



SPRING TRAINING NOTEBOOK

10th Year At The City of Sarasota Sports Complex . 1090 N. Euclid Ave., Sarasota, FL 34237 . (941) 316-0401

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Saturday, February 17, 2007

Pocket Schedule

Today	Pitchers & catchers report RNN satellite feed, 3:30-3:45pm
Tomorrow	Pitchers' & catchers' physicals Chad Moeller's 32nd birthday Jerry Narron available, 11:30am P&C stretch, 12:30pm
Monday	Jerry Narron available, 9:00am P&C stretch, 10:00am Josh Hamilton available, 2:00pm RNN satellite feed, 3:30-3:45pm
Tuesday	Jerry Narron available, 9:00am P&C stretch, 10:00am
Wednesday	Position players report Jerry Narron available, 9:00am P&C stretch, 10:00am RNN satellite feed, 3:30-3:45pm
Thursday	Jerry Narron available, TBA Position players' physicals Full team stretch, 12:30pm Frick Award winner announced
Friday	Photo Day, 7:30am Jerry Narron available, 8:45am Team stretch, 9:30am
Sat, 2/24	RNN satellite feed, 3:30-3:45pm Jerry Narron available, 8:45am Team stretch, 9:30am Reds Rally downtown, noon Bronson Arroyo's 30th birthday Dewayne Wise's 29th birthday
Sun, 2/25	Jerry Narron available, 8:45am Team stretch, 9:30am Annual clinic in stadium, 1:00pm MLBPA meeting, 4:00pm
Mon, 2/26	Jerry Narron available, 8:45am Team stretch, 9:30am RNN satellite feed, 3:30-3:45pm Gary Majewski's 27th birthday
Tue, 2/27	Mandatory reporting date Jerry Narron available, 8:45am Team stretch, 9:30am
Wed, 2/28	Jerry Narron available, 8:45am Intrasquad game, noon RNN satellite feed, 3:30-3:45pm
Thu, 3/1	Cin vs Pit at Bradenton, 1:05pm RNN satellite feed, 7:30-7:45pm Minor league staff reports
Fri, 3/2	Cin vs Min at Ft. Myers, 7:05pm Minor league P&C report 1st date to renew contracts
Sat, 3/3	Cin vs Min at Sarasota, 1:05pm RNN satellite feed, 7:30-7:45pm
Sun, 3/4	Cin vs Pit at Bradenton, 1:05

40-Man Roster

New In 2007	Gone From 2006
RHP Jared Burton	IF Rich Aurilia
IF/OF Jeff Conine	RHP Grant Balfour
OF Bubba Crosby	LHP Brandon Claussen
OF Chris Dickerson	IF Royce Clayton
IF Jerry Gil	RHP Ryan Franklin
SS Alex Gonzalez	LHP Eddie Guardado
OF Josh Hamilton	IF Brendan Harris
LHP Bobby Livingston	OF Todd Hollandsworth
RHP Calvin Medlock	RHP Jason Johnson
C Chad Moeller	RHP Sun-Woo Kim
RHP Brad Salmon	C Jason LaRue
RHP Kirk Saarloos	LHP Kent Mercker
LHP Mike Stanton	LHP Chris Michalak
	C Miguel Perez
	LHP Scott Schoeneweis
	RHP Jason Standridge
	OF Brandon Watson
	RHP Paul Wilson
	OF Dewayne Wise

2006 Awards & Honors

Bronson Arroyo	National League All-Star
	Reds' Most Outstanding Pitcher
	Reds' Good Guy Award
Rich Aurilia	Reds' Most Valuable Player

TODAY'S NEWS: All 36 pitchers and catchers are expected to report by midnight tonight...a short workout for pitchers and catchers will be held at approximately **12:30 p.m. tomorrow**, following physical examinations.

TODAY'S SATELLITE FEED: From 3:30 to 3:45 p.m. **today** the **Reds News Network** will provide a satellite feed from Sarasota via **Digital KU, AMC 2, K07, Slot C, 9 Mhz, 14144.500 Horizontal, 11844.500 Vertical, Compression Rate 4:2:0, FEC 3/4, DATA Rate 5.5, SYMBOL Rate 6.646, Confirmation WO #323374**...today's feed will include b-roll and SOTs with manager **Jerry Narron**, **RHP Aaron Harang**, **RHP Homer Bailey**, **LHP Bill Bray**, **LHP Mike Stanton**, **RHP Gary Majewski** and **1B Scott Hatteberg**.

REDS NEWS NETWORK: RNN also will provide spring training feeds **Monday** (3:30-3:45), **Wednesday** (3:30-3:45), **Friday** (3:30-3:45), **Mon, 2/26** (3:30-3:45), **Wed, 2/28** (3:30-3:45), **Thu, 3/1** (7:30-7:45), **Sat, 3/3** (7:30-7:45) and **Mon, 3/5** (3:30-3:45)...all times are Eastern...the feeds will include interviews, relevant action video and b-roll from workouts or games...questions should be directed to **Russ Jenisch** at rjenisch@reds.com.

JOSH HAMILTON: **OF Josh Hamilton** will be available to the media **Monday, 2/19 at 2:00 p.m.** in the media dining room at the City of Sarasota Sports Complex...it will be your opportunity this spring to speak with Josh about off-the-field topics...executive vice president and general manager **Wayne Krivsky** and manager **Jerry Narron** also will be available...along with other early arrivals, Josh will participate in an informal batting practice at approximately 10:30 a.m. at Ed Smith Stadium.

Red Hots

SPRING TRAINING NEWS: In 2007 the Reds are celebrating their 10th season at the City of Sarasota Sports Complex...position players will report **Wednesday**, followed the next morning by physicals...the first full-squad workout will be held **Thursday at 12:30 p.m.**...there will be no morning workout on Thursday...MLB's mandatory reporting date for players is **February 27**...photo day will be **Friday, February 23** at 7:30 a.m. ET...the **Reds Rally** downtown will be at noon **Saturday, February 24**...the annual **kids clinic** is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. **Sunday, February 25**... minor league pitchers and catchers report **March 2** and position players on **March 7**...the minor league staff reports **March 1**...the Reds' spring training opener is **March 1** vs the Pirates in Bradenton...the home opener is **March 3** vs the Twins at Sarasota's Ed Smith Stadium...**Opening Day 2007** is Monday, April 2 vs the Cubs in the fifth season at **Great American Ball Park**.

SPRING TRAINING TICKETS: Tickets for Reds spring training games are on sale at the spring training complex in Sarasota, on-line at reds.com and via phone at (877) 647-7337...for information regarding spring training tickets or **Premier** packages, call (941) 954-4464 or visit reds.com...the Reds' 31-game exhibition schedule opens March 1 and includes 16 games at Ed Smith Stadium.

SCRIMMAGE: The annual intrasquad scrimmage is scheduled for noon on Wed, 2/28 at Sarasota's Ed Smith Stadium...general admission tickets at \$5 each will benefit the **American Cancer Society**...tickets can be purchased now at the box office or online at reds.com.

THE POWER OF TRADITION: Former Reds players working full-time in the organization include **Doug Bair**, **Billy Hatcher**, **Tom Hume**, **Ken Griffey Sr.**, **Ted Power**, **Johnny Bench**, **Freddie Benavides**, **Aaron Holbert**, **Darren Bragg**, **Jeff Brantley**, **Donnie Scott** and **Mario Soto**...spring training guest instructors include **George Foster**, **Dave Concepcion**, **Tom Browning**, **Todd Benzinger**, **Eric Davis**, **Doug Flynn**, **Chris Sabo** and **Cesar Geronimo**.

2006 SPRING TRAINING: Last spring, their ninth at the City of Sarasota Sports Complex, the Reds finished 22-11 (.667) and produced the most victories and second-best winning percentage in the Major Leagues (Fla, .679, 19-9)...Cin has produced 3 consecutive spring records of at least .500 for the first time since 1988-90, while the team was based in Plant City...haven't produced winning records in 4 straight springs since at least 1970...in 2006, average attendance at 7,500-seat Ed Smith Stadium in Sarasota was **5,275**, including 2 sellouts (3/10 vs NYY, 3/28 vs Bos)...the paid attendance of **7,624** on 3/28 vs Bos was the third-largest in stadium history and the second largest paid crowd ever to see the Reds play here...total attendance at Ed Smith was **84,403** in 16 dates...club leaders included **Andy Abad** (28g), **Brian Buchanan** (.511ba, 10 2b), **Adam Dunn** (6hr), **Edwin Encarnacion** (70ab, 25h, 54tb, 6hr, 20rbi), **Ryan Freel** (9sb), **Dewayne Wise** (14r), **Matt Belisle** (2sv), **Brandon Claussen** (26ip, 22k), **Todd Coffey** (13g) and **Aaron Harang** (4w).

FRICK AWARD: Legendary Reds announcer **Joe Nuxhall** is a finalist for the National Baseball Hall of Fame's **2007 Ford C. Frick Award** for broadcasting excellence...on Thursday, the winner will be announced on the Hall of Fame's web site at www.baseballhalloffame.org...**Marty Brennaman**, Nuxhall's radio partner for 31 seasons, won the award in 2000.

IN THE BOOTH: The Reds filled out their broadcast teams by signing to 4-year contracts **Thom Brennaman** (10/4/06) and **Jeff Brantley** (10/31/06)...they join Hall of Famer **Marty Brennaman** & **Joe Nuxhall** on 700 WLW Radio and **George Grande** & **Chris Welsh** on FSN Ohio...Grande and Welsh, the longest-running TV duo in Reds history, in 2007 will return for their 15th season together.

2007 MEDIA GUIDE AVAILABLE ONLINE: The Reds' **2007 Media Guide** is available online at reds.com under the **Fan Forum** section...it also is available to the media via mlbpressbox.com.

SPRING TRAINING ROSTER: The Reds will begin spring training 2007 with **57** players on the camp roster, including 29 pitchers, 7 catchers, 12 infielders, 9 outfielders and 17 non-roster invitees...most recently, the club invited to camp **63** (2006), **55** (2005), **56** (2004), **64** (2003), **70** (2002), **58** (2001), **72** (2000) and **54** (1999) players.