer, Tanaka, and Porcello**): Remove when fatigued or if a base runner gets in scoring position, 7th or later, score +/- 2 runs. They can survive one 5-point downgrade.

Tier II starters (**Manaea and Velasquez**): These guys are on a shorter leash. Remove them if downgraded/fatigued or if a base runner gets in scoring position, 6th inning or later, score +/- 3 runs.

Tier III starters (**Boyd and Nola**): Remove them if downgraded/fatigued or if a base runner gets in scoring position, 5th inning or later, score +/- 3 runs.

Bullpen Strategy: This is a very mediocre (if you stretch the definition of mediocre) bullpen – the highest grade is a 16* and many of the relievers have negative control ratings. Do what you can to maneuver the bullpen's limited resources to our best advantage.

"Closer": **McGowan** is the best we have so it'll be up to him to pitch the 9th in tie game/closing situations.

Set-Up: These duties will fall to **Shaw and Robertson**. They pitch the 7th and 8th in games we're tied or leading.

Middle Relief: Some combination of **Moylan, Guerra, Hernandez, and Kintzler** will be up every month. They'll generally come in when the starter leaves and the game is within three runs. If a series of batters allergic to LHRP are coming up (and you don't plan on PHing for them) **Rogers** is also available. Use these pitchers as needed to take advantage of the +5 first batter upgrade.

Long Relief/Mop-up: If not already used, **Rogers** will be available to rescue a Tier II or III starter that's been downgraded, or when the starter leaves and we're down by 4 or more. Let him pitch two innings and then spread the pain around to the middle relief guys if necessary. Later in the season **Leake** may also be called on in this role. **Leake** is not eligible for the +5 upgrade.

Have a great season-
Vic