

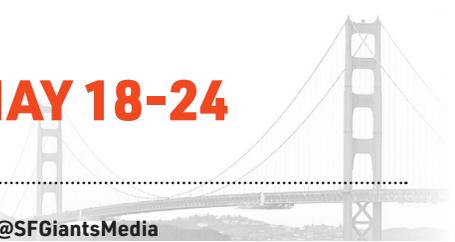


SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS WE'VE GOT YOU ALL COVERED: MAY 18-24

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NEWS & NOTES ◀

▶ Season two of **Conversación Gigante** kicks off with its first episode this Sunday, May 24 on Telemundo 48. Broadcaster Erwin Higueros sits down with **RHP Johnny Cueto** in the first episode of the second season and speak with him about his childhood, his path to the Major Leagues and what drives him to be the best after all of his years in baseball. [Click here for a full schedule of Conversación Gigante](#) ◀◀



▶ Giants Pitching Coach **Andrew Bailey** and his wife, **Amanda**, welcomed their third child, **Vivienne Angela**, on May 15. Congratulations to the Bailey family!

GIANTS INTERVIEW SCHEDULE ◀



Monday - May 18

7:35 a.m. - Mike Krukow

joins Murph & Mac

5 p.m. - Gabe Kapler

joins Tolbert, Krueger & Brooks

Tuesday - May 19

7:35 a.m. - Duane Kuiper

joins Murph & Mac

4:30 p.m. - Dave Flemming

joins Tolbert, Krueger & Brooks

Wednesday - May 20

7:35 a.m. - Mike Krukow

joins Murph & Mac

11:50 a.m. - Jon Miller

joins Papa & Lund

Thursday - May 21

7:35 a.m. - Duane Kuiper

joins Murph & Mac

5 p.m. - Larry Baer

joins Tolbert, Krueger & Brooks

Friday - May 22

7:35 a.m. - Mike Krukow

joins Murph & Mac

Saturday - May 23

The Best of 2010

Sunday - May 24

The Best of 2012

Monday - May 25

The Best of 2014



Monday - May 18

6 p.m. - Blach Outdoes Kershaw (10/1/16)

Tuesday - May 19

6 p.m. - Lincecum, SF Top Jays (6/4/13)

Wednesday - May 20

6 p.m. - Bumgarner Blanks Mets (8/3/14)

Thursday - May 21

6 p.m. - Cueto's CG vs. SD (4/26/16)

Friday - May 22

6 p.m. - Pablo Blasts Walk Off HR (5/21/13)

Sunday - May 24 (Vogey Victories)

2 p.m. - Giants Edge Twins (5/24/14)

4 p.m. - Vogey Silences Bucs (8/25/13)

6 p.m. - Vogey Blanks Dodgers (6/26/12)

8 p.m. - Giants Rout Cards (8/8/12)

Monday - May 25

6 p.m. - Bum, SF Down Pads (9/12/15)

CHALK TALK @HOME presented by **Coors LIGHT** **SCHEDULED GUESTS THIS WEEK**
GABE KAPLER, ANDREW BAILEY, DONNIE ECKER & HUNTER PENCE
 WEDNESDAYS @ 6 P.M. / YOUTUBE.COM/GIANTS

THIS WEEK IN GIANTS HISTORY ◀

MAY 18 1950 At the Polo Grounds, Rube Walker hit a grand slam in the 6th inning for the Cubs. **Monte Irvin** then hit a grand slam in the bottom half for the Giants. It was the first time in Major League history that each team hit a grand slam in the same inning. The game was called on due to rain, and the Giants won, 10-4. **Box** ◀◀

MAY 19 2012 Backed by **Ryan Vogelsong's** 7.0 shut-out innings, the Giants defeated the A's 4-0 in front of 41,411 fans at AT&T Park. Vogelsong limited the A's to just one hit and earned his second win of the season. **Box** ◀◀

MAY 20 2001 **Barry Bonds** hit two home runs in an 11-6 loss to the Atlanta Braves, giving

him a total of five homers in two games, becoming the 23rd player in Major League history to do so. **Box** ◀◀

MAY 21 2000 The Giants scored 11 runs in the 6th inning on their way to a 16-10 win over the Brewers. **Terrell Lowery** collected five hits for SF, including three doubles. Starter **Russ Ortiz** was the winner, allowing 10 earned runs, the most earned runs in a win since Bob Friend in 1954. **Box** ◀◀

MAY 22 2004 **Barry Bonds** drove in the go-ahead run with the bases loaded in the 11th inning and **A.J. Pierzynski** smashed a grand slam, as the Giants scored five times in the 11th to pace a 7-2 win over the Expos. **Box** ◀◀

MAY 23 1976 **John Montefusco** had a no-hitter until the 6th inning and had to settle for a three-hit, 1-0 victory over Phil Niekro and the Braves in 10.0 innings of game two of a doubleheader. Montefusco logged all 10.0 innings while Niekro went 9.0. **Box** ◀◀

MAY 24 2000 The Giants shut out the Expos 18-0, as pitcher **Shawn Estes** hit one grand slam and narrowly missed another as he collected five RBI. The game was the Giants' largest shutout win in modern times, breaking their previous 16-0 record, set on July 3, 1949 against the Dodgers. The previous San Francisco-era record was 14-0 against the Reds on August 23, 1961. **Box** ◀◀

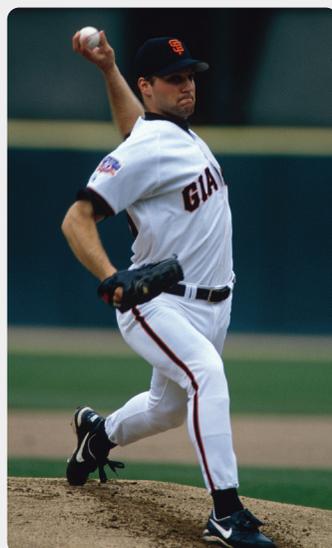
THIS WEEK'S INSIDE GIANTS MOMENTS PODCAST EPISODE (PRES. BY T-MOBILE) ◀



EPISODE 11

Shawn Estes
Years with SF: 1995-2001
 Debuts Thurs., May 21

This All-Star lefty was integral to the success of the gritty 1997 team, earning 19 wins in his first full season with the Giants when he was tabbed an NL All-Star. Now on the broadcasting side, Estes continues to make an impact on the organization as a fan favorite.



Inside Giant Moments takes you behind the scenes of the most iconic moments in Giants history with the players who made these moments, memories. Host Mark Willard of KNBR dives in each week with exclusive interviews on the official San Francisco Giants podcast. [Subscribe Here](#) ◀◀

WE'VE GOT YOU ALL COVERED ◀

Join **Konica Minolta** in the upcoming weeks for the "We've got you all covered" virtual series that demonstrates, discusses and addresses business professionals questions surrounding the coronavirus pandemic. The tools provided in the series will help to embrace the "new normal" as we know it and keep businesses top of mind for their customers. Events are taking place every Tuesday and Thursday, [check out the schedule here](#) ◀◀

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 VIRTUAL EVENT SERIES



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Games air on SFGiants Facebook, Twitter & YouTube platforms

Friday - May 22

4 p.m. - Yastrzemski's Three HR Game
 August 16, 2019 at Arizona

COMMUNITY CORRIDOR ◀

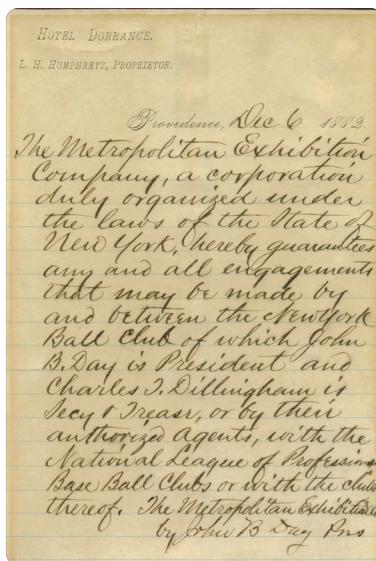
[CLICK FOR THE GIANTS COVID-19 COMMUNITY RESPONSE BLOG ◀◀](#)

- ▶ May 17-23 is **National EMS Week**, which brings together local communities and medical personnel to honor the dedication of those who provide the day-to-day lifesaving services of medicine's front line. This week also marks the 150th anniversary of ambulance services in San Francisco. **Manager Gabe Kapler** sent a message of support to celebrate these Bay Area heroes. [Click to view ◀◀](#)
- ▶ **DonorsChoose** is a platform for educators to obtain funding for classroom projects. Giants partner **Chevron** contributed \$500,000 to DonorsChoose to support teachers in highest-need schools with grants to purchase essential remote learning supplies. The **Chan Zuckerberg Initiative** is matching donations for qualifying distance learning projects on DonorsChoose, and they're giving an extra boost to projects for Bay Area teachers. [Teachers can create a project here ◀◀](#)
- ▶ For more information on what the Giants are doing in the community check out the SF Giants COVID-19 Community Response [blog here ◀◀](#)

BEYOND THE GIANT VAULT ◀



Housed in a 5,000 square foot building, the Giants Archives consists of memorabilia and artifacts from our team's 138-year history. As part of the Giants Fan Page, fans can now, for the first time, learn about and view memorabilia from our collection.



This week we are featuring the Giants Creation Letter from December 6, 1882. William Hulbert, the second president of the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs, was determined to make baseball respectable, even if it meant kicking the largest city in the United States out of the National League. One of his first acts was to expel the NL original team from New York for refusing to complete their 1876 schedule of games - granted the team was not very good, this was extremely unprofessional. As a result, Hulbert issued a lifetime ban to the City of New York to ever join the NL. However, once he passed away in April of 1882, this ban was lifted by the NL's new president and the rest makes for Giants history.

[Click to visit the vault ◀◀](#)

SEASON TICKET MEMBER HEROES OF THE WEEK ◀

Each week we'll highlight a Giants season ticket member or members who are stepping up during this tremendous time of need. This week we salute the work of club level season ticket members **Stephen and Lisa Ingerson**.

- ▶ Lisa Ingerson, BSN, RN, CCM is a board-certified case manager for NICU (Neonatal Intensive Care Unit) patients while Stephen Ingerson, MSN, RN, APRN, CNS is a Critical Care and Trauma Nurse Specialist at University Medical Center in Las Vegas, NV. They both graduated from nursing at St. Mary's / Samuel Merritt College in 2001.
- ▶ The duo has worked with Baxter International Inc., a global leader in acute care, to bring in EUA (Emergency Use Authorization) dialysis filter, Oxiris, as a new tool to treat patients with COVID-19. Some of the guidelines they developed are being used in the Department of Defense COVID-19 practice management guide and these best practices are making a difference.
- ▶ May 6-12 was National Nurses Week and they couldn't be more proud to be a nurse as the world battles the COVID-19 pandemic. Nurses, along with other health care workers, are on the front line, battling the deadly virus each day. Stephen and Lisa are in awe with how the medical community has come together, across state lines and other countries, to share best practices to care for our patients.
- ▶ The Giants and the Medical community share very similar principles, as we step-up and come together in times of need. They are just doing their part, but tip their hats to the countless physician, nurses, respiratory therapist, PT/OT, nurse assistants, environmental service personnel, secretaries, engineering, volunteers, and our governmental leaders during this times. We are all in this together.



GIANTS YOUTUBE CONTENT DROPS ◀



**The Masked Player
Watch Beginning May 20th**

Who is that!?! Take a guess at which players on the 2020 Giants are behind the mask in this fun feature from SFG Productions. *Hint: it's not Barry Zito!*

GIANT BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK ◀



**Tyler Beede
(27)**

May 23



2020 MEDIA GUIDE

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COACH SPEAK: DUSTIN LIND ◀



Each week we'll get to know the new Giants coaches with a few fun questions in this space. This week it's Director of Hitting / Assistant Hitting Coach **Dustin Lind**.

You started a bat company, Cutthroat Bats, while you were in graduate school. Where did the name come from and how much bat-making experience did you have prior to that endeavor?

DL: The name of my old bat company comes from cutthroat trout which are native to Montana. I enjoy fly fishing and wanted to name the company after something that had a regional significance, so I settled on Cutthroat Bats. I had turned a few bats in my high school wood shop class, so I had a general idea of how to operate a wood lathe, but a lot of the specifications required for professional quality wood bats were new to me, so there was a lot of learning that happened in the year leading up to starting that company. Looking back, I was actually pretty calculated with how I went through the process of learning about different wood densities and bat models and was able to minimize the amount of trial and error to a pretty good degree.

You obviously break down swings for a living now but as a kid growing up, was there a swing that you wanted to emulate? Maybe a swing of your favorite player?

DL: I actually copied a lot of different players' swings growing up. When my brother and I would play whiffleball in the backyard, we had a rule that you had to use the batting stance of the player you were pretending to be. So I tried a ton of different batting stances in the backyard growing up. I tried to copy Edgar Martinez when I was young. I also copied Barry Bonds, Ken Griffey Jr. and Mike Piazza at various points of my youth. By the time I was about 11 or 12 my favorite player was Jason Giambi and I started copying his swing from that point until I got to high school.

What is your favorite movie theater snack?

DL: Peanut butter M&M's are definitely at the top of the list.

Prior to taking this position, had you spent much time in the SF Bay Area? If not, what are you looking forward to seeing/exploring the most?

DL: My mom grew up in Fremont, and my dad lived in San Francisco in his early twenties, so I've spent a fair amount of time around the Bay Area. We usually came to California once or twice a year when I was growing up. I was always most excited about going to either a Giants or A's game depending on which team was in town. The atmosphere at the ballpark was always exciting, and it was fun watching the players that I saw on TV. I had a lot of fun going to the Exploratorium and Aquarium as a kid as well. More recently, I've enjoyed going to Warriors games and exploring the different restaurants in The City.

CONVERSACIÓN GIGANTE ◀

The second season of Conversación Gigante with Erwin Higueros kicks off Sunday, May 24 at 11 a.m. on Telemundo 48. In the first episode of the second season, Higueros sits down with Giants right-handed pitcher Johnny Cueto to talk about his childhood, his path to becoming a Major League baseball player and what motivates him to continue to work hard after all of these years.



Future episodes featuring other Giants players will air on Telemundo 48 on **June 21** (11 a.m.), **July 12** (11 a.m.), **August 23** (11 a.m.) and **September 20** (11 a.m.). *Dates and times are subject to change*

KAPLER'S KITCHEN ◀

Each week, Manager **Gabe Kapler** will give us some of his favorite food spots from around the US, in no particular order.

It's luxurious but not over the top. Worth checking out on the strength of Johnny's burger; a smash hit riff on the Big Mac (ground dry-aged ribeye; the special sauce is worth it).

The vibe at **Reverie** in Washington D.C. is inclusive. Chef Johnny Spero believes that a trip to his restaurant isn't about just the food; it's about the experience.

You can get the burger to go while you're respecting social distancing.

REVERIE
WASHINGTON D.C.



PRESS BOX EATS WITH CHEF LONGORI-YUM ◀

The tomato soup recipe is a bit of modified take on my daughter Elle's favorite lunch at school and the thing she was most excited to make in her after school "Iron Chef" program. Chef Casey from Camelback Desert sent us home the recipe and it's become one of our favorites.

- ▶ Add the celery, carrot, onion and garlic and cook until tender, 10 minutes.
- ▶ Add the roasted tomatoes, reserved juices, veggie broth and bay leaf.
- ▶ Simmer on low for 10-15 minutes until everything is tender.
- ▶ Purée in a blender until creamy.

TOMATO SOUP

- ▶ Preheat oven to 425 F
- ▶ Drain tomatoes as reserve the juices. place on a high sided baking sheet.
- ▶ Season tomatoes with salt, pepper, granulated garlic and onion.
- ▶ Drizzle enough olive oil to coat the tomatoes, probably 1/3 cup or more.
- ▶ Bake until caramelized, about 10-15 minutes.
- ▶ In a medium sized pot on medium-low heat add the remaining olive oil.

GRILLED CHEESE

- ▶ Use cast iron pan if you have it. Medium heat.
- ▶ Put the EVOO in pan first and place the top and bottom pieces into the oil to get it on the outside.
- ▶ Build the sandwich and place it in the middle of the pan. Use a grill press if you have it. Don't be scared to check on the sandwich on each side until it's golden brown and the cheese is melted thoroughly.

GIANTS PLAYER SPOTLIGHT | JEFF SAMARDZIJA ◀



- ▶ Grew up in Valparaiso, Indiana, about 45 minutes from Chicago.
- ▶ Was coached by his father in little league. Their Valparaiso team fell one game short of qualifying for the Little League World Series when Jeff was 12.
- ▶ As an all-around athlete, Jeff excelled in football (WR and DB), basketball (forward), baseball, wrestling and track in high school.
- ▶ Played football and baseball at Notre Dame. Was a finalist for the Fred Biletnikoff Award, given annually to the nation's top wide receiver. Set Notre Dame's single-season records for yards receiving (1,249) and touchdown catches (15).
- ▶ Picked up the nickname The Shark because teammates thought he looked like the shark in Finding Nemo.
- ▶ Jeff's father says he was shocked when Jeff chose baseball over football to play professionally. At Notre Dame, student-athletes were allotted 20 hours each week for sports. Samardzija spent 16 hours on football and four on baseball. "What?" his father said when

Jeff told him. "You're a thrower, not a pitcher. You're going to have to learn how to pitch." Father says Jeff would have been a first-round draft pick in the NFL, probably by the New England Patriots.

- ▶ His brother, Sam, helped him make the decision. He visited Jeff in South Bend in December 2006, toting a white-board on which he drew a line down the middle, with "football" on one side and "baseball" on the other. The "pros" for baseball included longevity, playing every day instead of spending so many days in meetings and practice and being able to play at Wrigley Field, baseball heaven for a kid from Indiana.
- ▶ He was in a unique position for the 2014 All-Star Game. He was traded by the Cubs to Oakland just two days before his NL All-Star selection was announced. At the All-Star Game he wore a generic NL jersey for the ceremony, while six of his new A's teammates looked on from the other side. Then he exchanged his NL jersey for an A's cap and pullover and joined took his spot in the AL dugout. He wasn't allowed to participate in the Game for either side because of his unique status.
- ▶ Lives in Arizona in the off-season. Likes classic rock, the outdoors, surfing, Chicago Bears.

FAMILY INFORMATION

- Father, Sam, is a plant supervisor for a public energy supplier.
- Mother, Debora, passed away when he was a sophomore in high school. She had been diagnosed with a serious respiratory condition but her death was sudden and unexpected.
- Has one brother, Sam, who is four years older and works at the agency that represents Jeff.
- He and his wife, Andrea, have two sons, Luca and Leonard James.
- ▶ Met his wife, Andrea, backstage at a Roger Waters concert in 2012. (She was working at the concert.) He got only her first name, so he had his brother, Sam, do some sleuthing to find out who she was and how he could contact her. A week later Sam had a name and address. Jeff sent her a handwritten letter with his phone number. She called and they "dated" over the phone for two or three weeks before meeting in person in Chicago. They married February 13, 2015, near their home in Paradise Valley, AZ, with just 12 guests.

JUNIOR GIANTS AT HOME ◀

Junior Giants at Home is here! In an effort to keep youth connected during times of isolation, the **Giants Community Fund** has launched **Junior Giants at Home!** The 4-week, virtual season offers youth ages 5-18 the opportunity to stay connected and active through live, online practices hosted twice a week. Junior Giants will learn the fundamentals of the game, be introduced to important lessons in health, education and character development and have access to exclusive training videos from **Gabe Kapler** and the **San Francisco Giants coaching staff**. Registration is now open, [visit jrgiantsathome.org](http://visitjrgiantsathome.org) to sign up today! ◀◀



THE GAMER | ISSUE ONE ◀



OF Mike Yastrzemski dons the cover of Issue 1 of *The Gamer*, the Giants newest publication. The first issue includes a Q&A with the young Giants outfielder that burst on the scene last season, a chat with new skipper **Gabe Kapler**, and a look at the Giants community efforts during the shelter in place. [Click here to read today](#) ◀◀



INGREDIENTS

- 1 28oz can whole organic San Marzano tomatoes
- 1/2-2/3 cup EVOO
- Salt, pepper, granulated garlic and granulated onion
- 2 celery stalks, diced
- 2 small carrots, diced
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 cups veggie broth
- 1 bay leaf
- 1 tsp dried basil or 1/4 cup fresh chopped
- 2 slices crusty Italian loaf
- 2 slice Colby jack
- 1-2 slices white American cheese