

Cishek gives up homerun in ninth inning, as Mariners falter late again

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SEATTLE — Steve Cishek cost Seattle yet again, and now he might be done as the Mariners' closer.

Mookie Betts homered off Cishek to lead off the ninth inning, Craig Kimbrel got his 18th save in his return from knee surgery and the Boston Red Sox beat James Paxton and the Mariners 2-1 on Monday night.

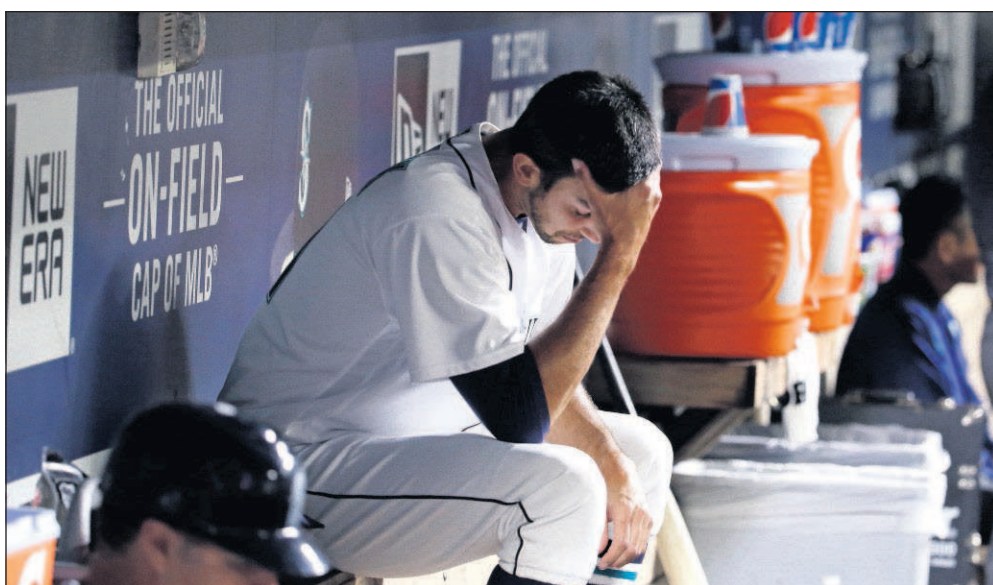
Paxton held Boston to a run and four hits over eight innings before Betts hit his 22nd homer off Cishek (2-6), who blew a three-run lead in the ninth inning Sunday in a 7-6 loss to the Cubs.

"Obviously, Steve has struggled the last couple times out. We probably need to look where we're headed—in the short-term anyway—to get him back on track," Mariners manager Scott Servais said.

Seattle may turn over closing duties to hard-throwing rookie right-hander Edwin Diaz.

"We'll talk about it," Servais said. "We'll probably take the gas off a little bit and try to get (Cishek) in some better spots, and maybe not when the game is on the line all the time, and get it back going again."

Kimbrel made his first appearance since having sur-



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Seattle Mariners relief pitcher Steve Cishek looks down as he sits in the dugout after giving up a home run and being relieved in the ninth inning of a baseball game against the Boston Red Sox Monday, in Seattle.

gery to repair a medial meniscus tear in his left knee. He allowed a walk, and Kyle Seager reached on a third-strike wild pitch, but Kimbrel got two other strikeouts to end it.

"That's my job," Kimbrel said. "I like save situations. It worked out nice."

Aaron Hill homered off Paxton in the eighth to tie the game 1-1.

Junichi Tazawa (2-1) got the

win with a scoreless eighth after Eduardo Rodriguez held Seattle to a run and three hits over 6 1/3 innings.

Rodriguez held the Mariners to three baserunners in the first six innings, and only one of his first 19 outs even left the infield.

Paxton retired the first seven batters until Sandy Leon's one-out single in the third. Hanley Ramirez singled in the fifth and Betts was the first player to reach

second with a two-out double in the sixth. All failed to advance.

Dae-Ho Lee's run-scoring double with one out in the seventh chased Rodriguez, who allowed three hits, two walks and six strikeouts. Robbie Ross Jr. took over and hit Seager with a pitch to load the bases with one out. He then struck out Franklin Gutierrez and Chris Iannetta.

Paxton had six strikeouts and no walks.

Deal 'em up! 18 trades — Beltran, Lucroy, Bruce, Moore move

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Jonathan Lucroy got a deal he liked, Carlos Beltran joined him in Texas and Jay Bruce and Rich Hill also moved Monday during an 18-swap frenzy at the trade deadline.

Matt Moore, Francisco Liriano and Joe Smith found new homes, too, as playoff contenders stocked up for the stretch.

"That's what we play for. Those are the moments we want to be in," Moore said after NL West-leading San Francisco got the lefty from last-place Tampa Bay. "For someone to reach out and come get me, it's a really good feeling."

Monday was the busiest deadline day since at least 1995, eclipsing the 15 deals made on the final day for non-waiver trades in 2010 and 2015, according to Major League Baseball.

Teams had until 4 p.m. EDT to make trades without waiv-

ers. From now, no player can be dealt unless he goes unclaimed by everyone else.

The AL West-leading Rangers made two major moves.

After Lucroy used his limited no-trade clause to block a deal to Cleveland, the All-Star catcher was sent to Texas.

"Now, moving on to the (at) Rangers let's take this bad boy to the 'ship! Really excited and can't wait to get after it!" he posted on Twitter.

The 30-year-old Lucroy is batting .299 with 13 homers and 50 RBIs this season.

Texas also got Beltran, a proven postseason star, from the New York Yankees for righty Dillon Tate, the fourth overall pick in the 2015 amateur draft, and two other pitching prospects.

"I think as a player, you know that this moment could happen. But when it happens, it hits you," Beltran said.

Twice before in his career,

Beltran was traded in midseason to a team with playoff hopes. Like the Rangers, Beltran has been to the World Series but never won the crown.

The Yankees kept reworking their roster, trying to turn the best parts of a .500 team into a bright future. They had already traded relief aces Aroldis Chapman and Andrew Miller leading up to the deadline.

"We're kind of in unfamiliar territory with the Yankees," first baseman Mark Teixeira said.

"That's life. I mean, we've had a nice run the last eight years," he said.

As always, relievers were in demand.

The Giants aimed to bolster a shaky bullpen by getting Will Smith from Milwaukee, Boston got Fernando Abad from Minnesota and the NL Central-leading Cubs obtained sidearming righty Joe Smith from the Angels.

The Cubs previously got left-

ies Chapman and Mike Montgomery for their bullpen.

"That was an area we thought we could make some changes," general manager Jed Hoyer said. "Adding a closer, a left-hander and then adding a guy like Smith who can be a right-handed specialist, we felt like those were areas that would improve our team and improve the mix of our bullpen."

The banged-up Mets acquired Bruce, the All-Star outfielder who leads the NL with 80 RBIs, from Cincinnati for infielder Dilson Herrera and minor league lefty Max Wetell.

The Mets also got pitcher Jon Niese, who spent his first eight years in New York, from Pittsburgh for reliever Antonio Bastardo.

The contending Los Angeles Dodgers fortified their rotation by getting Rich Hill along with outfielder Josh Reddick from Oakland for three pitching prospects.

Seahawk's Chancellor refocuses on teammates after 2015 holdout

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RENTON, Wash. — After a contentious holdout last year that extended two weeks into the regular season, Seahawks safety Kam Chancellor is enjoying football again.

Chancellor is smiling and joking with teammates again. It's an aspect of Chancellor's personality that wasn't often on display after he returned to the team last season.

"The presence and the atmosphere is amazing," cornerback DeShawn Shead said of having Chancellor with the team this year in training camp. "Everybody is here. That leadership and the brotherhood is connected. You don't feel no missing links."

Chancellor missed the first two games of 2015 as the Seahawks went 0-2 without him. However, Chancellor's holdout resulted in nothing gained for the star safety and a massive amount of fines for the missed time.

He returned to the team and played in 11 regular-season games. An injured tailbone kept him out for three weeks in December. But despite not getting the new contract he desired, Chancellor has managed to turn the page on the contractual front and focus once again on his teammates.

"Just getting back to where we left off," Chancellor said. "We want to get back to being at the top of the division, the conference and getting that ring again. That's the main focal point and you can't do that unless you're focusing on each other."

The Seahawks tried to go about their business without letting Chancellor's absence become a distraction. However, it clearly had an effect on the team, both on the field and in the locker room.

"When he's here and he's around, he affects other people," head coach Pete Carroll said. "His toughness, his mentality, his words, his leadership is just exemplary. We dealt with the void is really what I can tell you best, it's just great to have him around."

Chancellor hauled in an interception during the first day of training camp when a Russell Wilson pass was tipped in the air by tight end Luke Willson. On Day 2, Chancellor watched the offense beat them on a roll-out for a big gain. When the offense ran the same play again later in practice, Chancellor read what was coming and jumped the route to force an incompletion on a pass to Doug Baldwin.

Chancellor then quickly got in Baldwin's face, enthusiastically celebrating while telling Baldwin they couldn't beat him with the same play twice. It's the type of carefree persona that Chancellor seemed to be lacking upon returning to the team last season.

"That's what brothers do, you go out there and you have fun," Chancellor said. "Whether it's exchanging words, hitting each other. It's like boys growing up. You want to beat up on your brother a little bit but it's all in fun. That's just tough love and you want to spread that tough love among the group."

Chancellor characterized his 2015 as "up and down," which could easily describe the Seahawks' season as a whole. After a 2-4 start to the year, Seattle won eight of their final 10 games to earn a wild card spot. In the divisional round, Seattle fell into a 31-0 hole to the Carolina Panthers before scoring 24 straight points to nearly overcome the deficit.

Now everything feels normal again. Everyone reported for camp on time and the Seahawks feel strongly about the roster they've constructed.

"It feels like the (Super Bowl) 48 year," Chancellor said. "It feels like everybody is bringing that intensity, everybody is out to prove something. They may be or may not be, but it just feels that way. The brotherhood is getting even tighter. Guys are just out here having fun and not thinking about a lot."

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TV LISTINGS

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TUESDAY

TUESDAY EVENING												AUGUST 2	
A	L	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	KATU	(2) KATU News at 6		Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Bachelor in Paradise	Contestants are looking for a second chance at love. (SP) (N)	Mistresses	"Survival of the Fittest" (N)	KATU News at 11	(35) Jimmy Kimmel		
3	KOMO	(4) KOMO 4 News		Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Bachelor in Paradise	Contestants are looking for a second chance at love. (SP) (N)	Mistresses	"Survival of the Fittest" (N)	KOMO 4 News	(35) Jimmy Kimmel		
4	KING	(5) NBC Nightly News	KING 5 News	KING 5 News	Evening	America-Talent	"Live Show 2" For the first time, three Golden Buzzer face-off. (N)	Running Wild	"Julianne Hough" (N)	KING 5 News	(35) Tonight Show		
5	KOIN	(6) KOIN 6 News at 6	CBS Evening News	Extra	Ent. Tonight	NCIS	"Loose Cannons"	Zoo	"Jamie's Got a Gun" (N)	KOIN 6 News @ 11	(35) S. Colbert		
6	KIRO	(7) KIRO 7 News	CBS Evening News	The Insider	Ent. Tonight	NCIS	"Loose Cannons"	Zoo	"Jamie's Got a Gun" (N)	KIRO News	(35) S. Colbert		
7	KGW	(8) KGW News at 6:00 p.m.		Live at 7	Inside Edition	America-Talent	"Live Show 2" For the first time, three Golden Buzzer face-off. (N)	Running Wild	"Julianne Hough" (N)	KGW News at 11	(35) Tonight Show		
8	KRCW	(3) Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Modern Family	Modern Family	Whose Line (N)	Whose Line (N)	MADtv	(N)	KGW News at 10	(35) Two 1/2 Men	(35) King of Hill	
9	KOPB	(10) Ask-Old House	Business (N)	PBS NewsHour		The Nazi Games: Berlin 1936 (N)		Amer. Experience	"The Boys of '36" (N)	Munich '72 and Beyond		Age of Champions	
10	KPTV	(12) 6 O'Clock News		Family Feud	Family Feud	Coupled	"Coupled Up" (SF) (N)	10 O'Clock News		11 O'Clock News	Loves Ray		
11	KPDx	(8) Mike & Molly	Mike & Molly	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	FOX 12's 8 O'Clock News on PDX-TV		FOX 12's 9 O'Clock News on PDX-TV		The Walking Dead	"Guts"	The Walking Dead	"Tell It to the Frogs"
12	KCPQ	(13) Name Game	Modern Family	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Coupled	"Coupled Up" (SF) (N)	Q13 News at 10		Q13 News		Modern Family	
13	KZJQ	(22) Two and a Half	Two and a Half	The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Modern Family	Modern Family	Q13 News at 9		Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Friends	Friends
14	ESPN	(29) BattleFrog League (N)	BattleFrog League (N)			SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
15	ESPN2	(30) Baseball Big League World Series (L)				30 for 30 "Doc & Darryl"		30 for 30 "You Don't Know Bo"		Jalen & Jacoby (N)		NFL Live	
16	NICK	(31) Henry Danger	Henry Danger	The Thundermans	The Thundermans	NickyRickyDicky	Game Shakers	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends
17	DISN	(32) Liv and Maddie	K.C. Undercover	Jessie	Bizaardvark	To Be Announced		Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends
18	FAM	(34) Dead of Summer		Pretty Little Liars	"Along Comes Mary"	Pretty Liars	"Wanted: Dead or Alive"	Dead of Summer	"The Dharma Bums" (N)	Guilt	"A Fall from Grace"	The 700 Club	
19	FMC	(35) (4:30) Total Recall	(50) ★★ Prometheus	(2012, Adventure)	Logan Marshall-Green, Michael Fassbender, Noomi Rapace.	Michael Fassbender, Noomi Rapace.		(10) FXM Presents	★★ Total Recall	(2012, Action)	Bokeem Woodbine, Bryan Cranston, Colin Farrell.	(50) FXM Presents	
20	LIFE	(36) Dance Moms		Dance Moms		Dance Moms: Dance and Chat		Dance Moms		Little Women: NY		Dance Moms	
21	ROOT	(38) The Speech	MarinersPre-game	MLB Baseball Boston Red Sox at Seattle Mariners Site: Safeco Field - Seattle, Wash. (L)				Post-game		MLB Baseball Boston Red Sox at Seattle Mariners			
22	F51	(39) (4:00) MLB Baseball St.L./Cin. (L)		MLB Whiparound (L)		Fox Sports Live	TMZ Sports (N)	Speak for Yourself		Fox Sports Live	Best I Heard (N)	Fox Sports Live	TMZ Sports
23	SPIKE	(43) Beyond Scared Straight		Scared Straight "Hudson County, NJ"		Scared Straight	"Oklahoma City, OK"	Beyond Scared Stra.	"Lake County, FL"	Scared Straight	"Fulton County, GA"	Scared Straight	"San Bernardino, CA"
24	COM	(44) Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Tosh.0 (N)	Nikki Glaser (N)	The Daily Show	The Nightly Show
25	HIST	(45) Counting Cars	Counting Cars	CountCars 1/2	CountCars 2/2	Counting Cars	Counting Cars	Counting Cars (N)	Counting Cars (N)	(05) Motors (N)	(35) Motors (N)	(05) Ozy and Jack's World Detour	
26	A&E	(46) The First 48 "Cut Down/9-1-1"		To Be Announced		Married1stSight	(45) Married at First Sight	The Weddings	(N)	Born This Way	"Vegas, Baby!" (N)	(05) To Be Announced	
27	TLC	(47) Little People "Getting Back on Track"		Little People "Expect the Unexpected"		Little People "The Next Chapter" (N)		Little People "10 Big Years" (N)		To Be Announced		Little People, Big World	"10 Big Years"
28	DISC	(48) Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch: The Bait (N)		Deadliest Catch	"The Widomaker" 2/2 (N)	No Man Left Behind	"The Widomaker" 2/2 (N)	Deadliest Catch	"The Widomaker" 2/2 (N)
29	NGEO	(49) The Final Report	The Final Report	Locked up "Busted in Bangkok"		No Man Left "Stealth Fighter Down"		No Man Left "Memories of Hell" (N)		Inside Combat Rescue	"The Last Stand"	No Man Left Behind	"Memories of Hell"
30	TNT	(50) Movie	(45) ★★ Olympus	Has Fallen (2013, Action)	Morgan Freeman, Aaron Eckhart, Gerard Butler.	Animal Kingdom	"Judas Kiss" (N)	Animal Kingdom	"Judas Kiss" (N)	Animal Kingdom	"Judas Kiss" (N)	Law & Order	"Rubber Room"
31	AMC	(51) (2:00) The Fugitive	(93) Harrison Ford.	★★ Pearl Harbor (2001, War)	Kate Beckinsale, Josh Hartnett, Ben Affleck.			Feed the Beast	"Fire" (N)	Feed the Beast	"Fire" (N)	Feed the Beast	"Fire"
32	USA	(52) NCIS "Till Death Do Us Part" Pt. 2 of 2		NCIS "Extreme Prejudice"		WWE Smackdown!	WWE superstars do battle in long-running rivalries.	Shooter	"Musa Qala" (N)	Law & Order: S.V.U.	"Legacy"	Chopped After	(N) Chopped After
33	FOOD	(53) Chopped		Chopped		Chopped Junior	"Rattled"	Chopped	"Big Barbecue Bout"	Chopped (N)		Chopped After	(N) Chopped After
34	HGTV	(54) Fixer Upper		Fixer Upper		Fixer Upper		House Hunters		House Hunters		Fixer Upper	
35	FX	(56) (5:00) ★★ The Karate Kid (2010, Action)		Jackie Chan, Taraji P. Henson, Jaden Smith.		★★ The Amazing Spider-Man 2 (2014, Action)	Emma Stone, Jamie Foxx, Andrew Garfield.			The Amazing Spider-Man 2			
36	CNN	(57) Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon		Anderson Cooper 360		Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon	
37	FNC	(58) The Kelly File With Megyn Kelly		Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File With Megyn Kelly		Hannity		On the Record	
38	CNBC	(61) Shark Tank		West Texas "Tree Amigos" (N)		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		West Texas Investors	"Tree Amigos"	Paid Program	Paid Program
39	BRVA	(63) Shahs "Mr. Shouhed's Wild Ride"		Shahs of Sunset "La Vida Loca"		Shahs of Sunset "OMGG"		Shahs of Sunset "Reunion Part 1" (N)		Shahs of Sunset "Reunion Part 1" 1/2		WatchWhat (N)	Housewives NJ
40	TCM	(64) (5:00) Dark Corner	(46, Cri) Lucille Ball.	★★★ Yours, Mine and Ours	(68, Comedy) Henry Fonda, Van Johnson, Lucille Ball.	★★★ The Long, Long Trailer	(54) Desi Arnaz, Lucille Ball.	(45) ★★ Best Foot Forward	(44) Lucille Ball.				
41	SYFY	(65) (5:00) Freddy vs. Jason	Robert Englund.	The Haunting in Connecticut 2: Ghosts of Georgia	(13) Abigail Spencer.			Oculus (2014, Horror)	Katee Sackhoff, Brenton Thwaites, Karen Gillan.			Movie	
42	RFD	(62) Cattlemen	LandLeader TV	Downunder Horseman.		Chris Cox	Rural Eve. News	Ag PhD		Cattlemen to Cattlemen		LandLeader TV	Product Showcase

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