

2020 NEW YORK YANKEES

33-27 2nd
MGR Aaron Boone (#17)

DP: 311 to 324

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	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Luke Voit #59	.277	0	PK	144	-	153	253	245	SLO	1B48, DH	R	R
DJ LeMahieu #26 <i>David</i>	.364	3		125	131	146	323	316	AAR	SD(2B) 2B37, 1B11, 3B11	R	R
Gleyber Torres #25	.243	1		115	-	136	236	234	AR	SS40	R	R
Gio Urshela #29 <i>Giovanny</i>	.298	1		123	-	151	256	254	AR	SD 3B43	R	R
Clint Frazier "Bubba" #77	.267	3	PW PK	131	133	151	246	243	AR	OF34(<i>RF</i> /LF), DH	R	R
Aaron Hicks #31	.225	4	PW	122	125	146	233	226	AAR	SD OF50(CF), PH	B	R
Brett Gardner #11	.223	3	PW PK	122	124	136	223	231	AAR	OF48(<i>LF</i> /CF)	L	L
Gary Sanchez #24	.147	0	PK	132	-	142	164	161	SLO	C41, DH	R	R
Giancarlo Stanton #27	.250	1	PW PK	125	-	161	236	236	AR	DH	R	R
Aaron Judge #99	.257	0	PK	141	-	151	243	241	AR	SD/T-1 OF25(RF), DH	R	R
Mike Tauchman #39	.242	6	PK	-	-	132	232	235	AAR	OF27(<i>LF</i> / <i>RF</i> /CF), PH, PR	L	L
Tyler Wade #14	.170	4	PK	121	-	132	166	211	AAR	2B31, SS22	L	R
Mike Ford #36 #72	.135	0		116	-	136	152	156	SLO	1B13, PH, DH	L	R
Miguel Andujar #41	.242	0	MW	113	116	131	235	234	AR	LD DH , OF7(LF), 3B6, PH	R	R
Thairo Estrada #71	.167	1	PK	115	-	-	166	166	AAR	2B20, 3B6, SS3	R	R
Kyle Higashioka #66	.250	0	MW PK	136	-	145	236	236	SLO	SD C14, DH	R	R
Erik Kratz #38	.321	0	PK	-	-	133	265	263	SLO	SD-C C12, 1B4, P2	R	R
Jordy Mercer #0 #22	.182	0		-	-	-	214	213	AR	SS6	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					
Gerrit Cole #45	2.84	73	135	464	12	12	0	.000	R	R		
J. A. Happ #33	3.47	49	133	546	9	9	0	.000	L	L	<i>James Anthony</i>	"Jay" "Happer"
Masahiro Tanaka #19	3.56	48	122	546	10	10	0	.000	R	R		
Jordan Montgomery #47	5.11	44	123	535	10	10	0	.000	L	L	"Monty" "Gumby"	
Deivi Garcia #83	4.98	34	122	543	6	6	0	.000	R	R	(first name pronounced	DAVEY)
James Paxton #65	6.64	20	133	515	5	5	0	.000	L	L	"The Big Maple"	
Michael King #73	7.76	27	136	544	9	4	0	.000	R	R		
Chad Green #57	3.51	26	134	463	22	0	1	.000	L	R	"Greeny"	
Jonathan Loiasiga #43	3.52	23	132	542	12	3	0	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced	low-AYE-sig-ha)
Jonathan Holder #56	4.98	22	143	614	18	0	0	.000	R	R		
Luis Cessa #85	3.32	22	133	556	16	0	1	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced	SESS-uh)
Nick Nelson #79	4.79	21	145	552	11	0	0	.000	R	R		
Zack Britton #53	1.89	19	136	545	20	0	8	.000	L	L	"Brit"	
Adam Ottavino #0	5.89	18	143	466	24	0	0	.000	R	R	"Otto"	
Aroldis Chapman #54 LD	3.09	12	135	362	13	0	3	.000	L	L		
Luis Avilan #70	4.32	8	152	532	10	0	0	.000	L	L		
Miguel Yajure #89	1.29	7	164	511	3	0	0	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced	zha-HOO-ray)
Clarke Schmidt #86	7.11	6	162	531	3	1	0	.000	R	R		
David Hale #75 +	3.00	6	143	531	5	0	1	.000	R	R		
Ben Heller #61	3.00	6	134	535	6	0	0	.000	R	R		
Erik Kratz #38	9.00	2	111	666	2	0	0	.321	R	R		

The Yankees, favorites to win the AL East and possibly a World Series championship, called first place their own or tied through August 19th. The following day, the Bombers lost at home to Tampa Bay, 10-5, and fell to second for the rest of the season. The Rays were clearly visible behind New York the entire year; even the Toronto Blue Jays appeared as challengers for the division crown as well. In head-to-head match-ups with these two pursuers, the Yanks were 2-8 versus the former, and an even 5-5 versus the latter. The Yanks finished seven games behind the division champion Rays. With the COVID-19 pandemic forcing a 60-game schedule, MLB expanded the playoffs in which second place teams all qualified. New York eliminated the Indians two games to none in a best-of-three series, scoring double-digit runs in both victories. The Yankees hit .307 and out-homered The Tribe 7-1. Gleyber Torres was five for seven at the plate (.714) while ace Gerrit Cole struck out 13 and walked none in Game One after tossing seven innings. The crew advanced to face those pesky Rays in a three-out-of-five NLDS. The two combatants split the first four, leading to a winner-take-all Game 5 during which the Rays spotted the Yanks a run in the fourth. The lead held until the fifth when Cole gave up a home run. The Rays scored the series winning run in the eighth on a homer off Aroldis Chapman...DJ LeMahieu swung a hot bat all season to post the majors' best batting average (.364). What's more, Luke Voit's 22 jacks led the big leagues--those homers accounting for over half of his base hits (a total of 41). Voit led the team with 52 RBI. LeMahieu and Gary Sanchez both swatted ten homers. Aaron Judge, who played in only 28 contests due to injury, managed to pop nine home runs...Cole finished the season among major league leaders in wins (7), strikeouts (94), and strikeouts/9 innings (11.589).