



SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS

WEEKLY NOTES: JULY 20-26, 2020

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NEWS & NOTES ◀

- ▶ 200,000 cloth masks will be distributed in Northern California communities through a unique public health initiative announced today by Dignity Health, the San Francisco Giants, the San Francisco 49ers and KNBR. This initiative brings together a healthcare company, two Bay Area professional sports teams and a radio broadcast station to support California Governor Gavin Newsom's Wear A Mask public awareness campaign. **Fans can enter to win a set of four masks by clicking here ◀◀**
- ▶ The Giants and Sacramento River Cats announced last week that Sutter Health Park, home to the Giants Triple-A affiliate, will be used as the Giants Alternate Training Site for the 2020 season. The site will host the remaining players from the Giants 60-man player pool that are not on the active Major League roster. Prior to any workouts, the River Cats and Giants are collaborating on a COVID-19 Action Plan, consistent with the MLB 2020 Operations Manual.
- ▶ The seats at Oracle Park will not be empty when the 2020 Giants team begins the 60-game regular season at home on July 28 against the San Diego Padres at 6:45 p.m. Although fans will not be permitted at Giants games this year because of the COVID-19 pandemic, they will have the opportunity to have a cutout image of themselves placed in a seat instead. The Giants Fan Cutout Program will be made available to season ticket members at no cost as one benefit for selecting to roll over their account credit to the 2021 season. The goal is to place their cutout in or as close to their actual season seat as possible. The program is open to all Giants fans at a cost of \$99. **For more information, visit www.sfgiants.com/FanCutouts ◀◀**



GIANTS INTERVIEW SCHEDULE ◀



- Monday - July 20**
7:35 a.m. - Mike Krukow joins Murph & Mac
- Tuesday - July 21**
7:35 a.m. - Duane Kuiper joins Murph & Mac
4:30 p.m. - Dave Flemming joins Tolbert, Krueger & Brooks
- Wednesday - July 22**
7:35 a.m. - Mike Krukow joins Murph & Mac
11:50 a.m. - Jon Miller joins Papa & Lund
- Thursday - July 23**
7:35 a.m. - Duane Kuiper joins Murph & Mac
5 p.m. - Farhan Zaidi joins Tolbert, Krueger & Brooks
- Friday - July 24**
7:35 a.m. - Mike Krukow joins Murph & Mac

THIS WEEK IN GIANTS HISTORY ◀

- JULY 20 2018** **Andrew McCutchen** recorded eight putouts in a 4-1 win over the Athletics, becoming the first Giants right fielder to have eight or more putouts in a nine-inning game since **Randy Winn** also had eight on April 7, 2006. **Box ◀◀**
- JULY 21 2019** **Mike Yastrzemski** hit a walk-off solo home run off Mets' RHP Rober Gsellman to become the first Giants player to hit a walk-off homer in his first MLB season since Al Gallagher in 1970. **Box ◀◀**
- JULY 22 1999** San Francisco Giants pitcher **Jerry Spradlin** struck out four Padres in the 7th inning. Spradlin became the first pitcher in SF history to perform the feat, which had been done 32 previous times. **Box ◀◀**
- JULY 23 2019** The Giants defeated the Cubs in 13 innings by a score of 5-4. **Pablo Sandoval** recorded his fifth career walk-off hit. The win marked the Giants' seventh walk-off of the season and their fourth walk-off in their past six games. **Box ◀◀**



- JULY 24 2003** **Barry Bonds** celebrated his 39th birthday in style by clubbing the game-winning home run off lefty Mike Myers. Not only was this Bonds' fifth walk-off homer as Giant, it was also his 470th homer as a Giant, which put him ahead of Willie McCovey into third place in the franchise all-time home run list. **Box ◀◀**

- JULY 25 1978** St. Louis scored twice in the 9th for a 2-1 lead over **Vida Blue**, but the Giants roared back with a pair in the bottom of the 9th for a 3-2 victory. **Larry Herndon** hit a one-out single, and **Mike Ivie** followed with a pinch homer. **Box ◀◀**
- JULY 26 1964** Sandy Koufax had a 2-1 lead at Dodger Stadium until the Giants erupted for four runs in the 9th for a 5-4 victory. This marked the Giants' first ever win over the great lefty at L.A. **Willie Mays** doubled for a 3-2 lead, and **Jim Ray Hart** followed with a 400-foot homer. **Box ◀◀**

THIS WEEK'S GIANTS PODCASTS (PRES. BY T-MOBILE) ◀



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 ◀◀**

EPISODE 19
Randy Winn
 Years with SF: 2005-2009
 Debuts Thurs., July 23

This Bay Area native exploded with success upon arriving to the team in 2005 with 51 hits in two months. He reminisces about hitting for the cycle and playing alongside Bonds during the historic home run chase. Despite playing for four other teams, Winn still considers himself a Giant.



EPISODE 6
Jose Alguacil
 Years with SF: 2007-present
 Debuts Tues., July 21

Gigantes Podcast, hosted by Spanish-language broadcaster **Erwin Higueros**, is a weekly podcast that will have interviews from former Giants players, coaches and staff members focusing on their culture. Higueros discusses the difficulties and sacrifices each of them have faced throughout their professional journeys. **Subscribe Here ◀◀**

Alguacil was slated to be the manager of the Giants' Double-A affiliate in 2020. He spent nine seasons in the minor leagues as a player and once that door was closed another one opened as coach, manager in the minors and eventually in the major leagues. In this edition of Gigantes Podcast, Alguacil tells us how this opportunity came to be and the work he had to do to embark on a new adventure.





JULY/AUGUST							SEPTEMBER						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
7:08 LAD	26	27	8:45 SD	8:45 SD	8:45 SD	30	1:05 ARI	6	8:05 ARI	7	8:45 SEA	8	8:45 SEA
1:05 TEX	2	5:40 COL	3	5:40 COL	4	5:40 COL	1:10 SD	13	14	5:40 SEA	15	5:40 SEA	16
1:10 LAD	9	6:10 HOU	10	6:10 HOU	11	6:10 HOU	1:10 OAK	20	6:45 COL	21	6:45 COL	22	6:45 COL
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1:10 ARI	23	24	6:45 LAD	6:45 LAD	6:15 LAD	27							7/6/20
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ORACLE PARK

GIANT BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK ◀



Barry Bonds
(56)

July 24

GIANTS YOUTUBE CONTENT ◀



Spring Training 2.0: The New Normal
Watch Beginning Wednesday, July 22

As the SF Giants return to baseball in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic, the sights, the sounds, and the safety procedures that a season ago would feel abnormal are now the new normal. See how the Giants organization came together to reimagine baseball's homecoming to Oracle Park.

COMMUNITY CORRIDOR ◀

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▶ This summer, Levi's® and the Giants are teaming up to highlight and honor six nonprofits in our community who are taking action and making a difference for those most in need during the COVID-19 pandemic. The six organizations we will recognize are supporting and being a resource for veterans, homeless, victims of domestic violence and those who need an extra hand during these unprecedented times. Each organization will be receiving a grant from Levi's® as well as Levi's® reusable masks for their hard-working staff, volunteers and clients. To learn more about the Levi's® Community Advocate program, please visit sfgiants.com/levis-communityadvocate ◀◀



BEYOND THE GIANTS VAULT ◀

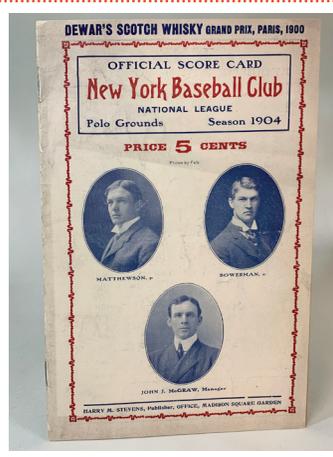


▶ Housed in a 5,000 square foot building, the Giants Archives consists of memorabilia and artifacts from our team's 138-year history. As part of the Giants Fan Page, fans can now, for the first time, learn about and view memorabilia from our collection.

▶ The 1904 season began an exciting time in Giants history, with ramifications that are felt to this day.

▶ Two years after posting a .353 winning percentage, and finishing 53.5 games out of first place, the Giants posted a .693 winning percentage and won the National League by 13 games. Opening Day at the Polo Grounds in 1904 was an exciting time, with over 32,240 fans packing the ballpark with capacity for only 18,000. To allow everyone to experience the festivities, for 25-cents

fans were able to stand behind a rope that was strung across center field. At four o'clock Mrs. De Wolf Hopper, whose husband was best known for performing "Casey at the Bat", threw out the first pitch and the 1904 baseball season in New York began. Although the Giants lost that day, the 106 games they won that season put them at the top of the National League and began years of success for the Giants.



The full 1904 exhibit will be online starting Thursday ◀◀

GIANTS PLAYER SPOTLIGHT | BRANDON CRAWFORD ◀



▶ Lived in Menlo Park until he was seven, then moved to Pleasanton.

▶ Grew up a Giants fan because his father was a Giants fan and season-ticket holder at Candlestick (seats on the third-base side). Brandon remembers as a fan getting to walk on the field at the 'Stick the second-to-last game ever played there. Remembers being at the playoff game against the Mets in 2000 when JT Snow hit a home run. And went to one game of the 2002 WS.

▶ Watched Game Two of the 2010 World Series in person at Oracle Park and the rest on TV.

▶ The Crawford family bought a brick outside of Oracle Park when it opened (near the Willie Mays statue). Look for one that says "Mike Lynn Brandon Amy Kaitlin and Jenna Crawford."

▶ His favorite player was Royce Clayton because he played shortstop. Also liked Will Clark, Barry Bonds and Kirt Manwaring. But favorite player was Alex Rodriguez.

▶ Began playing baseball "as soon as I could walk." His father coached him through Little League.

▶ Crawford starred at Foothill High in Pleasanton, where he batted .357 over a three-year varsity ca-

reer. He also played quarterback and safety on the Foothill High football team.

▶ Majored in physiological science during his three years at UCLA.

▶ Was MVP of UCLA baseball team 2006 and 2007.

▶ Crawford faced Lincecum in college and struck out three times in Lincecum's 18-K two-hit, 5-0 complete-game victory on March 31, 2006. "He was not very fun. He was throwing 98 that night," Crawford tells MLB.com. He said Lincecum's curveball might have been better then, due to the raised seams on the baseballs used in college. "It was dropping about four feet," Crawford said. "It wasn't even fair for us."

▶ Broke his hand summer 2010 and missed eight weeks of the season with Double A Richmond.

▶ Crawford's grand slam at Pittsburgh in the Wild Card Game helped launch San Francisco's postseason march to a World Series Championship in 2014. It was the first grand slam by a shortstop in postseason history.

FAMILY INFORMATION

- Father, Michael, works in the contracts department for Northrop Grumman, a global security company in San Jose.
- Mother, Lynn, is a fifth-grade teacher at Vintage Hills Elementary in Pleasanton.
- Has three younger sisters, Amy, Kaitlin and Jenna, who are all athletes.
- Married Jalyne Dantzscher on November 26, 2011...they have two daughters (Bralyn Ann and Jaydyn April) and two sons (Braxton Michael and Bryson Ryder).
- Jalyne was a former gymnast at UCLA. Jalyne's sister Jamie was on the U.S. Olympic gymnastics team that won the bronze medal in Sydney in 2000. Jalyne also has a twin sister, Janelle. For the 2012 season, Jamie and Janelle shared a three-bedroom rental house in Walnut Creek with Jalyne and Brandon.
- His sister, Amy, is married to current Yankees RHP Gerrit Cole.