

KWHS BASEBALL RECORDS:

All records come from our **Conch Historian** Mr. Glynn Archer Jr. who compiled them from the **1940's to 1996**, the records kept for the **97** season were from the scorekeeper that year and turned in, plus our radio Broadcaster, Rick Lopez has kept records from **1998** till the **present**. **Coach** Judd A. Wise has gone back through both Archer/Lopez files, and with the help from former Conch players Chris Valdez, and Jack Niles, here is what I came up with to help the fans of Key West see who the leaders are. **These** are the **official/unofficial records**, as some years are incomplete. In **2020**, the season was shortened due to the **Coronavirus**, those stats are only for 10 games. *I* know there could be many great Conch players that I missed, and for that I apologize, but at least we have something to discuss. If you the fan, have any info, just contact our Athletic Director, or Head Baseball Coach.

Yours in Baseball,

Mr. Glynn Archer, Coach Judd A. Wise, The Coaching staff, Rick Lopez, Chris Valdez, and Jack Niles

PITCHING RECORDS: CAREER:

WINS: **GEORGE LASTRES** **37** **1952-54**
STRIKEOUTS: **RANDY STERLING SR.** **553** **1967-69**

THERE WERE 5 PITCHERS WHO COMPLETED THEIR CAREERS WITH OVER 30+ WINS:

GEORGE LASTRES	37	1952-54
TONY HOPEY	36	1955-57
RANDY STERLING SR.	34	1967-69
BROOKS CAREY	33	1972-74
JOHN McCORMICK	30	1958-61

SEASON RECORDS:

WINS:	GEORGE LASTRES	16	1953
STRIKEOUTS:	RANDY STERLING SR.	235	1969
ERA:	RANDY STERLING SR.	.45	1969

SINGLE GAME RECORDS:

STRIKEOUTS:	RANDY STERLING SR.	24	1969
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NO HITTERS: (24)

VICTOR ALBURY	1964
RANDY STERLING SR. (5) & (6)-1HITTERS	1967-69
DAVID CAMPO	1971
PAUL HAMMONDS	1972
BROOKS CAREY	1974
CARLOS HERRERA	1975
MARK INGRAHAM	1977
LARRY DAVILA (BACK TO BACK)	1977
LARRY DAVILA	1977
AL DEL VALLE (PERFECT GAME)	1985
HAROLD MILLIKEN	1986

CHRIS ZUELCH	1990
MIKE MICHUAD	1990
MIKE MICHAUD	1991
DARYL LEWIS & REIDER GONZALEZ (COMBO)	2003
CHAS SPOTTSWOOD	2005
DANIEL FOLTZ	2007
BRANDON PRESLEY	2013
BRANDON PRESLEY	2014
KYLE IARROBINO & ANTONIO KNOWLES (COMBO)	2017

UNDEFEATED SEASON:

RANDY STERLING JR.: 12-0	1995
PAULIE WALTERSON: 9-0	1995

ONLY PITCHERS TO COMPLETE THEIR CAREERS UNDEFEATED (MINIMUM 10 STARTS):

JONATHON GATES: 12-0
BOBBY HERNANDEZ: 12-0

IN 1956, IN THE SEMIFINALS OF THE STATE TOURNAMENT, KEY WEST HIGH PITCHER TONEY HOPEY STRUCK OUT 18 LAKELAND HIGH BATTERS TO TIE HERB SCORE FOR THE MOST K'S IN A STATE TOURNAMENT GAME.

HITTING RECORDS:

GAME:

MOST HITS IN A GAME: 5 --JOEY WARDLOW 1982, TONY LOPEZ 06

MOST DOUBLES: 3-- JAVY PEREZ 2001, NOLAN THOMAS 09

MOST TRIPLES: 2—JULIO HENRIQUEZ 1953, MARIO MIRA 92, DAVID MONROE 93, ERIC BALBUENA 93, MARTIN NILES 94, LAZURO CHAVEZ 98, BLAKE BARBER 04, FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR. 08, GREG VELIZ 15

MOST HOMERUNS: 3—MICHAEL BALBUENA 1997

2—SCOTT SAUNDERS 1979, DARREN MILLS 94, CRAIG LARIZ 94, ADRIAN MERKEY 95, FLYNN SMITH 95, AARON MARN 99, DEXTER BUTLER 2003, DJ RANDOLPH 05, DESI PEREZ 06, RAIKO ALFONSO 06, ANDREW RODRIGUEZ 09, FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR. 09, MICHAEL ARENCIBIA 09

MOST RBI'S: 7—DJ RANDOLPH 2005, ANDREW RODRIGUEZ 09, NOLAN THOMAS 10

MOST RUNS SCORED: 4—ROBERT SANTANA, VICTOR ALBURY, LENY CAREY, AARON MARN, BEN HARRISON, CLAY FRAGA, TJ NILES, MIGUEL MENENEZ, CLINTON STORR, RALPHIE HENRIQUEZ III, DESI PEREZ, ANDY MENDEZ, NICKY BERTIAUX

SEASON:

HIGHEST BATTING AVERAGE: KHALIL GREENE--.500 1998

MOST HITS: 57 MIGUEL MENENDEZ 1995

MOST DOUBLES: 13 ELOY RODRIQUEZ 1954

MOST TRIPLES: 9 FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR. 2008

MOST HOME RUNS: 7 KHALIL GREENE 1998, & FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR. 2009

MOST TIMES HIT BY A PITCH: 13 KYLE SNOW 2017

MOST WALKS: 31 CRAIG LARIZ 1996

MOST RBI'S: 54 CRAIG LARIZ 1996

MOST RUNS: 50 KHALIL GREENE 1998

MOST STOLEN BASES: 30 DARREN MILLS 1994, KHALIL GREENE 1998

CAREER RECORDS:

HIGHEST AVG. .414 JOEY WARDLOW 1982-84

BASE HITS: 142 RALPH HENRIQUEZ III. 2002-05

DOUBLES: 28 RAIKO ALFONSO 2005-08

TRIPLES: 12 FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR. 2007-09

HOME RUNS: 15 BOOG POWELL 1958-59 NOLAN THOMAS 13 2008-10-VERIFIED

RBI'S: 120 CRAIG LARIZ 1993-96

RUNS SCORED: 107 FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR. 2007-09

WALKS: 54 CRAIG LARIZ 1993-96

HIT BY A PITCH: 17 KYLE SNOW 2015-17

SEVEN CONCHS HAVE 100 OR MORE HITS IN THEIR CAREERS:

RALPHIE HENRIQUEZ III 142 2002-05

MIGUEL MENENDEZ 102 1993-95

CRAIG LARIZ 100 1993-96

KHALIL GREENE 100 1995-98

BEN HARRISON 100 1997-2000

JUANITO MENENDEZ 100 1997-99

JOEY WARDLOW 100 1982-84

GRAND SLAMS: JULITO SANTANA, CARL TAYLOR, EARL FINDLEY, MICHAEL JAYCOCKS, JR MOUNTS, AARON MARN, BEN HARRISON, CLAY FRAGA, MICHAEL ARENCIBIA, EDDIE ROBERTS, DEXTER BUTLER, DESI PEREZ, DJ RANDOLPH, MATHEW ROBERTS, KYLE LEPINE, ANDREW RODRIGUEZ, & ANDY PEREZ

HIT FOR THE CYCLE: TONY ACOSTA VS ST. BRENDAN 1996

TOP 10 HITTERS

NAME	AVG.	YEAR
1. KHALIL GREENE	.500	98
2. BEN HARRISON	.494	98
3. RICHIE PAZO	.479	75
3 DARREN MILLS	.479	94
4 JEFF HOLMES	.466	73
5 FRANKIE RATCLIFF JR.	.465	08
6 RALPHIE HERIQUEZ III	.464	05
7 ONIERI FLEITA	.458	82
8 MIGUEL MENENDEZ	.457	94
9 HENRY ESQUINALDO	.449	63
9 TONY LOPEZ	.449	06
10 LOUIE PAZO	<u>.447</u>	<u>76</u>

ALL OTHER 400 + HITTERS:

11 CLINTON STORR	.445	05
12 CRAIG LARIZ	.443	96
13 ROBERT SANTANA	.442	61
13 MIGUEL MENENDEZ	.442	95
14 JULIO HENRIQUEZ	.440	54
14 ROBERT SANTANA	.440	61
15 GEORGE LASTRES	.434	54
16 KENNY ALLEN	.432	72
16 RAIKO ALFONSO	.432	08
17 NOLAN THOMAS	.430	10
18 BOOG POWELL	.425	59
18 BILLY WARDLOW JR.	.425	92
19 JOEY WARDLOW	.424	84
20 GARY MOORE	.422	88
21 NICKY BERTIAUX	.421	09
21 MICHAEL HENRIQUEZ JR.	.421	11
22 FREDDY VARELA JR.	.420	85
22 LENNY CAREY	.420	63
23 ELOY RODRIQUEZ	.413	55
24 JOEY WARDLOW	.410	82
25 FREDDY VARELA JR.	.409	84
26 JOHNNY MONTSALVATGE	.409	11
27 ONERI FLEITA	.406	84
27 EZRA JOSEPHSON	.406	06

28 DON CRUZ	.405	54
29 JOEY WARDLOW	.402	84
30 RUSS MILLIKEN	.400	81
30 KEVIN CABANAS	.400	86

MOST CAREER WINS: RALPH HENRIQUEZ JR. 309 (REG SEASON & PLAYOFFS ONLY)
16 SEASONS AND STILL COACHING.

TOPPS ALL AMERICAN:
RANDY STERLING SR. 1969

GOLDEN SPIKES (BEST PLAYER IN NCAA DIVISION 1):
KHALIL GREENE-----CLEMSON UNIVERSITY 2002

****KWHS BASEBALL ON ESPN SCHOLASTIC SPORTS AMERICA APRIL 8 1996**

****KWHS BASEBALL IS ON THE FRONT PAGE OF THE SPORTS SECTION IN THE USA TODAY 1996.**

****ESPN FILMS WEEKLY SHOW FOR HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS FEATURED OUR CONCHS MARCH 22, 1996.**

MIZUNO ALL AMERICAN BASEBALL TEAM:
CRAIG LARIZ—1995, 1996

TOP 64 PLAYERS IN AMERICA: TEAM ONE NATIONAL BASEBALL SHOWCASE
GAMES JUNE 20-23 1996:
JR MOUNTS & RANDY STERLING JR.

AFLAC ALL-STAR GAME
RALPHIE HENRIQUEZ III 2005
MICHAEL ARENCIBIA 2009

PLAYERS WHO WON A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP IN COLLEGE:
ROBERT "SPEEDY" NEAL—UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI-FOOTBALL 1983
MIGUEL MENENDEZ-----UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA-BASEBALL 1998
ADRIAN MERKEY-----UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA-BASEBALL 1998
FRANKIE GRIZZLE-MALGRAT---FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY-FOOTBALL 2014

5 FORMER CONCH PLAYERS HAVE COME BACK TO LEAD THE CONCH BASEBALL PROGRAM:

PEDRO FRAGA	1975-91
RUSS MILLIKEN	1992-93
RALPH HENRIQUEZ JR. (3 TIMES)	1994-97, 2001-05, 2014-PRESENT
BROOKS CAREY	1998-00
MIGUEL MENENDEZ	2006-13

FORMER CONCH PLAYERS WHO HAVE BECOME A HEAD COACH AND COACHED AGAINST EACH OTHER:

COACH	SCHOOL	KWHS HEAD COACH:
RANDY MILLIKEN-	NORTH MIAMI BEACH	VS PEDRO FRAGA
RANDY MILLIKEN-	NORTH MIAMI BEACH	VS RUSS MILLIKEN
RUSS MILLIKEN-	FOREST HILL	VS BROOKS CAREY
RUSS MILLIKEN-	FOREST HILL	VS MIGUEL MENENDEZ
RALPH HENRIQUEZ JR.-	BELEN	VS MIGUEL MENENDEZ
DAX RANKINE-	DELRAY ATLANTIC	VS MIGUEL MENENDEZ

A LITTLE HISTORY:

BASEBALL BEGAN IN 1950, AND THERE WASN'T A SEASON IN 1951. THERE WERE ACTUALLY TEAMS IN THE 40'S, BUT THERE ARE NO RECORDS. THE 49 TEAM MADE IT TO THE QUARTER FINALS AND LOST TO AVON PARK 5-2 IN CLASS B, SO AFTER 69 SEASONS, THE PROGRAM HAS 1,221 WINS, & 11 STATE TITLES. FOR A SMALL ISLAND, BASEBALL IS KING, LOOK AT THE LIST BELOW OF WHO HAS MADE THE BIG LEAGUE AND WHO HAS BEEN IN THE MINORS AND DRAFTED!!!

DISTRICT CHAMPIONS--(30): 1949, 50, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 69, 72, 74, 82, 84, 86, 88, 89, 93, 94, 95, 96, 2003, 04, 05, 11, 14, 17, 18, & 19

THERE ARE ONLY 5 LOSING SEASONS IN OUR PROGRAM: 1966, 71, 2013, 17, & 19.

CONCHS WHO MADE THE BIG LEAGUE:

**RICHIE GARCIA-MLB UMPIRE
BOOG POWEL-ORIOLES, INDIANS, DODGERS
CARL TAYLOR-PIRATES, CARDINALS, ROYALS
VICTOR ALBURY-INDIANS, TWINS, PADRES
RANDY STERLING SR.-METS**

**RICHIE BANCELLS-MARY IMMACULATE-HEAD TRAINER ORIOLES, I INCLUDED RICHIE AS MARY IMMACULATE HIGH SCHOOL WAS A PART OF OUR TOWN.
KHALIL GREENE-PADRES & CARDINALS
BILLY WARDLOW JR.-CLUBHOUSE MANAGER FOR THE BLUEJAYS**

RETIRED NUMBERS:

**RICHIE GARCIA—2
BOOG POWELL—24
CARL TAYLOR—2
VICTOR ALBURY—18
RANDY STERLING SR.—16
KHALIL GREENE—5
BILLY WARDLOW JR.--1**

RANDY STERLING SR. (4TH) AND KHALIL GREEN (13TH) ARE THE ONLY CONCH PLAYERS TO BE DRAFTED IN ROUND 1

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL STARTED TO DRAFT PLAYERS IN 1966. THESE CONCHS PLAYED IN THE MINORS PRIOR TO THE DRAFT:

**KENNETH MEADOR-DELAND (FLS) CO-OP CLUB
RALPH HENRIQUEZ SR.-INDIANS
GEORGE LASTRES-NY GIANTS
DONNIE CRUZ-BROOKLYN DODGERS
GIBBY GATES-BROOKLYN DODGERS
RICHARD SALGADO-BROOKLYN DODGERS
JULIO HENRIQUEZ BROOKLYN DODGERS
ROBERT LASTRES-BROOKLYN DODGERS
VINCENT CATALA-BROOKLYN DODGERS
ELOY RODRUGUEZ-NY GIANTS
JULIO SANTANA-NY GIANTS
ROGER BEAN-BROOKLYN DODGERS
TONY HOPEY BROOKLYN DODGERS
ROBERT SANTANA-INDIANS
CHARLIE POWELL-ORIOLES
STEVE THOMPSON-SUNCATS (FSL) KW
MARTY ARNOLD-SUNCATS (FSL) KW**

DRAFTED PLAYERS AND ROUNDS:

<u>ROUND</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL ATTENDED</u>	<u>MLB</u>
1	Randy Sterling	Key West High	
Mets			
1	Khalil Greene	Clemson Univ.	
Padres			
2	Ralphie Henriquez 3rd	Key West High	
Astros			
3	JR Mounts	Key West High	White
Sox			

4 Indians	Ben Harrison	Univ. of Florida	
6 Athletics	Harold Milliken	Key West High	
7 Indians	Ralph Henriquez Jr.	Indian River Community College	
7 Rangers	Ben Harrison	Univ. of Florida	
9 Indians	Victor Albury	Key West High	
10 Phillies	Lawrence Davila	Key West High	
10 Orioles	Brooks Carey	Florida State Univ.	
13 Sox	Ray Revak	Key West High	Red
14 Cubs	Khalil Greene	Clemson Univ.	
14 Twins	Blayne Weller	Key West High	
17 Diamondbacks	Mike Abreu	Hillsborough Community College	
18 Dodgers	Michael Balbuena	Key West High	
19 Angels	Mark Robinson	Key West High	
19 Senators	Oneri Fleita	Key West High	
19 Jays	Reidier Gonzalez	St. Pete Community College	Blue
20 Rangers	Joey Wardlow	Univ. of Tampa	
20 Rockies	Randy Niles	Florida State Univ.	Athletics
21 Rockies	David (Martin) Niles	Key West High	
22 Indians	Clinton Storr	Key West High	
22 Brewers	Brandon Presley	Fl. Southwestern St.	
24 Pirates	Marcus Davila	Tallahassee Community College	
26 Cardinals	Steven Parker	Key West High	
27 Rangers	Antoine Knowles	Key West High	
28 Giants	Terrence Stofer	Key West High	
28 Dodgers	Bobby Hernandez	Barry Univ.	Dodgers
30 Dodgers	Eddy Roberts	Key West High	
37 Jays	Craig Lariz	Key West High	Blue

38	Reidier Gonzalez	St. Pete Community College	
Rockies			
38	Bobby Hernandez	Barry Univ.	Red Sox
39	Kenny Rhaming	Miami Dade Community College	
Indians			
40	Frankie Ratcliffe	Univ. of Houston	
Diamondbacks			
43	Darren Miller	Key West High	
Marlins			
43	Ben Lowe	Indian River Community College	Blue
Jays			
45	Devin Butler	Key West High	
Brewers			
46	Marcus Davila	Key West High	
Dodgers			
47	Randy Niles	Key West High	
Brewers			
47	Adrian Merkey	Polk Jr. College	
Angels			

COACHING YEARS, NAME, RECORD & %:

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>RECORD %</u>	
1940'S	Coach Hoffmeister, then Nathan Pepper-no records found		
1950 & 52	Win Jones	16-3	.842
1953-55	Paul Davis	74-8	.902
1956-57	Harold Allen	36-9	.800
1958-60	Jim Anderson	57-15	.791
1961-64	Paul Gallagher	63-11	.851
1965-66	Jim Pannell	25-18	.581
1967-74	Otto Tufenkjian	126-56	.692
1975-1991	Pedro Fraga	274-136	.663
1992-93	Russ Milliken	30-19	.612
1998-00	Brooks Carey	80-20	.800
2006-13	Miguel Menendez	108-82	.568
<u>1994-97, 2001-2005, 2014-Present Ralph Henriquez Jr.</u>		<u>332-138-2</u>	<u>.703</u>

LONGEST TENURED HEAD COACH:

PEDRO FRAGA 17 YEARS