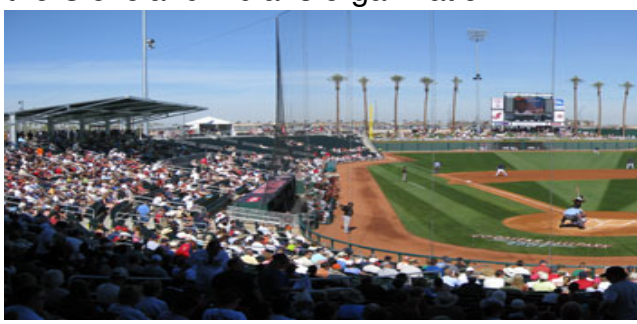
That's right, sports fans. We're into the top 20 prospects in the Cleveland Indians organization. As such, we're going to build the suspense a little and start



releasing these babies 5 at a time instead of 10. We're still closing in on #1 overall (hint: he's an INF that switched positions coming out of college), and that will finally be revealed next Tuesday. We get some local flavor here in the top 20, with a St. Ed's product that projects to be an impact bat and defender behind the dish. We'll also take a look at a trio of lefthanded arms with high upside, and a power reliever from the Far East. As always, here's a link to the intro and prospects #41-50, as well as #31-40 and #21-30 in case you missed them.

20. Chen Lee, RHP

DOB: 10/21/1986

Height/Weight: 5-11/175

Bats/throws: R/R

Acquired: International FA in 2008

2010 Stats: 5-2, 3.22 ERA, 82 K and 22 BB in 72 2/3 IP

Scouting report: Over the past two seasons, Lee has quietly become one of the better relief prospects in a system loaded with power relief prospects. Lee throws from a three-quarters to almost sidearm arm slot, and the difficult arm angle adds a little extra movement to all of his pitches. He sets everything up with a mid-90s fastball that can get up to 96. Aside from the fastball, Lee also throws a sinker, slider and a changeup. The slider is a swing and miss pitch for him, and he has used it to help rack up 179 K in 156 career IP between high A and AA. His change is kind of a forkball, and has very good down-action. Especially considering the unorthodox arm angle, Lee has outstanding control. He's walked just 50 batters in those same 156 innings.

Before coming over to the U.S., Lee was a member of the Taiwanese national team from 2004-2008. He had a particuarly impressive start against Cuba in 2006, where he went 8 1/3 innings allowing just 2 hits and striking out 6. Signed out of Taiwan as an international free agent in late-2008, Lee made his stateside debut in 2009 with the high A Kinston Indians. He dominated the Carolina League, and earned a ticket to AA Akron for the 2010 season. The Eastern League wasn't much more of a challenge, as Lee posted very similar numbers in Akron despite the jump in the opposing talent. After the strong season for Akron, Lee was sent to the elite Arizona Fall League, but only pitched 6 innings due to some arm issues. He did strike out 7 in those 6 innings, and put up a 9.00 ERA. For his career, Lee has put up outstanding measurables. In his two-years stateside, Lee has a 10.3 K/9 rate, 2.9 BB/9 rate, and just a 0.6

HR/9 rate.

Lee should begin 2011 in the bullpen for AAA Columbus. He has as good of a chance as any of the plethora of AAA arms to be called up to Cleveland at some point in 2011.

19. Scott Barnes, LHP

DOB: 9/05/1987

Height/Weight: 6-4/185

Bats/throws: L/L

Acquired: For Ryan Garko in 2009. Originally an 8th round pick of the Giants in 2008.

2010 Stats: 6-11, 5.22 ERA, 127 K and 58 BB in 138 IP for AA Akron.

Scouting report: Barnes is a tall lefty with plus velocity that can miss bats. And we picked him up straight up for Ryan Garko. I repeat; we picked him up in a

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