



# 2008 BROOKLYN CYCLONES NEWS & NOTES

Monday, July 7, 2008

Mahoning Valley Scrappers (8-12) vs. Brooklyn Cyclones (11-9)  
Game #21, Home Game #11 (5-5)

NYPL Champions: 2001

McNamara Division Champions: 2001, 2003, 2004, 2007

**TODAY'S STARTER:** RHP Jenry Mejia makes his Cyclones debut today. Mejia was signed by the Mets as a non-drafted free agent in 2007, out of the Dominican Republic.

He began his professional career last season, for the Venezuelan Summer League Mets, going 2-3 with a 2.47 ERA in 14 games (seven starts). In 43.2 innings, he allowed 24 hits, 17 runs, 12 earned, and 27 walks, with 47 strikeouts.

The 18-year old Mejia began this season with the Gulf Coast Mets (R), and went 2-0 with a 0.60 ERA in three games (all starts). In 15.0 innings, he allowed nine hits, one run, earned, and three walks, with 15 strikeouts.

In his last outing (7/1 @ GCL CAR), he tossed a five-inning complete game shutout, allowing just three hits and a walk, while striking out six.

**LAST GAME:** 2B **Josh Satin** delivered a two-RBI double in the eighth inning to help the Cyclones roll past Mahoning Valley 4-2 on Sunday night. 1B **Ike Davis** drilled an opposite-field single past a diving shortstop to help set up Satin's game-winning hit. The double by Davis also extended his hitting streak to 11 games, one for each game in which he has played.

SS **Reese Havens** continued to swing a hot bat as the team's DH, collecting his third multi-hit game in his last four games with a 2-for-4 effort. LF **Sean Ratliff** hit his first professional home run in the seventh inning, a mammoth shot that sailed into the right field bleachers. RF **John Servidio** smacked a double to right-center field in the fifth inning and later scored on an RBI groundout by C **Cesar Cordido**. CF **Kirk Nieuwenhuis** and 3B **Eric Campbell** also singled for the Cyclones.

RHP **Brad Holt** made his fourth start of the season for Brooklyn, working five innings and allowing three hits, two runs, and striking out a season-high seven batters. RHP **Wendy Rosa** relieved Holt and threw two scoreless innings, giving up two hits with three strikeouts. RHP **Brandon Moore** picked up his second win of the season, pitching a perfect inning of relief with one strikeout. And RHP **Yury Santana** got his league-leading sixth save of the year, retiring the side in order in the top of the ninth.

**IKE STRIKES:** 1B **Ike Davis** delivered a key hit in Sunday's win. Davis has at least one hit in every game in which he's played, a streak of 11 games, entering Monday's contest. Davis was the Mets' first pick of the first round in the June draft, 18th overall, out of Arizona State University.

iB/OF **Lucas Duda** set the franchise record last season with a 17-game hitting streak.

**WHEN YURY'S IN, YOU'RE OUT:** RHP **Yury Santana** leads the team and the NYPL with six saves. The former infielder (who played shortstop for the Cyclones in 2005) has not allowed a hit in five of his six appearances. He surrendered two runs on three hits in one inning on 6/30 vs. HV, but has been otherwise untouchable. In total, he is 1-0 with six saves, and a 2.45 ERA. He has allowed three hits in 7.1 IP, with three walks, and 12 strikeouts.

## PITCHING MATCHUP

RHP P.J. Zocchi (MV)

0-1, 5.60 ERA

VS.

RHP Jenry Mejia (BRK)

0-0, 0.00 ERA

## 2008 GAME RESULTS

6/17 vs. SI - W, 3-1	7/27 vs. SI - 5:00
6/18 @ SI - W, 9-4	7/28 @ SI - 7:00
6/19 vs. SI - L, 7-2	7/29 @ VER - 7:05
6/20 @ ABD - W, 3-2	7/30 @ VER - 7:05
6/21 @ ABD - L, 3-1	7/31 @ VER - 7:05
6/22 @ ABD-W, 4-2 (10)	8/1 @ SI - 7:00
6/23 vs. HV - L, 3-2	8/2 vs. SI - 6:00
6/24 @ HV - L, 4-1	8/3 @ SI - 6:00
6/25 @ HV - L, 1-0 (12)	8/4 vs. SI - 7:00
6/26 vs. ABD - W, 4-2	8/6 @ LOW - 7:05
6/27 vs. ABD - W, 4-3	8/7 @ LOW - 7:05
6/28 vs. ABD - L, 4-1	8/8 @ LOW - 7:05
6/29 vs. HV - L, 6-4	8/9 vs. BAT - 6:00
6/30 vs. HV - W, 6-5	8/10 vs. BAT - 5:00
7/1 @ HV - L, 2-1	8/11 vs. BAT - 7:00
7/2 @ WPT - W, 4-3	8/12 @ AUB - 7:05
7/3 @ WPT - W, 12-3	8/13 @ AUB - 7:05
7/4 @ WPT - W, 9-2	8/14 @ AUB - 7:05
7/5 vs. MV - L, 6-1 (10)	8/15 vs. TRI - 7:00
7/6 vs. MV - W, 4-2	8/16 vs. TRI - 6:00
7/7 vs. MV - noon	8/17 vs. TRI - 5:00
7/9 @ JAM - 7:05	8/21 vs. LOW - 7:00
7/10 @ JAM - 7:05	8/22 vs. LOW - 7:00
7/11 @ JAM - 7:05	8/23 vs. LOW - 6:00
7/12 vs. SC - 6:00	8/24 @ TRI - 5:00
7/13 vs. SC - 5:00	8/25 @ TRI - 7:00
7/14 vs. SC - 7:00	8/26 @ TRI - 7:00
7/16 @ ONT - 7:00	8/27 vs. ONT - 7:00
7/17 @ ONT - 7:00	8/28 vs. ONT - 7:00
7/18 @ ONT - 7:00	8/29 vs. ONT - 7:00
7/19 @ SI - 7:00	8/30 @ HV - 7:05
7/20 vs. SI - 5:00	8/31 vs. HV - 5:00
7/21 @ SI - 7:00	9/1 @ ABD - 7:05
7/22 vs. VER - 7:00	9/2 @ ABD - 7:05
7/23 vs. VER - 7:00	9/3 @ HV - 7:05
7/24 vs. VER - 7:00	9/4 vs. HV - 7:00
7/25 vs. SI - 7:00	9/5 vs. ABD - 7:00
7/26 @ SI - 7:00	9/6 vs. ABD - 6:00

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**EXTRA INNINGS:** Brooklyn has played three extra-inning games this season, going 1-2 in those contests. The Cyclones entered the season 35-29 all-time in extra-inning games, and went 5-2 in 2007.

**STARRING FROM BROOKLYN TO BINGHAMTON:** Four of the five Binghamton Mets recently named to the Double-A Eastern League All-Star Game -- RHP **Sal Aguilar**, 1B/OF **Nick Evans**, 3B **Dan Murphy**, and RHP **Bobby Parnell** -- are former Brooklyn Cyclones. The fifth B-Met All-Star is 1B/OF Mike Carp.

Aguilar (10-1, 2.83), Evans (.307, 50 R, 13 HR, 51 RBI), and Parnell (8-4, 4.04) all played for Brooklyn in 2005, while Murphy (.322, 44 R, 9 HR, 50 RBI) was originally a Cyclone in 2006, and also rehabbed with the team earlier this season.

**PACKING THE PARK:** The Cyclones have led the NYPL -- and the entire Short-Season classification -- in attendance in each of the team's first seven years of existence. Brooklyn is again leading the league in 2008, with **71,081** fans in 10 openings, for an average of **7,108**.

In 2007 the Cyclones drew 294,972 fans in 36 openings, for an average of 8,194 fans per game (up from 7,820 in 2007). The team topped 9,000 fans on six separate occasions, and set a new all-time high with 10,073 fans on 9/7/07 vs. Lowell.

**WHO'S HOT:** **Reese Havens**, **Brandon Richey**, and **Josh Satin** have been among the team's hottest hitters.

Havens is hitting .350 (7-for-20) in his last five games, with five runs scored, two home runs, and five RBI. He has gone 2-for-4 in each of his last two games.

Richey is batting .421 (8-for-19) in his last seven games, with eight runs scored, a triple, and two RBI.

Satin is hitting .350 (7-for-20) in his last six games, with two runs, a home run, and three RBI. Since starting the year 2-for-21 (.095), Satin has gone 9-for-24 (.375) to raise his season average to .244

**TRANSACTIONS:** RHP **Montero Cruz** and OF **Mike Parker** were both assigned to Savannah (A) of the South Atlantic League.

LHP **Jim Fuller** was placed on the Disabled List with a left shoulder strain.

C **Luis Alen** was activated from the Disabled List.

**TEAM HIGHS:** The following are the high single-game totals in both batting and pitching for the 2008 club:

Batting												Pitching							
R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	E	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	
12	15	4	2	2	9	8	13	2	3	4	11.2	12	7	6	2	11	14	2	

### NYPL STANDINGS

#### McNAMARA DIVISION

	W	L	GB
Staten Island	13	7	-
<b>Brooklyn</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>
Hudson Valley	10	10	3
Aberdeen	9	11	4

#### PINCKNEY DIVISION

	W	L	GB
Jamestown	12	6	-
Auburn	12	8	1
Batavia	11	9	2
Williamsport	8	11	4.5
Mahoning Valley	8	12	5
State College	5	14	7.5

#### STEDLER DIVISION

	W	L	GB
Vermont	11	9	-
Lowell	10	10	1
Oneonta	10	10	1
Tri-City	8	12	3