

1978 SEATTLE MARINERS

56-104 7th
MGR Darrell Johnson (#22)

DP: 311 to 336

Error: 351 to 355

	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Dan Meyer #7	.227	7		114	-	131	231	231	AAR		1B121, OF2(LF)	L R
Julio Cruz #2	.235	59		-	-	116	235	232	S		2B141, SS5	B R
Craig Reynolds #12	.292	9		112	115	125	253	253	AAR		SS146	L R
Bill Stein #1	.261	1		112	114	135	244	242	AR		3B111	R R
Leon Roberts #8	.301	6		124	131	145	255	255	AR	T-1	OF128(RF)	R R
Ruppert Jones "Rupe" #9	.235	22		113	114	133	232	233	AAR	SD/T-1	OF128(CF)	L L
Bruce Bochte #23	.263	3		115	116	135	242	243	AR		OF91(LF/CF), DH, 1B1	L L
Bob Stinson "Scrap Iron" #15	.258	2		121	123	135	244	241	AR		C123	B R
Leroy Stanton #36	.182	1	PK	112	-	124	214	213	AR		DH, OF30(LF)	R R
Tom Paciorek "Wimpy" #14 X	.299	2		113	116	145	261	254	AR		OF54(LF/CF), DH, 1B3	R R
John Hale #44	.171	3	PK	114	-	126	211	211	AR		OF98(RF/LF/CF)	L R
Larry Milbourne #10	.226	5	MW MK	112	114	124	234	226	AAR		3B32, SS23, 2B15, DH	B R
Bob Robertson #6	.230	0		124	126	136	234	231	SLO		DH, 1B18	R R
Juan Bernhardt #26	.230	1	MK	113	-	133	234	231	AR		1B25, 3B22	R R
Bill Plummer #3	.215	0		115	-	135	226	224	SLO		C40	R R
Steve Braun #4 +	.230	1	MK	123	-	143	226	232	AAR	LD	DH, OF4(LF/RF)	L R
Jose Baez #14	.160	1		-	114	-	211	164	AAR		2B14, 3B3	R R
Kevin Pasley #18	.241	0	MW MK	114	-	146	234	234	AR		C25	R 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					
Paul Mitchell #34	4.18	168	142	631	29	29	0	.000	R R			
Glenn Abbott #17	5.27	155	126	633	29	28	0	.000	R R			
Rick Honeycutt #40	4.89	134	134	635	26	24	0	.000	L L			
Jim Colborn #38 #48 X	5.35	114	133	651	20	19	0	.000	R R			
Byron McLaughlin #30	4.37	107	135	554	20	17	0	.000	R R			
Dick Pole #13 #45	6.48	99	135	634	21	18	0	.000	R R			
Mike Parrott #20	5.14	82	134	626	27	10	1	.000	R R			
Tom House #29	4.66	116	131	646	34	9	0	.000	L L			
Shane Rawley #41	4.12	111	142	615	52	2	4	.000	R L			
Jim Todd #27	3.88	107	146	641	49	2	3	.000	L R			
Enrique Romo #43	3.69	107	135	614	56	0	10	.000	R R			
Steve Burke #39	3.49	49	144	641	18	0	0	.000	B R			
John Montague #25	6.18	44	144	643	19	0	2	.000	R R			
Tom Brown #42	4.15	13	132	614	6	0	0	.000	R R			
Rick Jones #46	5.84	12	145	554	3	2	0	.000	L L			

The second Mariners' season was about as poor as the first but the ball club did not want for some talent. Leon Roberts led the team with 22 home runs, 92 RBI, and 78 runs scored. He was able to cool the heels of opposing base runners with a strong throwing arm from his right field post. Playing next to Roberts, in centerfield, was Ruppert Jones, probably the second fastest man on the team who used his speed to chase down long fly balls and intercept line drives to the outfield. Jones also possessed a strong throwing arm to keep base runners honest. Switch-hitting second baseman Julio Cruz was a consistently good if not spectacular fielder. Likely the fastest man on the M's, Cruz finished third in the majors in stolen bases. Switch-hitting backstop Bob Stinson provided some extra power at the plate and a great deal of valuable experience as a veteran receiver. Stinson hit 11 homers and drove in 55 runs. Lefthanded hitting Bruce Bochte also cracked 11 dingers and knocked in 51 runs. Shortstop Craig Reynolds led the team with 160 hits. The Mariners were second-to-last in the A.L. with a .248 team batting average and 97 home runs...Reliever Enrique Romo led the pitching staff with eleven wins. Starter Paul Mitchell was next with eight victories while Byron McLaughlin (4-8 W/L record) led the staff with 87 strikeouts. Righty Glenn Abbott (7-15) completed eight games, the most on the staff. Seattle hurlers were LAST in the league with a 4.67 ERA and second-to-last with 630 strikeouts. The M's scored 614 runs and allowed 834 for the year...Catcher Kevin Pasley homered in his last major league at bat on October 1st. The Mariners finished 35 games behind AL West champ Kansas City...Seattle managed to win THREE season series: 9-6 against the Twins, 8-2 versus the Blue Jays, and 8-7 against the White Sox. The Mariners split ten games versus the Brewers. Attendance at The Kingdome was just under 878,000 for the season--good for eleventh place out of fourteen teams.