



POSTGAME NOTES

Saturday, July 31, 2010

Colorado Rockies (54-50) vs. Chicago Cubs (46-58)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Chicago	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	5	7	0
Colorado	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	6	12	1

WP: Street (2-2, 2.65)

LP: Marshall (6-3, 2.65)

S: None

The Rockies defeated the Cubs tonight by a score of 6-5 in walk-off fashion on a Carlos Gonzalez home run...the home run also capped off the cycle for CarGo...the last player to hit a walk-off homer and it for the cycle in the same game was Dwight Evans of the Red Sox vs. the Mariners on June 28, 1984 (Source: Elias Sports Bureau)...the Rockies have won three straight games and finished the month of July with a 13-13 record, going 11-4 at home...the walk-off is the seventh of the season for the Rockies, including four walk-offs in the month of July...it was the sixth walk-off home run this season by the Rockies.

• **JASON HAMMELL (83 pitches, 60 strikes)** was given a no decision after the Cubs hit a three-run homer in the 8th inning to tie the game at 5 after Hammel exited...Hammel allowed four runs on six hits, no walks and five strikeouts in 7.1 innings...he is winless in his last four starts after winning six straight from 5/27-7/10...he has just two wins in the month of July since 2007.

• **CARLOS GONZALEZ** hit for the cycle for the first time in his career with his walk-off home run on the first pitch in the bottom of the 9th inning off Sean Marshall...the cycle is the sixth by a Rockie and first since Troy Tulowitzki had his on 8/10/09 vs. the Cubs...CarGo collected multiple hits for his fourth-straight game tonight...in his last four games he is hitting .666 (12-for-18)...he has multi-hit games in five of his last six games and leads the team with 34 multi-hit games this season and was tied for 11th in the NL for most multi-hit games coming into tonight...it was CarGo's fourth four-hit game of the season that leads the NL.

• **MELVIN MORA** collected four hits tonight, it was his 11th four-plus hit game...the four hits set a season-high for Mora and are the most since he had five hits 8/17/08 at DET.

• **DEXTER FOWLER** collected his third multi-hit game in a row after hitting two singles, one in the 7th and one in the 8th...in his last three games Fowler is hitting 8-for-16 (.500) in his last three games after breaking out of a 3-for-43 slump on 7/29.

The Cubs lost their fourth straight game tonight...they are 5-1 in their last six games and finish the month of July with a 12-14 record...it was the Cubs' 36th one-run game and have dropped a Major League-high 23 of the 26.

• **TOM GORZELANNY (92 pitches, 61 strikes)** allowed five runs on nine hits over 6.1 innings tonight...he was given a no decision tonight after the Cubs tied the game with a Derrek Lee home run in the 8th inning...the no decision snaps a streak of four-straight decision wins for Gorzelanny...it also snaps a three-game quality start streak.

• **WITH RISP** the Cubs were 0-for-22 with before Derrek Lee hit his three-run home run in the 8th inning tonight...the 0-for-22 streak had continued since Monday, July 27 against Houston in the 3rd inning.

• **DERREK LEE** drove in three runs with a home run to center in the 8th inning tonight...it was his 12th home run of the season and tied the game at 5-5...the home run was his first since 7/15 vs. PHI and just his second homer since 6/18 vs. LAA...he has just two home runs in his last 141 at-bats.

• **MARLON BYRD** extended his current hit-streak to six games with a single in the fifth inning...he is hitting 6-for-22 (.273) over the six games.

• **TYLER COLVIN** extended his current hit-streak to eight games...he is hitting 8-for-25 (.320) in those seven games...the extra base hit for Colvin marks his 32nd of the season and is just the third rookie Cub since 1998 to reach that mark.

HOME RUNS:

	PITCHER	INN	COUNT	MEN ON	OUTS	DISTANCE
Miguel Olivo (#13)	Gorzelanny	2 nd	0-0	2	1	428'
Derek Lee (#12)	Betancourt	8 th	0-0	2	2	422'
Carlos Gonzalez (#21)	Marshall	9 th	0-0	0	0	462'

ATTENDANCE:

Paid (Official): 48,065 (sellout)