

# 1977 MINNESOTA TWINS

84-77 4th  
MGR Gene Mauch (#4)  
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	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Rod Carew #29	.388	23		115	125	146	325	326	AAR		1B151, 2B4	L R
Bob Randall #32	.239	1		-	111	124	236	233	AR		2B101, 1B1, 3B1	R R
Roy Smalley #5	.231	5		112	114	126	235	231	AR		SS150	B R
Mike Cabbage #26	.264	1		115	122	134	243	243	AR		3B126	L R
Dan Ford "Disco Dan" #15	.267	6		115	122	142	246	243	AAR		OF137(RF)	R R
Lyman Bostock #10	.336	16		115	123	144	265	311	AAR		OF149(CF/LF)	L R
Larry Hise #9	.302	21		125	126	152	256	255	AAR	T-1	OF134(LF/CF/RF)	R R
"Butch" Wynegar #16 Harold	.261	2		114	115	132	244	242	AR	SD	C142, 3B1	B R
Craig Kusick #22	.254	3		124	-	142	244	236	AR		DH, 1B23	R R
Rich Chiles #12	.264	0	MK	112	113	134	243	243	AR		DH, OF22(RF)	L L
Glenn Adams #8	.338	0		115	-	141	311	311	AR		DH, OF44(RF/LF)	L R
Jerry Terrell #1	.224	10		111	-	121	232	226	AAR		3B59, 2B14, DH, SS7, 1B1, OF1(RF)	R R
Rob Wilfong #7	.246	10		111	112	113	232	236	AR		2B66	L R
Bob Gorinski #35	.195	1	MW PK	115	121	132	216	216	AR	LD	OF37(LF/RF), DH	R R
Willie Norwood #24	.229	6		122	-	134	233	231	AAR		OF28(CF/RF/LF)	R R
Luis Gomez #25	.246	0		-	121	142	236	235	AR		2B19, SS7, 3B4, OF1(CF)	R R
Glenn Borgmann #14	.256	0	PW	124	-	133	242	241	SLO		C17	R R
"Bud" Bulling #11 Terry	.156	0		-	-	121	166	163	SLO		C10	R R
Larry Wolfe #39	.240	0		-	-	123	241	233	SLO	LD	3B8	R R
Sam Perlozzo #36	.292	0		-	136	-	253	253	AR		2B10, 3B1	R R
Randy Bass #2	.105	0		-	-	-	143	145	SLO		DH	L R
Pitcher R	.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	153	145	SLO			
Pitcher L	.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	145	146	SLO			

	ERA	IP	W	K	G	GS	SV		
Dave Goltz #30	3.36	303	132	613	39	39	0	.000	R R
Paul Thormodsgard #23	4.62	218	131	632	37	37	0	.000	R R
Geoff Zahn #38	4.68	198	132	632	34	32	0	.000	L L
Pete Redfern #17	5.18	137	142	624	30	28	0	.000	R R
Ron Schueler #34	4.41	135	142	616	52	7	3	.000	R R
Dave Johnson #27	4.58	73	132	632	30	6	0	.000	R R
Jeff Holly #32 #36	6.89	48	125	613	18	5	0	.000	L L
Tom Johnson #21	3.13	147	132	615	71	0	15	.000	R R
Tom Burgmeier #19 SD	5.09	97	133	636	61	0	7	.000	L L
Gary Serum #20	4.37	23	141	614	8	0	0	.000	R R
Bill Butler #37	6.86	21	156	646	6	4	0	.000	L L
Mike Pazik #33	2.50	18	133	641	3	3	0	.000	L L
Don Carithers #18	6.91	14	136	652	7	0	0	.000	R R
Jim Shellenback #28 #50	7.94	6	155	632	5	0	0	.000	L L
Jim Hughes #31	2.08	4	125	645	2	0	0	.000	R R

The '77 Twins are a tale of two teams...They led the American League with a .282 batting average, 867 runs scored, and 1,588 base hits. On top of the stack was Larry Hise with 28 home runs and a league leading 119 RBI. Rod Carew had a "dream season": After flirting with a .400 batting average (it was at .403 on June 26<sup>th</sup>) the man who made hitting a baseball look too easy won his sixth American League batting title, wracked up 239 hits, scored a league leading 128 runs, and even drove in one-hundred. AND...Carew was named the American League's Most Valuable Player. Rising star Lyman Bostock had a marvelous season as well with his .336 batting average, 104 runs scored, 90 RBI, and 199 base hits. During a May 25<sup>th</sup> twin-bill at Boston's Fenway Park, Bostock set a new league record with a total of seventeen putouts in the two ball games. His twelve in Game One set a major league record. Carew led the team with 16 triples and Bostock rang up twelve...The pitching staff was the opposite of the offensive team...The ERA of the staff was twelfth in the A.L. at 4.36. They also allowed 776 runs (12<sup>th</sup>). Dave Goltz led the team with a 20-12 won/loss record, 19 complete games, and 186 strikeouts. Lefty Geoff Zahn was 12-14 while Paul Thormodsgard won eleven ball games. Exclusively out of the bullpen, Tom Johnson went 16-7 and struck out 87 as the team's new closer. Former Number One draft pick Pete Redfern was 6-9 with 73 K's...The Twins, primarily because of Carew's efforts to hit .400 and with a team that simply mashed the baseball while at bat, drew 1.16 million fans to Metropolitan Stadium--the first time the turnstiles turned over a million clicks since 1970.