

2023 NEW YORK METS

75-87 4th

MGR William “*Buck*” Showalter (#11)

DP: 311 to 332

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		BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.			
Pete Alonso “ <i>Polar Bear</i> ” #20		.217	4	PK	135	136	152	232	224	AR		1B144, DH	R	R
Jeff McNeil “ <i>Squirrel</i> ” #1		.270	10		114	115	132	242	245	AAR	SD(2B)	2B107, OF68(RF/LF), 1B1, SS1	L	R
Francisco Lindor #12		.254	31	PK	125	126	146	244	236	AAR	SD	SS158	B	R
Brett Baty #22		.212	2	PK	116	-	131	223	224	AR		3B100, OF1(LF)	L	R
Starling Marte #6		.248	24		113	114	123	242	235	AAR	SD/T-1	OF85(RF)	R	R
Brandon Nimmo #9		.274	3	PK	123	125	144	242	246	AAR	SD	OF146(<u>CF</u> /LF), DH	L	R
Mark Canha #19	+	.245	7		115	116	141	235	235	AR	LD(3B)	OF59(<u>LF</u> /RF), DH , 1B13, 3B4	R	R
Francisco Alvarez #4		.209	2	PK	132	-	143	224	223	SLO		C108, PH, DH	R	R
Daniel Vogelbach #32		.233	0	PK	124	-	134	226	233	SLO		DH	L	R
Tommy Pham #28	+	.268	11	PK	123	124	146	251	243	AAR		OF55(<u>LF</u> /CF), DH	R	R
Mark Vientos #27		.211	1	PK	123	124	133	226	223	AR		DH , 3B19, 1B10	R	R
DJ Stewart #29 <i>Demetrius</i>		.238	1	PK	133	-	152	231	234	AR		OF48(<u>RF</u> /LF), DH	L	R
Omar Narvaez #2		.211	0		113	-	125	222	224	SLO		C47	L	R
Rafael Ortega #30		.219	6	PK	112	-	122	223	226	AAR		OF42(<u>CF</u> / <u>LF</u> /RF)	L	R
Luis Guillorme #13		.224	0	PK	112	114	134	224	231	AR		2B29, 3B14, SS9	L	R
Eduardo Escobar #10	+	.236	2		122	126	136	233	233	AR		3B29, 2B9, SS1	B	R
Ronny Mauricio #10		.248	7	PK	114	-	131	242	235	AAR		2B21, 3B5, SS2	B	R
Danny Mendick #15		.185	1		113	-	131	214	214	AR		2B16, 3B9, OF4(LF)	R	R
Tim Lincecum #26		.232	6	PK	122	-	142	232	232	AAR		OF33(<u>LF</u> /CF), PR	R	R
Jonathan Arauz #19		.136	0	PK	125	-	-	161	155	AR		3B15, 2B7, SS5	B	R
Tomas Nido #3		.125	0	MW PK	-	-	-	153	153	SLO		C21	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						
Kodai Senga #34		2.98	166	143	513	29	29	0	.000	L	R	(first name pronounced <i>KOE-die</i>)		
Taylor Megill #38		4.70	126	142	555	25	25	0	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced <i>meh-GILL</i>)		
David Peterson #23		5.03	111	141	531	27	21	0	.000	L	L			
Max Scherzer #21	+	4.01	108	131	525	19	19	0	.000	R	R			
Justin Verlander #35	+	3.15	94	133	546	16	16	0	.000	R	R			
Carlos Carrasco #59		6.80	90	135	566	20	20	0	.000	R	R	“ <i>Cookie</i> ”		
Jose Quintana #62		3.57	76	132	556	13	13	0	.000	R	L			
Joey Lucchesi #47		2.89	47	134	566	9	9	0	.000	L	L	(last name pronounced <i>loo-KAY-see</i>)		
Jose Butto #70		3.64	42	151	543	9	7	0	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced <i>BOOT-oh</i>)		
Adam Ottavino #0		3.21	62	144	533	66	0	12	.000	B	R			
Drew Smith #40		4.15	56	145	532	62	0	3	.000	R	R			
Brooks Raley #25		2.80	55	143	524	66	0	3	.000	L	L			
David Robertson #30	+	2.05	44	132	523	40	0	14	.000	R	R			
Jeff Brigham #43		5.26	38	144	522	37	0	0	.000	R	R			
Grant Hartwig #93		5.05	36	136	552	28	0	0	.000	R	R			
Dominic Leone #50	+	4.40	31	134	532	31	0	0	.000	R	R			
Trevor Gott #33	X	4.34	29	135	536	34	0	1	.000	R	R			
Stephen Nogosek #85		5.61	26	145	544	13	0	0	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced <i>nuh-GOE-sek</i>)		
Phil Bickford #50	X	4.62	25	145	524	25	0	1	.000	R	R			
Tommy Hunter #29		6.85	24	123	556	14	0	0	.000	R	R			
John Curtiss #46		4.58	20	136	554	15	0	0	.000	R	R			
Denyi Reyes #72		7.78	20	135	556	9	3	0	.000	R	R	(name pronounced <i>DEN-ye RAY-us</i>)		
Reed Garrett #75	X	5.82	17	135	543	10	0	0	.000	R	R			
Jimmy Yacabonis #73		6.59	14	141	561	7	0	0	.000	R	R	(last name pronounced <i>YACK-ah-boe-nis</i>)		

After winning 100 hundred games the year before and an off-the-charts sum of cash (the largest payroll in major league history) owner Steve Cohen invested in his ballclub, the Mets had high hopes of being a post-season juggernaut. Before spring training even began, the Mets lost their \$102 million closer, Edwin Diaz, to a knee injury during the World Baseball Classic, striking him down for the season. The tense uneasiness to meet high expectations was not helped by two pitchers pushing forty, Max Scherzer and Justin Verlander, who didn't meet their previous lofty standards. Both were moved at the trading deadline for highly-touted young minor leaguers...The Mets offense was also below par all season as All Star Pete Alonso (46 HRs, 118 RBI) hit 54 points under his 2022 batting average. Starling Marte was on the shelf most of the year and sorely missed. Jeff McNeil's remarkable talent in the field at multiple positions was a huge bright spot, but he, too, was in the hitting doldrums for half the season. He had been the N. L. batting champion in 2022. Francisco Lindor didn't hit for a high average, but still produced a much-needed 31 jacks and 98 RBI. Catcher Francisco Alvarez, only 21, joined the club early in the season and hit 25 homers, drove home 63, and took charge of the pitching staff...Thirty-year-old Japanese rookie Kodai Senga's first month wasn't spectacular; however, from then on he was superb with his “ghost” split-finger pitch and penchant for ringing up bunches of strikeouts (202). He won 12 ballgames. His ERA, fifth-best in the majors, put him in the running for the league's Cy Young Award. The bullpen was ineffective except for David Robertson whom the Mets traded to Miami. With the arrival of a new President for Baseball Operations, former Met intern David Stearns, manager “Buck” Showalter's three-year contract was terminated a year early for Stearns to pick his own man in the dugout.