



2012 AFL Game Notes

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East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB	Home	Away	Div.	Streak	Last 10
Salt River Rafters	15	13	.536	--	7-7	8-6	7-6	L1	4-6
Scottsdale Scorpions	14	15	.483	1.5	8-7	6-8	8-5	W1	3-7
Mesa Solar Sox	10	18	.357	5.0	4-10	6-8	4-8	L2	5-5

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB	Home	Away	Div.	Streak	Last 10
Peoria Javelinas	18	12	.600	--	11-3	7-9	7-7	W1	7-3
Surprise Saguaros	17	12	.586	0.5	11-5	6-7	6-6	W2	6-4
Phoenix Desert Dogs	11	15	.423	5.0	7-5	4-10	6-6	L1	5-5

Tuesday's Games

	R	H	E	LOB	
Surprise	10	12	3	9	W: Huchingson (NYM) (1-0) L: Sogard (HOU) (2-1)
Mesa	8	9	1	5	S: Reyes (TEX) (1)

Saguaros: CF Cesar Puello (NYM) was 2-for-2 with 1 double, 2 RBI and 3 runs scored ... 2B Whit Merrifield (KC) had 2 singles, 2 RBI and 2 runs scored ... 3B Michael Almanzar (BOS) went 2-for-4 with 2 doubles, 2 RBI and 2 runs scored. **Solar Sox:** LF Nick Castellanos (DET) collected a double among two hits with two RBI ... SS Rafael Ynoa (LAD) drove in two runs and scored once.

	R	H	E	LOB	
Phoenix	1	4	3	5	W: Darnell (MIN) (2-0) L: Nelson (MIL) (2-3)
Peoria	8	15	1	11	S: None

Javelinas: LF Nate Roberts (MIN) was 2-for-4 with 1 home run, 3 RBI and 1 run scored ... DH Mike Zunino (SEA) went 3-for-5 with 1 RBI and 2 runs scored ... SP Logan Darnell (MIN) allowed one run on four hits in 4.0 IP with two strikeouts. **Desert Dogs:** 1B Richie Shaffer (TB) singled and drove in a run ... CF Christian Yelich (MIA) singled and scored in four at-bats.

	R	H	E	LOB	
Scottsdale	13	19	0	8	W: House (CLE) (3-1) L: Tepera (TOR) (1-2)
Salt River	6	11	0	8	S: None

Scorpions: Seven run first inning ... RF Slade Heatcott (NYY) was 4-for-5 with 1 home run, 2 RBI and 1 run scored ... CF Travis Witherspoon (LAA) had three hits including 1 double, 4 RBI and 1 run scored. **Rafters:** SS Chris Owings (ARI) went 3-for-5 with 2 doubles, 1 RBI and 1 run scored ... CF Jake Marisnick (TOR) had two singles and two RBI.

Weekly Infield Schedule (through 11/15)

Team	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
Mesa	X					
Peoria	X					
Phoenix	X		X			
Salt River	X			X		
Scottsdale	X					
Surprise	X					

12:35 p.m. – HINF: 9:45 a.m., HBP: 10:00 a.m., VBP: 10:50 a.m., VIN: 11:40 a.m.

6:35 p.m. – HINF: 3:45 p.m., HBP: 4:00 p.m., VBP: 4:50 p.m., VIN: 5:40 p.m.

Teams are REQUIRED to take infield and BP every Monday

Probable Starters

Wednesday, November 14

Surprise at Phoenix, 12:35 PM (A)

LHP Justin Marks (5-0, 2.21) @

LHP Brian Flynn (0-3, 4.26)

Peoria at Salt River, 12:35 PM (F)

RHP Kyle Gibson (3-1, 4.95) @

RHP Chase Anderson (2-1, 3.44)

Mesa at Scottsdale, 6:35 PM (L)

RHP Mike Wright (0-4, 6.88) @

LHP Chris Gloor (1-2, 3.24)

Thursday, November 15

Scottsdale at Peoria, 12:35 PM (L)

RHP Zach Nuding (1-2, 7.13) @

LHP Robbie Erlin (1-1, 2.89)

Phoenix at Mesa, 12:35 PM (F)

RHP Zeke Spruill (1-2, 3.63) @

RHP Jarred Cosart (0-2, 7.20)

Salt River at Surprise, 12:35 PM (A)

RHP Cory Riordan (2-1, 7.15) @

RHP Boone Whiting (3-1, 3.38)

Friday, November 16

League off day

AFL Alum of the Day

Congratulations to **Mike Trout** and **Bryce Harper**, the 2012 Rookies of the Year in their respective leagues. Trout was a unanimous selection in the American League while Harper won the National League honor with the fourth closest vote in the history of league. Harper and Trout were teammates last fall on the Scottsdale Scorpions.

UMPIRE ROSTER

Crew A – Chad Whitson (CC), Allen Bailey, Will Little, Ben May. **Crew F** – Jordan Baker (CC), Travis Carlson, Andy Dudones, Quinn Wolcott.

Crew L – Chris Segal (CC), Sean Barber, Seth Buckminster, Stu Scheuwater.

Today's Fall League Five

1. Scottsdale's **Slade Heathcott** (NYY) was 4-for-5 with 1 home run, 2 RBI and 1 run scored in the Scorpions' win. He has hit safely in his last seven games with 11 RBI and eight runs scored.
2. Peoria's **Nate Roberts** (MIN) homered and singled in the Javelinas' win. He leads the league in batting average (.474), on-base percentage (.592) and slugging percentage (.667).
3. Scottsdale's **David Adams** (NYY) collected three hits and scored three times for the second time in a week in the Scorpions' win.
4. Scottsdale's **Travis Witherspoon** (LAA) was 3-for-5 with 1 double, 4 RBI and 1 run scored in the Scorpions' win.
5. Surprise's **Whit Merrifield** (KC) scored twice yesterday and leads the Saguaros with 14 runs scored.

2012 Arizona Fall League Tidbits

- The Detroit Tigers and San Francisco Giants each had 10 Arizona Fall League players on their 25-man rosters for the World Series.
- Since 1992, the year the Arizona Fall League started, 13 of the 21 no. 1 overall picks in the MLB draft will have played in the AFL.
- Thirty-four first-round draft choices fill the rosters in 2012, including **Tim Beckham** (Phoenix/Tampa Bay), the only no. 1 overall pick in the Fall League this season.
- The 2012 Arizona Fall League features 22 of MLB.com's Top 100 prospects, including the #1 ranked players from the Angels (IF **Kaleb Cowart**), Astros (IF **Jonathan Singleton**), Cubs (IF **Javier Baez**), Giants (OF **Gary Brown**), Marlins (OF **Christian Yelich**), Nationals (IF **Anthony Rendon**), Padres (OF **Rymer Liriano**), Rays (IF **Hak-Ju Lee**), Reds (OF **Billy Hamilton**), Tigers (OF **Nick Castellanos**) and White Sox (OF **Trayce Thompson**) organizations.
- Players from 11 foreign countries are represented in the Arizona Fall League in 2012, including Australia, Brazil, Canada, Cuba, Curacao, Dominican Republic, Netherlands, South Africa, South Korea, Taiwan and Venezuela in addition to Puerto Rico.
- Get up-to-the-minute updates from the Arizona Fall League through the league's social media on Twitter (@MLBazFallLeague) and Facebook at www.facebook.com/arizonafallleague.

34 First-Round Picks in the 2012 Arizona Fall League

2012

C **Mike Zunino** (3rd, Seattle)
IF **Richie Shaffer** (25th, Tampa Bay)

2011

IF **Anthony Rendon** (6th, Washington)
IF **Javier Baez** (9th, Chicago Cubs)
IF **Cory Spangenberg** (10th, San Diego)
OF **George Springer** (11th, Houston)
IF **Kolten Wong** (22nd, St. Louis)
IF **Joe Panik** (29th, San Francisco)
OF **Brian Goodwin** (34th, Washington)

2010

RHP **Deck McGuire** (11th, Toronto)
IF **Kaleb Cowart** (18th, L.A. Angels)
C **Kellin Deglan** (22nd, Texas)
OF **Christian Yelich** (23rd, Miami)
OF **Gary Brown** (24th, San Francisco)
OF **Bryce Brentz** (36th, Boston)
OF **Nick Castellanos** (44th, Detroit)
RHP **Seth Blair** (46th, St. Louis)

2009

IF **Grant Green** (13th, Oakland)
IF **Bobby Borcherig** (16th, Houston)
IF **Jiovanni Mier** (21st, Houston)
RHP **Kyle Gibson** (22nd, Minnesota)
OF **Randal Grichuk** (24th, L.A. Angels)
IF **Nick Franklin** (27th, Seattle)
OF **Slade Heathcott** (29th, N.Y. Yankees)
IF **Matt Davidson** (35th, Arizona)
LHP **James Paxton** (37th, Seattle)
IF **Chris Owings** (41st, Arizona)
RHP **Mike Belfiore** (45th, Arizona)
RHP **Kyle Heckathorn** (47th, Milwaukee)

2008

IF **Tim Beckham** (1st, Tampa Bay)
RHP **Ryan Perry** (21st, Detroit)
OF **Zach Collier** (34th, Philadelphia)

2007

RHP **James Simmons** (26th, Oakland)

2006

RHP **Cory Rasmus** (38th, Atlanta)

MESA SOLAR SOX (10-18)

Starting Pitcher — **Mike Wright** (Orioles): 0-4 in six starts with a 6.88 ERA and 12 strikeouts ... last start on November 8 vs. Phoenix — 4.0 IP, 5 hits, 0 runs, 1 walk, and 2 strikeouts, earning a no-decision ... six strikeouts vs. Salt River on 10/27.

Players — **Jonathan Singleton** (Astros): Week one player of the week ... leads league with 17 walks ... one behind the league lead with three home runs, 24 games, and two triples ... tied for second in the league with 91 at-bats ... fourth in the league with 17 runs scored ... three RBI vs. Salt River on 10/10 ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Rafael Ynoa** (Dodgers): Leads the league with 25 games played ... tide for the league lead with three triples ... second in the league with 30 hits and 91 at-bats ... third in the league with 46 total bases and 20 RBI ... hit safely in 12 straight games from 10/9-25 ... three RBI at Phoenix on 10/10 ... inside-the-park home run against Phoenix on 10/24 to tie the game in the ninth ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/30. **Jonathan Schoop** (Orioles): Tied for second in the league with 16 walks ... three hits and three RBI vs. Surprise on 10/12 ... stole home and homered at Phoenix on 10/30 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **George Springer** (Astros): Second in the league with a .621 slugging percentage ... fourth with 17 runs scored ... tied for the league lead with four home runs and three triples ... three runs and four RBI on 10/12 vs. Surprise, including a home run and a triple ... three hits and three RBI, including two home runs, on 11/10 at Salt River ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Tony Zych** (Cubs): One behind the league lead with 12 appearances ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Chia-Jen Lo** (Astros): Tied for league lead with 13 appearances and 10 games finished ... second with three saves. **Matt Szczur** (Cubs): Three hits vs. Peoria on 10/15 ... three hits vs. Peoria on 11/1. **Nick Castellanos** (Tigers): Leads the league with 96 at-bats ... three hits vs. Peoria on 11/2 ... three RBI vs. Salt River on 11/12 ... Rising Stars Game starter, collecting two hits. **Matt Hoffman** (Tigers): One behind the league lead with 12 appearances. **Mike Belfiore** (Orioles): Rising Stars Game participant. **James McCann** (Tigers): Three hits at Surprise on 10/20. **Andres Santiago** (Dodgers): Five strikeouts vs. Scottsdale on 10/24. **Jiovanni Mier** (Astros): Three hits vs. Salt River on 11/12. **Aaron Westlake** (Tigers): Three RBI at Phoenix on 10/23. **L.J. Hoes** (Orioles): Three hits at Scottsdale on 10/26. **Jarred Cosart** (Astros): Six strikeouts at Salt River on 11/10 ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Joe Pederson** (Dodgers): Three RBI vs. Phoenix on 11/08 ... Rising Stars Game participant.

Team — Leads league with 24 home runs and 129 walks ... third in the league with 41 stolen bases.

PEORIA JAVELINAS (18-12)

Starting Pitcher — **Kyle Gibson** (Twins): 3-1 in five starts with a 4.95 ERA and 24 strikeouts ... last start on November 8 at Scottsdale — 5.0 IP, 5 hits, 4 runs, 3 walks, and 4 strikeouts, earning a no-decision.

Players — **Nick Franklin** (Mariners): Second in the league lead with 22 RBI ... six RBI vs. Phoenix on 11/6 ... four hits vs. Phoenix on 11/6 ... three hits vs. Mesa on 10/16 ... three RBI at Mesa on 10/15 ... Rising Stars Game starter, had one single. **Judy Valdez** (Padres): Leads the league with 13 extra-base hits ... tied for second with 10 doubles ... third in slugging (.613) and runs scored (18) ... three hits at Scottsdale on 11/8 and at Mesa on 10/15. **Cody Asche** (Phillies): Leads league with 11 doubles ... second with 12 extra-base hits ... three hits at Mesa on 10/15 ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Billy Hamilton** (Reds): Topps/Minor League Baseball player of the year in the California League ... tied for the league lead with 10 stolen bases ... three RBI vs. Salt River on 10/24 ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/12 ... Rising Stars Game starter, 1 hit, 2 runs scored and 2 stolen bases. **Rymer Liriano** (Padres): Tied for the lead with four home runs and 22 runs scored ... has reached base safely in 14 straight games since 10/20 ... four runs scored vs. Phoenix on 11/6 ... three hits at Scottsdale on 11/8 ... three RBI at Scottsdale on 11/8 ... Rising Stars Game starter, 3-for-4 with 2 doubles, 1 RBI and 1 run scored. **Mike Zunino** (Mariners): Tripled twice on 10/13 at Scottsdale ... reached base safely in 11 straight games from 10/10 to 10/27 ... three hits vs. Phoenix on 11/13 and at Scottsdale on 10/13 ... three RBI vs. Salt River on 10/17 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Zach Collier** (Phillies): Tied for the league lead with three triples ... three hits at Surprise on 11/9 and vs. Scottsdale on 10/23 ... three RBI vs. Scottsdale on 10/23. **Kevin Quackenbush** (Padres): Leads the league with five saves ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Nate Freiman** (Padres): Has reached base safely in 18 straight games since 10/10, longest active streak ... three RBI at Scottsdale on 10/13 ... three runs scored at Mesa on 10/25. **Tim Crabbe** (Reds): Tossed four no-hit innings on 10/25 at Mesa. **Nate Roberts** (Twins): Leads the league in batting (.474), slugging (.667) and on-base percentage (.592) ... has reached base safely in 17 straight games since 10/11 ... four hits at Mesa on 11/1 ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/20 ... three runs scored on 11/9 at Surprise ... three RBI vs. Phoenix on 11/13. **Kyle Gibson** (Twins): Week two pitcher of the week ... second in the league lead with three wins ... second with 24 strikeouts ... eight strikeouts vs. Mesa on 10/16 and vs. Phoenix on 10/11 ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Stefen Romero** (Mariners): Has reached safely in 10 straight games since 10/10 ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/20 and vs. Salt River on 10/17 ... three RBI vs. Salt River on 10/17 ... three runs scored at Phoenix on 10/20. **Didi Gregorius** (Reds): Four hits at Scottsdale on 10/13. **James Paxton** (Mariners): Five strikeouts at Mesa on 10/15 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Evan Bigley** (Twins): Three RBI at Scottsdale on 11/8 ... three hits at Mesa on 11/1. **Vinnie Catricala** (Mariners): Three hits vs. Phoenix on 11/6. **Tommy Joseph** (Phillies): Rising Stars Game starter, had one single. **Michael Tonkin** (Twins): Rising Stars Game participant. **Curtis Partch** (Reds): Rising Stars Game participant.

Team — Leads the league in batting average (.305), slugging percentage (.454), on-base percentage (.382), hits (316), RBI (175), doubles (68), runs (189) and total bases (471) ... tied for the lead with 12 triples ... pitching staff leads the league with nine saves ... struck out a league-high 257 batters ... issued 96 walks, fewest in the league.

PHOENIX DESERT DOGS (11-15)

Starting Pitcher — **Brian Flynn** (Marlins): 0-3 in six starts with a 4.26 ERA and 13 strikeouts ... last start on November 8 at Mesa — 4.0 IP, 4 hits, 3 runs, 3 walks, and 1 strikeout, earning a no-decision.

Players — **Josh Prince** (Brewers): Second in the league in batting (.405) and on-base percentage (.495) ... leader with 34 hits and 48 total bases ... tied for the lead with 22 runs scored ... reached base in 12 straight games from 10/10 to 10/27 ... four hits vs. Peoria on 10/12 ... three hits at Salt River on 11/1, vs. Mesa on 10/27, at Surprise on 10/23 and vs. Peoria on 10/20 ... three RBI vs. Peoria on 10/20. **Kyle Jensen** (Marlins): Tied for second with 46 total bases ... fourth with 18 RBI ... grand slam in the seventh inning on 10/23 vs. Mesa ... reached base safely in 13 straight games from 10/9 to 10/29 ... four hits vs. Mesa on 10/19 ... four RBI vs. Mesa on 10/23 ... three RBI vs. Mesa on 10/19 ... three hits at Salt River on 11/1, at Salt River on 10/25 and at Scottsdale on 10/22. **Max Stassi** (Athletics): Walk-off single on 10/20 against Peoria ... four RBI vs. Peoria on 10/12. **Yordy Cabrera** (Marlins): Three hits at Surprise on 10/24 ... three RBI vs. Mesa on 10/19. **Nick Ahmed** (Braves): Reached base safely in 16 straight games from 10/10 to 11/12 ... four RBI vs. Peoria on 10/12 ... three hits vs. Peoria on 10/12 ... Rising Stars Game participant, walked and scored a run. **Hunter Morris** (Brewers): Topps/Minor League Baseball player of the year in the Southern League ... three hits at Scottsdale on 10/22 ... Rising Stars Game starter, had one single. **Christian Yelich** (Marlins): Hit safely in 15 straight games from 10/16 to 11/10, the longest hit streak this season... reached base safely in 19 straight games from 10/9 to 11/10, the longest on-base streak this season ... three RBI at Peoria on 11/6 ... three runs scored at Surprise on 10/24 ... Rising Stars Game participant, had one single. **Hak-Ju Lee** (Rays): Hit safely in nine straight games from 10/16 to 10/29 ... reached base safely in 12 straight games from 10/16 to 11/5 ... three hits vs. Mesa on 10/27 ... Rising Stars Game starter, had one hit and one RBI. **Kevin Kiermaier** (Rays): Three hits at Mesa on 10/13. **Michael Brady** (Marlins): Rising Stars Game participant. **James Simmons** (Athletics): Rising Stars Game participant. **Grant Dayton** (Marlins): Rising Stars Game participant. **Johnny Hellweg** (Brewers): Rising Stars Game participant. **Tim Beckham** (Rays): Home run short of the cycle on 10/24 at Surprise with four hits and four RBI ... three RBI vs. Peoria on 10/20. **Cory Brownsten** (Braves): Three RBI at Surprise on 10/24.

Team — Second in the league in batting (.275) and hits (290) ... third in total bases (418) and slugging percentage (.396) ... pitching staff leads the league in innings pitched (270.1) ... third with 235 strikeouts.

SALT RIVER RAFTERS (15-13)

Starting Pitcher — **Chase Anderson** (D-backs): 2-1 in five starts with a 3.44 ERA and 23 strikeouts ... last start on November 8 vs. Surprise — 4.2 IP, 5 hits, 2 runs, 2 walks, and 4 strikeouts, taking the loss ... week three pitcher of the week ... five strikeouts vs. Mesa on 10/22 ... eight strikeouts at Mesa on 10/27 ... Rising Stars Game participant, striking out four in two scoreless IP.

Players — **Carlos Sanchez** (White Sox): Tied for the league lead with 10 stolen bases ... three hits vs. Scottsdale on 10/11 ... three RBI vs. Mesa on 10/22 and four RBI vs. Phoenix on 10/25 ... three hits vs. Surprise on 10/30 ... five hits and runs scored vs. Scottsdale on 11/6 ... four RBI at Mesa on 11/12. **Kent Matthes** (Rockies): Tied for league lead with four home runs ... four RBI and three hits vs. Peoria on 10/26 ... three runs scored at Phoenix on 10/29 ... three RBI and go-ahead two-run home run vs. Surprise on 10/30. **Brian Goodwin** (Nationals): Week three player of the week ... one behind the league lead with three home runs ... three hits vs. Surprise on 10/23 and vs. Phoenix on 10/25 ... Rising Stars Game starter, collecting two hits, two RBI, and a lead-off home run. **Andy Wilkins** (White Sox): Hit 10th-inning walk-off home run vs. Mesa on 10/22 ... three hits vs. Scottsdale on 10/11 ... three hits vs. Mesa on 10/22. **Eric Smith** (D-Backs): One behind the league lead with nine games finished. **Corey Dickerson** (Rockies): Seventh in the league with a .345 batting average ... has hit safely in 11 consecutive games since 10/19 ... four hits, four RBI, and three runs scored vs. Scottsdale on 11/6 ... Rising Stars Game starter, collecting a hit, an RBI, and a run scored. **Kevin Pillar** (Blue Jays): Stole home vs. Peoria on October 18 ... three hits at Peoria 10/17 ... three hits at Peoria on 10/24 ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/29. **Matthew Skole** (Nationals): Three hits and three RBI at Mesa on 10/10 ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/15 ... four RBI at Surprise on 11/7. **Matt Davidson** (D-Backs): Four RBI at Mesa on 10/10, including a single and a HR. **Chris Owings** (D-Backs): Tied for fourth in the league with 88 at-bats ... three doubles against Peoria on 10/17 ... three hits at Peoria on 10/17 ... three hits and RBI at Peoria on 11/6 ... three hits vs. Scottsdale on 11/13 ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Trayce Thompson** (White Sox): One behind the league lead with 16 walks. **Anthony Rendon** (Nationals): One behind the league lead with 10 doubles and third with 11 extra-base hits ... has reached base in 11 consecutive games since 10/22 ... four RBI and three hits vs. Scottsdale on 11/7 ... three RBI at Peoria 10/17 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Ryan Tepera** (Jays): Six strikeouts vs. Phoenix on 10/25 ... five strikeouts at Mesa on 10/31. **Tyler Bortnick** (D-Backs): Four hits and four RBI at Mesa on 10/27. **Sean Ochinko** (Jays): Three RBI at Peoria on 11/6. **Jake Marisnick** (Jays): Three hits vs. Mesa on 11/10. **Aaron Barrett** (Nationals): Rising Stars Participant. **Santos Rodriguez** (White Sox): Rising Stars Game participant. **Coty Woods** (Rockies): Rising Stars Game participant. **Lars Davis** (Rockies): Four hits and RBI vs. Scottsdale on 11/7.

Team — Leads league with 51 stolen bases ... second in the league with 171 runs scored, 61 doubles, .415 slugging percentage, and 23 home runs.

SCOTTSDALE SCORPIONS (14-15)

Starting Pitcher — **Chris Gloor** (Giants): 1-2 in six starts with a 3.24 ERA and 20 strikeouts ... last start on November 8 vs. Peoria — 4.0 IP, 3 hits, 1 run, 3 walks, and 3 strikeouts, earning a no-decision ... third in the league with 25.0 IP ... five strikeouts at Phoenix on 10/9.

Players — **Kyle Kaminska** (Pirates): Leads league with 28.0 IP ... tied for second with three wins ... fourth-best ERA in the league at 1.61... has allowed one run or less in last five starts ... six strikeouts vs. Peoria on 10/29. **T.J. House** (Indians): Second in the league with 27.0 IP and 26 strikeouts ... tied for second with three wins ... pitched five no-hit innings 10/20 against Salt River ... six strikeouts vs. Surprise on 10/25 ... five strikeouts at Salt River on 11/13. **Heath Hembree** (Giants): One behind the league lead with nine games finished ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Tyler Holt** (Indians): Has reached base in 15 consecutive games, beginning 10/9 ... three RBI vs. Salt River on 11/2. **Bobby Cassevah** (Angels): Week four pitcher of the week ... fifth with 23.0 IP ... five strikeouts at Peoria on 10/30 ... five strikeouts at Surprise on 11/12. **Gary Brown** (Giants): Reached base in 16 consecutive games, dating from 10/21 of 2011 AFL season until 11/08/12 ... three hits at Salt River on 10/11 ... three hits vs. Peoria on 10/29 ... three hits at Salt River on 11/6 ... Rising Stars Game starter, collecting a hit and an RBI. **Slade Heathcott** (Yankees): Week four player of the week ... third in the league with a .371 batting average and .487 on-base percentage, fourth with a .597 slugging percentage ... has reached base safely in 13 consecutive games since 10/16 ... tied for the league lead with three triples ... five RBI and four hits, including two triples, at Peoria on 10/30 ... four hits at Salt River on 11/13. **Randal Grichuk** (Angels): Has reached base safely in 13 consecutive games. **David Adams** (Yankees): Week five player of the week ... tied for third in the league with 11 extra-base hits ... three RBI vs. Peoria on 10/29 ... three hits, runs, and RBI, including two home runs, at Salt River on 11/6 ... Rising Stars Game starter, hitting a double and collecting two RBI ... three hits and three runs scored at Salt River on 11/13. **Ricky Oropesa** (Giants): Rising Stars Game participant, collecting a hit and an RBI ... three hits vs. Mesa on 11/7. **Joe Panik** (Giants): Three hits at Salt River 10/20. **Chris Dominguez** (Giants): Three RBI at Mesa on 10/24 ... three hits vs. Phoenix on 10/31. **Adalberto Santos** (Pirates): One behind the league lead with nine stolen bases ... three runs and three hits at Phoenix on 10/27 ... three hits at Peoria on 10/30 ... three RBI at Salt River on 11/13. **Travis Witherspoon** (Angels): Three RBI at Phoenix on 10/27 ... four RBI and three hits at Salt River on 11/13. **Ronnie Rodriguez** (Indians): Three RBI at Peoria on 10/30. **Gift Ngoepe** (Pirates): Four runs and three hits at Peoria on 10/30 ... three hits at Salt River on 11/6. **Matt Curry** (Pirates): Three hits and three runs at Salt River on 11/6 ... three hits at Salt River on 11/13. **Victor Black** (Pirates): Rising Stars Game participant. **Trey Haley** (Indians): Rising Stars Game participant. **Mark Montgomery** (Yankees): Rising Stars Game participant, striking out the side in his one inning of work. **Alex Monsalve** (Indians): Four hits vs. Peoria on 11/08 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Austin Romine** (Yankees): Rising Stars Game starter, hitting an RBI triple and scoring two runs. **Kaleb Cowart** (Angels): Rising Stars Game starter, collecting a hit, a walk, and a run scored.

Team — Second in the league with 46 stolen bases ... pitching staff has allowed the least home runs (12) and second-fewest runs (144) while posting the second-lowest team ERA (4.35) ... only team to not allow a balk all season.

SURPRISE SAGUAROS (17-12)

Starting Pitcher — **Justin Marks** (Royals): 5-0 in six starts with a 2.21 ERA and 16 strikeouts ... last start on November 8 at Salt River — 4.0 IP, 4 hits, 1 run, 0 walks, and 3 strikeouts, earning the win.

Players — **Justin Marks** (Royals): Leads the league with five wins. **Chris McGuinness** (Rangers): Week one player of the week ... leads the league with 26 RBI ... reached base safely in 10 straight games from 10/13 to 10/27 ... three RBI vs. Peoria on 11/9, at Mesa on 11/6, at Salt River on 10/23, at Scottsdale on 10/16, vs. Surprise on 10/13 and vs. Peoria on 10/10 ... four hits vs. Peoria on 10/10 ... three hits at Salt River on 10/23 and vs. Surprise on 10/13 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Dustin Lawley** (Mets): Three RBI vs. Mesa on 10/20 ... three hits vs. Salt River on 11/7. **Brian Fletcher** (Royals): Tied for fourth with 15 walks ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Boone Whiting** (Cardinals): Tied for second with three wins and 25 strikeouts ... five strikeouts at Peoria on 10/22. **Seth Blair** (Cardinals): Five strikeouts vs. Phoenix on 10/17 and vs. Mesa on 10/11. **Kevin Siegrist** (Cardinals): Leads the league with 27 strikeouts ... eight strikeouts vs. Scottsdale on 11/12. **Mike O'Neill** (Cardinals): Fourth in the league batting .359 ... fourth in the league with a .461 on-base percentage ... three hits vs. Peoria on 10/27, vs. Mesa on 10/20 and vs. Salt River on 10/13 ... three RBI vs. Mesa on 10/20 ... three runs scored vs. Peoria on 11/9. **Hanser Alberto** (Rangers): Three hits vs. Phoenix on 10/17. **Bryce Brentz** (Red Sox): Has reached base safely in 15 straight games since 10/9 ... Rising Stars Game starter. **Cesar Puello** (Mets): Tied for the lead with 10 stolen bases ... scored three runs at Mesa on 11/13. **Christian Vazquez** (Red Sox): Four hit game on 10/25 at Scottsdale ... three hits at Phoenix on 10/18. **Ben Rowen** (Rangers): Tied for the league lead with 13 appearances. **Luis Sardinas** (Rangers): Four RBI on 10/20 vs. Mesa ... three hits vs. Salt River on 10/13. **Whit Merrifield** (Royals): Three runs vs. Mesa on 10/20. **Kolten Wong** (Cardinals): Four hits at Scottsdale on 10/16 ... Rising Stars Game participant. **Michael Almanzar** (Red Sox): Rising Stars Game participant. **Chase Huchingson** (Mets): Rising Stars Game participant. **Darrell Ceciliani** (Mets): Three hits at Salt River on 11/8. **Daniel Munro** (Mets): Three hits vs. Peoria on 11/9 ... three runs scored vs. Peoria on 11/9. **Cody Stanley** (Cardinals): Homered twice in one game vs. Peoria on 11/9 ... three RBI vs. Peoria on 11/9.

Team — Leads the league with a 3.65 ERA ... second in on-base percentage (.359) ... pitching is second with 242 strikeouts ... fewest runs (135) and earned runs (108) allowed.

Head-to-Head Records

Opponent	MES	SRR	SCO	PEO	PHX	SUR
Mesa Solar Sox	---	1-5	3-3	1-4	3-1	2-4
Salt River Rafter	5-1	---	2-4	2-3	4-1	2-3
Scottsdale Scorpions	3-3	4-2	---	2-3	2-3	2-4
Peoria Javelinas	4-1	3-2	3-2	---	4-3	3-4
Phoenix Desert Dogs	1-3	1-4	3-2	3-4	---	2-2
Surprise Saguaros	4-2	3-2	4-2	4-3	2-2	---

Single-Game Highs

Batting					Pitching				
	#	Player	Date	Opp.		#	Player	Date	Opp.
H	5	Carlos Sanchez (SRR/CWS)	11/06	SCO	IP	5.0	Multiple players		
2B	3	Chris Owings (SRR/ARI)	10/17	@PEO	H	7	Multiple players		
3B	2	Multiple players			R	8	Kyle Simon (PEO/PHI)	10/12	@PHX
HR	2	Multiple players			ER	7	Multiple players		
RBI	6	Nick Franklin (PEO/SEA)	11/06	PHX	SO	8	Multiple players		
R	5	Carlos Sanchez (SRR/CWS)	11/06	SCO	BB	5	Multiple players		
SB	3	Multiple players			HR	2	Multiple players		

6+ Strikeout Games

Date	Pitcher	Team	Opp.	Ks	Type
10/27	C. Anderson	SRR/ARI	@MES	8	SP
11/10	R. Erlin	PEO/SD	MES	8	SP
10/11	K. Gibson	PEO/MIN	PHX	8	SP
10/16	K. Gibson	PEO/MIN	MES	8	SP
11/12	K. Siegrist	SUR/STL	SCO	8	SP
11/09	B. Whiting	SUR/STL	PEO	7	SP
10/24	N. Bucci	PHX/MIL	@SUR	6	SP
10/31	N. Bucci	PHX/MIL	@SCO	6	SP
10/9	T. Chatwood	SRR/COL	MES	6	SP
11/09	J. Cosart	MES/HOU	@SRR	6	SP
10/25	T. House	SCO/CLE	SUR	6	SP
10/29	K. Kaminska	SCO/PIT	PEO	6	SP
10/30	A. Rienzo	SRR/CWS	SUR	6	SP
10/25	R. Tepera	SRR/TOR	PHX	6	SP
10/27	M. Wright	MES/BAL	SRR	6	SP

4+ RBI Games

Date	Hitter	Team	Opp.	RBI	Hits
11/06	N. Franklin	PEO/SEA	PHX	6	2 1Bs, 2 2Bs
10/30	S. Heathcott	SCO/NYY	@PEO	5	1B, 2B, 2 3Bs
10/12	N. Ahmed	PHX/ATL	PEO	4	2 1Bs, 2B
10/24	T. Beckham	PHX/TB	@SUR	4	2 1Bs, 2B, 3B
10/27	T. Bortnick	SRR/ARI	@MES	4	3 1Bs, 2B
10/10	M. Davidson	SRR/ARI	@MES	4	1B, HR
11/06	L. Davis	SRR/COL	SCO	4	2 1Bs, 2B, HR
11/06	C. Dickerson	SRR/COL	SCO	4	3 1Bs, 3B
10/23	K. Jensen	PHX/MIA	MES	4	1B, HR
10/27	K. Matthes	SRR/COL	PEO	4	2 2Bs, HR
11/06	A. Rendon	SRR/WSH	SCO	4	1B, 2 2Bs
10/25	C. Sanchez	SRR/CWS	PHX	4	1B, 3B
11/12	C. Sanchez	SRR/CWS	@MES	4	2 1Bs
10/20	L. Sardinas	SUR/TEX	MES	4	1B, HR
11/07	M. Skole	SRR/WSH	@SUR	4	1B, HR
10/12	G. Springer	MES/HOU	SUR	4	3B, HR
10/12	M. Stassi	PHX/OAK	PEO	4	1B, HR
10/31	C. Walsh	SUR/STL	PEO	4	2 1Bs
11/13	T. Witherspoon	SCO/LAA	@SRR	4	2 1Bs, 2B

Multi-HR Games

Date	Hitter	Team	Opp.	HR	RBI
11/06	D. Adams	SCO/NYY	@SRR	2	3
10/13	B. Kjeldgaard	PHX/MIL	@MES	2	3
11/09	G. Springer	MES/HOU	@SRR	2	3
11/09	C. Stanley	SUR/STL	PEO	2	3

Grand Slams

Date	Hitter	Team	Opp.	Pitcher	Inning
10/23	K. Jensen	PHX/MIA	MES	A. Sogard	7

Players of the Week

- Week 5** — David Adams (Scottsdale/Yankees) and Robbie Erlin (Peoria/Padres)
- Week 4** — Slade Heathcott (Scottsdale/Yankees) and Bobby Cassevah (Scottsdale/Angels)
- Week 3** — Brian Goodwin (Salt River/Nationals) and Chase Anderson (Salt River/D-backs)
- Week 2** — Donald Lutz (Peoria/Reds) and Kyle Gibson (Peoria/Twins)
- Week 1** — Chris McGuiness (Surprise/Rangers) and Jonathan Singleton (Mesa/Astros)

Transactions

<u>Date</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Transaction</u>
11/14	Phoenix	IF Grant Green (OAK) removed
11/12	Surprise	IF Alex McClure (KCR) removed
11/12	Phoenix	P C.J. Riefenhauser (TBR) removed
11/12	Salt River	P Andre Rienzo (CWS) removed
11/12	Peoria	P Colby Shreve (PHI) removed
11/09	Phoenix	OF Brock Kjelgaard (MIL) removed
11/09	Mesa	IF Bobby Borcherding (HOU) removed
11/08	Peoria	P Seon Gi Kim (SEA) added
11/08	Scottsdale	P Dan Runzler (SFG) removed
11/07	Scottsdale	P Ryan Bradley (SFG) added
11/07	Surprise	C Brett Nicholas (TEX) added
11/07	Surprise	C Christian Vazquez (BOS) removed
11/07	Surprise	P Sam Freeman (STL) removed
11/07	Peoria	P Josh Spence (SDP) claimed by Yankees, remains on Peoria roster
11/07	Salt River	P Sam Dyson (TOR) removed
11/06	Mesa	P Michael Morrison (DET) removed
11/01	Scottsdale	P Shawn Armstrong (CLE) removed
10/31	Mesa	IF Logan Watkins (CHC) added
10/31	Mesa	IF Javier Baez (CHC) removed
10/31	Peoria	C Chris Herrmann (MIN) removed
10/30	Salt River	P Mike Marbry (COL) added
10/30	Salt River	P Tyler Chatwood (COL) removed
10/29	Peoria	IF Travis Mattair (CIN) added
10/29	Peoria	IF Donald Lutz (CIN) removed
10/25	Phoenix	P Shawn Haviland (OAK) removed
10/25	Phoenix	P Santo Manzanillo (MIL) removed
10/23	Peoria	C Dan Rohlfing (MIN) added
10/23	Surprise	P Malcolm Culver (KC) added
10/23	Surprise	P Ben Henry (TEX) added
10/23	Surprise	P J.C. Sulbaran (KC) removed
10/23	Surprise	P Joe Van Meter (TEX) removed
10/22	Phoenix	C Corey Brownsten (ATL) added
10/22	Phoenix	C Matt Kennelly (ATL) removed
10/20	Surprise	IF Danny Muno (NYM) added
10/20	Phoenix	IF Yordy Cabrera (OAK) traded to Miami, remains on Phoenix roster
10/13	Phoenix	IF Yordy Cabrera (OAK) added
10/13	Phoenix	IF Mile Head (OAK) removed
10/10	Salt River	P Ian Kadish (TOR) added
10/10	Salt River	P John Stilson (TOR) removed
10/10	Mesa	OF Yasiel Puig (LAD) removed
10/08	Surprise	P J.C. Sulbaran (KC) added
10/08	Surprise	P Tim Melville (KC) removed