

Blue Jays closer Roberto Osuna suspended through Aug. 4

The Canadian Press

NEW YORK Major League Baseball has suspended Toronto Blue Jays closer Roberto Osuna through Aug. 4 for violating the league's joint domestic violence, sexual assault and child abuse policy.

MLB announced the suspension — which is retroactive to May 8 and will cover a total of 75 games — in a release on Friday. The league says Osuna has agreed not to appeal the suspension and he will participate in a confidential and comprehensive evaluation and treatment program supervised by the joint policy board of MLB and the players' association.

The 23-year-old Osuna is facing an assault charge and had been on paid administrative leave by MLB since being arrested last month.

The Blue Jays said in a statement that they "support the decision by the Commissioner's Office."

Osuna appeared in 15

games (15 1/3 innings) for Toronto this season, allowing 16 hits, five runs and one walk while earning nine saves. He has not pitched since May 6, two days before he was put on administrative leave.

He is 8-13 with a 2.87 earned-run average and 104 saves over four seasons with the Blue Jays.



"I don't have much of a reaction other than you take what MLB does and trust that and live with that and let it go through its course,"

Blue Jays manager John Gibbons said before Friday night's road game against the Los Angeles Angels. "We knew something was coming down. Actually, it took a while. Hopefully it all gets worked out on both sides and everyone gets the help they need and everything works out fine."

Osuna's lawyer, Domenic Basile, said in court in Toronto Monday that Osuna intends to plead not guilty to the assault charge. Osuna's case is scheduled to return to court July 9.

Bellinger's bomb leads Dodgers

The Associated Press

NEW YORK

Cody Bellinger hit a grand slam to break a scoreless tie in the sixth inning and the Los Angeles Dodgers beat the sinking New York Mets 5-2 on Friday night behind Alex Wood's effective pitching.

Yasiel Puig added a solo home run in the ninth, and the defending NL champions won their 10th straight against the Mets dating to May 2016. Los Angeles has outscored New York 75-20 in those games, winning each of the past eight by at least three runs — a first in Dodgers history against any opponent, according to STATS.

REDS 6, CUBS 3

CINCINNATI —

Eugenio Suarez hit a go-ahead homer off Jose Quintana in the fifth inning, and Cincinnati held on for its fifth straight victory.

The Reds have won the first two games in the series, a recent rarity in the rivalry. It's only the second time in the last two years that they've won back-to-back games in a series against the



AP PHOTO/JULIE JACOBSON

Los Angeles Dodgers' Cody Bellinger, center, celebrates with teammates after hitting a grand slam against the New York Mets during the sixth inning of a baseball game, Friday in New York.

Cubs. Chicago is 43-21 against Cincinnati over the last four seasons.



ROUNDUP

Suarez's two-run shot in the fifth inning off Quintana (6-6) gave him a team-high 16 homers and put the Reds ahead 4-3.

RAYS 2, YANKEES 1

ST. PETERSBURG.

Fla. — Six Tampa Bay pitchers combined on a five-hitter, and Tampa Bay beat New York.

Utilizing a bullpen day, the Rays improved to 14-31

against teams with a .500 or better record with the victory over the team with the majors' best record.

ATHLETICS 11, WHITE

SOX 2, 1ST GAME

CHICAGO — Franklin Barreto hit a pair of three-run homers and Oakland won its season-high fifth in a row, pounding Chicago in the first game of a doubleheader.

The White Sox have lost eight in a row, their worst skid since a nine-game rut last July.

PUBLIC NOTICES

DEVELOPMENT PERMITS APPROVED JUNE 14 TO JUNE 20, 2018 PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

RESIDENTIAL

- 926 DOMINION STREET SE** (Lot 22, Block D, Plan 49455) DP14452. Single Detached House (Addition) Including Front And Interior Side Setback Variances.
- 7 ROSSMERE PLACE SE** (Lot 110, Block 18, Plan 7811304) DP14456. Single Detached House (Addition).
- 29 – 612 20 STREET NE** (Lot 19, Block 1, Plan 7410918) DP14457. Multiple Unit Residential Development (Covered Porch).
- 44 TERRACE CIRCLE NE** (Lot 46, Block 8, Plan 0513294) DP14463. Single Detached House (Covered Deck).

HOME OCCUPATION

- 2612 22 AVENUE SE** (Lot 36, Block 7, Plan 1171LK) DP14395. Office Use With Storage on Site. General Contractor/Project Manager.
- 78 STERLING LINK SE** (Lot 1, Block 14, Plan 1111043) DP14433. Employee Attending Site. General Contractor/Project Manager.
- 238 VISTA CLOSE SE** (Lot 37, Block 11, Plan 0614000) DP14451. Customers to Attend Site. Distribution/Sales.
- 14 12 STREET SW** (Lot 36, Block 30, Plan 2177M) DP14453. Office Use Only. Consultant.
- 2147 HAWTHORNE AVENUE NE** (Lot 6, Block 7, Plan 8310543) DP14454. Office Use Only. Delivery Service.
- 596 STARK WAY SE** (Lot 34, Block 4, Plan 0113115) DP14455. Office Use Only. Consultant.
- 143 PRIMROSE DRIVE SE** (Lot 8, Block 1, Plan 7711358) DP14460. Office Use Only. Insurance Company.
- 50 ROSS GLEN CRESCENT SE** (Lot 38, Block 3, Plan 7610262) DP14462. Office Use Only. Delivery Service.

A person claiming to be affected by a decision of the Development Officer or the Municipal Planning Commission may appeal to the Medicine Hat Subdivision and Development Appeal Board by completing and submitting to the City Clerk Department, the required Notice of Appeal form within twenty-one (21) days of this publication. Notice of Appeal forms are available from the City Clerk Department, Third Floor, City Hall or on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca.

All Development Permits listed are subject to conditions. Further information on any Development Permit may be obtained from the Planning & Development Services Department, Second Floor, City Hall during normal business hours (Telephone 403.529.8374).

8AM - 4PM SPECIAL SERVICE

Electric Outages.....	403.5
Gas Emergency.....	403.5
Water & Sewer Emergency.....	403.5
After Hours Special Services.....	403.5

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE LAND USE BYLAW #4168 CANNABIS RETAIL STORE OVERLAY

TAKE NOTICE that City Council gave First Reading on Monday, June 18, 2018 to Bylaw #4487, a Bylaw of the City of Medicine Hat to amend the Land Use Bylaw #4168.

Bylaw #4487 is in response to the impending legalization of non-medical cannabis retail. The purpose of this proposed amendment is to establish rules to regulate the development of Cannabis Retail Stores through the adoption of a Cannabis Retail Store Overlay.

A Public Hearing in general accordance with the Municipal Government Act and the City's Procedure Bylaw, and consideration of the Second/Third Readings of proposed Bylaw #4487 will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers at the address below on Monday, July 16, 2018, beginning at approximately 6:30 pm. Any person who claims to be affected by the proposed bylaw may make representation to City Council at the Public Hearing. Oral submissions are limited to five minutes.

A copy of proposed Bylaw #4487 and related documents may be inspected during office hours (8:30 am to 4:30 pm) at Planning & Development Services (phone: 403.529.8374). Bylaw #4487 may also be accessed via the 'Proposed Bylaws' section on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca.

Anyone wishing to have a written submission concerning this proposed bylaw placed before the City Council must submit it to: City Clerk Department, 580 First Street SE, Medicine Hat, Alberta T1A 8E6 by 12:00 noon, Wednesday, July 11, 2018.

All submissions are treated as public documents.

Dated at the City of Medicine Hat, in the Province of Alberta, this 23rd day of June, 2018.

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WATER MAIN FLUSHING & FIRE HYDRANT INSPECTIONS

Environmental Utilities performs regular, routine maintenance to uphold the water quality and system infrastructure by annually flushing water mains and inspecting fire hydrants.

During these operations, there may be some discoloration in the water which is not harmful to consume and will disappear when flushing is complete. Please note that discoloured water should not be used for laundry and that fluctuating water pressure may also be noticed.

Should discoloration persist beyond three hours, turn on your cold water tap or an outside sprinkler and let the water run for several minutes until the water runs clear.

For additional information or to confirm whether crews are working in your zone, refer to the Water Flushing Programs page on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca/eu or contact Environmental Utilities at 403.529.8176.

ELECTRICAL UPGRADES

Electric Distribution Department would like to advise residents and business owners that City of Medicine Hat crews will be upgrading electrical systems in the downtown core from April to October 2018. Alleyways from 1st Street to 5th Street and South Railway to 4th Avenue SE will be affected. For more information visit www.medicinehat.ca/upgrades

Radford ahead of Pride parade: 'We're making great strides'

LORI EWING
The Canadian Press

TORONTO

Balmertown once held painful memories for Eric Radford. Growing up as the only figure skater in the tiny hockey town of 4,000 residents in northern Ontario, he was mercilessly bullied.

Radford became the first openly gay athlete to win a Winter Olympic gold medal, and his skating success took him back to Balmertown recently. He was elated to find antiquated attitudes have changed there.

The town named a street in his honour. He marched in a pride walk hand in hand with fiance Luis Fenero. But perhaps the most touching moment came during an elementary school talk when a young girl presented him with a picture she'd drawn. It was a replica of the Instagram photo of Radford's marriage proposal to Fenero. Radford is down on one knee, and the couple is set against a rainbow background.

"She told me 'Everybody knows you for your athletic accomplishments, but your story and you being open about your sexuality means so much to me, and I wanted to let you know that,'" Radford said, pulling the folded picture from his jeans pocket. "I was just so touched. I was flabbergasted that a Grade 8 girl from this small town that has such little exposure to these types of issues had the insight and the maturity to give something like this to me.

"I shared it on social media, and got so many amazing comments from people. It didn't just inspire me, I think it inspired our whole community."

The 33-year-old, who with partner Meagan Duhamel retired after the Olympics, kicked off the Canadian Olympic Committee's "Be You" campaign on Friday ahead of Pride weekend in Toronto. The COC launched a pop-up store selling "Be You" T-shirts at a downtown Toronto mall, with proceeds going to You Can Play, a campaign dedicated to the eradication of homophobia in sports.

Harman takes one-shot lead at Travellers

PAT EATON-ROBB
The Associated Press

CROMWELL, Conn.

Brian Harman shot a 4-under 66 on Friday to move to 10-under par and watched that hold up for the second-round lead in the Travelers Championship, thanks in part to a 10-second rule.

Harman finished a stroke ahead of Matt Jones and first round co-leader Zach Johnson, who lost a stroke during his round of 68 when his birdie putt hung on the lip of the cup at the third hole for longer than the maximum allowed 10 seconds before falling in, giving him a par.

"After 10 seconds, the ball was moving and at that point even if the ball is moving, it's deemed to be at rest, because it's on the lip," Johnson said. "Don't ask me why, but that's just the way it is."

Harman had his short game working for the second consecutive day, taking 26 putts after needing only 23 during the first round.

"The putter has been really good so far, but I've been in position a lot," he said. "I've had a lot of good looks at it. I'm just able to put a little pressure on the course right now, which is nice."