



2021 CALUSA INDIANS

STANDARD/EMERGENCY
INSTRUCTIONS
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SEASON OUTLOOK

Another year, another losing season. Ho-hum. As Sonny and Cher sang "The beat goes on." A fourth consecutive losing year looms on the horizon. Once bright optimism and brash confidence have been replaced by despair and pessimism. Even the arrival of the first pick in the 2021 draft does not inspire a change in team outlook. No, 2021 will be another year to flounder. The Indians will play the board game at home.

BATTING ORDER vs RHP

Grisham	rf
Iglesias	ss
F. Freeman	1b
Winker	lf
Wendle	3b
Robert	cf
Pujols	dh
Barnes	c
Villar	2b

BATTING ORDERS vs LHP

Grisham	lf
Iglesias	ss
F. Freeman	1b
JCJ	rf
Robert	cf
Wendle	2b
Andujar	3b
Pujols	dh
Barnes	c

Use these batting orders only in an emergency, if I am unable to play the games for a particular month. I will send out monthly batting orders and an updated roster.



New Calusa leadership. Hey, they can't do any worse than the previous trio.

OFFENSIVE STRATEGY

HIT AND RUN: DO IT! Starting in the **6th inning, score IND -2 to +1, less than two outs**, with **Grisham, Hampson, Robert, Villar, or Wendle on 1st** and **Iglesias, Olivares, Pujols, or Wendle** At Bat. Same game situation, any two of the above runners on **1st and 3rd** and one of the above batters AT Bat. Yep we're gonna do it, 1st and 3rd Hit & Run. Why not? We ain't winning anyway.

STEALING: It has been two to three years since IND has stolen a base in a road game. The goal this season is to change that. Since we won't win many games, may as well insert some fun into the festivities. **Game situation and score are the same as with the hit and run. Same designated runners on base. A non hit and run batter at the plate.**

Straight steal second.

Straight steal third with a right handed batter at the plate.

Double & Triple Steals Yep we're gonna do this too! Same rational as Hit & Run.

1st & 2nd Only with a right handed hitter at bat.

2nd & 3rd Only with a right handed hitter at bat.

1st & 3rd

Bases Full Admittedly, this may not happen very often. To get three of the designated runners on base all at once. But how much fun will it be, if it does happen!

To nullify attempted steals of home, the pitcher has to pitch from the stretch. Don't forget to make the two point deduction to the pitcher's grade.

Designated runners are limited to **TWO** stolen base attempts (hit & run or straight steal) per series.

PINCH HITTING:

Against a LHP: 8th inning or later, winning or tying run in scoring position, **JCJ or Andujar** for **Winker, Castro, or Hampson**.

Against a RHP: Same situation as with a lefty, **Winker** for **Jones** and **Hampson** for **Andujar**.

PINCH RUNNING:

Mendick or **M. Freeman** can come off the bench to pinch run for any base runner rated "S". When that base runner is in scoring position and represents the winning or tying run. 8th inning or later. **Mendick** will replace Hampson or Villar at 2B or Villar if he is at SS.

SACRIFICE:

7th inning or later to get winning or tying run in scoring position. And the H & R or straight steal is not an option. Batters: **Barnes, Hampson, Villar, M. Freeman** or **Mendick** can attempt to sacrifice.

RUNNER ADVANCEMENT:

BOARD GAME: **Adam's Table**



RUNNER ADVANCEMENT:

COMPUTER GAME:

"Well around the bag" ---- send the runner home, and a runner to 3rd if hit is to CF or RF.

If the fielder plays a hit "on the long bounce" ,Send the runner only if he's fast. Don't send him to 3rd.

On doubles to RF line, send the fast runner home but hold the slow runner. An average speed runner can score if the OF arm is <30.

On well-hit drives to right-center, when bases empty, where the runner "hits 2nd under a full head of steam" --- try for third if he hit any triples (in the real-life MLB season).

On singles to LF, an average or fast runner can score – but no one has a good shot at 3rd. On singles to CF and RF, fast runners have a good shot at 3rd, all runners should try to score.

When the fielder "retreats to get it", send the runner home.

DEFENSIVE STRATEGY

OUTFIELD THROWS:

Throw for the lead runner unless the chances are 34+. Always throw for the tying/go-ahead runner starting in the 7th inning.

COMPUTER GAME: Follow the same principles for throwing at your runners as outlined for my runners.

HOLD RUNNER ON FIRST:

When 1B(4or5) is playing, always hold. Otherwise:

- Hold all fast runners.
- Hold all average runners unless I have a lead of 2 or more and there is a PR hitter.
- Hold slow runners only with a RH hitter or less than 2 out unless I lead by 2 or more.
- Do not hold with 2 out and runners on 1st and 3rd unless runner on 1st is the lead or tying run.

PLAYING INFIELD IN:

PLAY 'IN' starting in the 8th inning, 0 or 1 out, tying or go-ahead run on 3rd.

INTENTIONAL WALK:

I only use this on those occasions when a monster hitter comes up with the game on the line. Your call.

PITCH FROM THE STRETCH:

Don't. We will take our chances throwing out the runner.

DEFENSIVE REPLACEMENT:

9th inning, score Indians +1 to +3. Do in priority listed.

- Mendick** for Villar if Villar is at SS
- Mendick** for Villar if Villar is at 2B.
- Mendick** for Hampson if Hampson is at 2B.
- Hedges** for whatever catcher is playing.

INJURY/Ejection SUBS:

1B **M. Freeman** if he is active; otherwise
Pujols (Have to play w/o the DH)

INF **Mendick, Villar, Hampson, & Wendle**

C **Whomever is on the bench.**

OF **Whomever is on the bench.**

DH **Best hitter off bench.**



COMPUTER NOTES:

1. Not necessary to send the game sheets/scripts for road computer games.
2. Do not use the computer manager function, prefer manual managing for the Indian road computer games.

PITCHING STRATEGY

MANAGING THE STARTERS

IND's strating rotation is made up of a bunch of guys. Syndergaard continues his pattern of only pitching every other season. So this year he sits out. Flaherty was drafted to be an ace, but this season he is just a guy. Antone and Houck have ace grades, but in-reality, they are just guys. How to play our guys:

Antone and **Houck** will pitch until fatigued twice.

Flaherty, Fleming, Peterson, and Shoemaker will pitch until fatigued.

Lugo and **Montas** will attempt to complete a minimum of five innings. Only remove before five innings, if pounded out. At the end of five innings, if the game is winnable, get the game to the bull pen. Winnable is defined as the game is tied, the Indians are winning, or the Indians trail by no more than three runs. If the game is not winnable, leave them in until pounded out. If by some miracle, they are throwing a shutout, of course leave them in.

Porcello's will pitch three innings unless pounded out. At the end of three innings, if he has not allowed a run, he will continue to pitch until he gives up his first run. After three innings, if he allowed a run, go to **Brent Suter**.

Suter will pitch three innings. After **Suter's** innings, depending on the score, go to the bull pen.

If **Porcello** gives up his first run in the fourth or fifth inning, still go to **Suter** for his three innings.

USING THE BULL PEN

GROUP A: **Antone** will open the season as a starter. When he finishes his 11 starts, he will assume the closer role. Until then, **P. Johnson** will serve as the closer, when the starter is not going for a complete game. As if that will ever happen.

GROUP B: The lefty/ righty set-up guys. They will pitch the 7th and 8th innings to get to a save situatuon. They are: **P. Fairbanks, J. Rodriguez** and, **J. Staumont. D. Peterson** will join this group when he has finished his starts. **P. Johnson** will join this group when Antone becomes the closer. Two will be active each month.

GROUP C: The middlemen. **D. Bard** and **C. Quantrill**. Available to pitch the 5th and/or the 6th innings when the starter is fatigued early, or for the back end rotation guys. When they come out after five innings. **J. Fleming** will join this group when he has finished his starts. Two will be active each month.

GROUP D: Long Reliever and extra innings guys. **J. Holder** and **S. Lugo**. **Holder** is innocuous. He will pitch when the starter is pounded out and will finish the game. No innings limit. He will pitch extra inning games until the issue is decided. The exception to using Holder, if the game becomes winnable, go to the best pitcher still available in the pen. **Lugo** will start the season in this role until he has used his 29 innings of relief. If we run out of innings, then **Phelps** will finish out the season.

THE CADDY: **B. Suter**. Will be active to caddy Porcello's starts. His role is defined in the Managing The Starters section.

THE LOOGY: **A. Claudio**. Use him any inning, after the starter has been lifted, and tough hitters are due up with a minus vs. LHP. He can face multiple hitters in one inning. Limit: One inning per game.

MINORS/INACTIVE LIST for emergencies only!!

Fairbanks, Fleming, Holder, Houck, Phelps, Shoemaker/**Castro, M. Freeman, Hampson, Knizer, Olivares/Syndergaard**

BLACK Inactive Pitchers

RED Inactive Position Players

Blue Uncarded



2021 CALUSA INDIANS PITCHING ROTATION

DATE	TEAM	PITCHER	GMS	DATE	TEAM	PITCHER	GMS	DATE	TEAM	PITCHER	GMS
APRIL				MAY				JUNE			
4/1/21	@KAN	Flaherty	1	5/1/21	@WAR	Antone	4	6/1/21	@LV	Flaherty	9
4/2/21	@KAN	Montas	1	5/2/21	@WAR	Flaherty	5	6/2/21	@LV	Montas	9
4/3/21	@KAN	Porcello	1	5/3/21	@WAR	Montas	5	6/3/21	@LV	Porcello	9
4/4/21	@KAN	Peterson	1	5/4/21	@WAR	Porcello	5	6/4/21	@LV	Peterson	9
4/5/21	OFF DAY			5/5/21	@WAR	Peterson	5	6/5/21	OFF DAY		
4/6/21	LV	Antone	1	5/6/21	@RCK	Antone	5	6/6/21	@MLR	Antone	9
4/7/21	LV	Flaherty	2	5/7/21	@RCK	Flaherty	6	6/7/21	@MLR	Flaherty	10
4/8/21	LV	Montas	2	5/8/21	@RCK	Montas	6	6/8/21	@MLR	Montas	10
4/9/21	OFF DAY			5/9/21	@RCK	Porcello	6	6/9/21	KAN	Porcello	10
4/10/21	MLR	Porcello	2	5/10/21	OFF DAY			6/10/21	KAN	Peterson	10
4/11/21	MLR	Peterson	2	5/11/21	RYE	Peterson	6	6/11/21	KAN	Antone	10
4/12/21	MLR	Antone	2	5/12/21	RYE	Antone	6	6/12/21	COL	Flaherty	11
4/13/21	OFF DAY			5/13/21	RYE	Flaherty	7	6/13/21	COL	Montas	11
4/14/21	CAY	Flaherty	3	5/14/21	RYE	Montas	7	6/14/21	COL	Porcello	11
4/15/21	CAY	Montas	3	5/15/21	NW	Porcello	7	6/15/21	COL	Peterson	11
4/16/21	CAY	Porcello	3	5/16/21	NW	Peterson	7	6/16/21	COL	Antone	11
4/17/21	CAY	Peterson	3	5/17/21	NW	Antone	7	6/17/21	OFF DAY		
4/18/21	OFF DAY			5/18/21	NW	Flaherty	8	6/18/21	@MUN	Flaherty	12
4/19/21	@ZIO	Antone	3	5/19/21	OFF DAY			6/19/21	@MUN	Montas	12
4/20/21	@ZIO	Flaherty	4	5/20/21	NBO	Montas	8	6/20/21	@MUN	Porcello	12
4/21/21	@ZIO	Montas	4	5/21/21	NBO	Porcello	8	6/21/21	@MUN	Peterson	12
4/22/21	@ZIO	Porcello	4	5/22/21	NBO	Peterson	8				
4/23/21	@ZIO	Peterson	4	5/23/21	NBO	Antone	8				
4/24/21	OFF DAY										
JULY				AUGUST				SEPTEMBER			
7/1/21	HUD	Fleming	1	8/1/21	@BRO	Flaherty	17	9/1/21	ALL-STAR BREAK		19
7/2/21	HUD	Flaherty	13	8/2/21	@BRO	Montas	17	9/2/21	ALL-STAR BREAK		
7/3/21	HUD	Montas	13	8/3/21	@BRO	Porcello	17	9/3/21	@KAN	Flaherty	21
7/4/21	HUD	Porcello	13	8/4/21	@BRO	Peterson	17	9/4/21	@KAN	Montas	21
7/5/21	HUD	Peterson	13	8/5/21	@HOB	Fleming	6	9/5/21	@KAN	Porcello	21
7/6/21	BH	Fleming	2	8/6/21	@HOB	Flaherty	18	9/6/21	LV	Peterson	21
7/7/21	BH	Flaherty	14	8/7/21	@HOB	Montas	18	9/7/21	LV	Fleming	10
7/8/21	BH	Montas	14	8/8/21	@HOB	Porcello	18	9/8/21	LV	Flaherty	22
7/9/21	BH	Porcello	14	8/9/21	OFF DAY			9/9/21	LV	Montas	22
7/10/21	OFF DAY			8/10/21	@HUD	Peterson	18	9/10/21	MLR	Porcello	22
7/11/21	@RIV	Peterson	14	8/11/21	@HUD	Fleming	7	9/11/21	MLR	Peterson	22
7/12/21	@RIV	Fleming	3	8/12/21	@HUD	Flaherty	19	9/12/21	MLR	Fleming	11
7/13/21	@RIV	Flaherty	15	8/13/21	@HUD	Montas	19	9/13/21	MLR	Flaherty	23
7/14/21	@RIV	Montas	15	8/14/21	MAR	Porcello	19	9/14/21	WAR	Montas	23
7/15/21	@MID	Porcello	15	8/15/21	MAR	Peterson	19	9/15/21	WAR	Porcello	23
7/16/21	@MID	Peterson	15	8/16/21	MAR	Fleming	8	9/16/21	WAR	Peterson	23
7/17/21	@MID	Fleming	4	8/17/21	MAR	Flaherty	20	9/17/21	WAR	Fleming	12
7/18/21	@MID	Flaherty	16	8/18/21	GC	Montas	20	9/18/21	OFF DAY		
7/19/21	@KNX	Montas	16	8/19/21	GC	Porcello	20	9/19/21	@CAY	Flaherty	24
7/20/21	@KNX	Porcello	16	8/20/21	GC	Peterson	20	9/20/21	@CAY	Montas	24
7/21/21	@KNX	Peterson	16	8/21/21	GC	Fleming	9	9/21/21	@CAY	Porcello	24
7/22/21	@KNX	Fleming	5	8/22/21	OFF DAY			9/22/21	@CAY	Peterson	24
7/23/21	OFF DAY							9/23/21	@CAY	Fleming	13
Replace Flaherty, Peterson, & Fleming											
OCTOBER				NOVEMBER				START			
10/1/21	@STM	Shoemaker	1	11/1/21	OFF DAY			11/1/21	RCK	Lugo	1
10/2/21	@STM	Montas	25	11/2/21	RCK	Lugo	5	11/2/21	RCK	Quantrill	5
10/3/21	@STM	Porcello	25	11/3/21	RCK	Houck	5	11/3/21	RCK	Houck	5
10/4/21	@STM	Quantrill	1	11/4/21	RCK	Shoemaker	6	11/4/21	RCK	Shoemaker	6
10/5/21	@NBO	Houck	1	11/5/21	RCK	Montas	30	11/5/21	RCK	Montas	30
10/6/21	@NBO	Shoemaker	2	11/6/21	RCK	Montas	30	11/6/21	RCK	Montas	30
10/7/21	@NBO	Montas	26	11/7/21	@COL	Lugo	2	11/7/21	@COL	Lugo	2
10/8/21	@NBO	Porcello	26	11/8/21	@COL	Quantrill	6	11/8/21	@COL	Quantrill	6
10/9/21	@NBO	Quantrill	2	11/9/21	@COL	Houck	6	11/9/21	@COL	Houck	6
10/10/21	MUN	Houck	2	11/10/21	@COL	Shoemaker	7	11/10/21	@COL	Shoemaker	7
10/11/21	MUN	Shoemaker	3	11/11/21	@LV	Fleming	14	11/11/21	@LV	Fleming	14
10/12/21	MUN	Montas	27	11/12/21	@LV	Flaherty	25	11/12/21	@LV	Flaherty	25
10/13/21	MUN	Porcello	27	11/13/21	@LV	Quantrill	7	11/13/21	@LV	Quantrill	7
10/14/21	MUN	Quantrill	3	11/14/21	OFF DAY			11/14/21	OFF DAY		
10/15/21	WHT	Houck	3	11/15/21	@MLR	Houck	7	11/15/21	@MLR	Houck	7
10/16/21	WHT	Shoemaker	4	11/16/21	@MLR	Lugo	3	11/16/21	@MLR	Lugo	3
10/17/21	WHT	Montas	28	11/17/21	@MLR	Shoemaker	8	11/17/21	@MLR	Shoemaker	8
10/18/21	WHT	Porcello	28	11/18/21	@MLR	Quantrill	8	11/18/21	@MLR	Quantrill	8
10/19/21	OFF DAY			11/19/21	KAN	Suter	1	11/19/21	KAN	Suter	1
10/20/21	ZIO	Quantrill	4	11/20/21	KAN	Houck	8	11/20/21	KAN	Houck	8
10/21/21	ZIO	Houck	4	11/21/21	KAN	Lugo	4	11/21/21	KAN	Lugo	4
10/22/21	ZIO	Shoemaker	5	11/22/21	KAN	Shoemaker	9	11/22/21	KAN	Shoemaker	9
10/23/21	ZIO	Montas	29	11/23/21	OFF DAY			11/23/21	OFF DAY		



Opener 2 maybe 3 innings



2021 CALUSA INDIANS ROSTER

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>MLBT</u>	<u>BAT</u>	<u>BC</u>	<u>MG</u>	<u>SSN</u>	<u>Spd</u>	<u>Arm</u>	<u>PB</u>	<u>Th</u>	<u>GMS</u>	<u>SBA</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>Acquired</u>		
Andujar, Miguel	26	NYN	R	SA3	+5/-6	N	12	28			57	0	188	(lv)T19		
Barnes, Austin	31	LAD	R	SA1	+1/-2	E29	12	31	PB0	Th-4	78	8	279	(1)D18		
Castro, Jason	34	SD	L	PR3	-6/-1	N	6	33	PB1	Th-0	73	0	255	(7)D20		
Freeman, Freddie	32	ATL	L	PR5	-16/+3	R31	7	32			162	6	723	(1)D12		
Freeman, Mike	34	CLE	L	SA0	0/-2	N	12	30			65	0	116	(2)FA21		
Grisham, Trent	25	SD	L	SA2	-4/0	E35	15	30			159	31	701	(5)D20		
Hampson, Garrett	27	COL	R	SA0	-7/+2	E33	17	33			143	19	506	(3)D20		
Hedges, Austin	29	CLE	R	SA0	-3/0	C20	6	32	PB3	Th+5	95	5	228	(riv)T21		
Iglesias, Jose	31	BAL	R	SA0	-3/0	N	12	36			105	0	419	(mlr)T19		
Jones, JaCoby (JCJ)	29	DET	R	SA2	+3/-4	D20	16	32			84	6	318	(col)T19		
Knizner, Andrew XC	26	STL	R	SA2	+3/-3	N	6	32	PB3	Th+4	22	0	52	(8)D20 XC		
Mendick, Danny	28	CWS	R	SA0	-2/0	D14	15	32			89	3	313	(7)D21		
Olivares, Edward	25	KC	R	SA0	-4/+1	B9	15	32			84	6	282	(8)D21		
Pujols, Albert	41	LAA	R	PL0	-2/-1	N	3	29			105	0	449	(stm)T20		
Robert, Luis	24	CWS	R	SA2	+3/-3	D31	17	32			151	30	623	(1)D21		
Villar, Jonathan	30	TOR	B	SA0	-3/-1	B29	17	34			140	59	583	(bro)T19		
Wendle, Joey	31	TB	L	SA0	-1/-1	D31	15	32			135	27	505	(6)D17		
Winker, Jesse	28	CIN	L	SA3	-6/0	R26	8	30			146	3	526	(1)D18		
<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>MLBT</u>	<u>Thr</u>	<u>Fldg.</u>	<u>RIP</u>	<u>ST</u>	<u>Grd</u>	<u>K</u>	<u>Ctrl</u>	<u>HA</u>	<u>Fat</u>	<u>WP</u>	<u>HB</u>	<u>BK</u>	<u>MF</u>	<u>Acquired</u>
Antone, Tejay	27	CIN	R	2	54.7	11	21*	X	-34	+21	18/10	WP3		BKO	MF+1	(3)D21
Bard, Daniel	36	COL	R	1	68	0	11*	Y	+15	+34	7	WP3		BKO	MF0	(7)D21
Claudio, Alex	29	MIL	L	2	53	0	9*	NA	+16	+24	6	WP3		BKO	MF+1	(stm)T20
Fairbanks, Peter	27	TBR	R	2	66	5	14*	X	-42	+36	5/6	WP3		BKO	MF0	(3)D21
Flaherty, Jack	26	STL	R	2	0	25	10	Y	-13	0	21	WP2		BKO	MF+3	(1)D19
Fleming, Josh	25	TBR	L	1	18.3	14	13	NA	+32	-13	21/16	WP0		BKO	MF+2	(4)D21
Holder, Jonathan	28	NYN	R	2	81.3	0	4*	NA	-21	+15	8	WP3	HBO	BKO	MF0	(bro)T20
Houck, Tanner	25	BOS	R	1	0	8	17	X	-62	+42	21	WP3		BKO	MF0	(5)D21
Johson, Pierce	30	SD	R	1	55.7	0	16*	X	-33	+24	5	WP3			MF+1	(6)D21
Lugo, Seth	31	NYM	R	2	29	19	5	Y	+31	-31	20/6	WP2		BKO	MF+1	(wht)T21
Montas, Frankie	28	OAK	R	2	0	30	5	Y	-15	-16	25	WP3		BKO	MF+2	(stm)T21
Peterson, David	25	NYM	L	2	11.3	24	15	NA	-36	+25	21/17	WP1		BKO	MF+1	(2)D21
Phelps, David	34	PHI	R	1	59	0	5*	XY	+26	-62	6	WP3		BKO	MF0	(1)FA21
Porcello, Rick	32	NYM	R	2	0	34	1	NA	+31	+34	25	WP1		BKO	MF0	(col)T18
Quantrill, Cal	26	CLE	R	1	58.3	8	13*	Y	+33	+15	14/8	WP0		BKO	MF0	(4)D20
Rodriguez, Joely	29	TEX	L	1	35.3	0	12*	X	-15	+62	6	WP3	HBO	BKO	MF0	(7)D21
Staumont, Josh	27	KC	R	2	72.0	0	17*	X	-62	+36	6	WP3		BKO	MF+1	(3)D21
Shoemaker, Matt	34	TOR	R	1	0	16	12	Y	+14	-55	21	WP0	HBO	BKO	MF+1	(hud)T19
Suter, Brent	32	mil	L	1	52.3	11	11*	Y	+42	+14	12/9	WP0		BKO	MF+3	(3)D21
Syndergaard, Noah	28	NYM	R		UNCARDED											(1)D16

RED INNOCUOUS

