

1981 TORONTO BLUE JAYS

37-69 7th

MGR Bobby Mattick (#3)

DP: 311 to 335

Error: 351 to 355

| | BA | SB | W/K | HR | T | D | L | R | RNG | Def. | | |
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| John Mayberry, Sr. #10 | .248 | 1 | | 131 | 132 | 136 | 234 | 236 | SLO | 1B80, DH, PH | | L L |
| Damaso Garcia #7 | .252 | 13 | MW | 111 | 112 | 123 | 242 | 236 | AAR | 2B62 | | R R |
| Alfredo Griffin #4 | .209 | 8 | MW | - | 113 | 132 | 224 | 223 | AAR | SS97, 3B4, 2B1 | | B R |
| Danny Ainge #2 #22 | .187 | 8 | | - | 112 | 121 | 216 | 214 | AR | 3B77, SS6, OF4(<u>CF</u> /RF), 2B2 | | R R |
| Barry Bonnell #9 | .220 | 4 | | 114 | 122 | 133 | 231 | 225 | AAR | OF66(<u>RF</u> /CF/LF) | | R R |
| Lloyd Moseby #15 | .233 | 11 | PK | 115 | 116 | 133 | 226 | 233 | AAR | SD/T-1 OF100(<u>CF</u> /RF) | | L R |
| Al Woods #20 | .247 | 3 | | 111 | - | 126 | 233 | 236 | AR | OF77(LF), PH | | L L |
| Ernie Whitt #12 <u>Leo</u> | .236 | 5 | | 111 | - | 125 | 233 | 233 | AR | C72 | | L R |
| Otto Velez #19 | .213 | 0 | PW PK | 124 | 126 | 142 | 224 | 224 | SLO | DH , 1B1 | | R R |
| Garth Iorg #16 | .242 | 2 | MW | - | - | 125 | 235 | 234 | AR | 2B46, 3B17, PH , SS2, 1B1 | | R R |
| George Bell #11 | .233 | 3 | MW | 121 | 122 | 125 | 233 | 232 | AR | OF44(LF/RF), DH | | R R |
| "Buck" Martinez #13 <u>John</u> | .227 | 1 | | 121 | 123 | 145 | 231 | 231 | SLO | C45 | | R R |
| Willie Upshaw #26 | .171 | 2 | | 122 | 124 | 134 | 211 | 211 | AR | PH, DH , 1B14, OF14(RF/LF), PR | | L L |
| Jesse Barfield #29 | .232 | 4 | MW | 115 | 124 | 135 | 232 | 232 | AAR | T-1 OF25(RF) | | R R |
| Ken Macha #8 | .200 | 1 | | - | - | 115 | 222 | 221 | AR | 3B19, 1B16, DH , C1 | | R R |
| Greg Wells "Boomer" #43 | .247 | 0 | | - | - | 133 | 241 | 235 | AR | 1B22, PH, DH | | R R |
| Ted Cox #34 | .300 | 0 | | 123 | - | 152 | 262 | 254 | AR | 3B14, 1B1 | | R R |
| Rick Bosetti #22 + | .234 | 0 | MW | - | - | 123 | 234 | 232 | AAR | SD OF19(<u>CF</u> /LF/RF) | | R R |
| Fred Manrique #2 | .143 | 0 | MW PK | - | - | - | 164 | 156 | AR | SS11, 3B2, PH | | R R |
| Charlie Beamon #32 | .200 | 0 | | - | - | 132 | 214 | 222 | AAR | DH, PH , 1B1 | | L L |
| Dan Whitmer #6 | .111 | 0 | PK | - | - | 146 | 146 | 146 | SLO | C7 | | 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 | | |
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| Dave Stieb #37 | 3.19 | 184 | 134 | 624 | 25 | 25 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Luis Leal #48 | 3.68 | 130 | 133 | 621 | 29 | 19 | 1 | .000 | R R |
| Jim Clancy #18 | 4.90 | 125 | 144 | 631 | 22 | 22 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Jackson Todd #40 | 3.96 | 98 | 132 | 632 | 21 | 13 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Mark Bomback #17 #45 | 3.89 | 90 | 135 | 635 | 20 | 11 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Juan Berenguer #30 #52 X | 4.31 | 71 | 144 | 632 | 12 | 11 | 0 | .000 | R R "Senor Smoke" |
| Roy Lee Jackson #25 | 2.61 | 62 | 136 | 632 | 39 | 0 | 7 | .000 | R R |
| <u>Joey</u> McLaughlin #50 | 2.85 | 60 | 134 | 612 | 40 | 0 | 10 | .000 | R R |
| Jerry Garvin #36 | 3.40 | 53 | 142 | 625 | 35 | 4 | 0 | .000 | L L |
| Mike Willis #23 | 5.91 | 35 | 145 | 632 | 20 | 0 | 0 | .000 | L L |
| Mike Barlow #46 | 4.20 | 15 | 134 | 643 | 12 | 0 | 0 | .000 | L R |
| Dale Murray #33 | 1.17 | 15 | 134 | 554 | 11 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Paul Mirabella #42 #51 | 7.36 | 15 | 141 | 621 | 8 | 1 | 0 | .000 | L L |
| Nino Espinosa #38 #51 X | 9.00 | 1 | 111 | 666 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R |

BLUE JAYS on the perch: the arrivals of Jim Clancy ('77), Willie Upshaw ('78), Dave Stieb ('79), Lloyd Moseby ('80), and Jesse Barfield ('81) began to lay the foundation of some highly competitive Blue Jays ballclubs in the not-too-distant future. All would be prime players and regular starters by the '82 season. Add to that mix the powerful bat swung by first baseman John Mayberry, Sr. in the team's early seasons and one could see solid contenders in the making. Mayberry head-lined the Jays' run production in 1981 with 17 jacks and 43 RBI. The 21-year-old Moseby equaled Mayberry in RBI and contributed nine homers to the team's 61 during the strike-shortened season. Designated hitter Otto Velez clubbed 11 home runs. Upshaw, 24, hit 4 home runs while Barfield, 21, stroked two dingers and displayed his remarkable rifle-arm in right field for the first time in limited action. Stieb had the starters' best ERA, most complete games (11), most wins (11), most strikeouts (89), and shutouts (2). During December 1980's Rule Five Draft, Toronto selected 21-year-old George Bell from the Phillies organization. The lightning in his bat knocked out five homers in his first trial as a Blue Jay, but starting in 1984 he would become a regular in the line-up, going on to mash 197 more homers in Jays' livery and concluding nine years with the team with 740 RBI... Overall, the Jays' hit .226 as a team (14th in the A. L.) and posted the 10th best ERA (3.81)...The players' strike in MLB resulted in the season being split into two halves. Before the walkout, the Blue Jays were in seventh place of the AL East with a 16-42 record. The second half showed improvement to a sixth place finish and a 21-27 record. With the two halves combined, the young birds ended the year seventh, 23 ½ games behind the first place Brewers and 16 ½ behind the sixth place Indians...Turmoil in the front office led to the firing of team president Peter Bavasi and manager Bobby Mattick at season's end. This led to the hiring of Bobby Cox as field manager for 1982 and the creation of a dual force with general manager Pat Gillick which transformed a down-trodden organization into one of the best teams in baseball.