THIS DAY IN SPORTS

1913 — Twenty-year-old amateur Francis Ouimet beats Britain's Harry Vardon and Ted Ray in an 18-hole playoff to win the U.S. Open.

Major League Baseball | Milestones

62 and 700: Judge, Pujols closing in on home run milestones

Aaron Judge and Albert Pujols could make this a milestone week for home runs.

Judge hit two more Sunday, raising his season total to 59, two shy of Roger Maris' American League record. Now the slugger returns to Yankee Stadium, where New York plays its next six games. Pujols, meanwhile, is somewhat improbably closing in on the 700-homer mark after hitting 12 since the start of August.

Judge's pursuit of Maris has stirred debate over how to put this AL record in context, should he break it. He's unlikely to threaten Barry Bonds' major league record of 73, but that mark, as well as the exploits of Mark McGwire and Sammy Sosa around the same time, have become complicated by performance-enhancing drug suspicions.

There's one way in which Judge likely will surpass both Bonds and Maris, no matter how many more homers he hits. Right now, he has an incredible 20-homer lead over Kyle Schwarber, who is second in the majors. Nobody has led baseball in homers by at least 20 since Babe Ruth finished with 54 in 1928.

Major League Baseball results | Monday

Astros 4, Rays 0

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. – Jose Altuve hit a leadoff homer and the Houston Astros clinched their fifth AL West title in six years, beating the Tampa Bay Rays 4-0.

Headed to the postseason for the sixth straight season, Houston won for the eighth time in nine games and improved the AL's best record to 97-51.

Luis Garcia (13-8) won his fifth straight decision, giving up two hits and four walks in five innings while striking out four. Hunter Brown pitched three innings and Héctor Neris finished the five-hitter, the Astros 16th shutout this season.

Tampa Bay (82-65) is in position for the second of three AL wild card berths, one game behind Toronto (83-64) and a half-game ahead of Seattle (81-65). José Ramírez had three of the Rays' five hits.

Drew Rasmussen (10-6) gave up four runs and six hits in six innings. He has allowed four runs in consecutive starts and giving up three runs or fewer during 11 in a row.

Mets 7, Brewers 2

MILWAUKEE – Max Scherzer was pulled from his 200th win with a perfect game intact, and New York clinched its first playoff berth in six years.

Reinstated from the injured list before the game, Scherzer (10-4) struck out nine in six innings. The 38-year-old ace threw only 68 pitches, but that was as far as the NL East leaders let him go in his first start in 16 days.

Christian Yelich doubled leading off the seventh against Tylor Megill, making his first major league relief appearance after 27 starts. Megill also came off the injured list Monday.

Pete Alonso hit a three-run homer off reigning NL Cy Young Award winner Corbin Burnes (10-8), and the Mets won their fifth straight to wrap up at least one of the three National League wild cards. They lead the NL East by one game over defending World Series champion, Atlanta, which beat Washington 5-2 at home.

It is the 10th postseason appearance in the franchise's 61-season history, and first since the Mets lost to San Francisco in the 2016 NL wild-card game.

Marlins 10, Cubs 3

MIAMI – Bryan De La Cruz hit a grand slam in the third inning and Miami beat Chicago.

Rookie Charles Leblanc and Jon Berti also went deep while Miguel Rojas had three hits for the Marlins. Berti also singled twice and stole two bases, giving him an NL-leading 36. Miami starter Edward Cabrera (6-3) threw five innings of three-run ball. The rookie right-hander gave up three hits, walked three, struck out four and hit two batters.

De La Cruz's blast off Cubs starter Wade Miley (1-1) capped a five-run third and erased a 2-0 deficit. He is hitting .333 with three homers and 12 RBIs since being recalled a second time this season from Triple-A on Sept. 7.

In his third start since returning from the 60-day injured list, Miley allowed seven runs, three earned, on seven hits. He walked two in addition to plunking Anderson.

Braves 5, Nationals 2

ATLANTA – Kyle Wright won his major league-leading 19th game, Austin Riley and Eddie Rosario homered and Atlanta beat Washington.

The defending World Series champions won their ninth straight home game to improve to 92-55.

Wright (19-5) won his sixth consecutive decision, allowing two runs and eight hits with one walk and seven strikeouts in six innings. The Braves improved to 22-6 in Wright's starts this season, including seven straight wins. Kenley Jansen pitched a perfect ninth for his NL-leading 35th save in 42 chances.

Riley hit his 37th homer, second-best in the NL, and his eighth against the Nationals in 14 games this year.

Last-place Washington dropped to 51-96 and lost for the seventh time in nine games.

Tigers 11, Orioles 0

BALTIMORE – Tyler Alexander held Baltimore hitless until the seventh inning and Riley Greene drove in three runs to lead Detroit.

Baltimore fell five games behind Seattle in the race for the last of three AL wild-card spots. Both teams have 16 games left, and the Mariners own the tiebreaker advantage for winning the season series.

Alexander (4-10) permitted only two baserunners over the first six innings, both on walks, before Ryan Mountcastle led off the seventh by lofting a single in front of Greene in center. Anthony Santander followed with another single, but both runners were stranded.

Alexander matched his career high by pitching seven innings. The lefty, who struck out four, was winless in four starts since Aug. 20. Will Vest worked the eighth and José Cisnero completed the two-hitter.

Guardians 11, Twins 4

CLEVELAND – Josh Naylor and Amed Rosario hit three-run homers, Cal Quantrill kept his home unbeaten streak intact and Cleveland thumped Minnesota, taking four of five in the series from an AL Central pursuer.

Naylor homered in the first inning off Sonny Gray (8-5) and Rosario connected in the sixth off rookie Ronny Henriquez to make it 7-3 as the first-place Guardians opened a four-game division lead.

Nick Gordon homered off Quantrill (13-5) for the Twins, who came to town hoping to cut into the Guardians' lead but left further behind. Cleveland went 13-6 against Minnesota, winning nine of the last 10.

Quantrill stuck around until the sixth and improved to 13-0 in 32 starts at Progressive Field. The right-hander is one win shy of matching Vic Raschi's record for dominance in one ballpark. Raschi went 14-0 at Comiskey Park from 1947-55. Sam Hentgen got seven straight outs for his first professional save.

Giants 10, Rockies 7 (10)

DENVER – Thairo Estrada hit a go-ahead, three-run homer in the 10th inning after igniting a tying rally in the ninth, and the San Francisco Giants came back to beat the Colorado Rockies.

Mike Yastrzemski homered and Wilmer Flores had three hits and two RBIs for the Giants, who snapped a three-game losing streak and overcame four errors that led to two unearned runs.

Michael Toglia had three hits for the Rockies, including a pair of run-scoring triples. C.J. Cron and Charlie Blackmon also had three hits apiece for Colorado.

Gavin Hollowell (0-1), making his major league debut, struck out the first two batters he faced in the 10th. But he walked LaMonte Wade Jr., giving the Giants runners at first and second, including the automatic runner. Estrada worked the count full before connecting for his 14th home run, a line shot that reached the left field bleachers.

Planner

COMING UP IN THE VALLEY

ANTELOPE VALLEY COLLEGE
- **Cross Country:** Friday at SoCal Preview, 9 a.m.
- **Football:** Saturday vs. Pasadena City, 6 p.m.
- **W Golf:** Mon., WSC#3 at Los Robles GC, 11 a.m.
- **M Soccer:** Friday vs. Oxnard, 1:30 p.m.
- **W Soccer:** Today vs. Santiago Canyon, 4 p.m.
- **W Volleyball:** Wednesday at Cuesta, 6 p.m.

UNIVERSITY OF ANTELOPE VALLEY (NAIA)
- **M Soccer:** Thursday vs. Providence Chr., 3 p.m.
- **W Soccer:** Thurs. vs. Providence Chr., 12:30 p.m.
- **W Volleyball:** Thurs. vs. Providence Chr., 7 p.m.

COMING UP IN SOCAL

ANGELS (Major League Baseball)
- Today at Texas, 5:05 p.m., BallySportsWest
- Wednesday at Texas, 5:05 p.m., BallySportsWest
- Thursday at Texas,11:05 a.m., BallySportsWest

DODGERS (Major League Baseball)
- Today vs. Arizona (DH),12:10 p.m.,7:10 p.m.,SNLA
- Wednesday vs. Arizona, 7:10 p.m., SportsNetLA
- Thursday vs. Arizona, 7:10 p.m., SportsNetLA

Los Angeles FC (Major League Soccer)
- Oct. 2 at Portland, noon, ABC
- Oct. 9 vs. Nashville, 2 p.m., KCOP-13/ESPN+

End of regular season

LA Galaxy (Major League Soccer)
- Saturday at San Jose, 7 p.m., SpectrumSN/ESPN+
- Oct. 1 vs. Salt Lake, 7:30 p.m., SpecSN/ESPN+
- Oct. 9 at Houston, 2 p.m., SpecSN/ESPN+

ANGEL CITY FC (NWSL)
- Wed. vs. Washington, 7:30 p.m., CBSSN/iHeart
- Sunday vs. Louisville, 5 p.m., Paramount+/iHeart
- Oct. 2 at Chicago, 3 p.m., BSSoCal/Paramount+

CHARGERS (National Football League)
- Sunday vs. Jacksonville, 1:05 p.m., CBS
- Oct. 2 at Houston, 10 a.m., CBS
- Oct. 9 at Cleveland, 10 a.m., CBS

RAMS (National Football League)
- Sunday at Arizona, 1:25 p.m., FOX
- Oct. 3 at San Francisco, 5:15 p.m., ESPN
- Oct. 9 vs. Dallas, 1:25 p.m., FOX

UCLA (College Football — Pac-12)
- Saturday at Colorado, 11 a.m., Pac-12
- Sept. 30 vs. Washington, 7:30 p.m., ESPN
- Oct. 8 vs. Utah, TBD

USC (College Football — Pac-12)
- Saturday at Oregon State, 6:30 p.m., Pac-12
- Oct. 1 vs. Arizona State, 7:30 p.m., ESPN
- Oct. 8 vs. Washington State, TBD

ON TV TODAY

COLLEGE SOCCER (Men's)
- Penn St. at Maryland, 4 p.m., BTN
- Seattle at Washington, 7 p.m., Pac-12

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
- Arizona at Dodgers,12:10 p.m., SportsNetLA
- Houston at Tampa Bay, 3:30 p.m., TBS
- Regional Coverage: Cleveland at Chicago White Sox OR Minnesota at Kansas City, 5 p.m., MLB
- Angels at Texas, 5:05 p.m., BallySportsWest
- St. Louis at San Diego, 6:30 p.m., TBS
- Arizona at Dodgers, 7:10 p.m., SportsNetLA

TENNIS
- Tokyo-WTA, Metz-ATP, San Diego-ATP Early Rounds, 3 a.m., TENNIS
- San Diego-ATP, Tokyo-WTA, Seoul-WTA Early Rounds, 5:30 p.m., TENNIS
- San Diego-ATP, Tokyo-WTA, Seoul-WTA Early Rounds, 3 a.m. (Wednesday), TENNIS

Prep calendar

TODAY IN THE VALLEY

CROSS COUNTRY
- Paraclete at league meet, 1:30 p.m.
- Heritage League Meet at Pelona Vista Park, 4 p.m.

GIRLS GOLF
- Highland, Knight, Palmdale, Antelope Valley at Rancho Sierra Golf Course, 1:30 p.m.

GIRLS TENNIS
- Quartz Hill at Antelope Valley, 3:15 p.m.
- Eastside vs. Palmdale at AVC, 3:15 p.m.
- Lancaster vs. Highland at QHHS, 3:15 p.m.
- Knight vs. Littlerock at Palmdale, 3:15 p.m.

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL
- Frazier Mountain at Boron, 4 p.m.
- Bishop at California City, 5 p.m.
- Kern Valley at Rosamond, 5 p.m.
- Palmdale Aerospace Academy at Desert Christian, 5 p.m.
- Trinity Classical Academy at Vasquez, 5 p.m.
- Lancaster at Antelope Valley, 5:30 p.m.
- Knight at Eastside, 5:30 p.m.
- Palmdale at Highland, 5:30 p.m.
- Quartz Hill at Littlerock, 5:30 p.m.
- Paraclete at St. Paul, 6 p.m.

MLS

Western Conference

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
LA FC	**20**	**8**	**4**	**64**	**64**	**36**
Austin FC	16	9	7	55	64	46
FC Dallas	13	8	11	50	46	35
Nashville	12	9	11	47	50	39
Portland	11	8	13	46	51	48
Minn. United	13	13	6	45	46	49
LA Galaxy	**12**	**12**	**7**	**43**	**51**	**47**
Real Salt Lake	11	11	10	43	39	43
Vancouver	11	14	7	40	38	55
Seattle	12	16	3	39	44	42
Colorado	10	13	9	39	44	56
Sporting KC	10	15	7	37	40	52
Houston	9	17	6	33	40	52
San Jose	7	14	10	31	46	64

Eastern Conference

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	18	4	10	64	68	22
CF Montréal	18	9	5	59	59	49
New York	14	10	8	50	47	39
NYC FC	14	11	7	49	53	39
Orlando City	13	12	6	45	40	46
Cincinnati	11	8	12	45	56	50
Inter Miami CF	12	13	6	42	41	52
Columbus	9	7	15	42	41	36
Atlanta	10	12	10	40	46	50
Charlotte FC	12	17	2	38	38	48
New England	9	12	11	38	44	48
Chicago	9	15	8	35	35	45
Toronto FC	9	16	7	34	49	61
D.C. United	7	19	6	27	34	65

NOTE: 3 points for victory, one point for tie.

Wednesday, September 14
Atlanta 1, Orlando City 0
Austin FC 3, Real Salt Lake 0
Colorado 2, San Jose 1
Vancouver 3, LA Galaxy 0

Saturday, September 17
New York City FC 2, New York 0
Philadelphia 0, Atlanta 0, tie
CF Montréal 1, New England 0
Orlando City 4, Toronto FC 0
Charlotte FC 3, Chicago 2
Sporting Kansas City 4, Minnesota 1
Nashville 1, Austin FC 1, tie
Cincinnati 2, Real Salt Lake 1
Vancouver 2, Seattle 1
FC Dallas 1, San Jose 1, tie
LA Galaxy 4, Colorado 1

Sunday, September 18
Portland 1, Columbus 1, tie
Miami 3, D.C. United 2
Los Angeles FC 3, Houston 1

Saturday, September 24
LA Galaxy at San Jose, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, September 27
Cincinnati at Seattle, 7 p.m.

Friday, September 30
Miami at Toronto FC, 4:30 p.m.

Golf

2022 LPGA Tour Schedule

June 10-12 — ShopRite LPGA Classic presented by Acer (Brooke Henderson)
June 16-19 — Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give (Jennifer Kupcho)
June 23-26 — KPMG Women's PGA Championship (In Gee Chun)
July 13-16 — Dow Great Lakes Bay Invitational (L.Salas/J.Kupcho)
July 21-24 — The Amundi Evian Championship (Brooke Henderson)
July 28-31 — Trust Golf Women's Scottish Open (Ayaka Furue)
Aug. 4-7 — AIG Women's Open (Ashleigh Buhai)
Aug. 11-14 — ISPS Handa World Invitational presented by AVIV Clinics (Maja Stark)
Aug. 25-28 — CP Women's Open (Paula Reto)
Sept. 1-4 — Dana Open presented by Marathon (Gaby Lopez)
Sept. 8-11 — Kroger Queen City Championship presented by P&G (Ally Ewing)
Sept. 15-18 — Portland Classic (Andrea Lee)
Sept. 23-25 — Walmart NW Arkansas Championship Presented by P&G, Rogers, Ark.
Sept. 29-Oct. 2 — Volunteers of America Classic, The Colony, Texas
Oct. 6-9 — LPGA MEDIHEAL Championship, Somis, Calif.
Oct. 13-16 — Buick LPGA Shanghai, Shanghai
Oct. 20-23 — BMW Ladies Championship, Wonju, South Korea
Oct. 27-30 — Taiwan Swinging Skirts LPGA, Taipei, Taiwan
Nov. 3-6 — TOTO Japan Classic, Otsu, Japan
Nov. 10-13 — Pelican Women's Championship, Belleair, Fla.
Nov. 17-20 — CME Group Tour Championship, Naples, Fla.

2022-23 PGA Tour schedule

Sept. 15-18 — Fortinet Championship (Max Homa)
Sept. 22-25 — Presidents Cup, Quail Hollow Club, Charlotte, N.C.
Sept. 29-Oct. 2 — Sanderson Farms Championship, Country Club of Jackson, Jackson, Miss.
Oct. 6-9 — Shriners Children's Open, TPC Summerlin, Las Vegas.
Oct. 13-16 — Zozo Campionship, Narashino CC, Chiba, Japan.
Oct. 20-23 — The CJ Cup in South Carolina, Congaree GC, Ridgeland, S.C.
Oct. 27-30 — Butterfield Bermuda Championship, Port Royal GC, Southampton, Bermuda.
Nov. 3-6 — World Wide Technology Championship at Mayakoba, El Camaleon GC, Playa del Carmen, Mexico.
Nov. 10-13 — Cadence Bank Houston Open, Memorial Park GC, Houston.
Nov. 17-20 — RSM Classic, Sea Island GC (Seaside and Plantation), St. Simons Island, Ga.
x-Dec. 1-4 — Hero World Challenge, Albany GC, Nassau, Bahamas.
x-Dec. 9-11 — QBE Shoootut, Tiburon GC, Naples, Fla.

NASCAR

NASCAR Cup Series Schedule-Winners

July 24 — M&M's Fan Appreciation 400 (Chase Elliott)
July 31 — Verizon 200 at the Brickyard (Tyler Reddick)
Aug. 7 — FireKeepers Casino 400 (Kevin Harvick)
Aug. 14 — Federated Auto Parts 400 (Kevin Harvick)
Aug. 21 — Go Bowling at The Glen (Kyle Larson)
Aug. 28 — Coke Zero Sugar 400 (Austin Dillon)
Sept. 4 — Cook Out Southern 500 (Erik Jones)
Sept. 11 — Hollywood Casino 400 (Bubba Wallace)
Sept. 17 — Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race (Chris Buescher)
Sept. 25 — Autotrader EchoPark Automotive 500, Fort Worth, Texas
Oct. 2 — YellaWood 500, Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 9 — Bank of America ROVAL 400, Concord, N.C.
Oct. 16 — South Point 400, Las Vegas
Oct. 23 — Dixie Vodka 400, Homestead, Fla.
Oct. 30 — Xfinity 500, Ridgeway, Va.
Nov. 6 — NASCAR Cup Series Championship, Avondale, Ariz.

NASCAR Xfinity Schedule-Winners

July 16 — Crayon 200 (Justin Allgaier)
July 23 — Explore The Pocono Mountains 225 (Noah Gragson)
July 30 — Pennzoil 150 at The Brickyard (AJ Allmendinger)
Aug. 6 — New Holland 250 (Ty Gibbs)
Aug. 20 — Sunoco Go Rewards 200 at The Glen (Kyle Larson)
Aug. 26 — Wawa 250 Powered by Coca-Cola (Jeremy Clements)
Sept. 3 — Sport Clips Haircuts VFW Help A Hero 200 (Noah Gragson)
Sept. 10 — Kansas Lottery 300 (Noah Gragson)
Sept. 16 — Food City 300 (Noah Gragson)
Sept. 24 — Andy's Frozen Custard 300, Fort Worth, Texas
Oct. 1 — Sparks 300, Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 8 — Drive for the Cure 250 presented by BlueCross BlueShield of North Carolina, Concord, N.C.
Oct. 15 — Alsco Uniforms 302, Las Vegas
Oct. 22 — Contender Boats 300, Homestead, Fla.
Oct. 29 — Dead On Tools 250, Ridgeway, Va.
Nov. 5 — NASCAR Xfinity Series Championship Race, Avondale, Ariz.

NASCAR Gander Outdoors Truck Schedule-Winners

June 4 — Toyota 200 (Corey Heim)
June 11 — DoorDash 250 (Kyle Busch)
June 18 — x-Qualifying Race 1 (John H. Nemechek)
June 18 — x-Qualifying Race 2 (Carson Hocevar)
June 18 — x-Qualifying Race 3 (Hailie Deegan)
June 18 — x-Qualifying Race 4 (Todd Gilliland)
June 18 — Clean Harbors 150 (Todd Gilliland)
June 24 — Rackley Roofing 200 (Ryan Preece)
July 9 — O'Reilly Auto Parts 150 at Mid-Ohio (Parker Kligerman)
July 23 — CRC Brakleen 150 (Chandler Smith)
July 29 — TSport 200 (Grant Enfinger)
Aug. 13 — Worldwide Express 250 for Carrier Appreciation (Chandler Smith)
Sept. 9 — Kansas Lottery 200 (John H. Nemechek)
Sept. 15 — UNOH 200 presented by Ohio Logistics (Ty Majeski)
Oct. 1 — Talladega 250, Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 22 — Baptist Health 200, Homestead, Fla.
Nov. 4 — Lucas Oil 150, Avondale, Ariz.

Women's Soccer

NWSL Glance

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
San Diego	10	6	4	34	30	19
Houston	9	5	6	33	33	24
Kansas City	9	5	6	33	26	28
Portland	8	3	8	32	40	21
OL Reign	8	4	7	31	26	19
Chicago	8	6	6	30	32	25
Angel City	**7**	**7**	**5**	**26**	**20**	**21**
North Carolina	7	8	4	25	40	33
Orlando	5	8	6	21	20	37
Washington	3	6	10	19	24	26
Louisville	3	8	8	17	19	31
Gotham FC	4	15	0	12	13	39

NOTE: 3 points for victory, 1 point for tie.

Wednesday, September 14
North Carolina 1, Angel City 0
Chicago 4, Kansas City 0

Friday, September 16
Louisville 2, Orlando 0

Saturday, September 17
Washington 2, Gotham FC 0
OL Reign 2, North Carolina 1
Houston 1, Chicago 0
San Diego 1, Angel City 0

Sunday, September 18
Portland 1, Kansas City 1, tie

Wednesday, September 21
OL Reign at Gotham FC, 4 p.m.
North Carolina at Orlando, 4 p.m.
Louisville at Portland, 7 p.m.
Washington at Angel City, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 24
Gotham FC at North Carolina, 4 p.m.
OL Reign at Houston, 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 25
Chicago at Portland, 1 p.m.
Washington at Kansas City, 2 p.m.
San Diego at Orlando, 4 p.m.
Louisville at Angel City, 5 p.m.

NFL

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Kansas City	2	0	0	1.000	71	45
Denver	1	1	0	.500	32	26
L.A. Chargers	**1**	**1**	**0**	**.500**	**48**	**46**
Las Vegas	0	2	0	.000	42	53

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Buffalo	2	0	0	1.000	72	17
Miami	2	0	0	1.000	62	45
N.Y. Jets	1	1	0	.500	40	54
New England	1	1	0	.500	24	34

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Jacksonville	1	1	0	.500	46	28
Houston	0	1	1	.250	29	36
Indianapolis	0	1	1	.250	20	44
Tennessee	0	2	0	.000	27	62

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	1	1	0	.500	62	51
Cleveland	1	1	0	.500	56	55
Pittsburgh	1	1	0	.500	37	37
Cincinnati	0	2	0	.000	37	43

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Arizona	1	1	0	.500	50	67
L.A. Rams	**1**	**1**	**0**	**.500**	**41**	**58**
San Francisco	1	1	0	.500	37	26
Seattle	1	1	0	.500	24	43

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	2	0	0	1.000	40	36
Philadelphia	2	0	0	1.000	62	42
Dallas	1	1	0	.500	23	36
Washington	1	1	0	.500	55	58

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Tampa Bay	2	0	0	1.000	39	13
New Orleans	1	1	0	.500	37	46
Atlanta	0	2	0	.000	53	58
Carolina	0	2	0	.000	40	45

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Chicago	1	1	0	.500	29	37
Detroit	1	1	0	.500	71	65
Green Bay	1	1	0	.500	34	33
Minnesota	1	1	0	.500	30	31

Thursday, Sept. 15
Kansas City 27, L.A. Chargers 24

Sunday, Sept. 18
Detroit 36, Washington 27
Jacksonville 24, Indianapolis 0
Miami 42, Baltimore 38
N.Y. Giants 19, Carolina 16
N.Y. Jets 31, Cleveland 30
New England 17, Pittsburgh 14
Tampa Bay 20, New Orleans 10
L.A. Rams 31, Atlanta 27
San Francisco 27, Seattle 7
Arizona 29, Las Vegas 23, OT
Dallas 20, Cincinnati 17
Denver 16, Houston 9
Green Bay 27, Chicago 10

Monday, Sept. 19
Buffalo 41, Tennessee 7
Philadelphia 24, Minnesota 7

Thursday, Sept. 22
Pittsburgh at Cleveland, 5:15 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 25
Baltimore at New England, 10 a.m.
Buffalo at Miami, 10 a.m.
Cincinnati at N.Y. Jets, 10 a.m.
Detroit at Minnesota, 10 a.m.
Houston at Chicago, 10 a.m.
Kansas City at Indianapolis, 10 a.m.
Las Vegas at Tennessee, 10 a.m.
New Orleans at Carolina, 10 a.m.
Philadelphia at Washington, 10 a.m.
Jacksonville at L.A. Chargers, 1:05 p.m.
Atlanta at Seattle, 1:25 p.m.
Green Bay at Tampa Bay, 1:25 p.m.
L.A. Rams at Arizona, 1:25 p.m.
San Francisco at Denver, 5:20 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 26
Dallas at N.Y. Giants, 5:15 p.m.

WNBA

Playoff Glance

FINALS
(Best-of-5)
No. 1 Las Vegas 3, No. 3 Connecticut 1
Sunday, Sept. 11: Las Vegas 67, Connecticut 64
Tuesday, Sept. 13: Las Vegas 85, Connecticut 71
Thursday, Sept. 15: Connecticut 105, Las Vegas 76
Sunday, Sept. 18: Las Vegas 78, Connecticut 71

WNBA Finals MVPs

2022 — Chelsea Gray, Las Vegas Aces
2021 — Kahleah Copper, Chicago Sky
2020 — Breanna Stewart, Seattle Storm
2019 — Emma Meesseman, Washington Mystics
2018 — Breanna Stewart, Seattle Storm
2017 — Sylvia Fowles, Minnesota Lynx
2016 — Candace Parker, Los Angeles Sparks
2015 — Sylvia Fowles, Minnesota Lynx
2014 — Diana Taurasi, Phoenix Mercury
2013 — Maya Moore, Minnesota Lynx
2012 — Tamika Catchings, Indiana Fever
2011 — Seimone Augustus, Minnesota Lynx
2010 — Lauren Jackson, Seattle Storm
2009 — Diana Taurasi, Phoenix Mercury
2008 — Katie Smith, Detroit Shock
2007 — Cappie Pondexter, Phoenix Mercury
2006 — Deanna Nolan, Detroit Shock
2005 — Yolanda Griffith, Sacramento Monarchs
2004 — Betty Lennox, Seattle Storm
2003 — Ruth Riley, Detroit Shock
2002 — Lisa Leslie, Los Angeles Sparks
2001 — Lisa Leslie, Los Angeles Sparks
2000 — Cynthia Cooper, Houston Comets
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College Football

The Top Twenty Five

The Top 25 teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Sep. 17, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and previous ranking:

	Record	Pt	Prv
1. Georgia (59)	3-0	1569	1
2. Alabama (3)	3-0	1492	2
3. Ohio St. (1)	3-0	1473	3
4. Michigan	3-0	1364	4
5. Clemson	3-0	1268	5
6. Oklahoma	3-0	1257	6
7. USC	**3-0**	**1197**	**7**
8. Kentucky	3-0	1096	9
9. Oklahoma St.	3-0	1071	8
10. Arkansas	3-0	920	10
11. Tennessee	3-0	866	15
12. NC State	3-0	781	16
13. Utah	2-1	684	14
14. Penn St.	3-0	666	22
15. Oregon	2-1	593	25
16. Mississippi	3-0	585	20
17. Baylor	2-1	494	17
18. Washington	3-0	485	—
19. BYU	2-1	381	12
20. Florida	2-1	360	18
21. Wake Forest	3-0	345	19
22. Texas	2-1	339	21
23. Texas A&M	2-1	309	24
24. Pittsburgh	2-1	181	23
25. Miami	2-1	123	13

Others receiving votes: Michigan St. 91, Florida St. 85, Appalachian St. 77, North Carolina 72, Washington St. 62, Cincinnati 52, Oregon St. 49, Minnesota 48, Kansas 23, Syracuse 7, LSU 6, Wisconsin 4.

Scores

Saturday, September 17

FAR WEST
UCLA 32, South Alabama 31
USC 45, Fresno St. 17
Arizona 31, N. Dakota St. 28
Black Hills St. 32, Chadron St. 23
Boise St. 30, UT Martin 7
California Lutheran 35, Puget Sound 27
Cent. Arkansas 31, Idaho St. 16
Cent. Washington 40, Simon Fraser 7
Colorado Mines 84, Adams St. 10
E. Michigan 30, Arizona St. 21
George Fox 38, Chapman 28
Hawaii 24, Duquesne 14
Idaho 42, Drake 14
Lewis & Clark 44, Whittier 13
Linfield 21, Redlands 3
N.M. Highlands 27, Fort Lewis 3
New Mexico 27, UTEP 10
North Dakota 27, N. Arizona 24
Oregon 41, BYU 20
Oregon St. 68, Montana St. 28
Pacific (Ore.) 23, Pomona Pitzer 20, OT
Pacific Lutheran 41, La Verne 0
S.D. Mines 31, Colorado Mesa 17
UC Davis 43, San Diego 13
UNLV 58, North Texas 27
Utah 35, San Diego St. 7
W. Colorado 17, CSU-Pueblo 10
W. New Mexico 35, W. Oregon 30
Washington 39, Michigan St. 28
Washington St. 38, Colorado St. 7
Weber St. 44, Utah Tech 14
Whitworth 12, Claremont Mudd 7

SOUTHWEST
Angelo St. 34, Texas-Permian Basin 21
Arkansas 38, Missouri St. 27
Baylor 42, Texas State 7
E. Texas Baptist 28, McMurry 7
East Central 44, S. Nazarene 21
Harding 37, S. Arkansas 17
Henderson St. 37, Ark.-Monticello 27
Incarnate Word 31, Prairie View 14
Kansas 48, Houston 30
Mary Hardin-Baylor 68, Southwestern (Texas) 14
Midwestern St. 28, Michigan Tech 21
N. Colorado 21, Lamar 14
Oklahoma Baptist 31, NW Oklahoma 23
Oklahoma St. 63, Ark.-Pine Bluff 7
Ouachita Baptist 63, Arkansas Tech 14
Rice 33, Louisiana-Lafayette 21
SE Oklahoma 58, SW Oklahoma 48
Sam Houston St. 27, Texas A&M Commerce 17
Tarleton St. 41, E. New Mexico 6
Texas 41, UTSA 20
Texas A&M 17, Miami 9
Texas Southern 24, Southern U. 0
Trinity (Texas) 52, Texas Lutheran 14
Tulsa 54, Jacksonville St. 17

SOUTH
Alabama 63, Louisiana-Monroe 7
Albany St. (Ga.) 42, Shorter 20
Alcorn St. 30, McNeese St. 19
Appalachian St. 32, Troy 28
Austin Peay 28, Alabama A&M 3
Averett 23, Brevard 6
Barton 40, Virginia-Wise 20
Charlotte 42, Georgia St. 41
Chattanooga 41, North Alabama 14
Chowan 32, Johnson C. Smith 29
Clemson 48, Louisiana Tech 20
Coastal Carolina 38, Buffalo 26
Cornell 28, VMI 22
Davidson 56, St. Andrews 6
Delta St. 28, MVSU 17
Duke 49, NC A&T 20
E. Kentucky 40, Charleston Southern 17
East Carolina 49, Campbell 10
Elizabeth City St. 20, Winston-Salem 17
Elon 30, Gardner-Webb 24
Florida 31, South Florida 28
Fort Valley St. 29, Allen 27
Furman 27, ETSU 14
Georgia 48, South Carolina 7
Hampden-Sydney 70, Greensboro 28
Hampton 17, Norfolk St. 7
Howard Payne 67, Hendrix 10
Huntingdon 47, Guilford 7
Jackson St. 66, Grambling St. 24
Kentucky 31, Youngstown St. 0
Kentucky Wesleyan 11, Missouri S&T 6
LSU 31, Mississippi St. 16
Lagrange 44, Ferrum 38
Lane 38, Clark Atlanta 6
Lenoir-Rhyne 42, Erskine 20
Limestone 40, Carson-Newman 37, 2OT
Mars Hill 38, Catawba 7
Memphis 44, Arkansas St. 32
Mercer 17, The Citadel 0
Middle Tennessee 49, Tennessee St. 6
Mississippi 42, Georgia Tech 0

MLB

American League

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Houston	97	51	.655	—
Seattle	81	65	.555	15
Angels	**64**	**83**	**.435**	**32½**
Texas	63	83	.432	33
Oakland	53	94	.361	43½

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	88	58	.603	—
Toronto	83	64	.565	5½
Tampa Bay	82	65	.558	6½
Baltimore	76	70	.521	12
Boston	71	75	.486	17

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	80	67	.544	—
Chicago	76	71	.517	4
Minnesota	73	74	.497	7
Kansas City	58	89	.395	22
Detroit	56	91	.381	24

AL Wild Card Glance

	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Toronto	83	64	.565	+1½
Tampa Bay	82	65	.558	+½
Seattle	81	65	.555	—

x-clinched division

Monday's Games
Cleveland 11, Minnesota 4
Seattle 9, L.A. Angels 1
Houston 4, Tampa Bay 0
Detroit 11, Baltimore 0

Tuesday's Games
Boston (Bello 1-6) at Cincinnati (Lodolo 4-6), 3:40 p.m.
Houston (Javier 9-9) at Tampa Bay (McClanahan 12-5), 3:40 p.m.
Toronto (Stripling 8-4) at Philadelphia (Gibson 10-6), 3:45 p.m.
Detroit (Wentz 1-2) at Baltimore (Voth 5-2), 4:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (TBD) at N.Y. Yankees (Cortes 10-4), 4:05 p.m.
L.A. Angels (Sandoval 5-9) at Texas (Ragans 0-2), 5:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Civale 2-6) at Chicago White Sox (Cease 14-7), 5:10 p.m.
Minnesota (Bundy 8-7) at Kansas City (Greinke 4-9), 5:10 p.m.
Seattle (Castillo 7-5) at Oakland (Sears 5-2), 6:40 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Boston at Cincinnati, 3:40 p.m.
Houston at Tampa Bay, 3:40 p.m.
Toronto at Philadelphia, 3:45 p.m.
Detroit at Baltimore, 4:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh at N.Y. Yankees, 4:05 p.m.
L.A. Angels at Texas, 5:05 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago White Sox, 5:10 p.m.
Minnesota at Kansas City, 5:10 p.m.
Seattle at Oakland, 6:40 p.m.

AL Leaders

HOME RUNS — Judge, New York, 59; Alvarez, Houston, 37; Trout, Los Angeles, 36; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 34; Rizzo, New York, 31; Suárez, Seattle, 31; Seager, Texas, 31.

National League

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Los Angeles	**102**	**44**	**.699**	**—**
San Diego	81	66	.551	21½
San Francisco	70	77	.476	32½
Arizona	68	79	.463	34½
Colorado	64	83	.435	38½

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
z-New York	94	55	.631	—
Atlanta	92	55	.626	1
Philadelphia	80	66	.548	12½
Miami	61	87	.412	32½
Washington	51	96	.347	42

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
St. Louis	87	61	.588	—
Milwaukee	78	69	.531	8½
Chicago	62	85	.422	24½
Cincinnati	58	89	.395	28½
Pittsburgh	55	92	.374	31½

x-clinched division; z-clinched playoff berth

NL Wild Card Glance

	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Atlanta	92	55	.626	+11½
San Diego	81	66	.551	+½
Philadelphia	80	66	.548	—
Milwaukee	78	69	.531	2½

Sunday's Games
Miami 3, Washington 1
Atlanta 5, Philadelphia 2
Cincinnati 3, St. Louis 0
N.Y. Mets 7, Pittsburgh 3
Colorado 4, Chicago Cubs 3
N.Y. Yankees 12, Milwaukee 8
San Diego 6, Arizona 1
L.A. Dodgers 4, San Francisco 3 (10)

Monday's Games
Miami 10, Chicago Cubs 3
Atlanta 5, Washington 2
N.Y. Mets 7, Milwaukee 2
San Francisco 10, Colorado 7, 10 innings
L.A. Dodgers 5, Arizona 2

Tuesday's Games
Arizona (Davies 2-4) at L.A. Dodgers (Grove 0-0), 12:10 p.m., 1st game
Boston (Bello 1-6) at Cincinnati (Lodolo 4-6), 3:40 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Sampson 2-5) at Miami (López 9-10), 3:40 p.m.
Toronto (Stripling 8-4) at Philadelphia (Gibson 10-6), 3:45 p.m.
Pittsburgh (TBD) at N.Y. Yankees (Cortes 10-4), 4:05 p.m.
Washington (Corbin 6-18) at Atlanta (Morton 8-6), 4:20 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Carrasco 15-6) at Milwaukee (Ashby 2-10), 4:40 p.m.
San Francisco (TBD) at Colorado (Freeland 9-9), 5:40 p.m.
St. Louis (Wainwright 11-9) at San Diego (Clevinger 5-7), 6:40 p.m.
Arizona (Jameson 1-0) at L.A. Dodgers (Anderson 15-3), 7:10 p.m., 2nd game

Wednesday's Games
Washington at Atlanta, 9:20 a.m.
N.Y. Mets at Milwaukee, 11:10 a.m.
Boston at Cincinnati, 3:40 p.m.
Chicago Cubs at Miami, 3:40 p.m.
Toronto at Philadelphia, 3:45 p.m.
Pittsburgh at N.Y. Yankees, 4:05 p.m.
San Francisco at Colorado, 5:40 p.m.
St. Louis at San Diego, 6:40 p.m.
Arizona at L.A. Dodgers, 7:10 p.m.