On Friday, August 28, all MLB teams honored Jackie Robinson's legacy by wearing the number 42 on the back of their jerseys. Seventy-three years ago, Robinson broke baseball's color barrier when he made his historic MLB debut. Typically, Robinson’s debut is celebrated on April 15 (the date in 1947 when he changed our game and nation forever), but since we could not honor that historic day at the time, MLB paid tribute to the Civil Rights milestone by celebrating it on August 28.