



## MEDIA NOTES

Game 42  
Home Game 18Modesto Nuts (25-16) @ San Jose Giants (23-18)  
LHP Brandon Durden (2-2, 3.20) vs. LHP Scott Barnes (4-1, 4.41)May 22, 2009 – 7:00 PM  
Municipal Stadium (5,208)

## UPCOMING GAMES AND PITCHING PROBABLES

Saturday, May 23	vs. Modesto	6:00 PM	RHP T.J. Brewer (1-0, 2.38)	vs.	LHP Kenny Durst (1-2, 3.51)
Sunday, May 24	vs. Modesto	2:00 PM	LHP Clayton Tanner (2-1, 3.71)	vs.	RHP Bruce Billings (3-3, 4.08)
Monday, May 25	vs. Modesto	2:00 PM	LHP Craig Clark (2-2, 3.89)	vs.	RHP Cory Riordan (1-3, 6.05)
Wednesday, May 27	at Visalia	7:05 PM	RHP Oliver Odle (2-4, 5.50)	vs.	RHP Josh Collmenter (5-2, 3.86)

## GIANTS BY THE NUMBERS

Overall	23-18
Home	10-7
Road	13-11
vs. Modesto	5-6
First Half	23-18
Second Half	0-0
Current Streak	Lost 2
Longest W Streak	4
Longest L Streak	2
Last 5 Games	1-4
Last 10 Games	4-6
2009 Home Att.	44,002
2009 Average	2,588

## CALIFORNIA LEAGUE

North Division	W-L	PCT	GB
Visalia	26-15	.634	-
Modesto	25-16	.610	1.0
San Jose	23-18	.561	3.0
Bakersfield	19-22	.463	7.0
Stockton	15-26	.366	11.0
South Division	W-L	PCT	GB
High Desert	27-14	.659	-
Lake Elsinore	23-18	.561	4.0
Inland Empire	18-23	.439	9.0
R. Cucamonga	16-25	.390	11.0
Lancaster	13-28	.317	14.0

## THIS DATE IN SJ GIANTS HISTORY

**May 22, 1988** The Giants defeat the Riverside Red Wave 8-5 in 21 innings tying for the longest game in San Jose Giants history. Koji Maeda picks up the victory with nine scoreless innings of relief. Current San Jose manager Andy Skeels played on the losing Riverside club.

## MEDIA CONTACT INFORMATION

Juliana Paoli, San Jose Giants  
Vice President Marketing & Public Affairs  
(408) 297-1435 ext. 21  
Juliana@sjgiants.com

**Giants Begin Four-Game Series Against Modesto Tonight...** The San Jose Giants continue their homestand this evening with the opener of a four-game series against the Modesto Nuts at Municipal Stadium. The Giants managed just one win over three games during their most recent series versus the Inland Empire 66ers. San Jose claimed a 6-3 victory over the 66ers on Tuesday before Inland Empire notched 2-1 and 8-4 wins over the last two days. The 66ers rapped out 14 hits yesterday afternoon in the rubber game of the series while Buster Posey led the San Jose offensive charge with a home run and three RBIs. The Giants enter tonight's action in third place in the first half North Division race with a 23-18 record – three games behind the Visalia Rawhide (26-15) for the top spot.

**Home Sweet Home...** Last Tuesday marked the beginning of a stretch where the Giants will play 15 out of 19 games and 21 out of 28 at Municipal Stadium. San Jose has played the fewest home games of any team in the California League (17) and has posted a 10-7 record, .284 team batting average and a 2.65 ERA in their own yard this season.

**Posey Heating Up Again...** Catcher Buster Posey has caught fire again as he brings a seven-game hitting streak into tonight's contest. Last Monday at Modesto, Posey hit his first home run of the month and finished with four RBIs. Three nights ago, he rapped out a pair of doubles, including the go-ahead hit in the bottom of the eighth inning before driving home San Jose's only run in Wednesday's game. Yesterday, Posey blasted his team-leading seventh homer of the season while contributing three RBIs. Posey has 10 RBIs in his last four games and is batting .385 (10-for-26) during his current hitting streak. The former first round draft pick hit .366 with five homers and 20 RBIs during April before undergoing a 6-for-42 (.143) slump from May 1-13.

**San Jose In The Cal League Rankings...** The Giants enter tonight's game fifth in the California League in batting average (.277) and third in ERA (3.70). Offensively, San Jose is sixth in the league in runs scored (5.1 per game), fourth in home runs (34) and last in stolen bases (23). On the mound, the Giants have issued the fewest walks in the California League (99) and have thrown the most shutouts (5).

**Not Too Hot, Not Too Cold...** The Giants have essentially spent the entire regular season without a long winning streak or losing streak. San Jose began the campaign with four straight victories to mark their longest winning streak of the season, but have not claimed three straight victories since April 18-20. Conversely, the Giants have yet to lose three straight games at any point this year. San Jose needs a victory in tonight's game to avoid their first three-game losing streak this season.

**One-Run Woes...** Wednesday's loss to Inland Empire dropped San Jose's record in one-run games to 3-7 – worst in the California League. The Giants have lost their last four one-run games, including three walk-off defeats on their most recent road trip. Of note, San Jose owns a 6-2 record in two-run games – best in the league.

**Where Is The Offense?...** After a tremendous month of April that saw the Giants post a team batting average of .301 (second in the league) to go with 6.0 runs per game and 26 home runs, San Jose has struggled to find consistency at the plate in May. The Giants currently possess a .250 average this month (second-worst in the league) and are tied with Stockton and Modesto for the fewest home runs (8). San Jose is averaging only 4.3 runs per game in May while the club has posted an even 10-10 record.

**Prospect Bonanza...** According to *Baseball America*, nine of the top 25 prospects in the San Francisco Giants organization are on San Jose's roster. Catcher Buster Posey (#2), first baseman Angel Villalona (#3), second baseman Nick Noonan (#5), third baseman Conor Gillaspie (#7) and starting pitcher Scott Barnes (#9) all reside in the top 10 while right fielder Roger Kieschnick (#14), starting pitcher Clayton Tanner (#20), left fielder Thomas Neal (#23) and reliever Edwin Quirarte (#25) have also received recognition.

**Media Coverage...** The San Jose Giants and Comcast have joined forces to bring fans 14 live television broadcasts during the 2009 season, including this evening's game against Modesto. Tonight's game can be viewed live on Comcast Hometown Network Channel 104 throughout most Northern California regions and anytime through Comcast On Demand Channel 1. The entire series can also be heard live on www.sjgiants.com.

**Today's Opponent: Modesto Nuts...** The Modesto Nuts, an affiliate of the Colorado Rockies, enter tonight's contest in second place in the North Division with a 25-16 record – one game behind Visalia for the top spot. Modesto took two out of three games from the visiting Rawhide in their most recent series. The Giants and Nuts have already played each other 11 times this season (all in May) with Modesto owning a slim 6-5 advantage. The Nuts are tied for ninth in the league in hitting (.250), first in pitching (3.39) and have won a remarkable 15 games this season by one run – more than twice than any other team.

## UPCOMING SAN JOSE GIANTS PROMOTIONS

Tonight	KFOX Family Friday ... Post-Game Fireworks Presented by San Jose Water Company ... Water Awareness Night
5/23	MIX 106.5 Saturday in the Park ... Martinelli's Kids Run The Bases
5/24	Alliance Credit Union Kids Eat Free with coupon from Mercury News ... Martinelli's Kids Run The Bases ... Pepsi Pre-Game Clinic
5/25	Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino presents Trading Card Giveaway (Set 1 of 4) with the first 750 fans receiving a 10-card San Jose Giants trading card set

# LHP Scott Barnes

**Born:** September 5, 1987  
**Age:** 21  
**Born:** Springfield, MA  
**Resides:** Chicopee, MA  
**Throws:** Left  
**Acquired:** 8th round, 2008 Draft  
**College:** St. John's University

**Overall:** 7 GS, 4-1, 4.41 ERA  
**Home:** 1 GS, 1-0, 0.00 ERA  
**Road:** 6 GS, 3-1, 5.20 ERA  
**First Half:** 7 GS, 4-1, 4.41 ERA  
**Second Half:** 0 GS, 0-0, 0.00 ERA

**2009 SEASON...** Will be making his first start at home since April 11 tonight after six consecutive appearances of the road ... Leads the Giants and is tied for fourth in the California League in wins (4) ... This evening marks third straight start against Modesto (Brandon Durden will be the opposing pitcher in all three games) ... Has recorded victories in previous two starts versus the Nuts, including on May 16 after tossing five innings with one run allowed ... Worked a season-high 5 1/3 innings in his May 10 start at Modesto ... Surrendered three runs (all earned) on three hits ... Carried a shutout into the fifth inning and was knocked out of the game shortly after yielding a two-run homer in the bottom of the sixth ... Best start of the year came on April 11 versus Stockton in his California League debut ... Worked five scoreless innings with just three hits allowed, one walk and three strikeouts to earn the victory ... Struck out a season-high five batters in April 23 win at High Desert.

**CAREER...** 21-year old left-hander is in his second professional season ... Rated the #9 prospect in the San Francisco Giants organization according to *Baseball America* prior to the 2009 season ... Also considered to have the "best change-up" of any pitcher in the farm system by *Baseball America* ... Originally a 43rd round selection by the Washington Nationals in the 2005 Draft, but instead elected to attend St. John's University.

**2008...** Pitched briefly for the ARL-Giants (Rookie) and Salem-Keizer (Short-Season) before joining Augusta (Low-A) in late-July ... Starred with GreenJackets compiling a 3-2 record and a 1.38 ERA in six starts ... Struck out 41 batters and walked only seven over 32 2/3 innings pitched ... Also won both of his post-season starts after allowing only two runs in 13 innings ... Appeared in two games with the Volcanoes (4.76 ERA) after three appearances with the ARL-Giants (3.38 ERA).

**PERSONAL...** Attended St. John's University ... Named to the Big East Conference First Team in 2007 and 2008 ... Notched a 7-3 record and a 3.69 ERA with 90 strikeouts in 90 1/3 innings during final collegiate season ... Ranks third on school's career strikeout list with 263 ... Attended Chicopee (Mass.) High School ... Earned league Pitcher of the Year and Player of the Year honors as a senior after posting a 9-0 record with a 0.13 ERA and 120 strikeouts while also hitting .588 with six home runs.

## 2009 SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

	2009	Career
<b>IP:</b>	5.1 (5/10 at Mod.)	7.0 (8/11/08 w/Augusta)
<b>R:</b>	4 (x2)	4 (x2 w/San Jose)
<b>ER:</b>	4 (x2)	4 (x2 w/San Jose)
<b>H:</b>	7 (5/5 at Bak.)	7 (5/5/09 w/San Jose)
<b>BB:</b>	4 (5/10 at Mod.)	4 (5/10/09 w/San Jose)
<b>K:</b>	5 (4/23 at HD)	14 (8/23/08 w/Augusta)
<b>HR:</b>	1 (x2)	1 (x2 w/San Jose)

## 2009 DAY-BY-DAY

DATE	OPPONENT	DEC	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
4/11	Stk.	W	*	5.0	3	0	0	1	3	0.00
4/17	at Stk.	L	*	4.0	4	4	4	1	4	4.00
4/23	at HD	W	*	5.0	5	2	2	2	5	3.86
4/29	at Lan.	ND	*	4.2	6	3	2	2	4	3.86
5/5	at Bak.	ND	*	3.2	7	4	4	3	3	4.84
5/10	at Mod.	W	*	5.1	3	3	3	4	3	4.88
5/16	at Mod.	W	*	5.0	4	1	1	1	1	4.41

## CAREER PITCHING RECORD

Year	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	SO	AVG
2009	San Jose	4	1	4.41	7	7	0	0	0	32.2	32	17	16	2	0	14	23	.258
2008	Augusta	3	2	1.38	6	6	0	0	0	32.2	15	6	5	0	0	7	41	.133
	Salem-Keizer	0	0	4.76	2	1	0	0	0	5.2	6	3	3	0	0	1	11	.250
	ARL-Giants	0	1	3.38	3	0	0	0	0	5.1	3	2	2	0	0	4	11	.167
<i>Career</i>		7	4	3.07	18	14	0	0	0	76.1	56	28	26	2	0	26	86	.201

# 2009 SAN JOSE GIANTS MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

## HIGHS AND LOWS

### TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Most Games Over .500	8	(x2)
Most Games Under .500	--	
Longest Winning Streak	4	April 9-12
Longest Losing Streak	2	(x5)
Longest Home Winning Streak	4	April 9-12
Longest Road Winning Streak	3	April 18-23
Longest Home Losing Streak	2	April 13-14, May 20-21
Longest Road Losing Streak	2	(x3)
Biggest Winning Margin	10	(x2)
Biggest Losing Margin	9	May 7 at Bak. (3-12)
Errors, Game, SJ	5	April 28 at Lan.
Errors, Game, Opponent	5	May 7 at Bak.
Largest Comeback	3	April 19 at Stk.
Walk-off Wins	--	
Walk-off Losses	4	
Longest Game, Extra Innings	12	May 15 at Mod.
Longest Game, Time	4:20	May 15 at Mod.
Longest Game, Time -- 9 Innings	3:27	April 28 at Lan.
Quickest Game	2:10	May 12 at Vis.
Largest Crowd, Home	4,012	April 15 vs. Bak.
Smallest Crowd, Home	1,082	April 13 vs. Bak.
Sellouts, Home	--	
Largest Crowd, Road	5,429	April 16 at Stk.
Smallest Crowd, Road	404	May 6 at Bak.

### TEAM BATTING

Runs, Game, SJ	17	April 28 at Lan.
Runs, Game, Opponents	12	May 7 at Bak.
Runs, Inning, SJ	6	May 14 at Vis.
Runs, Inning, Opponents	5	April 17 at Stk.
Most Hits, Game, SJ	24	April 28 at Lan.
Fewest Hits, Game, SJ	3	(x2)
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	19	April 14 vs. Bak.
Fewest Hits, Game, Opponents	3	April 10 vs. Stk.
Home Runs, Game, SJ	3	(x2)
Home Runs, Game, Opponents	7	April 26 at HD
Steals, Game, SJ	4	April 15 vs. Bak.
Steals, Game, Opponents	3	April 27 at Lan.

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Hits, Game	4	(x5)
Runs, Game	4	(x2)
Doubles, Game	2	(x5)
Triples, Game	1	(x12)
Home Runs, Game	1	(x34)
Grand Slams	--	
Walk-Off Home Runs	--	
RBI, Game	5	Ford, April 28 at Lan.
Walks, Game	3	Ford, April 23 at HD
Strikeouts, Game	5	Noonan, May 15 at Mod.
Steals, Game	2	Crawford, April 15 vs. Bak.
Hitting Streak	12	Neal, April 27-May 10

### TEAM PITCHING

Strikeouts, Game, SJ	13	May 13 at Vis.
Strikeouts, Game, Opponents	17	May 15 at Mod.
Walks, Game, SJ	7	May 5 at Bak.
Walks, Game, Opponents	7	(x4)
Scoreless Innings Streak, SJ	27	April 10-12

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Strikeouts, Starter	9	Clark, May 13 at Vis.
Strikeouts, Reliever	6	Lively, May 6 at Bak.
Strikeouts, Opponent	10	Johnson, May 20 vs. IE
Walks	4	Barnes, May 10 at Mod.
Walks, Opponent	4	(x5)
Innings, Starter	7.0	(x3)
Innings, Reliever	6.0	Odle, May 14 at Vis.
Fewest Innings, Starter	2.2	(x2)
Scoreless Innings Streak, Starter	9.0	Clark
Scoreless Innings Streak, Reliever	9.0	Turpen

## GIANTS SCORING BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Ext.	Total
GIANTS	24	28	33	23	26	24	16	23	12	2	211
Opponents	19	22	22	25	16	22	19	16	15	1	177

### RECORD BY DAY OF WEEK

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>4-2</b>
Home:	2-0
Road:	2-2
<b>Monday:</b>	<b>1-4</b>
Home:	1-2
Road:	0-2
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>3-3</b>
Home:	1-2
Road:	2-1
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>4-2</b>
Home:	2-1
Road:	2-1
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>4-2</b>
Home:	1-1
Road:	3-1
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>2-4</b>
Home:	2-0
Road:	0-4
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>5-1</b>
Home:	1-1
Road:	4-0

### MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

<b>April:</b>	13-8
<b>May:</b>	10-10
<b>June:</b>	0-0
<b>July:</b>	0-0
<b>August:</b>	0-0
<b>September:</b>	0-0
<b>1st game of series:</b>	7-5
<b>Last game of series:</b>	6-6
<b>Rubber game of series:</b>	3-2
<b>vs. RHP starter:</b>	16-13
<b>vs. LHP starter:</b>	7-5
<b>Day:</b>	6-4
<b>Night:</b>	17-14
<b>Extra Innings:</b>	1-1
<b>Shutouts:</b>	5-1
<b>One-run games:</b>	3-7
<b>Two-run games:</b>	6-2
<b>Three-run games:</b>	4-2
<b>Four+ run games:</b>	10-7
<b>Scoring First:</b>	19-7
<b>Opponent Scores First:</b>	4-11

## RECORD BY STARTING POSITION

**C:** Posey (21-11), Kline (2-7)  
**1B:** Villalona (21-15), Ambort (2-2), Ziegler (0-1)  
**2B:** Noonan (19-17), Stromsmoe (2-1), Frias (2-0)  
**3B:** Gillaspie (20-14), Frias (3-4)  
**SS:** Crawford (17-8), Bocoock (6-5), Frias (0-3), Stromsmoe (0-1), Lormand (0-1)  
**LF:** Neal (21-13), Jordan (1-3), Copeland (1-2)  
**CF:** Ford (15-12), Jordan (6-3), Torres (1-2), Copeland (1-1)  
**RF:** Kieschnick (22-15), Jordan (0-2), Neal (1-1)  
**DH:** Ambort (15-5), Posey (2-5), Gillaspie (1-3), Frias (2-1), Villalona (2-0), Kieschnick (1-1), Neal (0-2), Copeland (0-1)  
**P:** Barnes (5-2), Clark (5-2), Tanner (2-4), Odle (2-4), Bumgarner (4-1), Alderson (3-2), Brewer (1-1), Broshuis (0-2), Romo (1-0)

## RECORD BY BATTING ORDER POSITION

**1st:** Ford (13-11), Bocoock (4-1), Copeland (1-2), Torres (1-2), Jordan (2-1), Crawford (1-1), Frias (1-0)  
**2nd:** Crawford (16-7), Noonan (5-7), Frias (1-2), Copeland (1-2)  
**3rd:** Noonan (14-8), Posey (4-4), Neal (2-3), Gillaspie (1-2), Kieschnick (1-1), Ambort (1-0)  
**4th:** Posey (18-11), Kieschnick (2-3), Neal (2-1), Gillaspie (1-1), Villalona (0-2)  
**5th:** Gillaspie (13-7), Kieschnick (4-4), Villalona (2-5), Ambort (2-1), Neal (1-1), Posey (1-0)  
**6th:** Villalona (11-6), Kieschnick (10-3), Neal (1-6), Gillaspie (1-1), Noonan (0-1), Ziegler (0-1)  
**7th:** Villalona (10-2), Gillaspie (4-5), Ambort (5-2), Kieschnick (2-4), Neal (0-2), Bocoock (2-0), Kline (0-1), Frias (0-1), Noonan (0-1)  
**8th:** Ambort (9-3), Neal (6-1), Kline (1-6), Frias (3-2), Kieschnick (3-1), Gillaspie (1-1), Bocoock (0-2), Stromsmoe (0-1)  
**9th:** Neal (10-2), Jordan (5-7), Frias (2-3), Ford (2-1), Stromsmoe (2-1), Kline (1-1), Bocoock (0-2), Kieschnick (1-0), Lormand (0-1)

## GIANTS VS. CALIFORNIA LEAGUE

	Home	Road	Total
vs. Bakersfield	1-2	2-1	3-3
Modesto	2-2	3-4	5-6
Stockton	4-0	3-1	7-1
Visalia	0-0	2-1	2-1
<b>Totals vs. North Division</b>	<b>7-4</b>	<b>10-7</b>	<b>17-11</b>
vs. High Desert	0-0	2-2	2-2
Inland Empire	1-2	0-0	1-2
Lake Elsinore	2-1	0-0	2-1
Lancaster	0-0	1-2	1-2
Rancho Cucamonga	0-0	0-0	0-0
<b>Totals vs. South Division</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>6-7</b>

GIANTS POSITION PLAYERS

**#9 Brian Boco** (.214, 0 HR, 3 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* Shortstop returned to San Jose from Connecticut (AA) on May 7.
- \* Was batting .171 with one double, no home runs and three RBI's in 25 games for the Defenders.
- \* Was San Francisco's opening day shortstop in 2008 and hit .143 (11-for-77) in 32 games.
- \* Batted .220 with four homers, 37 RBI's and 15 steals as the everyday shortstop in '07 with SJ.

**#34 Conor Gillaspie** (.254, 1 HR, 19 RBI)

**Current Streak: 1 game**

- \* Third baseman is rated the #7 prospect in the organization according to *Baseball America*.
- \* Became the first player from the 2008 draft to reach the major leagues when he debuted last Sept.
- \* Hit .268 in 18 games with S-K before appearing in eight games with the SF Giants (1-for-5).
- \* Currently the youngest player on San Francisco's 40-man roster (21 years old).
- \* Selected in the supplemental first round (37th overall pick) of the 2008 draft. Attended Wichita St.

**#2 Shane Jordan** (.161, 0 HR, 1 RBI)

**Current Streak: 1 game**

- \* Outfielder has been a part of two league championship teams (Augusta 2008, Salem-Keizer 2007).
- \* Batted .253 with no home runs, 29 RBI's and 35 stolen bases in 123 games last year with Augusta.
- \* Selected in the 43rd round of the 2007 draft. Attended Stetson University.

**#39 Roger Kieschnick** (.329, 5 HR, 22 RBI)

**Current Streak: 1 game**

- \* Outfielder is making professional debut in the San Francisco farm system this season.
- \* Played for Waikiki after the '08 season and led the Hawaii Winter League in home runs (6).
- \* Rated the #14 prospect in the organization according to *Baseball America*.
- \* Selected in the 3rd round of the 2008 draft. Attended Texas Tech University.

**#28 Trent Kline** (.265, 0 HR, 7 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* Catcher joined the Giants from Extended Spring Training on April 9 (Opening Night).
- \* Hit .209 with two home runs, 18 RBI's and one stolen base in 29 games last year with Salem-Keizer.
- \* Selected in the 49th round of the 2007 draft. Attended University of South Carolina.

**#49 Ryan Lormand** (.000, 0 HR, 0 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* Infielder was promoted to San Jose from Augusta (Low-A) on May 19.
- \* Was batting .288 with no homers, five RBI's and seven stolen bases in 17 games with Augusta.
- \* Selected in the 26th round of the 2008 draft. Attended University of Houston.

**#21 Thomas Neal** (.311, 5 HR, 24 RBI)

**Current Streak: 1 game**

- \* Outfielder is rated the #23 prospect in the organization according to *Baseball America*.
- \* Batted .276 with 15 home runs and a team-leading 81 RBI's in Augusta last season.
- \* Hit for the cycle on April 28 at Lancaster – the third ever San Jose Giant to accomplish the feat.
- \* Selected in the 37th round of the 2005 draft. Attended Riverside Junior College.

**#48 Nick Noonan** (.255, 2 HR, 19 RBI)

**Current Streak: 1 game**

- \* Second baseman is rated the #5 prospect in the organization according to *Baseball America*.
- \* Hit .279 with nine home runs, 68 RBI's and 29 steals in 119 games with Augusta last season.
- \* Batted .316 in 2007 with the ARL-Giants during rookie professional season.
- \* Selected in the supplemental first round (32nd overall pick) of the 2007 draft.

**#7 Buster Posey** (.307, 7 HR, 32 RBI)

**Current Streak: 7 games**

- \* Catcher is rated the #2 prospect (#1 position player) in the organization according to *Baseball Amer.*
- \* Won every major college player of the year award in 2008 at Florida State University.
- \* Hit .463 with 26 home runs, 93 RBI's and an .879 slugging percentage in 68 games with FSU in '08.
- \* Played for ARL-Giants, Salem-Keizer and San Jose last year combining for only 15 games.
- \* Selected with the fifth overall pick in the 2008 draft.

**#1 Skyler Stromsmoe** (.200, 0 HR, 0 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* Reserve infielder begins third professional season in 2009.
- \* Split the 2008 season between Augusta and Salem-Keizer and combined for a .222 average.
- \* Signed as a non-drafted free agent in 2007. Attended Southern Arkansas University.

**#29 Angel Villalona** (.289, 5 HR, 20 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* First baseman is rated the #3 prospect in the organization according to *Baseball America*.
- \* Batted .263 with a team-leading 17 home runs and 64 RBI's in 123 games with Augusta last year.
- \* Recognized as the "best power hitter" in the farm system by *Baseball America*.
- \* Garnered the #48 prospect rating in all of baseball according to *MiLB.com* after the 2008 season.
- \* Signed as a non-drafted free agent out of the Dominican Republic in 2006 after turning 16.

**#41 Eliezer Zambrano** (.000, 0 HR, 0 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* Catcher joined the Giants from Extended Spring Training on May 14.
- \* Batted .174 with no home runs and 11 RBI's in 22 games with Salem-Keizer last year.

**#51 C.J. Ziegler** (.000, 0 HR, 0 RBI)

**Current Streak: 0**

- \* First baseman was promoted to San Jose from Augusta on May 19.
- \* Was batting .231 with eight doubles, no homers and 10 RBI's in 31 games with Augusta.
- \* Selected in the 16th round of the 2008 draft. Attended University of Arizona.

LONGEST HITTING STREAKS

Player	Games	Dates
Neal	12	4/27 – 5/10
Noonan	8	4/25 – 5/4
Posey	8	4/10 – 4/17
Kieschnick	7	5/13 – 5/19
Villalona	7	4/26 – 5/4
Kieschnick	7	4/19 – 4/25
Posey	7	5/14 –

GIANTS VS. BRANDON DURDEN

Player	H-AB	Notes
Boco	2-4	2 1B, K
Gillaspie	1-2	1B
Jordan	0-1	
Kieschnick	3-4	3 1B
Kline	0-0	
Lormand	0-0	
Neal	1-4	1B
Noonan	0-2	
Posey	2-4	2 1B, BB, K
Stromsmoe	0-3	K
Villalona	2-5	1B, HR, K
Zambrano	0-0	
Ziegler	0-0	

GIANTS OFFENSE – BY MONTH

Month	W-L	AVG	R	R/G	HR
April	13-8	.301	125	6.0	26
May	10-10	.250	86	4.3	8
June					
July					
August					
September					

WHO'S HOT

**Buster Posey** has 10 RBI's in his last four games (7-for-14, 2 HR)  
**Trent Kline** has six hits in 12 at-bats with six RBI's in his last four games  
**Roger Kieschnick** is batting .342 (26-for-76) with two homers and 11 RBI's in May

WHO'S NOT

**Angel Villalona** has only two hits in 25 at-bats (.080) spanning the last six games  
**Nick Noonan** has four hits in 27 at-bats (.148) over the last six games

CATCHER'S CORNER

Catcher	G	CS	SBA	PCT	PB
Kline	12	3	12	25.0%	3
Posey	31	13	35	37.1%	8
Zambrano	2	1	1	100.0%	0

GIANTS VS. MODESTO

San Jose's Top Hitters Vs. Modesto		
Kieschnick	.410 (16-39)	3 2B, 4 RBI
Villalona	.289 (13-45)	HR, 6 RBI
Neal	.278 (10-36)	4 2B, 5 RBI
Gillaspie	.263 (10-38)	2 2B, 6 RBI

GIANTS RELIEF PITCHERS

**#17 Steve Edlefsen, RHP 4 G, 0-0, 1.23 ERA, 2 SV, 7.1 IP, 3 BB, 12 SO**

- \* Is in his second year with the Giants after returning from Connecticut (AA) on May 7.
- \* Was 2-0 with a 3.18 ERA (4 ER/11.1 IP) in six relief appearances with the Defenders.
- \* Spent all of 2008 with San Jose and finished with an 8-5 record and a 3.36 ERA in 40 games
- \* Rated as having the "best slider" in the farm system by *Baseball America* entering 2008.
- \* Selected in the 16th round of the 2007 draft. Attended University of Nebraska.
- \* Former infielder in college who didn't begin pitching full-time until final season (2007).

**#47 Mitch Lively, RHP 11 G, 0-0, 6.14 ERA, 0 SV, 14.2 IP, 8 BB, 15 SO**

- \* Originally drafted by Colorado in 2007 before opening last year in the United League (Ind.).
- \* Signed with San Francisco as a minor league free agent in July, 2008.
- \* Pitched for Augusta (Low-A) last season and was 1-0 with a 1.42 ERA in 10 relief appearances.
- \* Attended Sacramento State University where he also played football.
- \* Earned All Big Sky honors as a punter.

**#43 David Mixon, RHP 10 G, 0-1, 5.02 ERA, 1 SV, 14.1 IP, 6 BB, 8 SO**

- \* Has been a part of two league championship teams (Augusta 2008, S-K 2007) in his first 2 years.
- \* Was 2-2 with a 1.55 ERA and five saves in 24 relief appearances last season in Augusta (Low-A).
- \* Owned a career 1.79 ERA over 41 relief appearances entering 2009.
- \* Selected in the 20th round of the 2007 draft. Attended University of Louisiana Monroe.
- \* Led team with a 3.28 ERA and had eight saves during final collegiate season (2007).

**#50 Edwin Quirarte, RHP 11 G, 0-3, 2.25 ERA, 4 SV, 12.0 IP, 1 BB, 10 SO**

- \* Was the first pitcher selected by San Francisco in the 2008 draft (5th round).
- \* Rated the #25 prospect in the Giants farm system according to *Baseball America*.
- \* Compiled a 3-3 record with a 2.12 ERA and 14 saves for Salem-Keizer (Short-Season) last year.
- \* 2009 marks his first full professional season. Attended Cal State Northridge.
- \* Is 4-for-5 in save opportunities.

**#37 Wilmin Rodriguez, LHP 15 G, 1-0, 3.93 ERA, 0 SV, 18.1 IP, 7 BB, 18 SO**

- \* Returns to San Jose after splitting the 2008 season between the Giants and Augusta (Low-A).
- \* Was 1-1 with a 5.64 ERA in 19 relief appearances for the Giants (2-1, 2.45 ERA in Augusta).
- \* Enters sixth professional season. Owns a career mark of 9-9 with a 4.56 ERA in 99 games.
- \* Signed as a non-drafted free agent out of the Dominican Republic in 2004.

**#36 Daniel Turpen, RHP 14 G, 2-0, 0.68 ERA, 3 SV, 26.1 IP, 8 BB, 19 SO**

- \* Returns to San Jose after pitching for both the Giants and Augusta (Low-A) last season.
- \* Was 5-4 with a 3.45 ERA and five saves in 40 relief appearances with the GreenJackets.
- \* Pitched in six games with San Jose after mid-August promotion and was 0-0 with a 4.91 ERA.
- \* Selected in the 8th round of the 2007 draft.
- \* Attended Oregon State University where he won back-to-back NCAA titles in 2006 and 2007.
- \* Was 14-1 in 42 games (19 starts) during collegiate career.

**#10 Craig Whitaker, RHP 12 G, 1-1, 4.70 ERA, 0 SV, 23.0 IP, 13 BB, 20 SO**

- \* Returns to San Jose after spending entire 2008 season in the California League.
- \* Logged a 2-3 record and a 4.88 ERA and one save over 42 relief appearances with the Giants.
- \* Begins seventh professional season in 2009. Pitched briefly in San Jose during 2006 campaign.
- \* Averaging over a strikeout per inning pitched for his career entering 2009.
- \* Selected in the supplemental first round of the 2003 draft.

INHERITED RUNNERS

Reliever	Inh. Runners	Runs Allowed	Pct.
Edlefsen	3	0	100%
Lively	7	0	100%
Mixon	7	2	71%
Quirarte	2	0	100%
Rodriguez	9	1	89%
Turpen	8	5	38%
Whitaker	5	0	100%

GIANTS BULLPEN – BY MONTH

Month	W-L	ERA	SV/Opp	IP	H	R	ER
April	6-4	3.92	5/8	87.1	86	45	38
May	3-3	2.97	5/8	78.2	72	31	26
June							
July							
August							
September							

LAST OUTING

Reliever	Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Edlefsen	5/17	Mod.	ND	1.2	2	0	0	2	2
Lively	5/20	IE	ND	0.2	1	0	0	1	0
Mixon	5/21	IE	ND	0.1	2	2	1	2	0
Quirarte	5/17	Mod.	L	0.2	3	2	2	0	0
Rodriguez	5/21	IE	ND	1.1	4	3	2	0	3
Turpen	5/19	IE	W	2.0	0	0	0	0	3
Whitaker	5/21	IE	ND	2.2	0	0	0	1	3

GIANTS RECORD WHEN...

Leading After 6 Innings:	21-3
Trailing After 6 Innings:	1-14
Tied After 6 Innings:	1-1
Leading After 7 Innings:	21-2
Trailing After 7 Innings:	1-14
Tied After 7 Innings:	1-2
Leading After 8 Innings:	21-1
Trailing After 8 Innings:	1-14
Tied After 8 Innings:	1-3

TRANSACTIONS

APRIL

- 4/9 Transferred C Aaron Lowenstein to Extended Spring Training
- 4/9 Added C Trent Kline from Extended Spring Training
- 4/13 Added RHP Garrett Broshuis from Extended Spring Training

MAY

- 5/7 Promoted RHP Tim Alderson to Connecticut (AA)
- 5/7 Promoted LHP Madison Bumgarner to Connecticut (AA)
- 5/7 Promoted INF Brandon Crawford to Connecticut (AA)
- 5/7 Added INF Brian Bockock from Connecticut (AA)
- 5/7 Added RHP Steve Edlefsen from Connecticut (AA)
- 5/14 Added OF Caleb Curry from Extended Spring Training
- 5/14 Added C Eliezer Zambrano from Extended Spring Training
- 5/14 Added RHP Sergio Romo from San Francisco (ML) – Rehab Assignment
- 5/15 Added OF Ben Copeland from Fresno (AAA)
- 5/15 Added OF Andres Torres from San Francisco (ML) – Rehab Assignment
- 5/17 Promoted INF Vladimir Frias to Fresno (AAA)
- 5/18 Added INF Vladimir Frias from Fresno (AAA)
- 5/18 Transferred OF Andres Torres to Fresno (AAA) – Rehab Assignment
- 5/18 Transferred RHP Sergio Romo to Fresno (AAA) – Rehab Assignment
- 5/19 Added RHP Sergio Romo from Fresno (AAA) – Rehab Assignment
- 5/19 Transferred INF Vladimir Frias to Augusta (Low-A)
- 5/19 Added INF Ryan Lormand from Augusta (Low-A)
- 5/19 Added INF C.J. Ziegler from Augusta (Low-A)
- 5/21 Promoted OF Ben Copeland to Fresno (AAA)

5/21 Transferred RHP Sergio Romo to Fresno (AAA) – Rehab Assignment

## 2009 SAN JOSE GIANTS GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

#	Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Winner	Loser	Save	Att.	Time	Overall	Half	Place	GB
1	4/9	Stockton	W	5-1	Cowart (1-0)	Ross (0-1)		3,115	3:02	1-0	1-0	T1st	-
2	4/10	Stockton	W	4-0	Bumgarner (1-0)	Hernandez (0-1)		1,605	2:17	2-0	2-0	T1st	-
3	4/11	Stockton	W	5-0	Barnes (1-0)	Italiano (0-1)		2,017	2:38	3-0	3-0	T1st	-
4	4/12	Stockton	W	10-0	Whitaker (1-0)	Hodsdon (0-1)		1,539	2:31	4-0	4-0	T1st	-
5	4/13	Bakersfield	L	3-4	Gomez (1-0)	Odle (0-1)	Falcon (1)	1,082	2:36	4-1	4-1	T2nd	-1.0
6	4/14	Bakersfield	L	6-10	Murphy (1-1)	Cowart (1-1)		2,754	3:21	4-2	4-2	3rd	-2.0
7	4/15	Bakersfield	W	8-6	Brewer (1-0)	Main (0-1)		4,012	2:57	5-2	5-2	3rd	-2.0
8	4/16	at Stockton	W	3-1	Bumgarner (2-0)	Italiano (0-2)	Quirarte (1)	5,429	2:33	6-2	6-2	T2nd	-2.0
9	4/17	at Stockton	L	7-8	Hunton (1-0)	Barnes (1-1)	Thomas (1)	3,846	2:54	6-3	6-3	T2nd	-3.0
10	4/18	at Stockton	W	5-3 (11)	Rodriguez (1-0)	Friend (0-2)	Quirarte (2)	4,770	3:54	7-3	7-3	2nd	-3.0
11	4/19	at Stockton	W	5-4	Broshuis (1-0)	Thomas (0-1)	Mixon (1)	4,558	2:33	8-3	8-3	2nd	-2.0
12	4/20	Lake Elsinore	W	6-3	Tanner (1-0)	Hefner (0-3)	Turpen (1)	2,222	2:35	9-3	9-3	2nd	-2.0
13	4/21	Lake Elsinore	L	3-6	Harrington (1-0)	Mixon (0-1)	Oland (3)	2,139	3:06	9-4	9-4	T2nd	-3.0
14	4/22	Lake Elsinore	W	8-1	Bumgarner (3-0)	McBryde (1-1)		1,904	2:35	10-4	10-4	2nd	-2.0
15	4/23	at High Desert	W	9-6	Barnes (2-1)	Paredes (1-1)		1,380	2:52	11-4	11-4	2nd	-1.0
16	4/24	at High Desert	L	1-9	Pineda (3-1)	Clark (0-1)		2,916	2:32	11-5	11-5	T2nd	-1.0
17	4/25	at High Desert	W	5-3	Odle (1-1)	Ramirez (2-1)	Quirarte (3)	1,324	2:56	12-5	12-5	2nd	-1.0
18	4/26	at High Desert	L	8-11	Richard (1-0)	Cowart (1-2)	Aumont (2)	2,388	3:22	12-6	12-6	T2nd	-1.0
19	4/27	at Lancaster	L	4-8	Hicks (3-1)	Alderson (0-1)	Lo (1)	1,231	2:50	12-7	12-7	3rd	-1.5
20	4/28	at Lancaster	W	17-7	Turpen (1-0)	Duncan (0-4)		1,315	3:27	13-7	13-7	3rd	-1.5
21	4/29	at Lancaster	L	3-4	Powell (2-0)	Quirarte (0-1)		2,552	2:54	13-8	13-8	3rd	-2.5
22	5/1	Modesto	W	4-0	Clark (1-1)	Durst (0-1)		3,041	2:39	14-8	14-8	3rd	-1.5
23	5/2	Modesto	L	2-6	Billings (2-2)	Odle (1-2)		3,265	2:29	14-9	14-9	3rd	-2.5
24	5/3	Modesto	W	9-2	Alderson (1-1)	Riordan (0-3)		3,463	2:23	15-9	15-9	3rd	-3.0
25	5/4	Modesto	L	0-2	Williamson (4-0)	Bumgarner (3-1)	Baker (10)	2,855	2:33	15-10	15-10	3rd	-4.0
26	5/5	at Bakersfield	W	6-5	Cowart (2-2)	Murphy (2-3)	Turpen (2)	423	3:13	16-10	16-10	3rd	-4.0
27	5/6	at Bakersfield	W	10-4	Tanner (2-0)	Main (1-4)		404	2:58	17-10	17-10	3rd	-4.0
28	5/7	at Bakersfield	L	3-12	Beavan (1-4)	Clark (1-2)		1,033	2:42	17-11	17-11	3rd	-4.0
29	5/8	at Modesto	L	5-9	Riordan (1-3)	Odle (1-3)	Williamson (1)	4,022	3:01	17-12	17-12	3rd	-4.0
30	5/9	at Modesto	W	2-1	Broshuis (2-0)	Graham (2-2)	Quirarte (4)	5,083	2:50	18-12	18-12	3rd	-4.0
31	5/10	at Modesto	W	8-5	Barnes (3-1)	Durden (2-1)	Turpen (3)	1,395	2:46	19-12	19-12	3rd	-3.0
32	5/12	at Visalia	L	1-2	Norberto (3-0)	Quirarte (0-2)		1,202	2:10	19-13	19-13	3rd	-4.0
33	5/13	at Visalia	W	2-0	Clark (2-2)	Harden (0-1)	Edlefsen (1)	1,480	2:21	20-13	20-13	2nd	-3.0
34	5/14	at Visalia	W	8-4	Odle (2-3)	Beltre (0-2)		1,517	2:26	21-13	21-13	2nd	-2.0
35	5/15	at Modesto	L	5-6 (12)	Jarrett (2-0)	Whitaker (1-1)		4,243	4:20	21-14	21-14	T2nd	-3.0
36	5/16	at Modesto	W	3-1	Barnes (4-1)	Durden (2-2)	Edlefsen (2)	3,674	2:38	22-14	22-14	2nd	-3.0
37	5/17	at Modesto	L	1-2	Reynolds (2-1)	Quirarte (0-3)		911	2:35	22-15	22-15	T2nd	-3.0
38	5/18	at Modesto	L	6-8	Billings (3-3)	Tanner (2-1)	Baker (12)	3,402	2:55	22-16	22-16	3rd	-3.0
39	5/19	Inland Empire	W	6-3	Turpen (2-0)	Meque (0-1)		2,524	2:32	23-16	23-16	T2nd	-3.0
40	5/20	Inland Empire	L	1-2	Johnson (3-2)	Odle (2-4)	Miller (1)	3,423	2:24	23-17	23-17	3rd	-3.0
41	5/21	Inland Empire	L	4-8	Withrow (3-3)	Broshuis (2-1)		3,042	3:01	23-18	23-18	3rd	-3.0