

Andy Suiter

Andy Suiter was born in Walnut Creek, CA and grew up in nearby Diablo until he was nine years old. He moved to other side of the San Francisco Bay Area to Woodside, CA where he attended Menlo School and was a two sport standout in water polo and baseball. He earned prep all-america honors and first team all Central Coast Section in waterpolo scoring 70 goals with 66 assists his senior year. In baseball he finished his high school career with a 29-7 record and set school records for strikeouts in a game (18), season (146), and career (433). His Senior year he earned San Mateo County Player of the Years honors. Most importantly though, he was part of a 2004 team that won the CCS Division III championship.

After high school he chose to attend UCLA and redshirted his first season in 2006, and only pitched in one exhibition game (vs. St. Paul) in 2007. He then decided to transfer to UC-Davis where in his first year he set a school record with 30 appearances all in relief. He posted a 6-2 record with 2 saves out of the bullpen to help them clinch a berth in the 2008 NCAA regional playoffs. He was awarded with an All Big West Conference Honorable Mention and after the season he was drafted by the New York Yankees in the 32nd round. He decided to go back to school for another season, and was picked in the 10th round on his birthday, June 10th by the Los Angeles Dodgers. In his first season with the Short Season Rookie Affiliate, the Ogden Raptors, he went 2-0 with a 4.02 ERA with 14 appearances.

Andy is a graduate of UC-Davis with a degree in Communications. He loves spending time with his 3 brothers (Scott, Mike, Jack) and his Mom and Dad (Nancy and Tom). He also enjoys reading, and surfing in the off-season.