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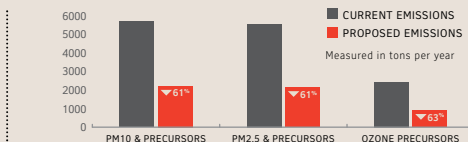
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Team Physicians: Dr. Andrew Cooper; Dr. Joe Albano;
Dr. Chris Gay; Dr. John Edwards
Team Chiropractor: Monte J. Layton, D.C.
Team Chaplain: John Prim
Team Colors: Claret Red, Cobalt Blue & Real Gold
Largest MLS Attendance: 40,589 (June 4, 2005 RSL
vs. FC Dallas; USA vs. Costa Rica World Cup Qualifier)
Largest Soccer Attendance: 45,511
(August 12, 2006 RSL vs. Real Madrid)

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Elevation: 4,450 feet
MLS Capacity: 20,213 (no concert stage);
19,464 (w/ concert stage)
Surface: Natural Grass
Field Dimensions: 75 x 120 yards
Largest MLS Attendance: 20,762 (Sept. 28, 2011;
RSL 0:3 Chicago Fire)
Largest non-MLS Soccer Attendance: 20,463
(October 19, 2010; RSL 3:1 Cruz Azul [MEX])
Largest non-Soccer Attendance: 25,974
(July 13, 2010; Paul McCartney)

HONORS: MLS Cup Champions: 2009
CONCACAF Champions League Group A Winners: 2010
CONCACAF Champions League Finalists 2011

RSL PRACTICE FACILITY (primary)

America First Field
76 West Sego Lily Drive
(10000 South, ½ block West of State St)
Sandy, UT 84070
Surface: Natural Grass
Field Dimensions: 75 x 120 yards

RSL PRACTICE FACILITY (alternate)

XanGo Field at Thanksgiving Point
3098 Executive Parkway (corner of Ashton Blvd)
Lehi, UT 84043
Surface: Natural Grass
Field Dimensions: 75 x 120 yards

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KUCW (CW) Ch. 30
Talent: Bill Riley (play-by-play) /
Brian Dunseth (color analyst) /
Emerson Lotzia (host/sideline)

English Radio: ESPN 700 AM (KALL)
Talent: Spencer Warne (pre-/post-game host) /
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Belief. Passion. Desire. Determination. Commitment. Sacrifice.

Words once written by current Real Salt Lake Head Coach Jason Kreis describing the organization's core values in an open letter to the community, these are the tenets by which RSL players, fans, front office and ownership conduct themselves each day. The utmost adherence to these values allowed RSL to win Major League Soccer's 14th Cup title in 2009, just the team's fifth season, despite long odds and a plethora of cynics, naysayers and non-believers along the way.

The 2010 title defense came to a sudden and shocking end at the hands of upstart rival FC Dallas, the team to hand RSL two of its three rare losses between May 1 and November 6 (Cruz Azul was the other). An air of "unfinished business" permeated the locker room, driving the club's CONCACAF Champions League ambitions in 2011. Other silverware in the offing a year ago at this time were MLS Cup, Supporters Shield, U.S. Open Cup and the FIFA Club World Cup.

However, RSL left 2011 empty-handed, equaling the regular-season win total from a year before at 15, but those points came in a very different fashion. A disappointing home loss in the CONCACAF Champions League Final was followed up by a gruesome ankle injury suffered by talisman Javier Morales just ten days later, the season bookended with a five-game suspension to Captain Kyle Beckerman.

Last year, a star-studded rematch with rival Los Angeles in the West Final saw a wounded RSL overpowered by the eventual MLS Cup Champions, paced by Landon Donovan, David Beckham and Robbie Keane. The offseason saw the departure of several long-time veterans, as Robbie Russell and Jean Alexandre [traded], Collen Warner [expansion draft] and the lone remaining RSL original Andy Williams (retired) saw their on-field time with the club end. On the eve of the 2012 season, several others are rehabbing injuries that might jeopardize their opening day availability, as perennial starters Nat Borchers (ruptured quad tendon), Alvaro Saborio (knee), Javier Morales (ankle) and Will Johnson (adductor) work hard to return. However, with a 267-day MLS season (the League's longest-ever) culminating in MLS Cup 2012 on December 1 – and potentially 50+ games for Jason Kreis' side prior to that date – testing the club's depth in March could be a blessing in disguise.

"RSL Nation" always harbors hope that the club they love can emerge as it did late in 2009, when despite an 11-12-7 regular season record, and the necessary combination of several dozen scenarios, RSL won six of its final seven games en route to capturing MLS Cup. Continuing to embrace its "Team is the Star" philosophy to vanquish not one, not two, but a trio of designated players – Guillermo Barros Schelotto, Cuauhtemoc Blanco and David Beckham – as well as the Columbus Crew, Chicago Fire and Los Angeles Galaxy sides which surrounded them.

"Audentis Fortuna Juvat" – Latin for Fortune Favors the Bold – was Kreis' mantra in May, 2007 when he abruptly traded his captain's armband for the head coaching reins of Real Salt Lake. In the 55+ months since that time, Kreis became the youngest MLS head coach to win a title, guided RSL to become the first-ever MLS team (and just the 3rd non-Mexican side) to win a CONCACAF Champions League group, and the first U.S. team to get to the CCL Final. Meanwhile, the RSL organization, inspired by its fans, has established a dominant home-field advantage, with just three home losses in any competition between the 2008/10 seasons (a total equaled last year, in the several months played without Morales).

In 2008, the value of unselfishly placing the collective ahead of the individual was also embraced by those workers, engineers, architects, and visionary partners that brought Rio Tinto Stadium from concept to reality. Exhibited by everyone from the Real Salt Lake locker room to the Rio Tinto Stadium front office, these are the values upon which organizational success is built, those demanded from every individual responsible for executing ownership's vision for world-class sports and entertainment on the Wasatch Front. Nothing but the utmost adherence to these tenets is tolerated.



The early expansion years marked by turnover and transition, Real Salt Lake has now reached unprecedented heights with its Playoff runs in 2008/09 and extensive domestic and international success throughout 2011, achieving a multitude of organizational milestones signifying the growth, permanence and promise of the franchise. Remaining committed to building an organization that will consistently compete for championships, on and off the field of play, President Bill Manning embraces the principle that the Team truly is the Star, recognizing that players, fans, staff, management and the community at large compose the team. Only through the team concept in all facets of the organization, working together as one, can Real Salt Lake achieve glory, honor and success.

On the field, General Manager Garth Lagerwey, Coach Kreis and the technical staff accomplished the goal of deepening the roster to create competition at every one of the 11 positions, instilling a collective focus on heightening the intensity at each practice, at each game, in every way. The massive overhaul four years ago has now fostered the ability for Real Salt Lake to become a more cohesive unit, to think and react at a quicker speed of play, to pressure the opponent, to compete as one entity. From this, competitive success is ensured, evident from the team's late-season runs in 2008/09 and its wire-to-wire success in multiple competitions in 2010/11.

Now Real Salt Lake is focused on continuing to carry the MLS flag internationally, hoping to extend the window of success for the franchise and establish an annual soccer dynasty right here on the Wasatch Front.

It is no coincidence that the organization's recent success was fostered by the advent and opening of Rio Tinto Stadium, the state-of-the-art sports and entertainment facility in Utah, providing a stunning new home for world-class events, one with breathtaking views of both the Oquirrh and Wasatch Mountain ranges. With its vast, natural grass pitch, its intimate proximity allowing 20,000+ spectators to exert themselves as the 12th man, it is the sweeping canopy roofs on the east and west sides to keep elements out, atmosphere in, serving as iconic beacons for the community gathering place.

Located in Sandy, Utah, at the heart of the Wasatch Front, Rio Tinto Stadium opened its arms to the world in 2009, during its first full season of operation, serving as the host of the 2009 MLS All-Star Game, a dramatic, penalty-kick decided event vs. England's Everton FC (and a foreboding of things to come!). Major League Soccer's midseason showcase was a perfect example of the Stadium as a new class of venue in the Intermountain West, attracting events that would not otherwise visit Utah, bolstering the state's reputation as an international sports and entertainment destination. Both the MLS All-Star Game and the U.S. Men's National Team's World Cup Qualifier against El Salvador in Sept. 2009 were televised worldwide to more than 140 countries via the ESPN family of networks, bringing significant media attention to the State of Utah, positively impacting tourism efforts.

While "The Beautiful Game" and its premier events have an established home at Rio Tinto Stadium, in 2010, none other than Sir Paul McCartney graced the venue in his first-ever performance in the State of Utah, expanding the Stadium's horizon as concert performances are concerned, as legendary rockers the Eagles and country music icon Kenny Chesney did in 2009. Aesthetically and acoustically, Rio Tinto Stadium will fulfill its promise to become one of the most desirable outdoor attractions in the United States, its capacity rising to nearly 27,000 for concerts and other events, the diversity of which creates numerous job opportunities on both permanent and seasonal bases. In March, 2008, the Stadium was recognized by Forbes as one of "10 New Super-Stadiums" in development worldwide.

Making A Mark

Since its inception, Real Salt Lake continually strives to establish new and everlasting traditions in the Utah sports landscape and break new ground in virtually every aspect of its business. In addition to developing the team's Independence Day and Pioneer Day soccer/fireworks traditions, RSL accomplishments include: in the establishment of new MLS standards for season-ticket renewal rates; exhibiting the truest home-field advantage in U.S. Men's National Team history; forming a groundbreaking partnership with Real Madrid, RSL's namesake and the world's foremost sports brand; and becoming the first American major-league sports team to feature a corporate sponsor – Utah-based XanGo – emblazoned across its jersey front.



THE RSL VISION

That distinctive Real Salt Lake jersey was worn by a quartet of American soccer luminaries during the team's first three seasons. Head Coach Jason Kreis, the team's charter captain and first-ever player, was the first American-born Major League Soccer MVP in 1999 and retired to seize the RSL coaching reins as MLS' All-Time leading scorer. U.S. Soccer icon Clint Mathis – re-acquired mid-Summer 2008 – was the team's first allocation, bringing his Mohawk to the Wasatch Front in 2005. Teenage phenom Freddy Adu utilized RSL in 2007 as a springboard to Europe. Legendary U.S. defender Eddie Pope, regarded worldwide as the finest American defender ever, retired after the 2007 season as Real Salt Lake's all-time leader in games started (69) and minutes played (5,930), as well as RSL's lone All-Star selection (2005, 2007).

Real Salt Lake's first-ever home game featured a dramatic, 81st-minute header by former U.S. Olympic Captain Brian Dunseth to give RSL a 1-0 victory over Rocky Mountain Cup rivals Colorado Rapids, sending 25,000+ fans into pandemonium. The June 4, 2005 visit by the U.S. Men's National Team for a World Cup Qualifying match against Costa Rica raised the bar for fan intensity, the United States' 3-0 win witnessed by more than 40,000 fans. That turnout and support demonstrated to the American soccer community that the savvy, pro-U.S. crowd could impress even those who thought they had seen it all, including then-U.S. manager Bruce Arena and superstar Landon Donovan, each of whom left Rice-Eccles that day glowing about the National Team's newest home. That historic occasion set the stage for future visits by international opponents from Spain, England, Argentina, Chile, Mexico, China, Fiji, Costa Rica and Jamaica, highlighted by the August 12, 2006 visit by Real Madrid.

The late-Summer 2006 trip by Real Madrid to Utah, which included a week in Salt Lake for high-altitude training, a pair of games vs. MLS sides D.C. United (involving a day trip to Seattle) and RSL, a visit to the Governor's Mansion and the ceremonial groundbreaking of what is now Rio Tinto Stadium in Sandy, again served notice to the world about the burgeoning soccer culture in the Rocky Mountains. International superstars such as David Beckham, Roberto Carlos, Raul, Fabio Cannavaro, Ruud van Nistelrooy and manager Fabio Capello – all legends of the highest world soccer standards, thriving on the World Cup and European stages – were ebullient in their praise of RSL fans and the passion, excitement and emotion exhibited just two years into the club's existence. Van Nistelrooy's first-half penalty kick and Robinho's second-half brilliance were overshadowed by the flashbulbs glimmering throughout Rice-Eccles when David Beckham entered the game, as Madrid downed its namesake, 2-0, in the most-attended professional sporting event in Utah since the 2002 Winter Olympics.

The team's former Rice-Eccles home was the site of several individual milestones during its three-plus MLS seasons in Utah, as Captain Jason Kreis became the first-ever MLS player to score 100 career goals, something only four players have now ever accomplished. Fan favorite Andy Williams, the lone iRSL Original remaining in 2011, scored the 5,000th goal in MLS history midway through the inaugural 2005 campaign, also the team's first score in Rice-Eccles north end. Former goalkeeper Scott Garlick became just the third MLS netminder to accrue 100 career wins, a feat accomplished in 2006 during his lone season with the club.

Major League Soccer Arrives

The dramatic arrival of a second major-league organization further establishes Utah as a progressive, growing climate for top-level sports and all types of innovative entertainment. The state has been home to the Utah Jazz of the NBA since 1979. During the Jazz's tenure, Salt Lake City has played host to multiple NBA playoff series (including two NBA Finals) as well as an NBA All-Star Game. Utah was also the host of the enormously successful 2002 Olympic Winter Games, which brought positive attention from sponsors, athletes and media around the world.



"MLS expansion to Salt Lake City reminds me of the early days of the American Football League," said the late MLS Investor-Operator Lamar Hunt, the only man inducted into three major sports Halls of Fame (soccer, football and tennis.) "The inclusion of Salt Lake City is a very important step for Major League Soccer. It's a city of great vitality and achievement from a sports and entertainment standpoint. The Utah Jazz have been among the leaders in attendance of the NBA year after year, and no one will ever forget the grandeur of the Salt Lake Winter Olympics."

Utah's unique demographics make it particularly appealing to MLS. Boasting a significant soccer fan base, Utah has the highest per-capita participation in organized youth soccer, the third-fastest growing Hispanic and Latino population in the U.S., as well as a significant Eastern European population. Beyond just the sports entertainment value, Salt Lake's MLS team brings significant socio-economic benefits to the region.

"Soccer is a great sport, a great unifier," said SCP Worldwide Founder and Chairman Dave Checketts, Real Salt Lake's founder and co-owner, a visionary sports entrepreneur and a native Utahn. It provides affordable, exciting family entertainment. The excitement will surely continue to build here, and we're going to have a lot of fun watching this team grow. We're very happy about this opportunity and truly believe that this city is well-positioned to not only support a Major League Soccer team, but to serve as the bellwether in every aspect for the sport in this country. Utah is the right market, with the right fan base, with the Wasatch Front believing in all of the things that Major League Soccer represents: players as role models, players that are connected to the community, a team that cares about the community, and a League that is committed to growing the sport of soccer in this country with great integrity."

While the team's dedication to the community is unparalleled, its entrenchment in Utah and ability to lead the sport took a massive step forward with the opening of its Rio Tinto Stadium home last Fall in Sandy, just 15 minutes from downtown Salt Lake City. Nestled in the heart of the Wasatch Front, virtually equidistant between Ogden in the North and Provo in the South, the team's new location is perfectly placed in the population center of the nearly 2.75 million people residing in the Salt Lake Valley.

MLS Thrives In Utah

In July of 2004, Checketts and Major League Soccer Commissioner Don Garber announced that the dream of bringing world-class soccer to the great state of Utah had come to fruition. The mission was simple: create an internationally-recognized soccer brand, one which would become the flagship franchise of a growing American soccer league.

The addition of Checketts and SCP Worldwide completed a one-year period where Major League Soccer doubled its investor base, as CD Chivas USA owner Jorge Vergara and Colorado Rapids owner Stan Kroenke joined longtime visionaries Phil Anschutz, Lamar Hunt and Robert Kraft. July 14, 2004 was the fateful day when Utah was officially awarded the 12th MLS franchise. In attendance were many of Utah's top government, youth soccer, business and community leaders.

"I believe that Major League Soccer is the sports league of the future, and I am excited that Utah has a chance to be a part of it," said Checketts at the historic event, attended by many of Utah's top government, youth soccer, business and community leaders. "Salt Lake's success on the international stage with the Olympics was a major part of what went into making this decision for the league. I can assure you, we fought long and hard to bring this team to Utah. We faced serious competition from other cities who desperately wanted an MLS franchise. We are thrilled that we were successful in showing the MLS that Salt Lake was the right place for the League's next team. I am excited at the prospect of leading this team to much success here in my home state, just as we were fortunate enough to do with the Jazz for so many years."





"In less than one year, we've attracted three new investors who share in the passionate, collective and inspirational vision for American soccer as our existing team owners," said Commissioner Garber, whose League celebrated its 10th Season in 2005, the same year as Real Salt Lake's inaugural season. "We're very pleased to welcome a new visionary to the MLS family. A man who has proven to be one of the most successful executives in professional sports, a man who has had countless opportunities to get involved in many different sports, a man who stepped up and said, 'I choose to be involved in soccer.' That man is Dave Checketts, and we're very, very pleased to welcome him to the family."

"Soccer is the number one sport in the world," stated Checketts. "It is growing rapidly in this country and this is a League filled with dedicated ownership and talented management. These are people who are committed to soccer. These are people that I have been familiar with in the NHL, NBA and the NFL. I have complete confidence in the leadership of MLS and I am excited to be their partner."

Just seven years later, Real Salt Lake has established itself as a leader in its community, a developer of young soccer talent on the field and one of Major League Soccer's business leaders. Real Salt Lake has both uncovered and cultivated a vibrant soccer culture in the InterMountain West, one which has demonstrated a surprising level of acumen and savvy regarding the international nature of the sport, and one whose loyalty and dedication to the RSL shield inspires the organization.

Since Day One, RSL has set its collective sights on employing talented players of the highest character and deeply committed administrators, each of whom have served as solid community citizens, singularly focused on fulfilling that covenant with RSL fans of a winning, world-class organization, providing inspiration and aspiration to soccer followers around the globe.

Youth Development

In the Spring of 2007, Real Salt Lake announced its foray into the recent MLS Youth Development Initiative, introducing four elite youth teams at the U-16 and U-17 age groups. Real Salt Lake has two bases for this initial step, with the RSL Utah and RSL Arizona clubs entering teams in both age groups out of the Salt Lake City and Phoenix areas, respectively. In the Summer of 2008, RSL's U-17 team – composed of players from both states – captured the SUM U-17 Cup, earning a prestigious trip to Madrid, Spain, for the Junior Club World Cup, also known as the Trofeo Quixote Sub-17.

These teams take the field wearing the RSL badge in a manner aimed to inspire the very best players in this region to pursue soccer as the sport of choice for elite athletes. RSL continues to work alongside clubs in Utah and Arizona to ensure that these programs give players opportunities under the RSL umbrella without encroaching upon existing commitments to their clubs, high schools, state ODP programs, or collegiate aspirations. Instead, the RSL Youth Development Initiative facilitates the identification and cultivation of emerging soccer talent in a professional environment.

Coming Together As A Team

In Real Salt Lake's 110 games from mid-August, 2007 to October, 2010 – the equivalent of three-and-a-half seasons – the team posted a record of 45-32-33, easily its most successful stretch ever. During that time, not coincidentally just months after Jason Kreis assumed the coaching reins and the arrival of Garth Lagerwey, Real Salt Lake turned the corner from an expansion team struggling to find its way on the field to a competitive, cohesive unit.

While 41 players came and went from the RSL roster between May, 2007 and August, 2008 – a turnover rate not seen since the circa-1996 New England and New York rosters – the foundation is now set with a core of both proven and emerging players, youth and experience hailing from all corners of the globe. Every single player currently on the roster was either acquired or saw his contract extended by the current regime.

Royal Name, Royal Aspirations

One word – Real [pronounced RAY-al] – celebrates the international elegance and multi-cultural distinction of Utah's second major-league professional sports organization.

"Internationally, the Real brand signifies soccer at its highest level – soccer with excitement, tradition and flair," says Checketts. "The name symbolizes dignity, history and, quite literally, royalty. It is our daily mission to establish those attributes for our team."

The presence of the sport of soccer on the international stage inspired the team's unique nomenclature. Real Salt Lake aims to think and act globally in its vision, with the bilingual name demonstrating passion and respect for soccer's heritage and reflecting its lofty aspirations for competitive excellence and crowning achievements in the community.



"The name, colors and shield of Real Salt Lake represent soccer's spirit as a unifying sport, as well as the state of Utah's rapidly expanding diversity," said Checketts. "Real Salt Lake will lead what MLS Commissioner Don Garber calls 'the New America' and will serve as a tremendous source of pride not only across the Wasatch Front, but also for fans around the world who recognize our aspirations for a competitive, family-oriented organization. As we continue to grow as a league, the RSL tradition will define our path and our core values will resonate across the global sports marketplace."

On May 3, 2007, upon his introduction, Real Salt Lake's second head coach, Jason Kreis, uttered the latin phrase "Audentis Fortuna Juvat" – "Fortune Favors the Bold." Kreis certainly believes in the power of this concept to his core, introducing bold changes during his first nine months at the helm, expecting the moves to bring imminent fortune.

In Kreis' words, "Real Salt Lake fans are the best in MLS, and have been since day one. That RSL fans share the same values – Belief, Passion, Desire, Determination, Commitment and Sacrifice – motivates every player, coach, and administrator in the RSL organization to forge ahead and redouble efforts to achieve our lofty goals."

Real Salt Lake's goals are lofty, its aspirations regal. Each and every day, in every endeavor, RSL seeks to serve the Salt Lake Valley, Utah and the Intermountain West as a visionary community citizen, intent on delivering on its commitment to build and develop a winning, world-class organization, one which will not only stand shoulder-to-shoulder with the world's most recognizable and revered sports brands, but one which is dynamic, diverse, family-oriented, ambitious, community-based and internationally-minded.

The 2012 Major League Soccer season in Utah is upon us, and the organization from the ownership, to the players, fans and staff are elated to embark on what promises to be a fantastic and rewarding journey. RSL believes that the fan experience with Real Salt Lake will be nothing short of thrilling, combining a competitive team on the field with an electric atmosphere off it. That goal is the common thread that binds Real Salt Lake and the Utah soccer community not only again this season, but for many successful decades to come.



Founder/Co-Owner



Visionary sport entrepreneur David W. Checketts, whose career spans over four decades, is one of the most heralded media and entertainment executives in the industry, and currently serves as Chairman and CEO of Legends (www.legendshm.com), a multi-faceted company owned by the New York Yankees, the Dallas Cowboys, Goldman Sachs and the Checketts Partners Investor Fund. The three-pronged Legends venture consists of Legends Hospitality Management - the premier provider of general concessions, premium food & beverage, catering, retail merchandise and tours; Legends Sales and Marketing - an industry leader offering team owners, facility operators and athletic departments premium tickets sales and service, PSL sales execution, sponsorship and naming rights capabilities and sales training; and CSL International, which provides project feasibility and economic impact studies, funding plans and business operational reviews.

A Utah native, born in Bountiful, Mr. Checketts founded SCP Worldwide in 2006. Under his direction and leadership, SCP acquired an impressive stable of assets in the sports, entertainment and media industries. In June 2006 the company acquired the St. Louis Blues of the National Hockey League, Scottrade Center and Peabody Opera House (which re-opened this fall to rave reviews after an extensive and heralded renovation project) as well as purchasing the Blues' AHL affiliate Peoria Rivermen in July 2008. In 2004, SCP acquired the twelfth Major League Soccer (MLS) franchise launching Real Salt Lake and in October of 2008 opened, to critical acclaim, Rio Tinto Stadium - a 20,000 seat multi-purpose open air facility in Sandy, Utah. In October 2009 Real Salt Lake became Champions of Major League Soccer. SCP owns Salt Lake City sports-talk radio station ESPN 700 Sports, and has a controlling interest in Running Subway, an entertainment production company.



The 56-year old Checketts created his sports media company after a successful ten-year career at Madison Square Garden (MSG). As President and Chief Executive Officer for seven years, Mr. Checketts oversaw all operations of one of the most powerful sports and entertainment companies globally, including the "World's Most Famous Arena" and its three sports



franchises, the New York Knickerbockers of the NBA, the New York Rangers of the NHL, and the New York Liberty of the WNBA – along with the award winning MSG Network and FOX Sports Network. In 1997, while at his post, Mr. Checketts took on the ambitious acquisition and comprehensive restoration of New York's historic Radio City Music Hall. Although MSG, under his leadership, was awarded with many accomplishments such as being named Arena of the Year for six straight years, the achievement he takes most pride in is the establishment of the MSG "Cheering for Children" foundation which created after school programs for thousands of New York City school children.

Mr. Checketts began his career at Madison Square Garden as President of the New York Knicks in March 1991. In the four seasons he served as President, the team finished twice in first place, made it to the Eastern Conference Finals twice and captured the Eastern Conference Champion Title in 1994. During this time, the team set records in attendance, ratings and revenues including setting the all-time sellout streak of 460 games at The Garden. Forbes named the Knicks the most valuable franchise in the NBA.

In his role as Governor of the Knicks (NBA), Rangers (NHL) and Liberty (WNBA), Mr. Checketts was instrumental in all three leagues development and mission. For the NBA, he was part of both the Planning Committee and the Labor Relations Committee which included being a lead negotiator in the Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) in 1999. For the WNBA, he was one of the founding partners and served on the League's Operating Committee.

Prior to joining the Knicks, Mr. Checketts spent one year as General Manager of NBA International, working with NBA Commissioner David Stern on building a presence for the league in broadcasting and licensing around the world.

In 1983, Mr. Checketts was named President and General Manager of the Utah Jazz. At 28 years old, he became the youngest chief executive in the history of the NBA. During his six year tenure, the team captured two Midwest Division titles and enjoyed a multi-million dollar economic turnaround.

Mr. Checketts did his undergraduate studies at the University of Utah and earned his MBA from Brigham Young University (BYU) in 1981, where he graduated with top honors. Upon completion of his studies, he joined the Boston based consulting firm, Bain & Company. Mr. Checketts serves on the Board of Directors of Republic Mortgage Home Loans LLC and JetBlue Airways, where he serves on the Compensation and Leadership Development Committee. He resides in Connecticut with his wife Deb. They have six children and six grandchildren.



Co-Owner



On November 18, 2009, just four days prior to the crowning achievement of the organization's first five seasons, Utah entrepreneur and Real Estate developer Dell Loy Hansen purchased a co-ownership stake in Real Salt Lake of Major League Soccer (MLS), Rio Tinto Stadium and ESPN 700 Sports Radio.

Mr. Hansen serves as Vice Chairman and Alternate Governor for Real Salt Lake and works closely with the RSL management team regarding the direction and strategy of each business unit, as well as the potential real estate development around Rio Tinto Stadium.

"We are delighted to have Dell Loy and his family joining ours," said Dave Checketts, the Founder of Real Salt Lake as Major League Soccer's 12th team in July, 2004. "Many other MLS franchises have been fortunate to have added significant partners to their ownership groups in recent years, but what makes this stand out from the others are Dell Loy's strong local roots and knowledge of the marketplace. For someone with his stature to make a bold statement of support like this speaks volumes to the inroads we have made in this community. His partnership helps fortify the enterprise and sets us up for long-term success and growth. I look forward to working closely with Dell Loy and look forward to growing these businesses and deepening their reach into the community together."

Mr. Hansen, President of Wasatch Property Management, Inc., is a lifelong Utah resident with deep roots in Cache Valley, in the northern part of the state. His passion to build youth athletic facilities led to the creation of the Sports Academy in North Logan in 1995. Many truly outstanding swimmers, soccer and tennis players have developed their skills at Sports Academy. "Personal success" is at the root of the Academy experience and reflects Mr. Hansen's core values.

Under former Utah Governor Michael Leavitt, Mr. Hansen served nine years on the State's Board of the Department of Business and Economic Development, including two of those years as Chairman. During that time he came to appreciate the great business opportunities that exist in Utah.

"I was proud to serve Governor Leavitt in growing our economy," said Mr. Hansen on that November day at Rio Tinto Stadium, upon his introduction as co-owner. "Today, the chance to participate in professional soccer with my family is good for my children and our investment allows a more competitive team to play for Utah."

Mr. Hansen founded Wasatch Property Management, Inc. in 1988 and has served as the company's President since its inception, with corporate headquarters located in Logan, Utah. Wasatch currently employs approximately 600 employees, managing 52 multi-family residential communities with approximately 12,000 apartment units, 5 condominium developments, and

20 commercial buildings with 2.4 million of rental square footage throughout the western United States. Wasatch and its affiliated investor-owned entities maintain a real estate portfolio in excess of \$1.2 Billion.

Mr. Hansen is also an owner in eight venture companies, with approximately 900 employees located across Utah, Idaho and California. The companies range from a recycling and waste disposal company in Sacramento, California; several sports clubs throughout Utah and Idaho, a plastic injection & molding company, wood milling company and a golf course in Utah; and one of the largest utility management and billing companies in the United States. These companies reported Revenue of approximately \$60 Million in 2008 with projected Revenues in excess of \$64 Million in 2009.



Throughout his pioneering business development career, Mr. Hansen has served on many State and local boards:

- Chairman of the Governor's Office of Economic Development for the State Of Utah (9 yrs.)
- Audit Chairman for the Division of Health & Human Services
- State of Utah's Judicial Nominating Committee (5 yrs.)
- State of Utah's Industrial Assistance Fund (9 yrs.)
- Transportation Alliance (\$4.8 billion transportation infrastructure)
- Downtown Development for Salt Lake City
- Western Governor's University

Mr. Hansen has also been actively involved in various state and local charitable organizations, contributing over \$10 million dollars:

- Utah Symphony & Opera
- Cache Education Foundation
- Utah State University Hansen Scholars
- The Oquirrh Institute (Institute for State Studies)
- Cache Valley Center for the Arts & Cache Valley Ballet
- Ellen Eccles Theater & Bullen Center
- Friends of the North Logan Library
- George S. Eccles Ice Arena
- The Dell Loy & Lynnette Hansen Charitable Support Trust
- Sunshine Terrace Retirement Center
- Cache Children's Choir
- Salt Lake Advocacy & Community Training



President



Bill Manning was named President of Real Salt Lake and what would become Rio Tinto Stadium in April 2008, and is responsible for all team and venue operations, both on and off the field. Manning also oversees the operation of a third property, ESPN 700 Sports Radio. Last October, following 3+ years of outstanding growth for the organization, Manning agreed to a contract extension to remain in Utah through 2015.

In his first four years Manning has helped transform the Real Salt Lake franchise into a winner. During his tenure, the team brought the state of Utah its first major-league professional sports championship in nearly 40 years and successfully sold naming rights and opened one of America's premier sports and entertainment venues, Rio Tinto Stadium. With Manning leading the charge, tickets sales & sponsorship revenue has more than tripled since his arrival, and it did not take long for the business community to take notice, as in February 2010 the Salt Lake Chamber named Real Salt Lake only the third-ever honoree of the Salt Lake Chamber's "President's Award" in the Chamber's 107-year history.

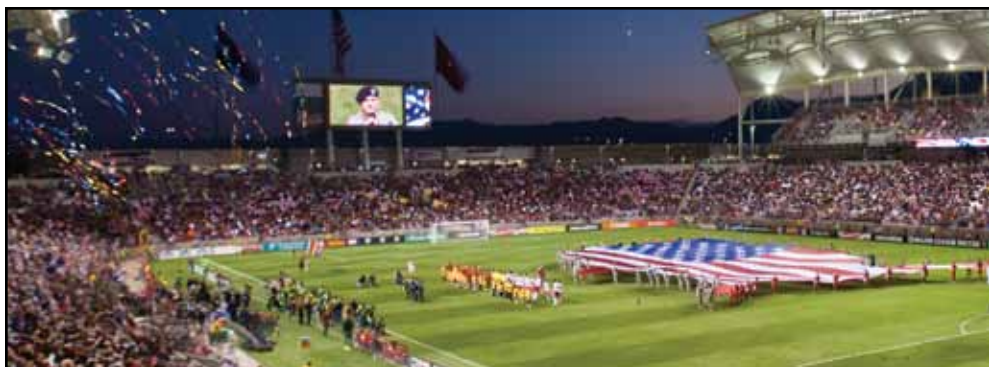
Under Manning's guidance, Real Salt Lake has vaulted into the League's elite in virtually every metric, including winning percentage, Sponsorship & ticket sales revenue, merchandising and media coverage. With a focus across the organization on customer service, the club under Manning's direction has broadened the ticket sales functionality with the establishment of a Fan Relations department, resulting in a 90% annual renewal rate and extremely high loyalty quotient by fans for the club and its partners. Manning has the 70+ person staff so clearly invested in the company's values and goals that the club culture is featured in an upcoming book by a pair of The New York Times best-selling authors this spring.



Mr. Manning, 46, has a wealth of experience on the soccer field and in the sports business, where he has enjoyed a successful 19-year career including executive positions in the NFL, NBA & MLS. He has been intimately involved in the establishment and opening of the Toyota Center (NBA Houston Rockets) and Rio Tinto Stadium (MLS Real Salt Lake), as well as the growth of Lincoln Financial Field (NFL Philadelphia Eagles) after its opening just prior to his arrival there.

Prior to his relocation to Utah, Mr. Manning served four years as Vice President of Sales & Service for the Philadelphia Eagles of the NFL, where he was responsible for all corporate sponsorships and premium seating. During his tenure, the Eagles saw a 50% increase in corporate sponsorship from the 2004 thru 2007 seasons, and in August 2007, Forbes cited the Eagles as the fastest-growing brand in the NFL using a value formula that included sponsorships and ticket sales. In June 2006, Mr. Manning was selected to represent the Eagles at the prestigious NFL Program for Managers at the Stanford Graduate School of Business.

A native of Massapequa, New York (Long Island), Mr. Manning received national recognition as a college player and was selected to play in the 1986 Intercollegiate Soccer Association of America East-West All-Star Game. As a sophomore at the University of Bridgeport, he helped the Purple Knights to a NCAA quarterfinal berth, and as a senior in 1986 he led his team to a final four appearance while earning first-team All-America honors. Mr. Manning continued his playing career after college and won a U.S. Open Cup with the Brooklyn Italians in 1991, and played professionally in the



United Soccer Leagues (USL) with the Penn-Jersey Spirit (1991), Valley Golden Eagles (1993) and New York Fever (1994-95). While with the Fever, Mr. Manning began advancing his coaching education and eventually completed his U.S. Soccer National "A" License in March 2001.

Mr. Manning began his sports management career by joining the front office of the Continental Indoor Soccer League during its inaugural season in 1993. A year later, he returned home to play with the New York Fever and become more involved as an administrator doing double duty as Director of Marketing & Operations. In 1996, Mr. Manning was hired as Vice President & General Manager of the Long Island Rough Riders, where he helped lead the Rough Riders to consecutive USL final four appearances in 1996 and 1997. During Mr. Manning's tenure in Long Island, the club was honored twice by Soccer Business International as the recipient of the publication's Marketing Excellence Award for best overall marketing in the USL.

After the 1997 season, Mr. Manning left Long Island for the Minnesota Thunder to become President & General Manager, and immediately made an impact as Minnesota advanced to the 1998 USL A-League championship match after a sub .500 finish the previous season. The following year, Mr. Manning was named USL Executive of the Year after Minnesota won the 1999 championship and developed the second-highest revenue base in the league. Bolstered by Mr. Manning's key player acquisitions, the Thunder capped a 24-2-8 season with a 2-1 championship victory over the defending champion Rochester Rhinos. While with the Thunder, Mr. Manning earned national acclaim as one of Soccer Business International magazine's individuals "To Watch" in 2000. Mr. Manning was also named to Minneapolis-based CityBusiness magazine's 1999 40 Under 40 list, which recognized the next generation of Twin Cities business and community leaders, and also was selected as one of "100 People to Watch" by Mpls St. Paul Magazine.

Mr. Manning's first entry into Major League Soccer came in February 2000 when he was named President & General Manager of the Tampa Bay Mutiny. After a promising first season on the field, which saw Mr. Manning named 2000 MLS Executive of the Year by the Washington Post, the 2001 campaign turned out to be a low point in Manning's career as the Mutiny, a league-owned team, were contracted prior to the 2002 season. At a career crossroads, Mr. Manning ventured away from soccer to the NBA, where he joined the Houston Rockets as Director of Corporate Partnerships. In Houston, Manning helped generate nearly \$10M in new cash sponsorships prior to the opening of the state-of-the-art Toyota Center in November 2003.

Mr. Manning received his BS (1987) and MBA (1989) from the University of Bridgeport in Connecticut. He has been inducted into the Berner High School Hall of Fame with the class of 1987 and into the University of Bridgeport Hall of Fame with the class of 2006. Since his arrival in Utah, Manning has become involved with the business community and has been appointed to the Board of Directors at the Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce and Junior Achievement of Utah. Mr. Manning is also serves on the Executive Advisory Committee for the Utah Sports Commission and as a Board Member for USA Wrestling Utah.

Bill and his wife Jennifer reside in Sandy and are the parents of two boys, 12-year old John and 9-year old Will.



General Manager/Senior Vice President of Soccer Operations



Trained as an attorney, Garth Lagerwey oversees all aspects of the soccer team's off-field business, conducting Real Salt Lake's personnel acquisitions, managing the team's salary and operations budgets and cultivating the reserve team and youth development programs.

Named Real Salt Lake's second General Manager on September 19, 2007, the former MLS goalkeeper has worked tirelessly, along with Head Coach Jason Kreis and team President Bill Manning, to transform both the team and management cultures of the organization, overseeing one of the most remarkable competitive turnarounds in modern American sports. When Mr. Lagerwey, 38, joined the Real Salt Lake technical staff, he gave RSL the unique distinction in MLS circles as the lone entity among the League's now 19 teams where the GM and entire coaching staff boast MLS playing experience.

Under his direction over the last four-plus years in Utah, RSL has evolved from league laughingstock in 2007 to MLS Cup Champions just two seasons later. Since moving into Rio Tinto Stadium in October, 2008, Real Salt Lake has dropped just 7 out of 72 games across all competitions at home, advanced to three of the last four MLS Conference Finals, become the first American side to win a CONCACAF Champions League group and the first team from either the U.S. or Canada to advance to the CCL Final.

While the team's 2010 title defense was not rewarded with hardware, the paucity of five losses in eight months across MLS and CCL play was a testament to a masterfully-constructed roster with an unusual amount of depth. That depth was decimated by injuries throughout 2011, forcing Lagerwey and the technical staff to recently construct the most massive overhaul in RSL history since the 2007/08 offseason, as potentially nine new players will join the Claret-and-Cobalt for 2012.

With annual aspirations to compete across multiple competitions (MLS league play, CONCACAF Champions League and Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup), RSL has long valued contribution throughout the entire roster, as 14 different players scored at least one goal and a total of 25 players started games and logged significant minutes last season.

Currently built for international success, Lagerwey and RSL currently boast the longest-tenured core in MLS history, as 10 players will kick off at least their fifth season together on opening day. Six of those 10 arrived in 2007, the same year as Kreis and Lagerwey arrived – GK Nick Rimando, GK Kyle Reynish, MF Javier Morales, FW Fabian Espindola, DF Chris Wingert and MF and current Captain Kyle Beckerman. The following year, DF Tony Beltran was drafted while DF Jamison Olave & DF Nat Borchers – the most imposing and successful center-back tandem of the last several MLS seasons – along with MF Will Johnson were brought to the U.S. from foreign shores.

As the locker room has matured, both the day-to-day and long-term philosophies implemented by Lagerwey and the team staff have also grown and evolved. Initially, the massive roster overhaul completed by Mr. Lagerwey, Kreis and the coaching staff was rewarded in 2008 as RSL secured its first-ever MLS Cup playoff berth, advancing to the Western Conference Final.

His second season saw the evolution of a competitive core built around "The Team is the Star" mantra, borne out in Real Salt Lake's victorious trip to MLS Cup 2009, the state of Utah's first major-league professional sport championship in nearly forty years.

In developing the Real Salt Lake "player archetype," Mr. Lagerwey has successfully brought European-based American players back to Major League Soccer (i.e. Borchers, Johnson, Clint Mathis and Robbie Russell); added young yet experienced South or Central American professionals (Saborio and Paulo Junior enter the 2012 season with high expectations), claimed RSL standout Ned Grabavoy off waivers and brought minor-league MVPs Yordany Alvarez and Jonny Steele into the fold. Various drafts have also deepened the RSL core of players, as Luis Gil, Cody Arnoux and Chris Schuler are poised to provide contribution in 2012, while new young players such as Enzo Martinez, Sebastian Velasquez, Leone Cruz, Diogo de Almeida and Emiliano Bonfigli represent the most pronounced influx of new blood in the RSL locker room in many years. An offseason trip to the Far East has resulted in a camp invitation for outside back Terakazu Tanaka, a young but experienced player from Japan's top two tiers.

Mr. Lagerwey joined the RSL front office from the law firm of Latham & Watkins, LLC, where he served as an associate in the Corporate Department of the firm's Washington, D.C. office. A graduate of both Duke University (BA, 1994) and Georgetown University Law School (JD, 2004), Mr. Lagerwey's experience in the practice's Sports, Media & Entertainment; Investment & Strategic Ventures; and Mergers & Acquisitions divisions included assistance in a client's acquisition of a minority portion of the SCP Worldwide's St. Louis Blues (NHL); the buying and selling of companies in a variety of fields; and extensive fund formation and management of the investment funds for the Carlyle Group, with emphasis in the energy sector. Latham & Watkins, LLC, also spawned such soccer business luminaries as Alan I. Rothenberg, the founder of Major League Soccer for whom the championship trophy is named, MLS President Mark Abbott, the League's first employee and author of the single-entity business plan, and former MLS Deputy Commissioner Ivan Gazidis, now Chief Executive of legendary English soccer power Arsenal.

Intimately involved in Major League Soccer circles since the League's inception in 1996, Mr. Lagerwey spent his five-year career as an MLS goalkeeper for the Kansas City Wizards (1996), the Dallas Burn (1997-98), and Miami Fusion FC (1999-2000). Mr. Lagerwey's career during the League's early days allowed him to cross paths with a handful of current RSL players and coaches, including Andy Williams, Nick Rimando, Kyle Beckerman, Jeff Cassar and Jason Kreis, alongside whom Lagerwey also spent his four-year collegiate career at Duke University.

Mr. Lagerwey's sharp wit and knowledge of American soccer at all levels made him a natural fit in the media realm, getting his start by filling in as a guest writer for Sports Illustrated and SI.com writer Grant Wahl's weekly soccer column. Lagerwey traded his pen for a microphone upon retirement and served as a color analyst for D.C. United's television broadcasts on Comcast Sportsnet during parts of seven MLS seasons (2001-07), in addition to being an analyst for XM Satellite Radio's World Cup 2006 daily show and seeing spot duty on New England Revolution TV and radio broadcasts. The Elmhurst, Ill., native resides in Salt Lake City, with wife Hilary and newborn son Bennett. His experience as a player and executive, combined with his vision and work ethic make him a key member of various MLS and U.S. Soccer technical committees, helping plot the future of the game in our region of the world.



Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer



Gary Reimer brings more than 30 years of experience in financial and commercial management to Real Salt Lake and Rio Tinto Stadium, where he is responsible for all financial operations, including reporting, budgeting, business planning, operational reviews, investment analysis and transactional support. Mr. Reimer also works in concert with the club's ownership groups in developing numerous financial models for the team, ESPN 700 Sports Radio and Rio Tinto Stadium.

Prior to launching his practice as the owner and principal of The CFO Advantage, a company that provided CFO services to businesses in need of financial leadership, Mr. Reimer was a senior financial executive for 15 years with the Rudolf Wild Group of Companies, a privately owned multinational German firm in the flavor ingredients and consumer beverage industries. From 1992 through 2000, Mr. Reimer was the Chief Financial and Administrative Officer for Wild's North American group, which included operations in the U.S., Canada, and Mexico, playing a key role in the start up and development of Wild's business in North America, including the acquisition of several companies.

From 1994 through 1996 Mr. Reimer served as the acting COO, overseeing the integration of the key company that became Wild's North American headquarters. Mr. Reimer was also President of Rudolf Wild of America, a Wild subsidiary responsible for managing its brand license and major supply contracts with the Capri Sun business unit of Kraft Foods, Inc. Kraft acquired Capri Sun from Wild in 1991. As CFO of Capri Sun when it was owned by Wild, Mr. Reimer managed the very successful double-digit growth of the juice brand and its ultimate acquisition by Kraft. Mr. Reimer also played a key role in Wild's global M&A activities in Germany, France, the U.K. and Brazil.

Mr. Reimer started his career with the "Big Eight" public accounting firm of Coopers & Lybrand (1977 through 1980), where he earned his certification as a CPA. In 1977, Mr. Reimer earned his MBA in Finance and Accounting at UCLA's Graduate School of Management (now known as the Anderson School of Management), a leading graduate business and management program. He earned his BA in 1975 from Duke University with a double major in English and Economics.

Living in Salt Lake City, Mr. Reimer has participated as a guest speaker on numerous occasions in the University of Utah's executive education program. He is also the former President of BOOT (Buy Our Own Technology, Inc.), an independent not-for-profit fundraising organization for Indian Hills Elementary School. He is married with three daughters.



Senior Vice President of Business Operations; General Manager, ESPN 700 Sports Sports Radio



John Kimball is one of a handful of remaining "RSL Originals," entering his eighth year with Real Salt Lake after transferring from a former sister company, SportsWest Productions, where he had been the Regional Sales Manager since 2003. Mr. Kimball, originally the Senior Director of Corporate Partnerships for Real Salt Lake, currently supervises all corporate sponsorship and ticketing sales, marketing, operations, and business aspects for the club and its state-of-the-art home, Rio Tinto Stadium. Since Real Salt Lake's inception, Kimball has recruited several of the Utah community's innovative companies to invest in Major League Soccer's Utah side, and guided numerous national brands to activate their interests in concert with RSL's athletic, corporate and community initiatives.

Kimball's team has seen outstanding growth from RSL's inaugural season to present, more than tripling overall revenue of sponsor commitments from 2006 to present with a 50% annual compound increase, and establishing the Utah side as a league leader in both sponsor and ticket revenue. Mr. Kimball simultaneously serves as the General Manager of ESPN700 Sports Radio, the Utah DMA's #1 sports-talk station, successfully negotiating long-term deals for the station to be Utah's home of the Worldwide Leader's compelling programming, as well as carriage deals for University of Utah football and basketball, Real Salt Lake soccer, as well as other local and national programming.

During the past three years at ESPN 700, Kimball successfully integrated the sales staffs for the RSL team, Rio Tinto Stadium and the station, utilizing Real Salt Lake's MLS Cup title and ESPN 700's ESPN Radio affiliation to usher in a new era of Utah sports marketing. The growth of ESPN 700 continues in 2012, with the highly-rated mix of national ESPN properties, the critically-acclaimed Dan Patrick Show and local voice "Bill Riley" delivering the InterMountain West's most compelling sports radio offerings.

Prior to his appointment as Senior Director of Corporate Sponsorship at RSL's launch, Mr. Kimball marketed and negotiated regional media and merchandising contracts for the Mountain West Conference (MWC), Western Athletic Conference (WAC), and the Big Sky football and basketball conferences for SportsWest Productions. Mr. Kimball also formed the Synergy Media Group, where he designed and executed marketing strategies for local and national clients.

Previously, Mr. Kimball served as a sales manager of KSL News Radio 1160 for its national, regional and local sales from 1993 to 2003. While at KSL, he was also the sales manager of Television and Radio Sports Marketing and sold contracts for NFL Football, the 2002 Salt Lake City Olympic Winter Games, NCAA Basketball, and Major League Baseball (MLB). Kimball also supervised KSL's sports marketing relationships with Brigham Young University (BYU) Football and Basketball.

An avid sports enthusiast, Mr. Kimball earned a bachelors degree from BYU in Communications/Media Sales. The Utah native resides in Little Cottonwood Canyon with his wife and three children.



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General Manager / Rio Tinto Stadium



Michael J. Steele became the Rio Tinto Stadium General Manager in Summer, 2008, after working nearly two years as the Stadium's Project Manager with ICON Venue Group. Mr. Steele brings 15 years of venue and construction management experience to the Stadium. In his capacity as the Stadium's General Manager, Mr. Steele focuses on the entirety of operational and programming aspects for the state-of-the-art 25,000-capacity sports and entertainment venue.

During his Rio Tinto Stadium career, Steele has managed the needs for the building's primary tenant, Real Salt Lake of Major League Soccer, as well as coordinated the details and logistics surrounding shows by The Eagles, Kenny Chesney and the enormously successful 2010 visit by Sir Paul McCartney. Under Steele's leadership, the venue has become a favorite of USA Rugby, which has held national team matches here, in addition to both college and high school championship tournaments. The increasingly popular Snocross tour named the building its 2010 "Venue of the Year," while Monster Trucks, high school and college football, and various other events have been attracted to Utah due to the venue's ability to host in a world-class fashion.

Prior to joining ICON, Mr. Steele served in a similar position as the Director of Operations for the Madison Square Garden Training Center in Tarrytown, New York, since July 2002. He opened the building from the construction process and was responsible for the punch list, FF&E, and team transitioning. Once the facility was complete, he was responsible for a \$2 million operating budget, all venue maintenance, capital improvements, construction, and venue-related services.

From 2000 to 2002, Mr. Steele was the Operations Manager and Ice Rink Manager for the Mullins Center at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. During that time, he handled all day-to-day operational issues in the complex with a staff of 300 and an operating budget of \$1 million.

Mr. Steele gained Utah-based experience from 1997 to 2000 while serving as Director of Event Services for the E Center in West Valley City, Utah. He was part of the grand opening team and worked on the punch list, hired new staff, and implemented a new training program. Once the building was operational, he was responsible for staff and planning for the venue's first 200+ shows. In addition to his experience at the E Center, Mr. Steele has experience as Event Coordinator for the Hartford Civic Center and Sector Coordinator for the Boxing Venue for the Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games.

Mr. Steele, who studied Sports Management at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst from 1989 to 1994, his wife Niki, and children Shaylie, Megan and Heather reside in South Jordan, Utah.



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MARCH

SAT 17	NEW YORK RED BULLS	8:00 PM	ABC4
SAT 24	CD CHIVAS USA	7:00 PM	CW30

APRIL

WED 4	MONTREAL IMPACT	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 7	COLORADO RAPIDS	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 28	TORONTO FC	7:00 PM	CW30

MAY

SAT 5	NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 26	FC DALLAS	7:00 PM	CW30

JUNE

WED 20	LOS ANGELES GALAXY	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 23	SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES	7:00 PM	CW30

JULY

WED 4	SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	8:00 PM	CW30
SAT 7	PORTLAND TIMBERS	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 21	COLORADO RAPIDS	8:00 PM	CW30
FRI 27	VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC	7:00 PM	CW30

AUGUST

SAT 18	FC DALLAS	7:00 PM	ABC4
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SEPTEMBER

SAT 1	D.C. UNITED	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 22	PORTLAND TIMBERS	6:00 PM	NBC NET

OCTOBER

SAT 27	VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC	7:00 PM	CW30
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Head Coach



Real Salt Lake Head Coach Jason Kreis traded in his record-setting boots and captain's armband on May 3, 2007 to become the organization's second head coach, overhauling a previously moribund locker room to become just two seasons later the youngest Cup-winning coach in MLS history, guiding RSL to the title in 2009. Under his watch, RSL has also advanced to three of the last four Conference Finals, become the first American side to win a CONCACAF Champions League group and the first U.S. team to advance to the CCL Finals.

With back-to-back 15-win MLS seasons in 2010 and 2011, Kreis' teams have earned points in two out of every three matches they play, as the intense, demanding leader now owns an all-time 72-64-52 mark as a head coach, breaking down as follows: MLS regular-season (57-50-43), CONCACAF Champions League (6-3-3), MLS Cup Playoff (4-4-4), Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup (2-5-1) and international friendlies (3-2-1).

Kreis – who retired as Major League Soccer's all-time leading scorer with 108 career goals on that fateful early May day in 2007 – was honored by the club last Summer in a special Independence Day ceremony following its come-from-behind, short-handed 3-3 draw against the New England Revolution at Rio Tinto Stadium, as the organization retired the iconic jersey #9 worn by the Omaha, Neb., native as a player for the Claret-and-Cobalt from 2005-07.

"As I've said many times in the nearly seven years since he became the face of our franchise, Jason continues to fit the profile of every great leader I have worked with throughout my career," said RSL Founder Dave Checketts. "Not only is he one of the best young coaches in MLS, he's one of the best – period. We are thrilled not just for what he has done to revive, solidify and inspire the RSL family, but to have him continue to blaze new trails for the sport in our community for a very long time."

Despite the unorthodox nature of a number retirement in soccer circles, Checketts was insistent that the ceremony is the appropriate gesture for someone who has contributed so much to Real Salt Lake.

"It will be a great day ... when we officially recognize Jason for his contributions to the Real Salt Lake club," said Checketts. "We understand that retiring a player's number is unprecedented, according to soccer protocol. While we have great respect for the game, we seek to honor an exceptional player and coach for our organization. Jason was the first player signed at Real Salt Lake, he established and broke significant MLS records while wearing our uniform and has provided exceptional leadership both on and off the field. In my mind, no one at RSL should ever wear #9 again."

Kreis became the first player in Real Salt Lake history on November 17, 2004, when the then-nine-year MLS veteran was acquired from FC Dallas in exchange for future considerations. He has the unique distinction of scoring the first-ever goals in two MLS team histories, firing the inaugural strike for both RSL and the Dallas Burn. Interestingly, career strikes #1



and #100 shared a common opponent – the Kansas City Wizards, also the victim of Kreis' lone career MLS hat trick on March 20, 1999. Until the heroics of former RSL striker Robbie Findley in the 2009 home opener, Kreis was the lone RSL player ever to notch three goals in one game, albeit in a 4-6 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup loss at Minnesota in 2005.

Kreis, an American soccer icon and Major League Soccer pioneer, was the first American-born player in MLS history to earn MVP honors (Kreis remains one of just three U.S.-born MVPs in 16 MLS seasons), capturing the 1999 award after leading Dallas in goals (18) and assists (15), a stellar campaign which marked the first-ever "15-15" season in League annals. Coming through in the clutch was a Kreis trademark, with an astounding 31 of his 108 career goals counting as game-winners. Despite being retired for more than four years, the Duke graduate still ranks among the top 20 MLS career leaders in games played (305), starts (282), minutes (25,242), shots (818) and shots on goal (370).

All told, 17 of Kreis' 108 goals were scored for Real Salt Lake, for which the Mandeville (La.) High School star played the final 58 games of his stellar professional career. Goal number 100 came on August 13, 2005, at Rice-Eccles Stadium, celebrated by Kreis' trademark round-off back-flip, making him the first player in MLS to reach the century mark.

Kreis abruptly retired with 108 career goals to his credit, becoming just the eighth person in the history of the five major U.S. sports leagues to serve as a head coach while holding his league's career scoring record (and only the third athlete in the post-World War II era). The first MLS player to break the century mark in goals scored, Mr. Kreis' 108 total goals scored still ranks fifth behind Jeff Cunningham (134), Jaime Moreno (133), Landon Donovan (115) and Ante Razov (114) heading into the 2012 season.

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Kreis became the second head coach in Real Salt Lake history on May 3, 2007, when Checketts tabbed Kreis to seize the reins of Utah's Division I professional soccer team and reverse its on-field misfortunes. The Duke University product was the eleventh ex-MLS player (not including interim stints) to take over a League side, and is currently one of 13 head coaches in the League to make the switch from an MLS pitch to the sideline.

At the time of his hire, Mr. Kreis became the youngest active head coach in MLS at 34 years and 127 days of age. Kreis works closely with former Blue Devil and Dallas Burn teammate and current RSL General Manager Garth Lagerwey regarding player acquisitions, scouting, the MLS Draft and all player personnel-related matters. The Kreis-Lagerwey partnership has resulted in the implementation of a culture where players, staff and fans work as one for the RSL shield, epitomizing a "Team is the Star" attitude. Kreis, Lagerwey and the team's coaching staff – Jeff Cassar, Miles Joseph and C.J. Brown – compose the lone technical staff among MLS' 18 teams comprised entirely of ex-MLS players. This distinction means that the RSL braintrust now boasts cumulative MLS experience of 74,811 total minutes,



covering 923 games and including 128 goals and 22 shutouts [the equivalent of nearly 30 complete seasons of service]. The RSL staff has the unparalleled ability to tap into personal experience as it guides, assists and develops current RSL players.

"Jason has been a massive part of who we are as an organization, both from his days as a player and now as a coach, and he is incredibly worthy of enjoying this honor," said Lagerwey. "As an organization that is still young it is important that we establish traditions, and to have Real Salt Lake be forever associated with Jason Kreis is a fitting place to start."

In 2009, RSL finished the regular season with an 11-12-5 mark, earning the final MLS Cup Playoff spot on the last day of the season with a complete and dominating 3-0 win over rival Colorado. Kreis became the youngest Championship-winning manager in MLS' first 15 years when his Real Salt Lake team won six of its final seven regular-season and postseason games, including a dramatic penalty-kick win over a star-studded Los Angeles team in MLS Cup 2009. Just as in the year before, RSL played its best when the pressure was highest, reeling off four consecutive postseason wins to bring the State of Utah its first major league professional title in nearly 40 years.

The 2010 squad dropped just five games across eight months in all competitions, yet were sent home unceremoniously in the first round of the 2010 MLS Cup Playoffs by finalist FC Dallas – the organization for whom Kreis toiled from 1996-2004. While RSL did not repeat in 2010 – something that has happened just twice in the 16 years of MLS – Kreis' organization and leadership, drive and determination inspired Real Salt Lake (15-4-11, 56 points, Supporters' Shield runners-up) to a nearly unprecedented run, amassing 64 points in 30 games combined – the equivalent of an MLS season – from May 1 to Oct. 19 in both MLS and CCL play, a points haul equal to the 3rd-best run EVER by an MLS team (Los Angeles – 70 pts – Sept. 7, 1997 to Aug. 8, 1998; Los Angeles – 66 pts – June 28, 2009 to June 26, 2010).

Kreis led the 2010 RSL side to become the first-ever MLS team (and one of just three non-Mexican teams) to win a CONCACAF group, posting a 4-1-1 mark and advancing to the final stage in 2011, where RSL succumbed 3-2 on aggregate to Mexican power Monterrey. The former striker's side was also the 2nd highest-scoring team in CONCACAF's group stage, with 17 goals in six games (2.83 goals/game). In MLS play, the following milestones established new league standards, as the 2010 RSL squad set new all-time MLS standards in these categories: fewest goals allowed (20), overall goal differential (+25), total home points (37), fewest home losses (0) and fewest home goals allowed (7). In addition to those league marks, the 2010 edition of the Claret-and-Cobalt set RSL franchise records in wins (15 – equaled in 2011), goals (45), scoring output (1.50/game), points (56), shutouts (15), road points (19) and road goal differential (+1).

"It is imperative that the competitive side of our organization maintain continuity and build off of recent season's success," said RSL President Bill Manning in January, 2011, when announcing the extension of Kreis' contract through the end of 2013 season. "The dedication, work ethic and commitment to excel on the team side have been exemplary under Jason's direction, and I felt it was important to secure the future of our coaching staff before going long into the last year of his current deal. We could not be more pleased as an organization that Jason will continue to guide our team on the field."

Intense and passionate, Mr. Kreis went 6-13-7 (25 points) during the partial 2007 season, enduring an expectedly steep learning curve before steadying his squad to a 4-4-3 finish down the stretch, a sign of things to come. In his first full season at the helm in 2008, Kreis led Real Salt Lake to its first-ever playoff berth on the heels of a 10-10-10 (40 points) regular season, a turnaround for which Kreis was rewarded with a three-year contract extension through the 2011 MLS season. Just days prior to the team's 2011 home opener in late March, Kreis' deal was extended another two seasons, through 2013.

The 2008 campaign reflected the results of an extensive team overhaul, which saw the team mold 21 new faces – added since the final half of the 2007 season – into a competitive unit. The landmark 2008 season under Kreis' direction saw Real Salt Lake open the state-of-the-art Rio Tinto Stadium, dramatically qualify for the MLS Cup Playoffs in the final minute of the year and defeat the higher-seeded Chivas USA in the West Semifinals before ultimately bowing to the New York Red Bulls one step shy of MLS Cup, all resulting in the most successful and competitive campaign in Real Salt Lake's four-season history both on and off the field, prior to the Cup win one year later.

Onwards & Upwards

"Jason is a hard-working, dedicated over-achiever who refuses to accept anything less than maximum effort from everyone around him," said a prescient Checketts back in May, 2007, upon Kreis' move from RSL Captain to Head Coach. "And while we have made great strides thus far under his leadership, I know we are bound for unprecedented heights, and I know that Jason is the right person to help guide our team's ascent."

Kreis, an avid woodworker, oenophile and golfer with a voracious appetite for reading, resides in Park City, Utah, with his wife, Kimberly, and two sons.

"When I was hired nearly five years ago, I stated that it was time for action, that I was embracing a complete and utter challenge, undertaking tremendous responsibility," said Kreis upon inking a contract extension earlier this year. "We have enjoyed some success here now at Real Salt Lake and the entire organization – players, coaches, staff, ownership, management and most importantly, the fans – believes, as I do, that 'The Team is the Star.' Everyone involved in establishing and raising our expectations continues to work towards earning championships, and no one takes that responsibility lightly. I am thrilled to have the opportunity to continue in this great endeavor."



Assistant Coach



Former Major League Soccer goalkeeper Jeff Cassar was added to the Real Salt Lake technical staff on May 24, 2007, exactly three weeks after his former teammate Jason Kreis assumed the head coaching duties for Real Salt Lake.

Under Cassar and the entire RSL Technical Staff, goalkeeping and defensive performances at Real Salt Lake have established new standards for Major League Soccer. The 2010 season was a record-setting campaign, as the RSL goalkeeping contingent of Nick Rimando and Kyle Reynish allowed just 20 goals across 30 league games – surpassing the previous low of 23 (Houston, 2007) – and RSL conceded only 7 goals at home in 15 regular-season matches. Rimando was recognized as an MLS All-Star for his work with Cassar, and was one of three finalists for 2010 MLS Goalkeeper of the Year. Reynish shone well for a young player in his limited Open Cup, regular-season and CONCACAF action spelling Rimando, a testament to the manner in which Cassar's experience deftly guides netminders at various career stages.

Mr. Cassar, 38, has been involved in Major League Soccer since the league's inception in 1996, spending 11 seasons between the posts for three squads from 1996-2006 before retiring to become FC Dallas's goalkeeper coach in January 2007. During his career with Dallas (1996-97, 2003-06), Miami Fusion FC (1998-2001), and the MetroStars (2002), Cassar made 79 appearances (76 starts), posting a 1.76 goals against average, a 28-36-10 record, and recording 13 shutouts. Prior to his entry into the college and professional ranks, the Michigan native appeared numerous times for the U.S. U-18, U-20, and Olympic National Team programs.

Mr. Cassar also appeared in five MLS Cup Playoff contests while with the Fusion and helped a pair of squads – the 2000 Fusion and 2005 FC Dallas teams – reach the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup Final. In addition to his MLS experience, Mr. Cassar also spent time with English sides Ipswich Town and Bolton Wanderers following the 2002 season before returning to Dallas in the summer of 2003.

In addition to sharing Florida International University alumnus status with another prominent Utah sporting personality, Utah Jazz guard Raja Bell, Mr. Cassar is also intimately linked to several Real Salt Lake performers, both past and present. On top of his Kreis connections, Mr. Cassar competed for playing time in Miami with current RSL General Manager Garth Lagerwey as well as current RSL goalkeeper Nick Rimando. During his second stint with Dallas, Mr. Cassar would become teammates with former RSL netminders D.J. Countess and later, Scott Garlick.

Mr. Cassar resides with his wife, Jennifer, in Sandy, UT, and has three children – daughters Sloan and Dylan and son Luke.



Assistant Coach



Now entering his third season as a member of the Real Salt Lake technical staff, former MLS player Miles Joseph has been a part of 38 wins across all competitions the last two years, kicking off his coaching career with a number of milestones in Real Salt Lake's history-making 2010 campaign. Fans saw an RSL team set innumerable team records and set various League marks under the tutelage of Joseph and the RSL Technical Staff, including a new mark for goal difference (+25) in the non-shootout era. Last year, RSL became the first U.S./Canadian team to advance to the CONCACAF Champions League Final, dropping a 2-3 aggregate scoreline to Monterrey (Mex.).

Mr. Joseph, a native of Clifton, N.Y., played in six MLS seasons from 1996-2001 for the (NY/NJ) MetroStars, Columbus Crew and Dallas Burn. Joseph scored 12 career goals in 125 total games for the teams, and was a teammate of current RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis during the 2001 campaign in Dallas.

Joseph earned All-America honors at Clemson University – where he was named to the Atlantic Coast Conference 50th Anniversary Team – before being drafted with the 12th overall pick in the 1996 MLS College Draft by the MetroStars. A standout on the United States U-18 and U-20 Men's National Teams, Joseph was selected for the roster of the U.S. team at the 1993 U-20 World Cup held in Australia, scoring a goal in the 6-0 victory over Turkey. The U.S. went 1-1-1 in group play, qualifying for the second round where it fell to Brazil.

In 1996, U.S. coach Bruce Arena named Joseph to that year's U.S. Men's Olympic Team, participating in the Atlanta Summer Games. Once again, the team went 1-1-1, but this time failed to make the second round. Joseph earned his first cap with the full U.S. National Team when he came on for Cobi Jones in the 89th minute of a 3-1 win over El Salvador on August 30, 1996. In addition to having been coached by National Soccer Hall of Fame manager Arena, Joseph has also gained knowledge and experience while playing for international luminaries Fabio Capello (the current England National Team coach oversaw Joseph's trial with AC Milan in 1997), Carlos Quieroz (current Portugal National Team Coach), Carlos Alberto Parreira (former Brazil National Team Coach) and Bora Milutinovic (Bora coached five different National Teams), each of whom managed the MetroStars during Joseph's MLS career.

Since 2003, Joseph, 37, had been the Technical Director and Director of Coaching for the Players Soccer Academy. Joseph also concurrently served as Executive Director of NY Elite FC, located in his hometown of Clifton Park, N.Y., a club that is presently composed of 25 elite boys and girls teams. Prior to those positions, Joseph served as an Assistant Coach on the Siena College women's program. During his Shenendehowa High School career, Joseph won three N.Y. state championships, and was named the Gatorade H.S. Player of the Year while earning All-America honors.

Joseph and his wife Leann live in Park City with their two children.



Assistant Coach



Another former Major League Soccer standout, defender C.J. Brown, was added to the Real Salt Lake technical staff on January 18, 2011, filling the vacancy left when Robin Fraser assumed the head coaching duties at Chivas USA. When Real Salt Lake visits Brown's former Chicago home on May 9, 2012, the current RSL assistant will be inducted into the Chicago MLS club's "Ring of Fire," honoring C.J. for his enormous contributions to the organization, on and off the field.

Brown's addition to the Real Salt Lake staff allows the 2009 MLS Cup champion-ship side to keep its distinction as the lone Technical Staff across the now 18-team League comprised solely of MLS alumni, joining RSL GM Garth Lagerwey, Head Coach Jason Kreis, and fellow assistant coaches Jeff Cassar and Miles Joseph. The five-man RSL braintrust now boasts cumulative MLS playing experience (regular season and playoffs) of 74,811 total minutes – spanning 923 games across 47 seasons – and eight domestic championships [one MLS Cup and seven Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cups], giving the staff the unparalleled ability to tap into personal experience as it guides, assists and develops the current RSL roster.

Brown, 36, retired from the playing field in October, 2010, after 13 seasons as one of the most respected and consistent center backs in MLS history, compiling nearly 300 regular season appearances as a member of the Chicago Fire from 1998-2010. Known as one of the League's most dependable and cerebral defenders, his 296 games played (T-13th); 290 starts (T-7th); and 25,738 minutes played (8th) all rank towards the top of the MLS record books – and are indeed atop the Fire's career charts.



The last remaining "Fire Original" from the team's 1998 inaugural campaign also played an integral part in all five of the Chicago's domestic championships, as Brown helped lead the "Men in Red" to the 1998 MLS Cup and four Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup titles (1998, 2000, 2003, and 2006), in addition to a spot in the 2003 MLS Cup final. The 2001 MLS All-Star would also finish his career among the League's top 10 with 35 MLS Cup Playoff starts (T-5th) in as many appearances (T-7th).

Upon finishing his collegiate career at San Jose State, the Bay Area native stayed close to home to begin his road to a professional career with the USISL's San Francisco Bay Seals, playing the first two of his three years with the side as an amateur. A run to the U.S. Open Cup Semifinals in 1997 by the Bay Seals would serve as Brown's coming out party to MLS, and the then-expansion Fire would take the talented center back with the first selection in the 1998 Supplemental Draft. In addition to his standout MLS career, Brown would catch the attention of the U.S. National Team program, making 15 "caps" for the Red, White & Blue's senior squad between 1998 and 2003.

Brown is no stranger to the coaching ranks, with stints as the Assistant Director of Coaching for the Chicago Fire Juniors and the Director of Coaching for the Elmhurst (Ill.) Elite youth clubs counting among the several youth coaching positions he held since beginning his professional career in 1998. Brown has already acquired his National "B" License for coaching from the United States Soccer Federation and is planning on beginning to work towards the USSF "A" License in the next 12-18 months.

The Hayward, Calif., native has relocated his family to the Wasatch Front, consisting of his wife, Kim – whom he married one day after winning the U.S. Open Cup title in October 2000 – and two daughters, Canessa (7) and Kali (6).



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Strength and Conditioning Coach



Dan Barlow is the longest-tenured member of the RSL Technical Staff, hired two months prior to current Head Coach Jason Kreis as the team's Strength and Conditioning Coach, returning for his sixth season in 2011. Barlow has transformed RSL into one of the fittest clubs in MLS, taking advantage of the home venue's altitude and managing player fitness under the demands of the long domestic season and grueling international travel.

Under Barlow's evolving technique and guidance, RSL players see their fitness routines and nutritional intakes constantly monitored, even during the brief offseason between campaigns. In season, weights, resistance and aerobic programs are installed to ensure peak performance during the long and often arduous MLS season, which usually sees RSL also competing in concurrent tournaments, such as CONCACAF Champions League and Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup.

Mr. Barlow's decade of expertise includes the development of training and conditioning programs for professional athletes and teams, in addition to designing college, corporate, and in-home fitness facilities. Prior to his consultation services, Mr. Barlow spent three years as a Strength and Conditioning Coach at the Univ. of Maryland, where he worked with a wide variety of athletes, and three years as the Terrapins' Graduate Assistant for Fitness.

Mr. Barlow earned his Masters degree in Exercise Physiology at the Univ. of Maryland, one of the Nation's Top 10 Kinesiology programs, and also holds a Bachelors degree in Psychology from Bethany College. Barlow and his wife, Laura, recently celebrated their daughter Lily's first birthday and resides with personable dog Milo in Cottonwood Heights.



TECHNICAL STAFF



Elliot Fall
Team Administrator

Elliot Fall assumed new duties in 2010 for Real Salt Lake, overseeing and executing all logistics surrounding the team, including training and travel schedule, road accommodations and various front office interactions for the technical staff and players. These duties continue in 2012 for Fall, his third campaign as the squad's Team Administrator after working in the RSL Communications department from 2007-09. A native of Salt Lake City, the ebullient Fall attended both Judge Memorial High School and the University of Utah. Bringing a veritable cornucopia of talents to the job every day - including a quick wit, a font of pop-culture knowledge and an affinity for video editing - Fall's enthusiastic attitude and willingness to do whatever it takes for the team make him an invaluable asset to both Real Salt Lake and Rio Tinto Stadium.

Fall is (shocking!) no longer single and resides in Salt Lake City, Utah.



Tyson Pace
Head Athletic Trainer

Tyson Pace enters his second full season as Real Salt Lake's Head Athletic Trainer following a pair of full-time seasons as the squad's Assistant Athletic Trainer via partnership with Sports Med Utah and the Salt Lake Regional Medical Center. After working with the squad on a part-time basis throughout 2008, the bilingual Pace was quickly embraced inside the locker room as a key figure regarding the team's daily fitness, weight-training and recovery routines, in an effort to keep each player in optimal shape to perform at their very best throughout the grueling MLS season.

Mr. Pace received his Bachelor's degree in Athletic Training from the University of Utah, and continued his studies at the U of U to receive a Master's degree in Sports Psychology. Prior to his stint with Real Salt Lake, Pace spent five years as a Certified Athletic Trainer at the NCAA Division I level with the Utes football and baseball programs. Pace and his wife Amy reside in Clearfield, UT, with their two daughters, Taya and Shaylee.



Kevin Christen
Assistant Athletic Trainer

Kevin Christen joined Real Salt Lake as a new staff member last season, where he worked closely with players, doctors, coaches and other medical staff to provide all the medical care and rehabilitation services they require. The South Jordan, UT, native joined RSL from United States Speedskating, where he worked as Head Athletic Trainer for the National Short Track Team. Christen also worked with various teams and institutions through Sports Med Utah, including Odyssey Dance Company and surrounding dance companies. Certified as an ATC in 2008, Christen earned a Masters in Sports Medicine from University of Utah, focusing on the Utes Baseball Team. Mr. Christen was married in September of 2002 to his wife Brooke and the couple currently resides in South Jordan, Utah, with their two daughters Ella Grace and Lola Faith.



Mike Fratto
Equipment Manager

Mike Fratto kicks off the 2012 season in a new, larger capacity with Real Salt Lake, assuming daily equipment-related duties for the team after working with Real Salt Lake since the 2006 season as the team's massage therapist. The meticulous Fratto graduated from the Professional Massage Therapy Program at the Salt Lake Campus of the Utah College of Massage Therapy Family of Schools in June of 1999, coming to UCMT after having sustained an injury to his back while training for a soccer team. Knowing that he would no longer be able to play at the same level previous to his injury, Mike decided to focus his energy on the healing aspect of massage and sports injury and enrolled in the program. Upon graduating, Mike began his career in the massage industry working with the NORBA Mountain Bike Racing Team that summer. By the fall of that same year he had a position with the Utah Blitz, RSL's predecessor.



Dr. Andrew D. Cooper
Head Team Physician

Orthopedic Surgeon Fellowship trained in Sports Medicine, Knee and Shoulder Surgery, Board Certified in Orthopedic Surgery by the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgery. Dr. Andrew Cooper moved back to Salt Lake City in 2005 after completing a fellowship in Sports Medicine, Knee and Shoulder Surgery at the Steadman Hawkins Clinic in Denver Colorado. While in fellowship Dr. Cooper was involved with the care of high school, collegiate and professional athletes including the Denver Broncos and Colorado Rockies. Currently he is the head team physician for the Real Salt Lake MLS soccer team, the Utah Blaze of the Arena Football League, and Westminster College. Dr. Cooper is also the Medical Director of the Sports Medicine Center of Utah and the Solitude ski patrol and Medical Clinic. In addition he has worked closely with Ballet West, US Ski and Snowboard teams, US Soccer U-17 national team and US Rugby.

Dr. Cooper grew up in Salt Lake City graduating from Skyline High School and receiving a BS in Biology at the University of Utah. After college he attended the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston, SC graduating in the top of his class and earning multiple academic scholarships and awards including membership in AOA. He then completed an Orthopedic Surgery Residency at the University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City, KS followed by a fellowship in Sports Medicine at the Steadman Hawkins Clinic in Denver, CO.

While in residency and fellowship, Dr. Cooper was active in research including arthroscopic treatment for degenerative knee disorders, arthroscopic repair of rotator cuff tears, postoperative pain management following ACL reconstruction and a new technique for the treatment of shoulder separations and AC reconstruction. Today, he continues to pursue research interest in sports medicine and arthroscopic techniques.

When not treating athletes and spending time with his family, Dr. Cooper has competed in over 50 triathlons including 6 Ironmans, multiple marathons qualifying for Boston in 2001 and 2008. He is also an avid outdoorsman enjoying skiing, hunting, fishing, and backpacking in the remote wilderness.



Dr. Joseph Albano
Head Team Physician

Dr. Albano received his medical degree from SUNY Health Science Center in Syracuse, New York. Following medical school, he completed a general surgery internship at Wright-Patterson AFB/Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio, as well as a family practice residency at the University of Utah and a sports medicine fellowship at Michigan State University. Dr. Albano's particular interest is in non-surgical treatment of some common tendon, cartilage and nerve problems, such as lateral epicondylitis, plantar fasciitis, patellar tendinitis, achilles tendinitis, rotator cuff tears, arthritis, and carpal and cubital tunnel syndromes. To assist in the diagnosis, musculoskeletal ultrasound is often used. For the treatment, various Regenerative Medicine applications may be employed, including Platelet Rich Plasma, which has been successful for many patients over the past two years. He has taught at national courses on the use of musculoskeletal ultrasound for diagnostic and needle-guided purposes, and also for the use of Platelet Rich Plasma.

Dr. Albano likes to participate in numerous athletic pursuits including ultra marathons, hockey, skiing, cycling and chasing his 2 boys. He really enjoys helping athletes get back to the activities they enjoy.



Head Scout



After plying his trade in Major League Soccer for the last 14 seasons, former Real Salt Lake midfielder Andy Williams announced his retirement from professional soccer on Dec. 6, 2011, marking the end of an era for the last remaining on-field "RSL Original" from the Utah side's 2005 inaugural season. While the 34-year-old Williams will no longer suit up in the team's familiar Claret-and-Cobalt colors on the field, the RSL fan-favorite will remain with the club after accepting the "Head Scout" position on the team's Technical Staff.

"I wouldn't change [my time with RSL] for the world, and I'm glad I came to Salt Lake City, as my family and I have been able to call the area home," said an emotional Williams. "I'm excited about the opportunity the front office has given me by allowing me to continue to be a part of RSL. I think I've got a lot to offer off the field and I look forward to helping bring in players that will make our team better and hopefully provide some more championship rings. The transition will be a learning opportunity for me, but I couldn't be happier to do it on behalf of the team, fans and city that I love. I'm going to take this new endeavor and put all of my heart into it, just like I did on the field."

Williams ended his playing days as Real Salt Lake's regular season career leader in games played (189), shots (232) and fouls suffered (269), while placing second in club annals in assists (29), games started (122), minutes played (11,536), shots on goal (83) and corner kicks (225). In addition, Williams appeared in all 12 of RSL's MLS Cup Playoff appearances since 2008, including the 2009 MLS Cup Final against the LA Galaxy, when he gamely went the full 120 minutes in helping the Utah side register a 1-1 draw through regulation and overtime, an effort that eventually ended with RSL gaining the first professional sports title for a team from Utah in nearly 40 years. Williams was one of the first players to join Real Salt Lake after the Utah side claimed him from the Chicago Fire in the 2004 MLS Expansion Draft on Nov. 19, 2004, just two days after current Head Coach Jason Kreis became the squad's first player signing.

"Andy Williams has been an integral member of Real Salt Lake since the club's inception, an important player and a critical leader on and off the field, an integral part of the changing of the culture of our club and, most importantly, a terrific personal friend and family member of RSL," said Kreis. "While it is always disheartening to see the playing career of someone you truly care about come to an end, I can honestly say that I am pleased it has come to an end wearing the RSL colors, and that he has chosen to stay with this club as we look to strengthen our squad and reload during a challenging offseason. There is no doubt that we at RSL have lost one of the all-time greats on the field today, but I truly feel we may have gained someone that can contribute in an even more significant fashion now off it."

After becoming one of the most prolific scorers in NCAA history (52 goals & 45 assists) while at the University of Rhode Island, Williams began his MLS career in 1998 with the Columbus Crew, coming back from his stint with the Jamaican National Team at the FIFA World Cup in France to register 12 assists in only 13 appearances to end the regular season. Despite produc-

ing at every stop, Williams would bounce around to five different MLS sides in his first seven seasons in the league – Columbus (1998-99), Miami Fusion FC (2000), New England Revolution (2001-02), MetroStars (2002) and Chicago Fire (2003-2004) – before ending his nomadic days by landing with Real Salt Lake.

“We would like to thank Andy for all of his commitment and service on behalf of Real Salt Lake,” said RSL General Manager Garth Lagerwey. “There is good reason why he is recognized as arguably the most memorable player in our franchise’s history, and we are honored that he has chosen to accept our invitation to stay on and join our Technical Staff. Leaving the playing field is never an easy decision, but Andy is a gifted person who will continue to help RSL off the field just as he led us on the field for the past seven years.”

Williams finishes his MLS career amongst the league’s best in a number of regular season categories, with his final numbers including 332 appearances (6th all-time); 86 assists (8th), 680 fouls suffered (2nd); 231 starts (T-32nd); 21,698 minutes played (28th); 30 goals and 441 corner kicks (10th). In addition to his MLS Cup title with Real Salt Lake in 2009, Williams also claimed hardware with Chicago by helping the Fire win the 2003 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup title, one of his record-tying five LHSOC Finals appearances in the tournament’s professional era (1998, 2000, 2001, 2003 & 2004). The veteran midfielder also played a vital role in helping RSL set new league benchmarks during the 2010-11 CONCACAF Champions League, scoring a goal and tallying a team-high seven assists in 11 appearances en route to the Utah side becoming the first MLS club to win its group and advance to the Semifinal and Final rounds of the regional club championship.

“It has been night and day since my first seasons in Utah. When we came into the league we were not winning a lot of games, but we always had our fans at Rice-Eccles; they came and supported us from the get-go,” continued Williams. “I’m happy we stuck in there and came away with a championship to reward both our efforts on the field and the fans’ efforts as well. You will always go through good times and bad, and I’m happy that I was able to end my career at Real Salt Lake, and with a championship ring.”

In addition to his standout league career, Williams was also a long-time contributor to the Jamaican Men’s National Team, scoring 15 goals in 93 appearances on behalf of the “Reggae Boyz” from 1998-2010. After making his senior international debut at the age of 20 during the 1998 FIFA World Cup, Williams was a regular for Jamaica in CONCACAF region World Cup Qualifying contests and the Reggae Boyz’ CONCACAF Gold Cup appearances in 2000, 2003 & 2005.



2012 STORIES TO WATCH

Real Salt Lake enters the 2012 Major League Soccer campaign - the team's eighth - on the heels of two very different 15-win seasons, seeking to overcome a rampant injury bug that has spilled into this year from last and hoist various iterations of available hardware, in chronological order - the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup, MLS Supporters Shield and MLS Cup.

The 2012 calendar also offers Jason Kreis' team a return to CONCACAF Champions League action, as one of four U.S.-based sides which enter the continental tourney in a revamped group-stage setup. This time around, RSL must repeat its 2010 feat as the first-ever American group winner in order to advance to the championship round, and must do so in only four contests this fall, with eight groups of 3 teams each in a round-robin, home-and-home format competing for the group title. The four U.S. teams will be separated from the four from Mexico; the draw takes place on or around June 1.

Back for 2012 are 10 players who have been part of the Lagerwey/Kreis "Team is the Star" ethos since 2008 or earlier, as GK Nick Rimando, GK Kyle Reynish, DF Chris Wingert, MF Kyle Beckerman, MF Javier Morales and FW Fabian Espindola each arrived on the Wasatch Front in 2007, joined a year later by DF Tony Beltran, DF Nat Borchers, DF Jamison Olave and MF Will Johnson. This group of 10 represents the longest-tenured "core" in MLS history, surpassing the eight New England Revolution teammates who spent the five 2003-2007 seasons together.

While proud of winning MLS Cup 2009 and advancing to three Conference Finals in the last four seasons, as well as galvanizing the soccer community in the U.S. and Canada with last Spring's history-making run to the 2010/11 CONCACAF Champions League Final, Real Salt Lake's players, coaches, staff and fans know that this group probably needs additional hardware to be remembered as one of the elite groups in MLS' first two decades. The team's consistently attractive possession game and record-setting offensive and defensive prowess on display the last two seasons is expected to continue in 2012, with the veteran group beginning to pass the torch to several solid young contributors, with the ultimate goal in the next 18 months making deep Open Cup, Supporters Shield and MLS Cup runs, along with taking the extra step in CONCACAF and advancing to the FIFA Club World Cup in Morocco in 2013.

Since Rio Tinto Stadium became the seventh Major League Soccer sports and entertainment venue to open since Columbus Crew Stadium in 1999 - joining The Home Depot Center, 2003 (Carson, Calif.); Pizza Hut Park, 2005 (Frisco, Tex.); Toyota Park, 2006 (Bridgeview, Ill.); Dick's Sporting Goods Park (Commerce City, Col.) and BMO Field (Toronto) in 2007 - Real Salt Lake has enjoyed a dominant home-field advantage, losing just 7 of 72 home games in the venue's history and setting a new MLS mark for consecutive unbeaten matches (29). Four new team-operated buildings have opened doors since "The Riot" three full seasons ago: Red Bull Arena (New York) and PPL Park (Philadelphia) in 2010, LIVESTRONG Park (Sporting Kansas City) and JELD-Wen Field (Portland) last season. In 2012, Houston Dynamo indoctrinates its long-awaited home, BBVA Compass Stadium, while the expansion Montreal Impact - MLS' 19th team - will open its proprietary home mid-season.

Stories to watch this year include:

CONCACAF Champions League

- Can RSL once again advance out of group stage as it did in 2010?
- How will new group format affect qualifying?
- Lessons learned from heartbreak in last April's final vs Monterrey

Rio Tinto Stadium

- Can RSL re-establish dominance of once-impenetrable fortress?
- Developing and defending home-field advantage in intimate building at altitude
- Use as a competitive recruiting and retention tool for Coach Kreis

Competitive Roster Core

- Most of roster locked up long-term; how long is window open?
- 2014 FIFA WCQ for Beckerman, Rimando, Saborio & Johnson
- Beckerman's flawless Rocky Mountain Cup record - 7 years running
- RSL's Iron Men - Borchers, Johnson, Rimando, Wingert (playing tons of minutes)
- Introduction of young depth - how will they respond?
- Veteran mentorship of new faces in largest introduction of fresh blood to side since 2007 offseason

Other Competitions

- Can coach C.J. Brown provide Open Cup road map?

Maturation of RSL Technical Staff

- Lessons learned in past 5 seasons



2012 PRESEASON ROSTER

Real Salt Lake Preseason Roster (As Of February 24, 2012)

#	PLAYER	POS.	HT.	WT.	BIRTHDATE	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	STATUS
14	Yordany Alvarez	MF	5-10	165	05/24/1985	Cienfuegos, Cuba	--	
27	Cody Arnoux	FW	5-10	170	04/13/1988	Wilmington, NC	Wake Forest	
5	Kyle Beckerman	MF	5-11	165	04/23/1982	Crofton, MD	--	
2	Tony Beltran	DF	5-8	150	10/11/1987	Claremont, CA	UCLA	
12	Emiliano Bonfigli	FW	5-10	148	04/15/1988	Bahia Blanca, Arg.	--	Int'l
6	Nat Borchers	DF	6-2	175	04/13/1981	Pueblo, CO	Denver	
33	Leone Cruz	DF	6-1	170	06/13/1987	Round Rock, TX	Southern Methodist	
3	Diogo de Almeida	DF	6-0	175	01/02/1989	Piracicaba, Brazil	Southern Methodist	Int'l
7	Fabian Espindola	FW	5-9	160	05/04/1985	Buenos Aires, Argentina	--	Int'l
1	Lalo Fernandez	GK	6-3	170	12/16/1992	El Paso, TX	--	Home Grown
21	Luis Gil	MF	5-8	150	11/14/1993	Garden Grove, CA	--	Gen. adidas
20	Ned Grabavoy	MF	5-7	150	07/01/1983	New Lenox, IL	Indiana	
8	Will Johnson	MF	5-10	155	01/21/1987	Woodridge, IL	--	
40	Lance Laing	DF	6-0	175	02/28/1988	Trelawny, Jamaica	--	Int'l
19	Enzo Martinez	MF	5-7	160	09/29/1990	Rock Hill, SC	North Carolina	Gen. adidas/Int'l
11	Javier Morales	MF	5-9	165	01/10/1980	Buenos Aires, Arg.	--	Int'l
16	Nico Muñoz	MF	5-10	155	10/18/1992	Albuquerque, NM	--	Home Grown
4	Jamison Olave	DF	6-3	210	04/21/1981	Medellin, Colombia	--	
23	Paulo Junior	FW	5-7	158	01/23/1989	Teresina, Brazil	--	Int'l
24	Kyle Reynish	GK	6-3	190	11/03/1983	Valencia, CA	UC Santa Barbara	
18	Nick Rimando	GK	5-9	185	06/17/1979	Montclair, CA	UCLA	
15	Álvaro Saborio	FW	6-0	170	03/25/1982	San Carlos, Costa Rica	--	D.P./Int'l
28	Chris Schuler	DF	6-4	185	09/06/1987	Aurora, IL	Creighton	
22	Jonny Steele	MF	6-0	180	02/07/1986	Larne, N. Ireland	--	Int'l
53	Terukazu Tanaka	DF	5-8	150	07/14/1985	Ibaraki, Japan	--	Int'l
26	Sebastian Velasquez	MF	5-7	140	02/11/1991	Greenville, SC	Spartanburg Methodist	
17	Chris Wingert	DF	5-11	170	06/16/1982	Babylon, NY	St. John's	

Real Salt Lake Preseason Numeric Roster And Pronunciation Guide

#	PLAYER	POS.	PRONUNCIATION	PLACE OF BIRTH	LAST CLUB
1	Lalo Fernandez	GK	LAW-lo	Guadalajara, Mexico	C.A. Peñarol (Uruguayan 1st Div.)
2	Tony Beltran	DF		Whittier, CA	UCLA
3	Diogo de Almeida	DF	dee-OH-go day al-MAY-day	Piracicaba, Brazil	Southern Methodist University
4	Jamison Olave	DF	HA-meh-son oh-LAH-vay	Medellin, Colombia	Deportivo Cali (Colombian 1st Div.)
5	Kyle Beckerman	MF		Crofton, MD	Colorado Rapids (MLS)
6	Nat Borchers	DF		Tucson, AZ	Odd Grenland (Norwegian 1st Div.)
7	Fabian Espindola	FW	es-PEEN-doh-lah	Buenos Aires, Arg.	Anzoategui (Venezuelan 1st Div.)
8	Will Johnson	MF		Toronto, Canada	De Graafschap (Dutch 1st Div.)
11	Javier Morales	MF		Buenos Aires, Arg.	Vecindario (Spanish 2nd Div.)
12	Emiliano Bonfigli	FW	bon-FEEG-lee	Bahia Blanca, Arg.	Manta FC (Ecuadoran 1st Div.)
14	Yordany Alvarez	MF	jhor-DON-ee	Cienfuegos, Cuba	Orlando City S.C. (USL PRO)
15	Álvaro Saborio	FW	sah-bo-REE-oh	San Carlos, Costa Rica	Bristol City FC (English 2nd Div.)
16	Nico Muñoz	MF	moon-YEEZ	Albuquerque, NM	RSL-Arizona Academy U-18s (USSDA)
17	Chris Wingert	DF		Babylon, NY	Colorado Rapids (MLS)
18	Nick Rimando	GK	ruh-MAHN-do	Montclair, CA	New York Red Bulls (MLS)
19	Enzo Martinez	MF		Montevideo, Uruguay	University of North Carolina
20	Ned Grabavoy	MF		Joliet, IL	San Jose Earthquakes (MLS)
21	Luis Gil	MF	GILL	Garden Grove, CA	AC St. Louis (USFF II)
22	Jonny Steele	MF		Larne, N. Ireland	Carolina Railhawks (NASL)
23	Paulo Junior	FW		Teresina, Brazil	Miami FC (USFF II)
24	Kyle Reynish	GK	RAY-nish	Valencia, CA	UC Santa Barbara
26	Sebastian Velasquez	MF		Medellin, Colombia	Spartanburg Methodist CC
27	Cody Arnoux	FW	are - KNOW	Stony Brook, NY	Vancouver Whitecaps (USFF II)
28	Chris Schuler	DF		St. Louis, MO	Creighton University
33	Leone Cruz	DF	lee-OH-knee	Hammond, IN	Seattle Sounders FC (MLS)
40	Lance Laing	DF	LANG	Trelawny, Jamaica	Ft. Lauderdale Strikers (NASL)
53	Terukazu Tanaka	DF	tare-oo-kahz-oo	Ibaraki, Japan	Sagan Tosu (Japanese 2nd Div.)

President: Bill Manning (Massapequa, NY)

General Manager: Garth Lagerwey (Eltmhurst, IL)

Head Coach: Jason Kreis (Omaha, NE)

Assistant Coach: Jeff Cassar (Livonia, MI)

Assistant Coach: Miles Joseph (Clifton Park, NY)

Assistant Coach: C.J. Brown (Hayward, CA)

Strength & Conditioning Coach: Dan Barlow (College Park, MD)

Team Administrator: Elliot Fall (Salt Lake City, UT)

Equipment Manager: Michael Fratto (Salt Lake City, UT)

Head Athletic Trainer: Tyson Pace (Clearfield, UT)

Asst. Athletic Trainer: Kevin Christen (South Jordan, UT)

Team Physicians: Dr. Andrew Cooper (Salt Lake City, UT), Dr. Joe Albano (Syracuse, NY), Dr. Chris Gay (The Dalles, OR) & Dr. John Edwards (Provo, UT)

Primary Hospital: Salt Lake Regional Medical Center

Team Chiropractor: Monte Layton, D.C. (Midvale, UT)

Team Chaplain: John Prim (Cottonwood Heights, UT)

Press Officers: Trey Fitz-Gerald (Albuquerque, NM)
John Koluder (Chicago, IL)



TEAM HEADSHOTS



#2 Tony Beltran
Defender



#3 Diogo de Almeida
Defender



#20 Ned Grabavoy
Midfielder



C.J. Brown
Assistant Coach



#5 Kyle Beckerman
Midfielder - CAPTAIN



#33 Leone Cruz
Defender



#21 Luis Gil
Midfielder



Miles Joseph
Assistant Coach



#27 Cody Arnaud
Forward



#6 Nat Borchers
Defender



#1 Lalo Fernandez
Goalkeeper



Jeff Cassar
Assistant Coach



#14 Yordany Alvarez
Midfielder



#12 Emiliano Bonfigli
Forward



#7 Fabian Espindola
Forward



Jason Kreis
Head Coach



#11 Javier Morales
Midfielder



#24 Kyle Reynish
Goalkeeper



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Midfielder



#17 Chris Wingert
Defender



#19 Enzo Martinez
Midfielder



#23 Paulo Junior
Forward



#28 Chris Schuler
Defender



#26 Sebastian Velasquez
Midfielder



#40 Lance Laing
Defender



#4 Jamison Olave
Defender



#15 Álvaro Saborío
Forward



#53 Terukazu Tanaka
Defender



#8 Will Johnson
Midfielder



#16 Nico Muñiz
Midfielder



#18 Nick Rimando
Goalkeeper



Dan Barlow
Strength & Conditioning Coach





HEIGHT: 5'10"

WEIGHT: 165

BORN: May 24, 1985 in Cienfuegos, Cuba

HOMETOWN: Cienfuegos, Cuba

CITIZENSHIP: Cuba

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 2nd Season (2011)

LAST CLUB: Orlando City S.C. (USL PRO) (2011)

ACQUIRED: Acquired via loan deal with Orlando City S.C. (USL PRO) on 9/15/11; Signed new three-year contract on 2/09/12

When it came to taking advantage of an opportunity in 2011, nobody did it better than midfielder Yordany Alvarez, who parlayed his USL PRO League MVP performance for Orlando City S.C. into a quasi-starting gig last September shortly after joining Real Salt Lake on loan at the roster freeze deadline. The one-time Cuban international provided quality cover for Kyle Beckerman, whose suspensions and U.S. MNT call-ups across the last quarter of the season forced Alvarez onto the field for five contests.

The 26-year-old performed well enough during the impromptu "trial by fire" that RSL sought to secure his services on a more permanent basis, and the Utah side did just that in February by coming to buyout terms with Orlando and locking up the holding midfielder via a new three-year deal. With Beckerman again slated to pull double-duty for club and country during much of 2012, fans can expect to see Alvarez back in the Starting XI mix on many more occasions.

MLS CAREER

2012: Came to terms with Real Salt Lake on a three-year contract after expiration of loan agreement from USL PRO side Orlando City S.C., keeping Alvarez in Claret-and-Cobalt through the end of the 2014 campaign ... Acquired United States Green Card during the offseason, thus will no longer occupy one of the squad's International Player slots.

2011: Acquired for the remainder of the season by RSL on 9/15 via a loan deal with Orlando City SC on the MLS roster freeze deadline date ... Stepped in to play five regular season contests (four starts) – in place of captain Kyle Beckerman at the holding midfield spot ... Also featured in the first XI in all four appearances in MLS Reserve League play across Sept. and Oct. ... Made his RSL debut in the first XI six days after signing on 9/21 @ NY, going the distance in a thorough 3-1 triumph at Red Bull Arena ... Played 75 min. off the bench on 9/28 v. CHI, filling in for an ejected Beckerman in RSL's 0-3 home defeat ... Also provided cover for the RSL captain during his three-game suspension, covering 10/1 @ LA (1-2 L), 10/14 @ COL (0-0 T) and 10/22 v. POR (1-1 T) affairs ... Political asylum status prevented him from joining RSL north of the border for its 10/06 @ VAN contest (0-3 L) ... Made MLS Cup Playoffs debut on 11/02 @ SEA, his 76th minute inclusion helping RSL hold down the fort at the end of a 0-2 loss in the 2nd leg of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series, allowing the Utahns to advance over Sounders FC 3-2 on aggregate.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2011 – ORLANDO CITY S.C. (USL PRO): Moved with his former club (Austin Aztex) when the team was purchased by new owners and moved to Orlando, where they competed in the United Soccer Leagues Professional Division (USL PRO)

for the 2011 season ... Was named the USL PRO Most Valuable Player for his contributions in 2011, which included three goals in his 25 overall appearances (24 starts) between regular season, playoff and U.S. Open Cup play ... Helped Orlando City to the league's top regular season record (15-3-6, 51 pts.) and the USL PRO title ... After playing all 120 minutes of regulation and overtime of the USL PRO Championship on 9/03 v. Harrisburg City Islanders (2-2 T), converted Orlando City's second PK during their 3-2 penalty shootout triumph at the Citrus Bowl ... Opened his 2011 goal-scoring account in a 3-0 victory on 4/09 v. New York ... Scored a stoppage-time equalizer from distance on 6/28 @ FC Dallas in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup Third Round, only to see his squad allow another shortly after in a heart-breaking 2-3 defeat at Pizza Hut Park ... Scored what would prove to be the game-winning goal on 8/06 v. Charleston Battery (2-1 W).

2009-10 – AUSTIN AZTEX (USL FIRST DIVISION): Made 41 appearances for the Aztex during the squad's two seasons in Austin ... After failing to latch on to an MLS club the previous season, attended open tryouts for the the Aztex in California in March 2009, impressing enough to earn a spot on the start-up USL First Division squad ... Started in all 14 of his appearances for Austin during his first season in the American soccer ranks, scoring three times in regular season play before a foot injury cut his season short ... Made his first appearance for the Aztex in the squad's season opener on 4/18/09 v. Minnesota Thunder ... Renewed his contract with the Aztex on 1/21/10, signing a three-year deal ... Was a stalwart for Austin in 2010, starting all 27 appearances and tallying a pair of goals ... Shortly after defecting to the United States in the spring of 2008, was invited to the LA Galaxy's preseason camp as a trialist, but failed to latch on to the MLS outfit.

2006-08 (FC CIENFUEGOS – CAMPEONATO NACIONAL DE FÚTBOL DE CUBA): Began his professional career with a three-year stint with his hometown side, FC Cienfuegos.

INTERNATIONAL CAREER

From 2006-08, scored three goals for Cuba in eight contests between the Under-23 and Senior team levels ... In March 2008, Alvarez and six fellow Cuban teammates defected to the United States while playing with the Cuban U-23 National Team in the CONCACAF Olympic qualifying tournament in Tampa.



MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2011	RSL	5	4	419	0	0	0	0	21	4	0	0	4	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2011	Real Salt Lake 1	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	0
Assists	0
Shots on Goal	0
Shots	0
Fouls Committed	6 – 2 times, last: Oct. 22, 2011; RSL v. POR
Fouls Suffered	2 – Sept. 21, 2011; RSL @ NY





HEIGHT: 5'10"

WEIGHT: 170

BORN: April 13, 1988 in Stony Brook, NY

HOMETOWN: Wilmington, NC

CITIZENSHIP: USA / Italy

COLLEGE: Wake Forest

MLS EXPERIENCE: 2nd Season (2011)

LAST CLUB: Vancouver Whitecaps FC (USFF D-2 Pro League) (2010)

PRONUNCIATION: are-KNOW

ACQUIRED: Won contract rights in a special MLS player lottery on 2/11/11

The 2012 season can almost be considered a fresh start for forward Cody Arnoux, who was injured upon joining Real Salt Lake last February and couldn't return to the field from injuries until the season was mostly through. However, with a year of seasoning in RSL's system under his belt, a completely clean bill of health and plenty of work ethic in tow, the former Wake Forest standout will be ready to make up for lost time and contribute major minutes off the bench during the Claret-and-Cobalt's busy campaign.

MLS CAREER

2011: Rights acquired by RSL via a special player allocation lottery on 2/11 ... Recovery from left knee microfracture surgery in Nov. 2010 was delayed in early summer after suffering a R MCL sprain ... First minutes of any kind in RSL uniform came in MLS Reserve League action on 8/09 @ DAL, when he came off the bench to register 67 minutes and drew a PK that led to the insurance tally (75') in a 2-0 win ... Would go on to start half of his six MLS Reserve League appearances, totaling 299 minutes ... Made his first-team debut on 9/03 v. PHI, playing the final 24 minutes in a 2-1 win ... Also appeared on 10/06 @ VAN, entering at the half of an eventual 0-3 defeat.

PROFESSIONAL/SEMI-PRO CAREER

2010: VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC – USSF D-2 PRO LEAGUE: Signed by Whitecaps FC on 8/18 ... Made his debut a day later in a 1-1 draw @ FC Tampa Bay ... Scored his first Whitecaps FC goal in the club's regular season finale, as Vancouver drew 2-2 v. Portland on 10/02.

2009-10: EVERTON FC – ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE: After impressing on trial, signed a one-year contract with Everton FC on 8/04/09 ... As a member of the Everton reserve squad, the striker made seven appearances in the English Premier Reserve League North ... Scored in a 3-0 home win over Burnley reserves on 8/25/09 ... Struck for the equalizer in a 1-1 draw v. Sunderland reserves on 11/23/09 ... During Everton stint, trialed with Scottish Premier League club Motherwell FC in March 2010 ... After being released by Everton at the end of the previous season, Arnoux had a trial with English League One side Plymouth Argyle FC in July 2010.

2007-09: CAROLINA DYNAMO – USL PREMIER DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE: During his time at Wake Forest University, played three summers with PDL club Carolina Dynamo ... 2007: The striker made one appearance for the Dynamo, though it proved to be an eventful one,

as he scored the game-winner and the squad's sixth goal in an 8-0 trouncing of Cocoa Expos on 6/23 ... 2008: Scored four goals and two assists in eight appearances ... Those goals came in a 2-0 win @ Nashville Metros (6/07), a 4-2 defeat @ Cary Clarets (6/14), a 3-3 draw v. Central Florida Kraze (6/21), and a 4-2 defeat v. Atlanta Silverbacks U-23's (7/19) ... 2009: Was named to the PDL's All-Eastern Conference Team after scoring eight goals and recording three assists in seven appearances during his third season with the Dynamo ... Scored twice in a 6-1 win v. West Virginia Chaos on 5/09 ... Notched a hat-trick in a 5-1 victory @ West Virginia Chaos on 6/25 ... Also scored two goals in a 5-1 win v. Virginia Legacy on 6/27.

COLLEGE

Enjoyed a standout three-year career at Wake Forest University, helping lift the Demon Deacon program to elite status in the always-tough Atlantic Coast Conference ... 2006: The striker was named in the College Soccer News' "100 Freshmen to Watch List" when he joined the Demon Deacons for his freshman year ... Made 14 appearances that season, with his first goal being a match-winner in their ACC regular season finale v. Virginia on 10/27 ... 2007: Named a National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) Third-Team All-American and to the All-ACC First-Team after a stellar sophomore year, as the Demon Deacons went on to win their first National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division I men's soccer championship title ... Was one of seven Wake Forest players to play in all 26 matches and led the team in goals (15), game-winning goals (5), and shots (58) ... Scored two goals in Wake's 3-1 win over West Virginia in the third round of the NCAA College Cup ... Was named to the NCAA College Cup All-Tournament Team en route to the National Championship ... 2008: In his junior year, the striker was a semifinalist for the Missouri Athletic Club's (MAC) Hermann Trophy, awarded annually to the top NCAA player ... Named a NSCAA Second-Team All-American and to the All-ACC First Team for a second straight year after leading the Demon Deacons with 17 goals and 42 points in 24 matches ... Those efforts helped Arnoux become the third player in Wake Forest history to eclipse the 40-point mark in a single season ... Haul included a total of 16 goals in the final 16 games of his junior year, as the Demon Deacons reached the NCAA College Cup Semifinals before falling to ACC rivals University of North Carolina.



U.S. YOUTH NATIONAL TEAMS

Arnoux represented the United States at both the U-15 and U-18 National Team levels.

HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB

Named a two-time NSCAA Youth All-American and the 2005 North Carolina Player of the Year as a member of New Hanover High School in Wilmington, NC ... Serving as captain, Arnoux registered 106 goals and 82 assists with the Wildcats, with the striker taking Most Valuable Player and All-North Carolina honors in the process ... Was a member of the adidas Elite Soccer Program and U.S. Youth Soccer's Region III Olympic Development Program ... Started his youth soccer days as an eight-year-old with the Cape Fear Soccer Association in Wilmington ... Played for Cape Fear Breakers before spending a season with the U-18 Coastal Crew team at the Onslow Classic Soccer Association in Jacksonville, NC ... Also played for the U-19 Elite side of the Capital Area Soccer League (CASL) in Raleigh, NC ... As a student, also attended St. Mary Catholic School in Wilmington, NC.

PERSONAL

Born in the Long Island hamlet of Stony Brook, NY, was raised in Wilmington, NC, after moving there with his family as a two-year-old ... Son of Nanci and Jim Arnoux ... Is a dual citizen of both the United States and Italy ... Majored in Communications at Wake Forest ... Away from the field, enjoys many outdoor pursuits like fishing, hiking, hunting, and surfing ... Is a fan of the side he once represented, English Premier League side Everton FC, and the Spanish National Team ... Favorite players include Chelsea FC and Spain striker Fernando Torres, former Brazil star Ronaldo, and Besiktas and Portugal forward Ricardo Quaresma.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2011	RSL	2	0	69	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2011	RSL	Did Not Play												

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	0
Assists	0
Shots on Goal	0
Shots	1 – Oct. 6, 2011; RSL @ VAN
Fouls Committed	1 – Oct. 6, 2011; RSL @ VAN
Fouls Suffered	1 – Sept. 3, 2011; RSL v. PHI



**HEIGHT:** 5'11"**WEIGHT:** 165**BORN:** April 23, 1982 in Crofton, MD**HOMETOWN:** Crofton, MD**CITIZENSHIP:** United States**COLLEGE:** N/A**MLS EXPERIENCE:** 13th Season (2000-2011)**LAST CLUB:** Colorado Rapids (2007)**ACQUIRED:** RSL: Via trade from Colorado Rapids on 7/16/07 in exchange for MF Mehdi Ballouchy.**COL:** Selected with the 11th overall pick in the 2002 MLS Dispersal Draft from Miami Fusion FC on 2/11/02.**MIA:** Signed with Miami Fusion FC on 6/29/00 after joining the Nike/U.S. Project-40 Program.

Many players start to think about the next stage of their careers after a dozen seasons in the pros, the portion involving final contracts, farewell tours and the like. However, most players aren't like Kyle Beckerman, whose 12th season only propelled him towards bigger heights both with his club and for his country, as 2011 saw the RSL captain go from a perennial MLS All-Star and part-time U.S. Men's National Team performer to a legitimate league MVP candidate and First XI stalwart for Jurgen Klinsmann's USA squad. Beckerman's ability to step up his game in the absence of main playmaker Javier Morales showed both on and off the stat sheet, his increased leadership role on the field during an adversity-filled 2011 proving just as crucial as his career-best nine assists (including six game-winning helpers) across regular season play.

The 29-year-old Beckerman is hitting his peak as he enters 2012, a year in which he'll likely leap into the league's all-time top 20 in games played and started while also playing an integral role for the US Men's National Team as it begins its qualifying journey for the 2014 FIFA World Cup Finals in Brazil. While an offseason adductor strain might have slowed RSL's heart-and-soul down temporarily, Beckerman should be ready to set the tone for the Claret-and-Cobalt right out of the gates in what he hopes is a lucky 13th season in MLS.

MLS CAREER

2011: Revamped his game during a sparkling 12th MLS campaign, scoring three goals and tallying a career-best nine assists, the latter placing him tied for fifth across MLS in the category in 2011 ... Despite leaving the squad regularly for U.S. Men's National Team call-ups during the second half of the season, still finished in RSL's top five with 29 appearances (4th); 27 starts (3rd); and 2,423 minutes played (3rd) ... Marked his 250th MLS regular season appearance on 6/04 v. VAN with the game-winning assist (Alexandre, 32') in a 2-0 victory ... Notched the first multi-assist performance in his 255th league appearance on 6/25 v. TOR, recording a pair of helpers, including one on Saborio's 42nd minute game-winner – in a 3-1 win ... Waited until his 258th regular season contest to record his first game with a goal and an assist, his multi-point performance on 7/23 v. SJ lifting RSL to an easy 4-0 win during the squad's annual Pioneer Day Celebration ... Surpassed his career single-season assist mark on 8/06 v. NY with another double-assist performance, recording his 6th and 7th helpers of the season – including another game-winner on Borchers' 13th minute tally – in a thorough 3-0 win in Sandy ... Had another 1G/1A showing on 9/03 v. PHI, his opening salvo (18') and assist on Schuler's

26' tally leading RSL to a 2-1 triumph ... Helper on 9/17 v. SKC on Borchers' 54th minute goal in 1-0 victory was his 6th game-winning assist of the season, eventually putting him into a second-place tie in the category alongside MVP candidate Brad Davis and behind only David Beckham ... Head-butting incident against CHI's Daniel Paladini on 9/28 v. CHI led to red card (11') and additional two-game ban that resulted him sitting out the remainder of the regular season ... Returned to the line-up for the MLS Cup Playoffs and went the full 90 minutes in both legs of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series win over Seattle (3-0 v. SEA on 10/29, 0-2 @ SEA on 11/02) and the Western Conference Championship against the LA Galaxy (1-3 L @ LA on 11/06) ... After season ended in LA, joined USMNT for pair of European-based contests in France and Slovenia before embarking on a short training stint with German Bundesliga side FC Kaiserslautern.

2010: Notched three goals and three assists while logging 2,511 minutes across 30 appearances (28 starts) in all competitions ... Injury reduced Beckerman to 21 starts and 22 appearances in regular season play, the respectable tallies still marking the durable midfielder's lowest numbers in those categories since 2002 ... Despite early-season absence, was voted to his first MLS All-Star First XI honor, marking his fourth straight All-Star recognition (removed himself from match roster vs. Manchester United to continue rehabbing injury) ... Managed to move into RSL's career top 5 in games played, starts, minutes, shots, fouls suffered and game-winning assists ... Would start in five of RSL's six CONCACAF Champions League appearances, missing only the group stage finale on 10/19 v. Cruz Azul (caution accumulation suspension) ... Notched first point of season on 4/01 @ HOU, helping spring Javier Morales on RSL's go-ahead goal (17') in an eventual 1-2 loss ... Logged 51 min. on 4/14 @ SJ in RSL's Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifying opener, entering in time to participate in a wild finish in the 3-3 draw and helping RSL advance by burying the squad's 2nd spot kick during its 5-3 PK victory ... Notched first goal of the season in MLS play three days later on 4/17 @ LA in the first of two MLS Cup 2009 rematches (1-2 L) ... Scored GWG on 5/08 v. PHI, his 27' tally setting up a convincing 3-0 win ... Just five days later on 5/13 v. HOU, notched GWA on Robbie Findley's opening salvo just 3 minutes into a 3-1 win over the bitter Western Conference rival ... Had been only RSL field player to play every minute of its first 8 MLS matches, a streak that ended on 05/22 @ CHV when he suffered a strained left foot (exited in 24th minute) ... That injury forced him to miss eight contests (7 MLS games and 6/02 @ DC





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Open Cup qualifier) between 5/29 v. KC and his 7/24 v. CHV return (RSL went 4-2-2 and bowed out of U.S. Open Cup qualifying in his absence) ... Chipped ball from midfield on 9/04 v. NY would be finished by Fabian Espindola, the 4th minute tally marking all the scoring in a 1-0 win that equaled the longest home undefeated streak in League play at 22 games ... Notched vital equalizer to bring RSL back from early deficit on 9/15 v. TOR in CCL play, heading home Andy Williams' corner kick in 20th minute of an eventual 4-1 win ... Would play all 180 minutes across RSL's Western Conference Semifinal Series v. DAL, making his 18th and 19th postseason appearances during the 2-3 aggregate series defeat.

2009: Started all 25 regular season appearances for RSL, his contributions went well beyond his three goals and pair of assists on the season ... Also notched an assist while playing all 420 minutes in RSL's four MLS Cup Playoff contests, captaining his squad to its first MLS Cup appearance and title ... Started and played 66 min. on 4/28 @ SEA in Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifying play ... Became the youngest player in MLS history to appear in 200 regular season games on 5/06 v. LA (27 yrs, 13 days) ... His RSL record 55-game starting streak was snapped 6/06 v. COL due to suspension (caution accumulation) ... Snapped 11-game goalless streak with his 44' tally on 6/27 v. TOR in a 3-0 win ... Missed RSL's contests on 7/18 @ CLB & 7/24 v. FCD while representing the USA during 2009 CONCACAF Gold Cup ... MLS All-Star nod in July was Beckerman's third career (and consecutive) selection, but his first as a member of the 18-man active roster (Commissioner's Pick w/ Javier Morales) ... Became the first RSL player to start in an MLS All-Star Game on 7/29 at Rio Tinto Stadium, playing the first 45 min. in the League's 3-4 PK loss to Everton FC (1-1 in regulation) ... Missed 9/12 v. CHI match due to suspension (caution accumulation) ... Started and played 45 min. on 10/07 v. CD Guadalajara (Chivas) (MEX), leaving the eventual 1-1 draw at the halftime break ... Helped RSL make a quick comeback bid on 11/05 @ CLB in Leg Two of the Eastern Conf. Semifinal Series, his clever 37th minute chip to Morales paying off in a goal that evened up the series at two goals apiece and opened RSL's account in the 3-2 victory (4-2 aggregate) ... MLS Cup 2009 at Seattle's Qwest Field on 11/22 v. LA marked his first appearance in League's title game after making three previous Conference Finals ('05 & '06 with Rapids, '08 with RSL) ... Garnered MVP consideration with a standout 120 minutes against the Galaxy, helping to will the Utah side on to a 5-4 triumph in penalty kicks after coming back to register a 1-1 draw after regulation and overtime.

2008: Was a stalwart during his first full season with Real Salt Lake, starting all 38 MLS regular season, MLS Cup Playoff, U.S. Open Cup and international friendly contests for the team ... Was one of two players on the Utah squad to play in and start all 30 regular season contests (w/ Rimando) ... Finished 10th across MLS in MIN (2,683) and was one of 12 players across MLS to start all 30 games ... Named to the 2008 MLS All-Star inactive list, receiving his second consecutive official All-Star nod ... Donned the captain's armband for every RSL contest since the team's 3rd League match of the season on 4/12 v. DC ... Notched first career multi-goal game in League play in the 4/12 contest v. DC, his two goals helping RSL to a 4-0 win ... His 12' goal in that game was just his second GWG in League play (previous w/ COL on 4/08/06 v. CLB) ... Registered his second brace of 2008 later that month on 4/30 v. SJ, scoring two first half goals (21' & 33') in a 4-0 U.S. Open Cup Play-In round win ... Pegged another GWG on 5/10 v. FCD, his 73' poke ending the scoring in a 2-1 win at Rice-Eccles ... Started in each of RSL's three friendlies vs. international competition against Santos Laguna (7/09), Deportivo Saprissa (7/23), and UANL Tigres (9/03) ... Broke a 13-game streak without an assist on 9/27 @ SJ, his helper on Movsisyan's 49' equalizer starting RSL's second-half comeback in a 3-2 road win ... Capped the season by playing all 270 minutes across RSL's first-ever postseason appearance, a three-game run that ended in the Western Conference Final v. NY on 10/15.

2007: Played 28 games (27 starts) and notched 3 goals and 3 assists while splitting his

time nearly evenly between COL and RSL ... Named to the 2007 MLS All-Star inactive list, marking his first official All-Star nod ... Finished his half-season stint with RSL with 2 goals and 1 assist in 15 games (14 starts) ... Played 13 games, all starts, for the Rapids, scoring a goal and 2 assists before being acquired via trade by RSL on 7/16 in exchange for MF Mehdi Ballouchy ... Scored first goal of 2007 season against his current team on 4/30 @ RSL, his 75th minute tally marking the insurance goal in a 2-0 COL win ... Made last of his 145 appearances in a Rapids uniform on 7/08 v. NY ... Made his RSL debut on 7/21 v. Everton FC (ENG), starting and playing an impressive 61 minutes in RSL's 2-0 friendly victory ... Also started and played the first half on 7/24 v. Boca Juniors (ARG) in a 1-1 draw ... Made first League appearance for RSL on 7/28 v. NE and drew the PK chance that led to RSL's lone goal in a 1-2 loss ... First goal in an RSL uniform came on a stunning right-footed effort from distance on 9/12 @ DC ... Broke an 18-game streak without an assist on 10/06 v. CHV by helping on Findley's 63rd minute tally.

2006: Enjoyed a breakout offensive campaign in 2006 with 7 goals and 4 assists in 31 games ... His 7 goals marked the first time he scored multiple goals in a season and earned him a share of the 2006 Rapids/Budweiser Golden Boot Award (w/ Nicolas Hernandez) ... Five of his tallies were on the road, making him the team's top away goal scorer that season ... Played all 300 minutes of Colorado's three MLS Cup Playoff contests and registered 2 assists ... Both postseason assists came on 10/28 @ FCD in the Rapids' must-win Game 2 of the Western Conference Semifinal Series, the helpers on a pair of Hernandez goals helping the Rapids reach overtime and garner an eventual 3-2 win that pushed the Rapids into the Western Conference Final.

2005: Made 2005 debut by playing all 90 minutes and recording his first assist in the season opener on 4/02 @ KC ... Scored lone goal of the season on 9/10 @ LA ... Started in all three of Colorado's MLS Cup Playoff contests ... Played all 90 minutes in a scoreless first leg of the Western Conference Semifinals on 10/22 v. FCD ... Played all 120 minutes in the second leg @ FCD on 10/29 (2-2 T; advance 5-4 on PKs) ... Started and played 79 minutes in Western Conference Finals against on 11/05 v. LA, taking two shots (1 SOG) in the 0-2 loss.

2004: Registered a goal and four assists in 30 games played (25 starts) for Colorado ... Scored first goal of the season in second half stoppage time and was shown his fifth yellow card of the year following his goal celebration after replacing John Spencer in the 87th minute of the Rapids' 3-1 win on 9/10 v. KC ... Started both Western Conference Semifinal Series contests against Los Angeles, playing all 90 minutes in the Rapids' 1-0 Game One win on 10/22 before starting and playing 55 minutes in the Rapids' 0-2 loss on 10/30 @ LA in Game Two.

2003: In his first season as a full-time starter, registered a still career-high 5 assists in 28 games (24 starts) ... After going 11 games without an assist to start the year, notched all 5 of his helpers in Colorado's next 10 games ... Registered assists in back-to-back games for the first – and only – time in his career on 7/26 v. MET and 8/09 v. DAL ... Made MLS postseason debut with a pair of 90-minute performances against KC in the Western Conference Semifinals (1-1 T v. KC on 11/04; 0-2 L @ KC on 11/08).

2002: Selected by Colorado with the 11th overall pick in the 2002 MLS Dispersal Draft from Miami Fusion FC on 2/11 ... Started 5 of 14 appearances during his first season with the Rapids, tallying 1 assist along the way ... Registered first MLS assist on 5/22 v. NE, his helper on Chris Henderson's 89th minute goal helping to close the scoring in a 5-2 victory.

2001: Limited to one match of MLS action for Miami Fusion FC in 2001 – a 14-minute appearance on 4/18 @ KC – after suffering a broken leg while with the Nike/MLS Project-40 Team ... Also appeared in a pair of scrimmages against Honduran club CD Marathon.

2000: Signed an MLS contract as a member of the Nike/MLS Project-40 program on 6/27 and was claimed by Miami Fusion FC two days later ... Made a pair of substitute ★





appearances with Miami during his rookie campaign, scoring 1 goal across 110 minutes of action ... Made MLS debut on 7/15 v. DAL with a 20-minute appearance in a 0-3 L ... Scored first professional goal in his first career MLS start on 9/09 @ DC, his 58' tally helping the Fusion to a 6-2 triumph over the defending MLS Cup champs.

U.S. MEN'S NATIONAL TEAMS

U.S. SENIOR MNT: Has made 18 career appearances for the U.S. Men's National Team, notching one goal since his senior international debut in 2007 ... Accepted invitation to annual USMNT January camp in Los Angeles/Phoenix in 2012, but adductor strain limited his participation ... Saw his USMNT career resurrected with the introduction of Jurgen Klinsmann as manager in July 2011, as Beckerman played in six of the USA's seven friendlies – including five starting nods – across the back half of year ... “Re-introduction” to the U.S. senior squad began with a starting XI placement in the 1-1 draw with Mexico on 8/10/11 in Philadelphia and continued with a halftime entry on 9/06 @ Belgium in an eventual 0-1 defeat in Brussels ... Would go on to start in each of the USA's final four matches of 2011 – 10/08 v. Honduras (1-0 W) in Miami; 10/11 v. Ecuador (0-1 L) in Harrison, NJ; 11/11 @ France (0-1 L) in Paris; and 11/15 @ Slovenia (3-2 W) in Ljubljana ... Ended stint at USMNT camps in January and February of 2010 with starts in friendlies on 1/23/10 v. Honduras (60 min.) at The Home Depot Center (1-3 L) and 2/24/10 v. El Salvador (79 min.) at Raymond James Stadium in Tampa (2-1 W) ... Tenth “cap” came via a 10-minute appearance v. El Salvador on 9/05/09 in a World Cup Qualifier at Rio Tinto Stadium, Beckerman helping the USA hold on to a 2-1 victory ... Played in all six of the USA's contests in the 2009 CONCACAF Gold Cup, starting five ... Logged 90 minutes in the Gold Cup Final on 7/25/09 at Giants Stadium in a 0-5 defeat v. Mexico ... Scored his first goal at the senior international level on 7/18/09 v. Panama in the quarterfinal round, his 49' equalizer helping the USA advance in a 2-1 extra time win in Philadelphia ... Was invited to a pair of U.S. MNT camps in January of 2008 in advance of the USA's friendlies against Sweden and Mexico ... Earned first three of his career appearances in 2007, debuting with a substitute appearance on 1/20/07 v. Denmark ... Also made two caps for the USA in the Copa America tournament in Venezuela, playing the final 11 minutes of a 1-3 loss v. Argentina on 7/02/07 and played the full 90 minutes in a 0-1 defeat v. Colombia on 7/05/07 ... **U.S. U-23's:** Played with the U.S. U-23 National Team in the 2004 Pre-Olympic Qualifying Tournament in Mexico ... **U.S. U-17's:** Finished U.S. U-17 career with 40 caps and 15 goals ... Started 36 of his 40 full international appearances for the U-17's ... Ranked second in scoring (10 goals, six assists) for the U-17's in full international competition during 1999, finishing one point behind teammate Landon Donovan ... Started all six games of the 1999 FIFA U-17 World Championship in New Zealand, where the U.S. eventually finished fourth after reaching the semifinals of the tournament for the first time in history ... Scored an historic GWG v. Argentina on 2/05/98 in Buenos Aires, making the U-17s the first U.S. National Team to win in Buenos Aires in 86 years ... **U.S. U-16s:** Made international debut with the U-16 National Team on 5/20/97 v. France.

PERSONAL

Immersed himself in European soccer culture during his 2010-11 offseason travels, taking in matches in France, Holland, and Spain, including Real Madrid's famed Santiago Bernabeu ... Began production of his own clothing line, KB5, in 2009 ... Enjoys fishing, listening to reggae music, playing guitar, skateboarding and perfecting his ping-pong skills away from

the field ... Was awarded the "Rapids Leadership Award" in 2006 and Colorado's "Most Improved Player Award" in 2005 ... Graduated from Maryland's Arundel High School in May 2000 ... Was a state wrestling champion in Maryland as a freshman at DeMatha H.S. ... Brother, Todd, wrestled at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln ... Full name is Kyle Robert Beckerman.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2000	Miami	2	1	110	1	0	2	1	2	2	1	0	0	0
2001	Miami	1	0	14	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
2002	Colorado	14	5	477	0	1	11	4	16	7	0	0	2	0
2003	Colorado	28	24	2124	0	5	29	14	52	29	2	1	5	1
2004	Colorado	29	25	2241	1	2	29	13	57	30	1	0	5	0
2005	Colorado	30	25	2343	1	4	24	8	60	38	0	7	5	0
2006	Colorado	31	31	2790	7	2	57	27	41	42	2	0	8	0
2007	Colorado	13	13	1125	1	2	19	8	19	19	0	0	5	0
	RSL	15	14	1305	2	1	33	11	20	22	2	10	4	0
	<i>2007 totals</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>2430</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>0</i>
2008	RSL	30	30	2683	3	2	45	22	38	45	4	0	5	0
2009	RSL	25	25	2218	3	2	39	17	42	22	3	4	10	0
2010	RSL	22	21	1830	2	3	17	4	25	15	0	1	4	0
2011	RSL	29	27	2423	3	9	33	13	36	23	1	42	6	1
	Totals	269	241	21683	24	33	338	142	409	296	16	65	59	2

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2003	Colorado	2	2	180	0	1	4	1	3	1	0	2	1	0
2004	Colorado	2	2	145	0	0	3	2	4	2	0	0	1	0
2005	Colorado	3	3	289	0	0	3	1	3	4	0	0	1	0
2006	Colorado	3	3	300	0	2	9	2	6	5	0	11	1	0
2008	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	5	2	1	2	0	0	1	0
2009	RSL	4	4	420	0	1	4	2	9	6	1	1	2	0
2010	RSL	2	2	180	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	0
2011	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	4	0	3	0	0	1	0	0
	Totals	22	22	2054	0	4	34	11	32	20	1	16	7	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	2 – Apr. 12, 2008; RSL v. DC
Assists	2 – 2 times, last: Aug. 6, 2011; RSL v. NY
Shots on Goal	4 – 3 times, last: Sept. 19, 2009; RSL @ HOU
Shots	6 – Aug. 29, 2007; RSL v. KC
Fouls Committed	7 – Sept. 17, 2005; COL @ DC
Fouls Suffered	6 – Oct. 4, 2003; COL @ KC





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WEIGHT: 150

BORN: October 11, 1987 in Whittier, CA

HOMETOWN: Claremont, CA

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: UCLA and St. John's (NY)

MLS EXPERIENCE: 5th Season (2008-11)

LAST CLUB: UCLA (2007)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Selected in the first round (3rd overall) of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft on 1/18/08

After playing the second-most minutes of his career in 2011, Tony Beltran again showed why he belongs in the discussion with the best outside backs in Major League Soccer. For the second time in his career the 24-year-old made more than 20 starts and helped solidify a back line that was depleted by injuries all season long – until he unfortunately suffered one of his own, limiting his minutes in the final two months of the season.

While his staunch 1-v-1 defending continued to be rock solid, the cerebral and supremely fit Beltran has also provided more consistency when jumping into the attack, his flying runs up either flank ending with dangerous service into the area more often than during his previous three seasons of play. It can't be long until Beltran sheds the status of one of the most underrated outside defenders in Major League Soccer, but, until then, the RSL braintrust will be more than happy to unleash the mature-beyond-his-years winger upon opponents that may underestimate the UCLA product's considerable talent and tenacity.

MLS CAREER

2011: Collected one goal and one assist in 2,259 minutes across 30 appearances (24 starts) in all competitions ... Recorded his first career goal in a RSL uniform by finishing the game-winner in U.S. Open Cup play v. USL Wilmington Hammerheads on 6/28 that led to a 2-0 win ... Contributed the second game-winning assist of his career on 3/19 @ SJ (64') by getting deep into the offensive corner, cutting ball back to Morales, who set up Beckerman for the goal ... Made 7 appearances (4 starts) in CONCACAF Champions League in 2011, playing 438 minutes culminating with a 45 minute performance in the second leg of the CONCACAF Champions League Final ... Started at least four games in a row on three different occasions (5/22 @ DAL – 6/8 @ CLB, 6/18 v. DC – 7/23 v. SJ and 8/20 @ HOU – 9/10 @ SEA) ... Started 9/10 @ SEA and put in 35 minutes before being ejected for his second yellow card, earning him his first ejection of his four-year MLS career ... Suffered a left adductor tear in 0-1 Reserve League loss on 9/18 v. KC, which forced him to miss the remaining eight MLS regular season fixtures as well as the first leg of the Western Conference Semifinals on 10/29 v. SEA ... Made his return from injury by starting and playing a full 90 minutes in his third-career playoff appearance on 11/02 @ SEA that ended in a 2-0 defeat, but was enough to send RSL through on aggregate (3-2) ... His leaping header in the six-yard box on Jeff Parke's 36th minute blast proved crucial to RSL's advancement and was one of the top defensive plays of the MLS season ... Logged eight minutes in the Western Conference Finals on 11/06 @ LA, coming on in place of the injured Jamison Olave.

2010: Collected a pair of assists in 2,065 minutes across 24 appearances (22 starts) in all competitions ... His cerebral style and ability to recover was evident, as he committed just 12 fouls and was cautioned only once in 1,493 minutes of regular season action ... Key contributor in helping Real Salt Lake smash the MLS record for fewest goals allowed in a season, the Utah side allowing only 20 goals in its 30 contests (previous record 23 GA by 2007 Houston Dynamo) ... Contributed to the 3rd and 4th longest shutout streaks in MLS history: a 567-minute run (5/29 v. KC – 7/17 @ DAL) and a 568-minute stretch (8/11 @ PHI – 9/25 v. COL) ... Started and went the full 120 min. in RSL's Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifier on 4/14 @ SJ, a wild 3-3 draw that RSL advanced from via a 5-3 triumph in penalties ... Followed that match by making first appearances in regular season play as a starter in four consecutive contests (4/17 @ LA – 5/08 v. PHI) ... His helper in a 2-1 victory on 5/01 v. TOR (Williams – 42') broke a two-year, 38-game streak without a point in regular season play (last assist on 04/26/08 @ DC in 2nd career match) and marked his first career game-winning assist ... Played 90 minutes and wore the captain's armband on 5/15 in RSL's 1-1 draw with the Mexican U-21 National Team in an international friendly ... One of 3 RSL'ers to log all 210 minutes in sweltering conditions during U.S. Open Cup qualifying (6/02) and MLS regular season (6/05) affairs @ DC (Borchers & Johnson) ... Starting with 8/11 @ PHI match, went full 90 minutes in nine of team's final 11 regular season contests, sitting out of only 9/04 v. NY and 10/22 @ COL affairs (4-0-5 record, 3 goals allowed, 6 shutouts in those contests) ... Made three appearances in CONCACAF Champions League play, beginning on 9/15 v. TOR when he played 62 minutes in place of an injured Robbie Russell in a 4-1 triumph at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Would get starting nods in pivotal CCL wins on 9/22 @ Arabe Unido (3-2 W) and 10/19 v. Cruz Azul (3-1 W) ... Assisted on Paulo Junior's second tally of the night on 10/19 v. Cruz Azul, the game-winning helper allowing RSL to become the first MLS team to finish atop its group in nine such attempts ... Made second career playoff appearance on 11/06 v. DAL, going the full 90 minutes in a 1-1 draw in Sandy that ended RSL's season abruptly in the two-legged Western Conference Semifinals (2-3 aggregate loss).

2009: Started 21 of his 23 MLS appearances during an impressive sophomore season for RSL ... After beginning season by starting 5 of RSL's first 11 games, finished by featuring in the first XI in 16 of last 19 contests ... RSL went 8-6-7 in games which Beltran started ... Went full 90 min. on 4/28 @ SEA in a 1-4





loss in Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifying play ... Started six straight games from 6/06 v. COL through 7/18 @ CLB, which coincided with the squad's five-match undefeated streak (2-0-3) leading into the Crew contest ... Ended up playing 80 min. off the bench in RSL's next contest, a wild 4-2 win on 7/24 v. DAL, in place of an injured Robbie Russell ... Also logged 90 minutes on 7/11 v. Club America (MEX) in the 2009 edition of the XanGo Cup, a 1-0 victory to RSL ... Started 10 of RSL's final 12 regular season games, missing matches on 8/29 @ KC (coach's decision/schedule congestion) and 9/19 @ HOU (caution accumulation) ... One of two RSL players (w/ Wingert) to go the distance on 10/07 v. CD Guadalajara in the contentious 1-1 friendly draw ... Starting nod and 79-minute effort in a 1-0 win on 10/31 v. CLB in Leg One of the Eastern Conf. Semifinal Series marked his MLS Cup Playoffs debut ... Injury (R hip flexor strain) removed him from consideration for Leg Two on 11/05 @ CLB ... Returned to make gameday roster for East Championship on 11/14 @ CHI and MLS Cup on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field.

2008: Only injury kept RSL's top overall SuperDraft selection from appearing in more than half of RSL's regular season contests in 2008, the UCLA product starting in 10 of 15 appearances during his rookie campaign and contributing one assist along the way ... Selected by RSL 3rd overall in the 2008 MLS SuperDraft on 1/18/08 in Baltimore ... Made his official MLS debut on 4/12 v. DC, playing 7 minutes in reserve in RSL's 4-0 win ... Recorded first MLS assist two weeks later on 4/26 @ DC, his deflection off a corner kick leading to Talley's 77' finish in a 1-4 defeat ... Started and played all 90 minutes on 4/30 v. SJ in helping RSL to a 4-0 USOC Play-In win, and earned his first MLS start four days later via a 74-minute effort on 5/03 v. LA (2-2 T) ... That start marked the first of nine consecutive first XI nods in League play in which the rookie was available for selection ... Left RSL camp for two weeks in late May to join U.S. Under-23 squad that competed in the Toulon International Tournament in France, missing only the 5/24 @ FCD match in the process ... Re-joined squad in mid-June and played final 29 minutes of RSL's 0-2 L @ CLB on 5/27 in U.S. Open Cup play-in action ... Victimized for first career own goal in 89' of 0-1 loss @ KC on 6/28 ... Came on and played the last 45 minutes of RSL's 1-4 L v. Santos Laguna (MEX) in XanGo Cup 2008 ... A lingering adductor strain suffered in mid-August forced Beltran to undergo sports hernia surgery on 9/17 in Munich, Germany ... Played 1 minute in his return to first-team soccer for RSL on 10/04 @ NE after missing previous 7 League matches due to injury.

COLLEGE

Played three years of collegiate soccer, beginning his career at St. John's (NY) before transferring closer to home for two more years with national powerhouse UCLA ... Started in 45 of his 56 collegiate contests, scoring twice and adding six assists ... **2007:** Started all 21 of his contests – and played all but four minutes of the season – for UCLA, notching a pair of assists from the right fullback and defensive midfielder positions ... Earned All-Pac 10 First-Team and Top Drawer Soccer Team of the Season Second-Team honors ... Assisted on the game-winners against Cal and at home against Oregon State ... **2006:** Overcame an early-season ankle injury to make 14 appearances for UCLA, his return coinciding with the Bruins' run to the Men's College Cup title contest ... Missed nearly a full month after undergoing an ankle arthroscopy on 9/29 ... Earned College Cup All-Tournament honors ... Recorded his first point for the Bruins with an assist in the Championship match, a 2-1 loss to UC-Santa Barbara ... **2005:** Played in 21 games with 10 starts at St. John's University ... Scored two goals with three assists for a total of seven points, which ranked him fifth on the team Red Storm team in scoring ... Recorded a goal and an assist against Louisville ... Scored a goal in the 4-1 win over second-ranked Duke.

HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB

Two-time Parade All-American at Claremont High School under coach Fred Bruce Olivier ... Also named to the 2004 NSCAA/adidas High School All-America squad ... Listed as the No. 2 high school prospect at the forward position in 2005 ... adidas ESP All-Star in 2004 and an adidas All-Star selection in 2003 ... Served as team captain in 2005 and also earned Baseline League MVP honors ... Received First-Team All-League honors as a senior and junior and Second-Team acclaim as a freshman ... Region IV Olympic Development Program (ODP) team member from 2002-05 and captain of the 2004 squad ... ODP State Team member from 2001-05, including a national championship-winning campaign in 2003 ... Played club soccer with Arsenal FC alongside current RSL teammate Yura Movsisyan.

UNITED STATES NATIONAL YOUTH TEAMS

Has been a member of the U.S. Youth National Teams pool since 2003 ... Most recently, Beltran made two appearances for the U.S. U-23 squad that competed in the Toulon (France) International Tournament in May 2008 ... Played the 2nd half of the USA's first match in Toulon against Turkey on 5/21/08 (0-1 L) and went the full 90 minutes on 5/23/08 v. Ivory Coast (2-3 L) ... Was a starter in all five games for the United States Under-20 MNT that advanced to the quarterfinals at the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup ... Recorded an assist in the USA's 6-1 group stage win over Poland on 7/03/07 ... Started all three games for the U-20s at the 2006 Milk Cup ... Starter for the U-18 team that won the 2005 Milk Cup.

PERSONAL

A history major while an undergraduate at UCLA, Beltran is continuing his collegiate studies as an English major at the University of Utah ... Lists playing for the U.S. at the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup as the most thrilling moment in his athletic career ... Admires Manchester United midfielder Cristiano Ronaldo ... Full name is Anthony Benjamin Beltran.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	15	10	936	0	1	4	0	11	10	0	0	1	0
2009	RSL	23	21	1860	0	0	7	2	28	13	0	0	7	0
2010	RSL	18	17	1493	0	1	3	1	12	12	1	0	1	0
2011	RSL	22	19	1731	0	1	5	3	14	21	1	0	1	1
Totals		56	48	6020	0	3	19	6	65	56	2	0	10	1

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	Did Not Play												
2009	RSL	1	1	79	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2010	RSL	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
2011	RSL	2	1	98	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0
Totals		4	3	267	0	0	1	0	3	4	0	0	1	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	0
Assists	1 – 3 times, last: March 19, 2011; RSL v. SJ
Shots on Goal	1 – 6 times, last: June 8, 2011; RSL v. CLB
Shots	2 – 6 times, last: June 8, 2011; RSL v. CLB
Fouls Committed	4 – 1 time, last: Sept. 10, 2011; RSL v. SEA
Fouls Suffered	4 – June 18, 2008; RSL v. SJ





HEIGHT: 5'10"

WEIGHT: 150

BORN: April 15, 1988 in Bahia Blanca, Argentina

HOMETOWN: Bahia Blanca, Argentina

CITIZENSHIP: Argentina

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: N/A

LAST CLUB: Manta F.C.
(Ecuadoran 1st Div.) (2011)

PRONUNCIATION: bon-FEEG-lee

Five years ago, Real Salt Lake brought a young Argentinean striker into its side by the name of Fabian Espíndola ... and now the Utah side is hoping it has unearthed a similar talent in his countryman, Emiliano Bonfigli. The lanky striker proved worth taking a flyer on in the MLS Supplemental Draft, the 23-year-old showed more than enough finishing prowess during RSL's opening preseason camp to earn a spot on the team's forward depth chart. With a congested schedule ahead, expect Bonfigli to be firmly in the mix for the "spot starter" role up top alongside fellow "young guns" Paulo Junior and Cody Arnoux.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Began professional career with Club Almagro of the Argentine Primera B Metropolitana, the regionalized third division of Argentina ... Scored 16 goals in 13 contests (all starts) in Almagro's 2010/11 campaign ... Moved on to Manta F.C. of the Ecuadoran Serie A (first division) for the "second phase" of its 2011 season in August, notching a pair of assists across 18 appearances (7 starts).



Wally
#22





HEIGHT: 6'2"

WEIGHT: 175

BORN: April 13, 1981 in
Tucson, AZ

HOMETOWN: Pueblo, CO

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: University of Denver

MLS EXPERIENCE: 8th Season
(2003-05, 2008-11)

LAST CLUB: Odd Grenland
(Norwegian Tippeligaen) (2007)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Acquired by
Real Salt Lake via an MLS
Player Allocation Lottery on
2/14/08

COL: Signed to Developmental
Roster on 3/18/03

Ever since he crashed the Colorado Rapids roster as an undrafted camp invitee back in 2003, Nat Borchers has been tough to take off the roster sheet ... make that nearly impossible to take off. While missing four of 34 regular season games like Borchers did in 2011 wouldn't be noteworthy for most players, for the "Ironman of MLS" it was more than a bit out of the ordinary. And even with that said, Borchers' 30 starts last season allowed him to become the only player across Major League Soccer with at least 29 starts in each of the last four years. Death ... Taxes ... Borchers, indeed.

The big story for Real Salt Lake as it approaches its season opener in Los Angeles might just be if the three-time RSL Defender of the Year winner will be in Jason Kreis' First XI. The right quadriceps strain the 30-year-old backline staple suffered in last October's postseason opener against Seattle has forced a cautious approach during this year's preseason camp, but Borchers vows to be ready to go for rematch of the Western Conference Championship ... a game the ever-steady center back would have certainly been a difference-maker in had he been able to give it a go.

MLS CAREER

2011: Finished tops among RSL's field players in minutes (2,547) and starts (30) and second in appearances (30) ... Scored a career-high three goals in regular season play and added an assist ... Teammates named him the RSL Defensive Player of the Year for the second straight season, his third award in the category breaking a tie with Eddie Pope ... Also added a goal in five appearances during the CONCACAF Champions League Championship Stage (413 min.) ... Endured rough start to the season after seeing a disputable 53rd minute red card on 2/22 @ CLB in the opening leg of the CCL Quarterfinals (0-0 T) ... After missing the return leg on 3/01 v. CLB in Sandy (4-1 W), went on to log all 90 minutes in the squad's remaining CCL Championship Stage contests ... Scored an equalizing header on 4/20 @ Monterrey in Leg One of the CCL Finals, his 35' finish of Will Johnson's cross helping revive the squad's chances in the epic 2-2 opener ... Game-winning assist on 5/07 v. CHV snapped a 90-game stretch without a helper in regular season play (last on 4/12/08 v. DC) ... Opened scoring for RSL on 6/25 v. TOR in an eventual 3-1 win (42') ... His tallies on 8/06 v. NY (13') and 9/17 v. KC (54') both counted as game-winners ... Missed a pair of MLS contests due to red card suspensions, his first red cards in League play since 2005 ... Unjust 3rd minute ejection on 7/04 v. NE broke a 109-game streak without receiving a red card [9/10/05 @ LA (w/ COL)] ... Also

received red card on 8/27 @ CHV (24') ... Made 200th MLS regular season appearance on 10/01 @ LA and followed with 200th regular season start in league play on 10/14 @ COL against his former Rapids side ... Escaped the injury bug that plagued the team until the postseason, suffering a R quadriceps strain that forced him from Leg 1 of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series on 10/29 v. SEA (3-0 W) in the 84th minute and kept him out of consideration for the rest of the playoffs.

2010: Named to his first MLS "Best XI" team and voted Real Salt Lake's Defender of the Year at season's end, while finishing second in the MLS Defender of the Year race, behind only teammate Jamison Olave ... Key reason Real Salt Lake smashed the MLS record for fewest goals allowed in a season, the Utah side allowing only 20 goals in its 30 contests (previous record 23 GA by 2007 Houston Dynamo) ... Started and appeared in all but one of Real Salt Lake's 40 combined MLS regular season, CONCACAF Champions League, Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup, and MLS Cup Playoff contests, totaling three goals and an assist across 3,543 minutes of action ... Donned captain's armband when not worn by regular Kyle Beckerman, relinquishing only once on 7/02 v. NE when Nick Rimando was in line to earn his 100th victory in League play (5-0 W) ... Contributed to every minute of the 3rd and 4th longest shutout streaks in MLS history: a 567-minute run (5/29 v. KC - 7/17 @ DAL) and a 568-minute stretch (8/11 @ PHI - 9/25 v. COL) ... RSL's resident "Ironman" finished the season 5th in MLS with 2,673 minutes played ... Was one of nine field players across the League to appear in all 30 regular season affairs (including teammate Andy Williams) and one of only four to start every match ... Played the role of hero on 04/14 @ SJ in RSL's U.S. Open Cup qualifying opener, his header in the 118' knotting the wild match at 3-3 and sending it into penalties, where RSL was victorious by a 5-3 margin ... Broke 41-game streak without a goal in regular season play on 9/25 v. COL, stunning his former side with a stoppage-time header (93'+) that tied the match at 1-1, rescued the squad's record Rio Tinto Stadium unbeaten run (improved to 24 games), and clinched a 2010 MLS Cup Playoff berth ... Made it a scoring streak a week later on 10/02 @ NE, another backwards header (68') starting the scoring for RSL in a 2-1 road win that placed the squad alone atop MLS' overall table for the first time in team history ... Notched 2nd career postseason assist on 11/06 v. DAL (Leg Two), his helper on Robbie Findley's 80th minute ultimately not enough to advance RSL from its Western Conference Semifinal Series (2-3 loss on aggregate).



2009: Rock solid performance as anchor of backline earned the veteran Real Salt Lake's Most Valuable Player honor ... Only player to start in all 30 of RSL's matches (one goal) and one of two to appear in every game (w/ Wingert) ... One of only five field players and eight players overall to start every game for his squad in MLS and ranked 6th in minutes played with 2,679 (3rd among field players), missing only the final 21 minutes on 5/06 v. LA (R ankle sprain) ... Followed suit in the postseason, notching all 420 playoff minutes en route to his and Real Salt Lake's first championship ... Ended season ranked 6th on RSL's career charts with 59 starts and 5,289 minutes played ... Played second 45 minutes on 4/28 @ SEA in a 1-4 defeat in Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifying play ... Went the full 90 on 7/11 v. Club America (MEX), helping RSL register a 1-0 win in XanGo Cup 2009 ... Snapped a 76-game goalless streak in MLS play with his 51' insurance goal on 6/13 @ LA in a 2-0 road triumph, marking his first tally since 9/04/04 v. DAL as a member of the Rapids ... Served as RSL's captain during month of July (3 MLS matches & XanGo Cup friendly) in the absence of Kyle Beckerman and also captained the squad for League matches on 6/06 v. COL and 9/12 v. CHI ... Entered at the halftime break on 10/07 v. CD Guadalajara (Chivas) (MEX) and played the final 45 minutes in the 1-1 friendly draw at Rio Tinto Stadium ... MLS Cup 2009 appearance on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field marked his first MLS Cup appearance after making playoffs on four previous occasions ('03-'05 with COL, '08 with RSL) ... Logged all 120 minutes in the MLS Cup triumph, helping RSL to dominate from the halftime whistle onward and notch a 1-1 comeback draw that led to a 5-4 victory in penalties.

2008: Started 29 of 30 contests in his first season in Salt Lake, contributing one assist along the way ... Partnered with Jamison Olave to make up RSL's center-back tandem in 22 of RSL's final 26 regular season contests and all three postseason matches ... Acquired by RSL on 2/14/08 via a Player Allocation Lottery, this after spending two seasons in the Norwegian Tippeligaen (First Division) with Odd Grenland from 2006-2007 ... Made his RSL debut – and first MLS appearance since the end of the 2005 season – with a 90-minute performance on 3/29 v. CHI in a 1-1 draw ... Borchers' prior MLS appearance came on 10/12/05 @ RSL ... Recorded first MLS assist in more than 3 years on 4/12/08 v. DC, his header helping Beckerman notch RSL's 3rd goal in a 4-0 triumph ... Played the final 28 minutes of RSL's 1-4 defeat to Santos Laguna (MEX) on 7/09 in XanGo Cup 2008 ... Played in 100th MLS regular season match on 7/12 v. CLB and made his 100th regular season start on 7/19 @ CHI ... Played the second half of RSL's 1-2 L on 7/23 v. Deportivo Saprissa (CRC) in international friendly action ... Missed first minutes of 2008 season on 10/18 v. FCD (cervical strain) ... Prior to that match, was only RSL field player to log all 2,520 minutes through its first 28 contests ... Capped the season by playing all 270 minutes across RSL's first-ever postseason appearance, a three-game run that ended in the Western Conference Final v. NY on 10/15.

2005: Started in all 31 appearances for the Colorado Rapids and notched one assist ... Lone helper of the season came in season opener on 4/02 @ KC ... For second year in a row, only missed game of the season was due to a red card suspension.

2004: Started 29 of the Rapids 30 contests, his only missed action of the season coming due to a red card suspension ... Added two goals and an assist out of the back ... Notched first career MLS goal and assist on 6/30 @ MET, his 78' score evening the match and his assist in the 89' lifting the Rapids to a 3-2 win ... Registered first career GWG on 9/04 v. DAL, his 85' tally making the difference in a 2-1 triumph ... Played all 180 minutes in the Rapids' Western Conference Semifinal Series against Los Angeles ... For the second year in a row was involved in the lone goal for the Rapids in postseason play, this time garnering his first-ever postseason assist in COL's 1-0 victory in Game One.

2003: Went from undrafted preseason camp invitee to developmental player to full-time starter in his rookie season, contributing almost immediately by starting in 22 of his 23 League appearances ... Made MLS debut on 5/23 @ CHI as a member of the starting XI ... Played the full 90 minutes in both of the Rapids' Western Conference Semifinal Series contests against KC ... Figured in COL's lone playoff tally in Game One in Denver, his first career postseason goal helping the Rapids earn a 1-1 draw.

INTERNATIONAL CLUB CAREER

2006-07: Odd Grenland – Norwegian Tippeligaen (First Division): Made over 50 appearances in his two seasons with Odd Grenland after joining the Norwegian squad following the 2005 MLS season ... Scored three goals out of the back in his two seasons of play in Norway's top-flight league ... Returned to MLS after Odd Grenland was relegated to the second-tier Adeccoligaen in the fall of 2007.

U.S. NATIONAL TEAMS

Made his third "cap" for the full U.S. Men's National Team on 11/17/10 @ South Africa, entering in the 67th minute for Tim Ream and playing the final 23 minutes of the USA's 1-0 win in the Nelson Mandela Challenge friendly in Cape Town ... Previous two U.S. MNT appearances came in 2005, beginning with his debut on 3/09/05 v. Colombia, playing the final 4 min. in place of then-Rapids teammate Pablo Mastroeni in the USA's 3-0 friendly victory in Fullerton, Calif. ... Made his first starting appearance for the Stars-and-Stripes 10 days later against Honduras in Albuquerque, helping the USA to a 1-0 shutout win ... Represented the U.S. Under-23 MNT on six occasions, including four starting nods in CONCACAF Region Qualifying in Guadalajara, Mexico, for the 2004 Summer Olympic Games.

COLLEGE

Was a stalwart for the University of Denver, notching nine goals and eight assists while not missing a single one of the Pioneers' 72 games from 1999-2002 ... Was a three-time Mountain Pacific Sports Federation (MPSF) All-League selection, including first-team nods as a junior and senior ... Also named to the Academic All-MPSF Team on two occasions ... Named the MPSF Player of the Year in 2002 following a standout senior campaign, during which he scored six goals and made six assists while starting in each of the Pioneers' 21 contests.

CLUB/HIGH SCHOOL

Was a member of the Colorado Rapids' USL Premier Development League's affiliate, the Boulder Rapids Reserves ... In 2002, was a key component of the Rapids Reserves side that won the PDL's Central Conference title and appeared in the PDL National Championship Game, in which it fell 2-1 to the Cape Cod Crusaders ... At East High School in Pueblo, CO, was a member of the Club Colorado Select team and was a First-Team All-State honoree and the 1998 South Central Conference MVP as a senior ... Was also a three-time All-South Central Conference selection and was named the East High team captain as a junior and senior ... An all-around athlete, also played basketball and ran track at East High.



PERSONAL

Earned his Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Accounting while at the University of Denver ... An all-around athlete, also played basketball and ran track while at East High, and still enjoys playing a game of hoops in his spare time ... As a Colorado native, is an avid follower of the Denver Broncos and Colorado Avalanche.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2003	Colorado	23	22	2101	0	0	0	0	30	14	0	0	2	1
2004	Colorado	29	29	2610	2	1	11	5	37	17	0	0	5	1
2005	Colorado	31	31	2721	0	1	13	2	32	24	0	0	7	1
2008	RSL	29	29	2610	0	1	13	1	24	10	0	0	4	0
2009	RSL	30	30	2679	1	0	12	6	26	10	1	0	5	0
2010	RSL	30	30	2673	2	0	10	4	22	13	1	0	4	0
2011	RSL	30	30	2547	3	1	19	6	14	15	5	0	1	2
Totals		202	201	17941	8	4	78	24	185	103	7	0	28	5

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2003	Colorado	2	2	180	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
2004	Colorado	2	2	180	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
2008	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	4	1	3	4	0	0	1	0
2009	RSL	4	4	420	0	0	2	1	4	1	0	0	0	0
2010	RSL	2	2	180	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	0
2011	RSL	1	1	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		14	14	1314	1	2	10	3	13	6	0	0	2	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 – 8 times, last: Sept. 17, 2011; RSL v. KC
Assists	1 – 4 times, last: May 7, 2011; RSL v. CHV
Shots on Goal	2 – 4 times, last: July 2, 2010; RSL v. NE
Shots	5 – April 30, 2005; COL v. MET
Fouls Committed	4 – 3 times, last: Sept. 25, 2010; RSL v. COL
Fouls Suffered	4 – Oct. 14, 2011; RSL @ COL





HEIGHT: 6' 1"

WEIGHT: 170

BORN: June 13, 1987 in Hammond, IN

HOMETOWN: Round Rock, TX

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: Southern Methodist University

MLS EXPERIENCE: Rookie

LAST CLUB: Seattle Sounders FC (2011)

PRONUNCIATION: lee-OH-nay

ACQUIRED: MLS rights obtained from Seattle Sounders FC in exchange for MLS rights to Andy Rose on 1/17/12

The path to the ranks of Major League Soccer for Leone Cruz was not a common one, but, in the end, the talented center back appears to have found a willing dance partner in Real Salt Lake the second time around. After failing to stick around with Seattle Sounders FC after being drafted by the Cascadia outfit in 2011, Cruz chose to finish up his studies at Southern Methodist University and stay soccer-sharp by playing in matches in the newly-resurrected Reserve League. Those stints included a pair of games in Claret-and-Cobalt last summer, when RSL reaffirmed its pre-draft assessments of Cruz's skills and kept the Texas native on its radar through January, when it swung a deal with Seattle during the Supplemental Draft to bring the defender on board. After winning a spot on the roster during preseason, Cruz will be expected to form a solid bond with fellow reservist Chris Schuler – with the added benefit of being able to learn from two of the league's best "middle men" in Jamison Olave and Nat Borchers.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Selected by Seattle Sounders FC in the second round (21st overall) of the 2011 MLS SuperDraft in Baltimore, Mary., but was cut by Seattle during the 2011 preseason ... Rather than test the waters of second division soccer upon his early departure in Seattle, chose instead to finish his Economics degree at SMU in the summer of 2011 ... Featured twice for Real Salt Lake in MLS Reserve League action in 2011, playing the full 90 minutes in a 2-0 win at FC Dallas (8/09) and starting and playing 82 minutes in a 0-1 defeat at Houston (8/21) ... Also represented the FC Dallas reserves on a pair of occasions, going the full 90 minutes in back-to-back games on 10/02 at Colorado (1-5 L) and 10/05 v. Sporting KC (2-1 W) ...

COLLEGIATE CAREER

Over his career at SMU, Cruz played in 67 games, scoring nine goals and adding five assists ... Named to the NSCAA Midwest Regional Second Team as well as the Conference USA Second Team in 2010 after helping lead the Mustangs to a 16-2-2 record, an Elite Eight appearance and a Conference USA Regular Season Championship ... Also named to Conference USA Second Team in 2008 and to the 2006 Conference USA All-Freshman Team ... Was in the U.S. Youth National Team pools at the U-15, U-16 and U-18 levels ... A five-year member of the Olympic Development Program growing up in Texas.

Collegiate Stats at Southern Methodist University

Year	GP/GS	G	A
2010 (senior)	17/17	1	3
2009 (junior)	10/7	2	0
2008 (sophomore)	16/16	3	1
2007 (R/S soph.)	4/4	1	1
2006 (freshman)	20/3	2	0
Totals	67/47	9	5





DIOGO DE ALMEIDA DEFENDER



HEIGHT: 6'0"

WEIGHT: 175

BORN: January 2, 1989 in
Piracicaba, Brazil

HOMETOWN: Piracicaba, Brazil

CITIZENSHIP: Brazil

COLLEGE: Southern Methodist
University

MLS EXPERIENCE: Rookie

LAST CLUB: Southern
Methodist University (2011)

PRONUNCIATION: dee-OH-go
day al-MAY-da

ACQUIRED: Selected in the
second round (24th overall) of
the 2012 MLS SuperDraft on
1/12/12

Real Salt Lake's search for a naturally left-footed fit on its back line may very well have come to an end with its selection of SMU product Diogo de Almeida back in January. While other outside back options were on the board towards the start of the second round, RSL was enamored with the athletic de Almeida's size and speed, not to mention his technical ability, which was no surprise after his progression from forward to midfielder to defender during his first three years with the Mustangs. While RSL will not expect the 23-year-old to fill in minutes right away, the Brazilian's progress throughout the year will prove vital to the planned wing-back rotation system that could prove crucial to the Utah side's late-season success.

COLLEGIATE

Collegiate Stats at Southern Methodist University

Year	GP/GS	G	A
2011 (senior)	20/20	4	0
2010 (junior)	19/18	0	0
2009 (sophomore)	13/4	0	1
2008 (freshman)	18/4	5	2
Totals	72/53	22	20

Career Highlights/Accolades: Conference USA Defensive Player of the Year; All-Conference USA First Team and NSCAA All-Midwest First Team performer as a senior in 2011 ... Versatile athlete moved from midfielder to defender between his sophomore and junior campaigns, this after he began his collegiate career at forward as a freshman ... After starting his youth career in the U.S. in the FC Dallas youth system, moved on to play for the Dallas Texans '90 ... While growing up in Brazil, grew up in the youth system of Sao Paulo FC alongside former MLS performers Juninho (LA Galaxy), Alex Cazumba (Galaxy) and Jackson (FC Dallas).

Misc: Moved to the United States from Brazil in 2007 for the last half of his junior year at Oakridge H.S. in Arlington, Texas ... Speaks English, Portuguese and Spanish ... Majored in Markets Culture and Spanish at SMU.





HEIGHT: 5'9"

WEIGHT: 160

BORN: May 4, 1985 in Buenos Aires, Argentina

HOMETOWN: Buenos Aires, Argentina

CITIZENSHIP: Argentina

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 6th Season (2007-11)

LAST CLUB: Deportivo Anzoátegui (Venezuelan First Division) (2009)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Signed to a Senior contract as a International Player on 5/04/09, returning to squad after signing with Venezuelan side Deportivo Anzoátegui in 2008-09 offseason

RSL: Signed to a Senior contract as a Senior International on 8/17/07

Seemingly overshadowed by other forwards every since he joined Real Salt Lake five years ago, the attention turned Fabian Espindola's way in 2011 seemed to increase. Then again, everything involving Espindola seemed to be ratcheted up a notch last season – his focus, an already-high energy-level and even his notoriety across the league all received noticeable bumps. However, the most important thing the fiery Argentine increased last year was his production, as Espindola knocked home a career-best 10 goals in league play and added a goal and two assists during RSL's CONCACAF Champions League run that allowed to Utahns to continue their historic path to the tourney's finals.

It's easy to forget that Espindola was a part of the massive rebuilding process that Jason Kreis began midway through 2007; and yet, at the same time, it seems hard to think about RSL without the passion and grit of the 26-year-old forward. Re-signing Espindola was priority #1 for Real Salt Lake this past offseason, and when two sides were able to agree to a four-year pact you could almost hear an audible sigh of relief from Claret-and-Cobalt fans near and far. With his regular up-top running mate, Álvaro Saborío, a question mark for the start of the campaign, the scoring burden will likely fall to Espindola – then again, that's something the confident striker will likely pick up as well.

MLS CAREER

2011: During his fifth season on the Wasatch Front, blew away previous career highs in goals (10), assists (3), shots (62), shots on goal (31), appearances (27), starts (25) and minutes (2,096) while tying his previous best in assists (3) ... Finished just one goal behind Saborio in the chase for RSL's Golden Boot scoring title ... Finished the season first in RSL's record book in shots on goal (92) and second in goal (26, three behind Findley) and shots (184) ... Ended the year T-4th across MLS with a 50.0% shot-on-goal percentage ... Also added a goal and two assists while starting all six Championship Stage contests in the CONCACAF Champions League, helping lead the Claret-and-Cobalt to the brink of a historic title ... Recorded secondary assist on Morales' game-winning tally on 3/01 v. CLB, RSL's second finish in a dominant 4-1 win in the 2nd leg of the CCL Quarterfinals in Sandy ... In the CCL Semifinal opening leg on 3/15 v. Saprissa, assisted on Saborio's opener (9') before adding one of his own (56') in a crucial 2-0 win that set the tone of the series ... Played 175 of the 180 available minutes in the CCL Finals series against Monterrey ... Shook himself out of post-CCL funk with a torrid June/July, scoring five goals in a seven-game stretch between 6/04

v. VAN and 7/09 v. DAL ... Registered third 1G/1A game in league play during 62-minute effort on 8/20 @ HOU in a heart-breaking 2-3 defeat ... Notched second brace of MLS career on 9/21 @ NY, pacing RSL to a 3-1 road win ... Would play all 270 minutes of RSL's run in the MLS Cup Playoffs.

2010: Logged 1,945 minutes of action in 29 games (23 starts) across regular season and cup competition, scoring eight goals and adding a pair of assists along the way ... His six goals in League play were the third most on RSL in 2010 and his highest goal haul in four seasons with the squad, while his 22 appearances and 19 starts in MLS play were also career highs ... Began season in fine fashion on 3/27 @ SJ, first setting up Javier Morales' GWG in the 14th minute before bagging one of his own in the 27' minute of RSL's thorough 3-0 win ... Performance marked second 1G/1A game for Espíndola with RSL [8/26/09 v. CHV (4-0 W)] ... Played the final 40 min. in RSL's USOC qualifier on 04/14 @ SJ, helping the Utahans fight to the finish for a 3-3 draw that it advanced from 5-3 in PKs ... Emergence from bench on 5/22 @ CHV proved a master stroke by Kreis, as his 89' tally gave RSL a huge 2-1 road win at The Home Depot Center ... Followed that a week later by opening the scoring on 5/29 v. KC (31') in a 4-1 win that exacted revenge for RSL's previous home loss more than a year earlier ... Opened another scoring onslaught v. NE on 7/02, his 27' goal opening the flood gates in a 5-0 triumph, the second largest winning margin and goal-scoring output in club history ... Enjoyed impressive four-game run in MLS play in late summer, notching an equalizing goal (17') in a 1-1 draw on 8/11 @ PHI, a GWA three days later on 8/14 v. CLB (Morales - 11') in a 2-0 triumph, and the GWG on 9/04 v. NY (4') in a contest that equaled the all-time MLS home undefeated streak record at 22 games ... In the middle of that stretch, participated in one of the most memorable games in CCL history on 8/25 @ Cruz Azul, scoring a goal in the 64th minute that put RSL up 3-1 at the Estadio Azul in an eventual 4-5 defeat ... Started both contests in RSL's Western Conf. Semifinal Series vs. FC Dallas, jolting the series to life with a sudden blast from the edge of the area just five minutes into a 1-2 defeat in Leg One on 10/30 at Pizza Hut Park.

2009: Returned to Real Salt Lake in May and went on to notch three goals and assists in 23 games (17 starts) for his new/old side ... Officially rejoined RSL on 5/04 (his 24th birthday) after leaving last offseason to join Venezuelan side Deportivo Anzoátegui ... Made eventful return to RSL two days later on 5/06 v. LA, aiding in the 2-2 tie by



drawing the stoppage-time PK converted by Johnson ... Scored on 6/20 @ HOU, marking his first goal since 8/29/08 v. COL, when he scored twice in 2-0 win, helping him earn MLS Player of the Week ... Played the entire second half of the 2009 XanGo Cup on 7/11 v. Club América, helping the squad to a 1-0 triumph ... Multi-point game on 8/26 v. CHV marked first such performance in nearly a year (8/29/08, 2G v. COL) ... Started in 17 of RSL's last 19 regular season contests up top [Missed 8/29 @ KC (coach's decision) & 7/18 @ CLB (red card on 7/03 v. SJ)] ... Scored insurance tally on 10/14 v. NY, his 90' tally securing a 2-0 victory and vital three points for the then-playoff hopefuls ... Started in both RSL wins in its Eastern Conference Semifinal Series against the defending champion Columbus Crew (65 min. on 10/31 @ RSL, 64 min. on 11/05 @ CLB) ... Was hauled down inside area by Hejduk at the end of the first half in Leg Two, the resulting conversion by Findley (47+) standing as the series-clinching tally (4-2 agg. win) ... Came off the bench on 11/14 @ CHI in the Eastern Conf. Championship, logging the final 48 minutes in the nail-biting 0-0 draw that RSL advanced out of via a 5-4 PK win ... Also appeared off the bench on 11/22 v. LA in MLS Cup 2009, his energy providing a spark that helped RSL continue to push through to the end of the 1-1 draw, which was followed by RSL's 5-4 PK triumph.

2008: Produced in limited minutes while hobbled by numerous injuries, scoring five goals in just 642 minutes across his 12 appearances (8 starts) ... Opened his scoring ledger for the season on 4/12 v. DC, notching RSL's second (19') in a 4-0 rout at Rice-Eccles ... Scored again in next appearance on 5/03 v. LA, tallying just six minutes in to give RSL a lead in the eventual 2-2 draw ... Goal off the bench on 5/24 @ DAL in 69th minute gave RSL a short-lived lead in a disappointing 1-2 loss at Pizza Hut Park ... L knee sprain suffered on 5/31 v. SJ lead to two-month hiatus from play ... Returned to play on 8/16 @ HOU, coming off the bench at the half to play 45 min. in the 3-4 defeat ... Returned to starting line-up with vengeance on 8/29 v. COL, scoring both goals in RSL's 2-0 Rocky Mountain Cup win, a performance that led to his first career MLS Player of the Week honor ... Saw regular season ended prematurely a week later on 9/06 @ LA, suffering a severely sprained ankle after celebrating an apparent goal just nine minutes into the contest ... Returned in time to be available for MLS Cup Playoffs, coming in off the bench in the Western Conf. Semifinal Series against Chivas USA in both the first leg on 11/01 @ RSL (6 min.) – the team's first ever postseason contest (1-0 W) – and a week later on 11/08 @ CHV in the away leg (2-2 T) ... DNP on 11/14 v. NY in the Western Conf. Final (coach's decision).

2007: Joined Real Salt Lake as a Senior International after signing with the club on 8/17/07 ... Made his MLS debut on 8/18 v. CHI with an 32-minute substitute appearance in a 2-0 defeat ... Scored first goal, the game-winner, in just his second start on 8/29 v. KC ... Notched first assist in MLS play on 9/29 @ NY, his laid-off ball in the 75th minute resulting in a Kyle Beckerman goal ... Served a one-game suspension 9/19 v. LAG for a red card (red card on 9/15 @ TFC).

INTERNATIONAL CLUB CAREER

2009: Deportivo Anzoátegui – Venezuelan First Division

2007: Sociedad Deportivo Quito – Serie A Ecuador (First Division)

2006: Sociedad Deportivo Aucas – Serie A Ecuador (First Division)

2006: Talleres de Córdoba – Primera División Argentina (First Division)

2005: Boca Juniors – Primera División Argentina (First Division)

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	RSL	12	8	602	2	2	13	9	7	16	7	3	3	1
2008	RSL	12	8	642	5	0	25	17	11	10	6	0	1	0
2009	RSL	22	17	1511	3	3	45	20	37	20	21	0	3	1
2010	RSL	22	19	1514	6	2	39	15	26	22	29	1	5	0
2011	RSL	27	25	2096	10	3	62	31	39	31	33	1	6	0
Totals		95	77	6365	26	10	184	92	120	99	96	5	18	2

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	2	0	9	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
2009	RSL	4	2	222	0	0	4	1	9	3	4	0	0	0
2010	RSL	2	2	163	1	0	4	2	1	2	4	0	0	0
2011	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	7	3	6	5	7	0	1	0
Totals		11	7	664	1	0	16	7	16	11	15	0	1	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	2 – 2 times, last: Sept. 21, 2011, RSL at NY
Assists	1 – 10 times, last: Oct. 22, 2011, RSL vs. POR
Shots on Goal	4 – Sept. 3, 2011, RSL vs. PHI
Shots	6 – 4 times, last: Sept. 3, 2011, RSL vs. PHI
Fouls Committed	5 – 4 times, last: Oct. 1, 2011, RSL at LA
Fouls Suffered	3 – 7 times, last: Sept. 28, 2011, RSL vs. CHI





HEIGHT: 6'3"

WEIGHT: 170

BORN: December 16, 1992 in Guadalajara, Mexico

HOMETOWN: El Paso, TX

CITIZENSHIP: USA/Mexico

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: Rookie (2012)

LAST CLUB: C.A. Peñarol (Uruguay) (2011)

ACQUIRED: Signed to a Homegrown Player contract on 2/24/12

Real Salt Lake's eye towards the future was bolstered in February with the signing of promising goalkeeper Lalo Fernandez as a Homegrown Player. The addition of Fernandez marks the third dip into the Homegrown Player well by Real Salt Lake in the last nine months, following on the heels of fellow RSL-Arizona Academy product Nico Muñiz (Sept. 2011) and Donny Toia (May 2011).

"The signing of Lalo Fernandez gives further proof that our RSL-Arizona Academy program is continuing to develop talent that will serve as the next generation of first-team contributors," said RSL General Manager Garth Lagerwey. "Lalo is a player we've had our eyes on for some time now, and we feel he'll be able to show tremendous growth under the tutelage of assistant coach Jeff Cassar and two of the best 'keepers in the league in Nick Rimando and Kyle Reynish."

The 19-year-old Fernandez has kept busy over the last year-and-a-half, helping the RSL-Arizona Under-18 squad begin its first season in U.S. Soccer Development Academy in October 2010 and going 5-3-3 (1.00 GAA, 4 shutouts) in 11 appearances through the spring of 2011. After initially agreeing to play collegiately at the University of Wisconsin, Fernandez tacked course and tested the international waters, first spending a training stint with Mexican first division side Atlas – based in his birthplace of Guadalajara – before signing with Uruguayan power C.A. Peñarol last August.

The 6-foot-3, 165-pound Fernandez has been involved in the Youth National Team set-ups of both the United States and Mexico, playing for the Mexican Under-17s and training with the U.S. Under-20s last November. The El Paso, Texas, native's goalkeeping skills run in the family, as his father, enjoyed a career as a professional netminder in Mexico.





HEIGHT: 5'10"

WEIGHT: 155

BORN: November 14, 1993 in Garden Grove, Calif.

HOMETOWN: Garden Grove, Calif.

CITIZENSHIP: USA

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 3rd Season (2010-11)

LAST CLUB: U.S. Under-20 MNT (2010)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Via trade on 2/23/10 from Kansas City Wizards in exchange for 2011 MLS SuperDraft selection, an International Player roster slot, and future transfer fee considerations

Real Salt Lake's philosophy for the development of Luis Gil had always been "slow and steady," but then Javier Morales' devastating ankle injury and a slew of national team call-ups hit in the spring, and the acceleration of Gil's learning curve soon followed. RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis originally took a committee approach to replacing Morales as the summer progressed, but the rotation would eventually include a heavy dose of the then-17-year-old Gil, who indeed proved capable of rising to the challenge while also doing plenty of "on-the-job" training. While inconsistent, as most teenagers growing up in a professional league tend to be, Gil more often than not showed glimpses as to why he was coveted by some of the world's top sides prior to joining the Claret-and-Cobalt back in 2010.

The physicality of the opposition might not be as much of a problem in 2012, as Gil entered RSL's preseason camp noticeably bigger and more confident, both on the ball and within the squad. With regular starters Morales and Will Johnson both dealing with injuries heading into the season, Gil may very well find himself a member of the starting XI when March rolls around, although this time around there will be no questions about whether or not he is ready for primetime.

MLS CAREER

2011: Became a regular contributor during second professional season, starting 14 of his 25 regular season appearances and scoring twice ... Early-season experience gained in MLS Reserve League (6GP/5GS, 434 mins.) and U.S. Open Cup play (90 min. on 6/28 v. Wilmington) helped the 17-year-old gain more match experience in the RSL system, readying him for the major minutes soon to come ... While mostly manned the top point of RSL's midfield diamond, the versatile Gil also spent some time on the outside of the diamond and at forward ... Made official MLS debut on 3/26 v. LA, playing the final 13 minutes in helping RSL close out a dominant 4-1 victory in Sandy ... First start in League play came on 6/11 @ PHI, playing 83 min. in a 1-1 draw at PPL Park ... Scored first goal on 8/06 v. NY, his low laser from 25 yards out beating Frank Rost in the 44th minute and counting as the middle tally in a 3-0 win ... Starting nod against the Red Bulls was first of seven straight appearances in Jason Kreis' starting XI ... Tallied again two weeks later on 8/20 @ HOU, his header off Espindola's cross at the hour mark giving RSL its second lead in a match it would eventually drop 2-3 ... Appeared in all three of RSL's playoff contests off the bench, totaling

22 minutes of action ... Postseason debut came on 10/29 v. SEA, playing the final 6 min. in a massive 3-0 win in Leg 1 of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series.

2010: Did not play in regular season action, but logged 75 combined first-team minutes in one appearance each in Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup and CONCACAF Champions League play ... Acquired via trade from KC on 02/23/10 in exchange for a 2011 conditional SuperDraft pick, an international player slot (one season) and future transfer fee considerations ... Made 18-man gameday roster for first time for RSL's Open Cup qualifier on 4/14 @ SJ, but did not see any action ... Left RSL camp to train with U.S. Under-18 Men's National Team at The Home Depot Center from April 25-May 2 ... Started and played 62 minutes, his first in an RSL uniform, in RSL's 1-1 friendly draw with the Mexican U-21 Nat'l Team on 5/15 ... Joined the U.S. U-18s for the Lisbon International Tournament from May 21-31 ... Met his RSL teammates in the Nation's Capital just in time to make his official first-team debut in Open Cup qualifying play on 6/02 @ DC, logging the two added extra time periods in the 1-2 OT defeat ... Played final 24 minutes in RSL's 2-0 exhibition win over Puntarenas F.C. (Costa Rica) on June 19 ... Would spend three months with AC St. Louis (USSF Div. II) on loan in July/Aug/Sept, during which he scored once across nine appearances (five starts) and totaled 445 minutes of action ... Made his St. Louis debut on 8/14 v. Portland, playing final 14 minutes off the bench in a 0-1 defeat ... Made his first professional goal on 9/18 v. Austin count, his 93rd minute strike counting as the game-winner in a 2-1 triumph ... Returned to Wasatch Front following USSF D-2 season in early October ... Started and played first 45 minutes of RSL's 3-1 home win over Cruz Azul on 10/19, helping the Utah side become the first MLS team to win a CCL Group Stage in nine such tries.

U.S. YOUTH NATIONAL TEAMS

Has represented the United States on over 40 occasions, scoring seven goals ... U.S. Under-23s: Participated in U-23 identification training camp based in Germany in Nov. 2011 ... Appeared in one contest during the trip, captaining a side consisting of the younger members of the camp to a 3-3 draw with Azerbaijan ... U.S. Under-20's: Has six appearances and two goals since entering U-20 player pool as part of 36-player camp in mid-December 2009 ... Made U-20 debut with 90-minute effort in opening game of Copa Chivas tournament in Guadalajara v. Pachuca on





1/22/10, scoring the USA's lone goal in the 1-3 defeat ... Also made appearances on 1/23 v. Brazil (1-1 T), 1/24 v. Tigres (0-1 L), and 1/26 v. Atlas (1-1 T) ... Played in two contests during May 2011 training trip to France, scoring once in a 3-3 draw against their French counterparts in exhibition play ... U.S. Under 18's: In February 2011, jumped from RSL's preseason camp to the U.S. U-18 camp, both based in Phoenix, the U-18 portion from Feb. 12-20 ... Played in first two of USA's three contests at the prestigious 2011 Northern Ireland Milk Cup in July 2011 ... Assisted on second goal in USA's 2-0 win over Israel in the Milk Cup opener on 7/25/11 and followed that up with a 90-minute performance two days later in a 1-1 draw against Mexico ... Spent portions of 2010 juggling schedule between club and country, first joining the U-18's for a camp under head coach Mike Matkovich at The Home Depot Center from 4/25 - 5/02 ... Few weeks later, joined the U-18s for the Lisbon International Tournament in Portugal from May 21-31 ... Captained the U.S. U-18's during the tournament in a 0-1 L v. Norway on 5/27 ... After entering at half, helped set up game's lone goal in the USA's 1-0 win on 5/28 v. Romania (Victor Chavez, 74') ... U.S. Under 17's: Made 32 appearances (5 goals) for the U.S. U-17s after joining the Residency Program in Bradenton, Fla. for the Spring 2008 semester ... Made 18 appearances in 2009, scoring 4G & 4A en route to being named U.S. Soccer's Young Male Athlete of the Year ... Registered one assist while serving in the playmaking role in each of the USA's four contests in the FIFA U-17 World Cup in Nigeria ... Was the youngest member of the United States squad at the tournament ... Assisted on Nick Palodichuk's goal in the Round of 16 match against Italy on 11/04/09, a 1-2 L that bounced the USA from the competition ... His four goals were second best on the team in 2009 ... Went the full 90 minutes in Group Stage matches on 10/26/09 v. Spain (1-2 L), 10/29/09 v. Malawi (1-0 W), and 11/01/09 v. United Arab Emirates (1-0 W) ... Performance in Nigeria garnered attention from such European giants as Arsenal and Real Madrid.

PERSONAL

Grew up in Garden Grove, Calif. and played for SoCal youth soccer powerhouse Pateadores, whose roster of alums includes Maurice Edu, John Thornington and Dan Califf ...

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	Did Not Play												
2011	RSL	25	14	1288	2	0	21	7	16	11	4	2	0	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	Did Not Play												
2011	RSL	3	0	22	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 - 2 times; last: Aug. 20, 2011, RSL @ HOU
Assists	0
Shots on Goal	1 - 7 times; last: Oct. 6, 2011, RSL @ VAN
Shots	2 - 6 times; last: Aug. 20, 2011, RSL @ HOU
Fouls Committed	3 - 2 times; last: Oct. 14, 2011, RSL @ COL
Fouls Suffered	3 - Oct. 6, 2011, RSL @ VAN





HEIGHT: 5'7"

WEIGHT: 150

BORN: July 1, 1983 in Joliet, IL

HOMETOWN: New Lenox, IL

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: Indiana

MLS EXPERIENCE: 9th Season
(2004-2011)

LAST CLUB: San Jose
Earthquakes (2008)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Selected by
Real Salt Lake in the 2009
MLS Wavier Draft on 3/03/09

CLB: Acquired via trade by
The Crew along with Joseph
Ngwenya on 5/12/06 in
exchange for Kyle Martino and
John Wolyniec

LA: Selected in the second
round (14th overall) of the
2004 MLS SuperDraft on
1/16/04

During his third season in Claret-and-Cobalt in 2011, Ned Grabavoy continued to find more minutes in the platoon system with Andy Williams on the right side of Real Salt Lake's diamond midfield, but, due to injuries and national team call-ups, the veteran also found himself at other spots in the diamond through necessity. Despite suffering from a nagging hamstring injury of his own late in the campaign, the gritty Grabavoy was able to register the second most appearances, starts and minutes of his eight seasons in Major League Soccer.

With Williams retiring during the offseason, the versatile Grabavoy will be depended upon even more by Head Coach Jason Kreis to set the tone on the field and in the locker room as one of the team's core members. The good news for Kreis and fans of RSL is that, thanks to a new offseason contract, the 28-year-old midfielder will put his masterful on-the-ball ability, vision and tenacity on display at Rio Tinto Stadium for at least the next three seasons.

MLS CAREER

2011: His 25 appearances; 21 starts and 1,899 minutes were all the second-most of his eight-year MLS career (previous high marks came as a member of Columbus in 2005) ... Despite suffering from nagging injuries during the latter half of the season, his 21 league starts were the third most for an RSL midfielder during the squad's roller-coaster campaign ... Appeared in all six of RSL's contests in the Championship Stage of the CONCACAF Champions League (289 mins.), starting three games, including both legs of the Finals against Monterrey ... Made his 150th regular season appearance on 6/18 v. DC ... Suffered left hamstring strain on 7/30 v CLB, forcing him out action for five weeks ... Returned with 17-minute stint off the bench on 9/03 v. PHI ... Re-aggravated the injury in 75-minute performance on 10/06 at Vancouver, knocking him out of final two regular season affairs ... Was able to return to line-up in a substitute role in all three of RSL's 2011 MLS Cup Playoff contests, totaling 63 minutes ... Only goal of the season on 10/29 v. SEA was also one of RSL's most important, his 88th minute tally in Leg One of the Western Conf. Semifinals giving RSL a 3-0 win and proving to stand as the eventual series-winner.

2010: Played 2,035 minutes across 32 League and Cup appearances (22 starts), notching three goals and three assists ... Scored all three goals in regular season play, tying a career-high (2007 w/ CLB) and T-5th on the squad ... One of just three players to appear in all six CONCACAF Champions League Group A contests (w/ Findley & Johnson), coming off the bench in five of the

matches ... Suffered a R MCL sprain on 04/10 v SEA that sidelined him for a month ... Injury has forced him to miss four League contests, a number that would surely be higher were it not for revolutionary PRP therapy, which replaces plasma from patient's own blood to area of injury, accelerating recovery time ... Finished off the scoring on 5/29 v. KC, his first goal in an RSL uniform (92+') resulting in the final 4-1 scoreline and snapping a 61-game goalless streak in MLS play (for CLB on 6/23/07 v. LA) ... Scored just minutes after coming off the bench on 7/24 v. CHV, his 66' tally opening the scoring in a 1-1 draw on Pioneer Day ... The first-time, left-footed volley from 25 yards out was easily voted the MLS Goal of the Week for Week 17 ... Notched first assist of season and broke 18-game snap without a helper in MLS play a week later on 7/31 v. DC, helping on Alvaro Saborio's 13th minute GWG to start the scoring in the 3-0 triumph ... Notched assist off the bench in CCL play on 9/15 v. TOR, helping Paulo Junior score in his RSL debut (80'), which closed the scoring in a 4-1 victory (92+') ... Made only CCL start on 9/22 @ Árabe Unido, notching another assist on Will Johnson's GWG (43') and going the distance in helping RSL capture a crucial 3-2 away win ... Started both Western Conference Semifinal Series contests vs. FC Dallas, going the distance on 10/30 @ DAL in the opener and playing 73 minutes in Leg Two on 11/06 in Sandy.

2009: Lone player selected in MLS' 2009 preseason Waiver Draft on 3/03 ... Made RSL's squad out of preseason camp and then valuable contributions after doing so, seeing action in 20 regular season contests and playing key roles in RSL's triumphs in the Eastern Conference Championship and MLS Cup 2009 ... Made RSL debut with 15-minute substitute appearance on 4/02 v. CLB, helping RSL to close out its 4-1 win over one of his former squads ... After appearing off the bench in 6 of RSL's first 9 games, started in 7 of next 9 contests between 5/23 @ DC through 7/24 v. DAL ... Missed 9/12 v. CHI contest due to a red card issued on 8/29 @ KC – his first-ever ejection coming in his 112th MLS contest ... Played the most productive minute in RSL history in the Eastern Conf. Championship on 11/14 @ CHI, entering the 0-0 draw in stoppage time of 2nd OT (123+'), making him eligible to convert the spot kick (7th Rd.) that clinched RSL's 5-4 win in penalties and a spot in the League's title tilt ... Had more time to impact the game in MLS Cup 2009 on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field, entering at the half for a depleted Will Johnson and playing a game-changing 75 minutes, helping RSL come from behind to force a 1-1 draw at the end of regulation and added extra time ... Stepped



up to the challenge in penalties for a second straight weekend, slamming home his fourth round attempt in RSL's eventual 5-4, seven-round PK victory ... The triumph made Grabavoy one of only two RSL players to capture a second MLS Cup title (w/ Rimando), his first coming with LA in 2005.

2008: Started 21 of 24 games for San Jose, recording four assists to tie for second on the team in that category ... Played 85 minutes in 'Quakes debut on 4/03 @ LA, pairing with Ramiro Corrales in central midfield ... Notched first assist of year on 4/19 @ COL, setting up Kei Kamara's goal ... Entered as a sub in U.S. Open Cup play on 4/30 @ RSL, playing 27 minutes in a 0-4 defeat ... Assisted Ryan Johnson's 89th minute goal on 5/10 v. CLB ... Started at forward on 5/17 @ NE ... Recorded assist on Kamara's goal on 5/22 v. HOU ... Set career-season high of four assists on 5/31 @ RSL ... Went the full 90 minutes and scored a goal on 7/15 v. Honduras Olympic Team ... Missed six weeks of action across July and August due to sports hernia surgery, returning to the field on 8/23 @ CHV ... Registered one assist in three games for the SJ Reserves.

2007: Notched career highs in games played (26), starts (24), goals (3) and assists (3) in his only full season with Columbus ... Started and played 90 minutes in CLB's first three games of the season ... Scored Crew's first goal of the year on 4/19 v. NE in a 2-2 tie ... Scored second goal of the season on 5/12 v. CHV in a 1-1 tie ... Notched two assists in 3-3 tie on 6/16 @ NE, marking his first career multi-assist effort ... Scored third goal of season against his former team on 6/23 @ LA.

2006: Appeared in 17 games between Los Angeles (7 GP/2 GS, OG/OA) and Columbus (10 GP/3 GS, 1G/1A) ... Part of a trade on 5/12 that sent he and Joseph Ngwenya from the Galaxy to The Crew in exchange for Kyle Martino and John Wolyniec ... Made a memorable Crew debut in front of his new home fans by scoring the GWG on 5/13 v. COL ... Notched lone assist of the season on 10/07 @ CHI ... Also made six appearances (all starts) in MLS Reserve Division play between LA and CLB, registering one assist.

2005: Appeared in 12 games for the Galaxy's first team during its MLS Cup-winning campaign, nine of them starts, while registering three assists ... Was a key contributor during the MLS Cup Playoffs, starting all four postseason affairs for LA and scoring once ... His 67' goal on 10/29 @ SJ in Game 2 of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series essentially dashed the 'Quakes hopes of advancement, securing a 1-1 draw for the second leg and ending the scoring in a 4-2 overall series result that moved the Galaxy into the Western Conference Final ... Started and played 66 min. on 11/13 v. NE in MLS Cup 2005, an eventual 1-0 overtime triumph ... Logged time in six Galaxy Reserves games, scoring one goal and dishing out three assists.

2004: Started 11 of his 15 appearances for the Galaxy during his rookie season, notching a goal and three assists ... Selected by the Galaxy in the second round (14th overall) of the 2004 MLS SuperDraft in Charlotte on 1/16/04 ... Started and went the full 90 minutes in his MLS debut on 4/24 v. CLB in a 2-0 win ... Earned his first career point and assist on 5/22 @ SJ ... His two other assists were game winners: in stoppage time on 6/12 v. CHI (3-2 W) and on 7/04 v. SJ (2-1 W) ... Scored his lone goal of the season on a free kick on 7/10 v. COL.

MLS CAREER

Represented U.S. Soccer at virtually every youth national team level ... 2003: Played in four matches, starting three, for the U.S. U-20 National Team at the 2003 FIFA World Youth Championship ... 2002: Appeared in four matches against international competition with the U-20s ... 2001: Was the leading scorer on the U-18s in 2001 with seven goals ... 1997: A member of the first class of players in U.S. Soccer's U-14 Boys national team program.

COLLEGE

Finished his three-year career at Indiana with 18 goals and 21 assists in 54 appearances (42 starts) ... Co-captained the Hoosiers to the 2003 NCAA College Cup crown at Crew Stadium ... Twice named an All-American by NSCAA/adidas ... A two-time All-Big Ten First-Team selection ... A member of the 2003 College Cup All-Tournament Team as a junior, the same year he was also named a MAC Hermann Trophy Semifinalist ... Gave up his final year of eligibility at Indiana to sign with the MLS Project-40 program in 2004.

HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB

Named the 2000 Gatorade and NSCAA/adidas National High School Player of the Year during his senior season at Lincoln-Way Central High School in New Lenox, IL ... Led Lincoln-Way Central to two-straight Illinois state championship games ... Played his club ball for the highly-regarded Chicago Magic youth soccer program based out of Frankfort, IL.

PERSONAL

Married wife Monica in December of 2008 ... Son of Ned and Lynn Grabavoy ... Has two sisters, Natalie and Tiffany, and one brother, Nick ... Enjoys music, sports and hanging out with friends ... Plays the guitar and hits the golf course in his spare time.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2004	Los Angeles	15	11	928	1	3	7	7	15	14	1	19	2	0
2005	Los Angeles	12	9	656	0	3	8	0	8	18	0	9	0	0
2006	Los Angeles	7	2	350	0	0	7	2	7	5	0	0	0	0
	Columbus	10	3	388	1	1	7	3	9	6	2	2	1	0
	2006 totals	17	5	738	1	1	14	5	16	11	2	2	1	0
2007	Columbus	26	24	2093	3	3	37	17	22	34	2	11	2	0
2008	San Jose	24	21	1709	0	4	14	2	21	18	0	8	2	0
2009	RSL	20	8	765	0	2	7	2	8	11	0	0	1	1
2010	RSL	23	18	1562	3	1	10	6	19	28	1	1	4	0
2011	RSL	25	21	1899	0	0	17	3	25	38	3	1	3	0
	Totals	162	117	10350	8	17	114	42	134	172	9	51	15	1

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2004	Los Angeles	Did Not Play												
2005	Los Angeles	4	4	298	1	0	6	3	3	6	0	0	0	0
2009	RSL	2	0	76	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
2010	RSL	2	2	163	0	0	2	1	3	1	0	0	1	0
2011	RSL	3	0	64	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
	Totals	11	6	601	2	0	11	5	7	12	0	0	1	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 – 8 times, last: Oct. 16, 2010; RSL v. DAL
Assists	2 – June 16, 2007; CLB @ NE
Shots on Goal	2 – 8 times, last: July 24, 2010; RSL v. CHV
Shots	4 – 3 times, last: Sept. 15, 2007; CLB @ KC
Fouls Committed	5 – 2 times, last: Oct. 7, 2006; CLB @ CHI
Fouls Suffered	6 – Oct. 1, 2005; LA v. DAL





HEIGHT: 5'10"

WEIGHT: 155

BORN: January 21, 1987 in Toronto, Ontario, Canada

HOMETOWN: Woodridge, Illinois

CITIZENSHIP: United States/Canada/England

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 6th Season (2005, 2008-11)

LAST CLUB: De Graafschap (2008) (Dutch Eredivisie)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Via trade with Chicago Fire on 8/22/08 in a conditional exchange for Real Salt Lake's natural 2009 4th round and 2011 2nd round MLS SuperDraft picks

CHI: Signed to a Senior roster contract on 2/17/05

Will Johnson was a busy guy in 2011, but when you're depended upon to be a stalwart for both your club and country, well, that just goes with the territory. But with Johnson possessing one of – if not the best – motors in all of Major League Soccer, the industrious 25-year-old not only has the stamina to handle the added workload, but the pride and character to relish it. He also has the history to prove he can handle the added miles as well, playing at least 2,000 minutes and in at least 25 regular season contests for the Claret-and-Cobalt in each of his first three full seasons ... and that's not counting the additional wear-and-tear (and pressure) endured during Cup competitions.

With another round of World Cup qualifying in store for his Canadian National Team and another run in the CONCACAF Champions League on the docket for Real Salt Lake, it's going to be another chock full calendar in 2012 for Johnson, who will again be depended upon to man the left side of RSL's midfield diamond. While a procedure to correct a sports hernia issue might slow Johnson down for the first few weeks of the season, the RSL faithful can rest assured his odometer will start spinning furiously sooner rather than later.

MLS CAREER

2011: Steady midfielder started 22 of 25 league appearances (2,059 min.), notching a pair of goals and an assist ... 22 starts marked the 2nd most for an RSL midfielder in 2011, behind only Beckerman (27) ... Logged every minute of RSL's six CONCACAF Champions League Championship Stage matches, helping the squad to the cusp of a historic victory in the continental club championship ... Helped get RSL on the board in Leg One of the CCL Finals on 4/20 @ Monterrey, whipping in the cross that Borchers headed home for the first equalizer in the eventful 2-2 draw ... First goal of season on 5/07 v. CHV was an emotional one, the late game-winner at Rio Tinto Stadium giving RSL the victory after fellow midfielder Javier Morales was felled by an ankle injury earlier in the match ... The goal was his first in regular season play since 4/10/10 v. SEA ... Started RSL's comeback on 7/04 v. NE, his 24' goal helping the Utahns to a share of the spoils in a wild 3-3 Independence Day draw ... Notched only assist of regular season five days later on 7/09 v. DAL, helping on Espindola's late insurance tally in a 2-0 win ... Due to National Team duty for Canada, missed handful of contests while representing Canucks at the 2011 Gold Cup in July and in World Cup Qualifying contests across the last two months of the season ... Missed 10/6 @ VAN due to Canadian WCQ duty, but suffered ankle injury 17 minutes into eventual 7-0 win @ St. Lucia ... Missed 10/14 @ COL due to ankle, but returned for regular season finale on 10/22 v. POR ... Went the full 90 minutes in all three of RSL's 2011 MLS Cup Playoff contests.

2010: Appeared in 38 of team's 40 matches across League and Cup competitions (33 starts), logging an impressive 3,016 minutes while scoring five goals and adding an assist along the way ... Placed 3rd on squad with 28 regular season appearances and 5th with 24 starts ... Was only RSL player to start all six contests and logged a team-high 480 minutes in CONCACAF Champions League Group Stage action, helping RSL to become the first MLS team to finish atop its group in nine tries ... His three CCL goals were T-2nd (w/ Paulo Junior), behind only Saborio's six-goal haul ... Notched his only goal in MLS action on 4/10 v. SEA, scoring the first goal of the season at Rio Tinto Stadium with a textbook diving header 53 minutes into the eventual 2-2 draw ... Put in a sturdy 120 min. four days later in RSL's Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifier on 4/14 @ SJ, helping the Utah side push through a wild 3-3 draw before notching the opening spot kick during its 5-3 PK triumph ... Went full 120 minutes on 6/02 @ DC, his PK in the 80th minute forcing the U.S. Open Cup qualifier to added extra time (1-2 L) ... Started and played full 90 minutes of RSL's "instant classic" 4-5 loss @ Cruz Azul on 8/25, his 92+' equalizer nearly giving the Utahans a rare draw for an MLS side south of the border ... Opened and closed the scoring on 9/22 @ Árabe Unido, his 10th and 43rd minute tallies lifting RSL to a vital 3-2 victory in Panama City ... Logged 22 minutes off the bench in Leg One of RSL's Western Conf. Semifinal Series on 10/30 @ DAL (1-2 L) ... Started and went the full 90 minutes in Leg Two on 11/06 v. DAL (1-1 T).

2009: Notched a goal and three assists while ranking in top five on squad with 26 starts (3rd) and games played (T-5th) ... Scored RSL's lone goal on 4/28 @ SEA in a Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifier, his tally just past the half-hour mark helping cut into a Sounders lead that eventually grew into a 1-4 RSL defeat ... Contributed to crazy finish in 2-2 draw on 5/06 v. LA, first being whistled for a handball in the area that set up Donovan's 91+' equalizer before converting a spot kick of his own a minute later, only to see his hopeful game-winner cancelled out minutes later by Magee in the 94+' ... Named to first MLS All-Star squad by Dominic Kinnear as an injury replacement for Shalrie Joseph (NE) on 7/24 ... Played 45 min. for MLS All-Stars on 7/29 v. Everton FC at Rio Tinto Stadium in MLS' 3-4 PK defeat (1-1 in regulation) in front of his home crowd in Sandy... Converted his PK opportunity in the shootout against USA #1 keeper Tim Howard ... 84 min. stint on 8/01 @ CHI marked the first time Johnson had failed to log the full 90 in a regular season or postseason match since joining RSL in Aug. 2008 ... Started all four of RSL's postseason contests, playing every minute up until halftime of MLS Cup 2009 ... After 120 minutes of play on 11/14 @ CHI in



the Eastern Conf. Championship, helped get revenge on his former side by converting fifth round PK that continued the shootout that eventually ended 5-4 in favor of RSL ... Gamely started MLS Cup 2009 on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field, but a bout of food poisoning would limit him to the first 45 minutes of RSL's 1-1 draw and an exit before its 5-4 triumph in penalties that claimed the Utah side's first title.

2008: Started all 12 regular season and playoff appearances he was available for after rights were acquired by RSL from Chicago Fire on 8/22 in exchange for conditional 2009 4th round and 2011 2nd round MLS SuperDraft picks ... Scored a pair of goals in his nine regular season appearances ... Re-signed with MLS on 8/15/08 after spending two years in Dutch Eredivisie, becoming the fifth North American native to return from Europe to play for RSL in 2008 (Borchers, Joy, Mathis and Russell) ... Played all 270 minutes in RSL's maiden postseason run, starting both Western Conference Semifinal Series games against Chivas USA (11/01 v. CHV & 11/08 @ CHV) and the Western Conference Final on 11/15 v. NY ... Made his RSL debut with a 90-minute performance on 8/29 v. COL in a 2-0 win at Rice-Eccles Stadium ... Also started RSL's final exhibition of the season on 9/03 v. UANL Tigres (MEX), starting and playing the first half in a 1-0 win ... Scored first goal for RSL in just his second appearance with his new club on 9/06 @ LA, his 52' tally helping the squad to a 2-2 away draw ... His second goal in an RSL uniform – a brilliant volley 54th minute volley on 10/18 v. FCD in a 3-1 triumph – counted not only as his first game-winner in MLS play, but was also voted the 2008 Sierra Mist MLS Goal of the Year via fan voting at season's end.

2005: Started one of six appearances during his rookie campaign in 2005, scoring one goal in 162 minutes of play ... Signed a Senior roster contract with Chicago as an 18-year-old on 2/17/05 ... Made his MLS debut on 7/16 v. CLB, entering at the half in place of Scott Buete and playing the final 45 minutes in a 1-1 tie ... Notched his first MLS start and goal a week later on 7/23 @ COL, scoring the first goal of the game (16') and playing 71 minutes in an eventual 1-4 L ... Played final 17 minutes off bench on 10/05 v. MET in a 2-2 draw, marking his last MLS appearance prior him joining RSL in 2008.

INTERNATIONAL CLUB CAREER

2007-08: De Graafschap – Dutch Eredivisie (First Division): Was loaned to Dutch Eredivisie squad De Graafschap from SC Heerenveen for the 2007/08 season, when he scored three times in 39 games across all competitions while spending time at forward, central midfield and right midfield.

2006-07: SC Heerenveen – Dutch Eredivisie (First Division): Scored one goal in 14 first-team appearances with SC Heerenveen after signing with the Dutch Eredivisie club prior to the 2006/07 season.

2003-04: Blackburn Rovers – English Premiership (Youth system): Pursued youth career in England with Premiership side Blackburn in 2003 and 2004, performing for the team's youth squads prior to returning to America to start his professional career with the Chicago Fire in 2005.

CANADIAN NATIONAL TEAMS

Senior Team: Has amassed 24 caps for Canada's full squad since making his debut as an 18-year-old on 11/16/2005 in a 1-0 friendly win v. Luxembourg ... Became a fixture in the Canadian midfield in 2011, playing in 11 of the team's 12 contests and ending the season

as one of 10 finalists for the BMO Canadian Player of the Year honor ... Played in five of Canada's six matches in Round 2 of CONCACAF qualifying for the 2014 World Cup between September and November, helping the team easily advance from Group C ... Scored his first goal at the senior international level on 9/02/11 v. St. Lucia in World Cup Qualifying play ... Also represented Canada at 2011 Gold Cup in the USA, playing 245 minutes across the trio of group stage matches ... Made his first appearance since the 2009 Gold Cup on 5/24/10 @ Argentina, going the full 90 minutes in a 0-5 defeat in Buenos Aires, a friendly the Albicelestes used as a tune-up match for the FIFA World Cup ... Started in all four of Canada's contests in the 2009 CONCACAF Gold Cup in the United States ... Made his World Cup Qualifying debut and first-ever start for the Maple Leafs on 11/19/08 @ Jamaica in a 0-3 loss ... **Olympic Team (U-23s):** Was a prominent member of the Canadian U-23 National Team during the 2008 Olympic cycle, scoring three goals in three matches during the Maple Leafs' run at the CONCACAF Olympic Qualifying Tournament held in March 2008 ... That performance resulted in Johnson being named one of three forwards on the CONCACAF Olympic Qualifying competition's All-Tournament Team ... Youth Teams: Made 32 appearances for Canada's U-19 and U-20 teams from 2004-07 ... His lengthy stint with the U-20s included three starts at both the 2005 and 2007 FIFA World Youth Championships in Holland and Canada, respectively.

PERSONAL

A Toronto-born son of English parents, Johnson holds Canadian, American and English citizenship ... Born in Toronto, moved to England as an infant and settled in the Chicago area at the age of 10 ... His grandfather, Brian Birch, played professionally for English squad Bolton Wanderers.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	Chicago	6	1	162	1	0	4	2	5	1	0	0	1	1
2008	RSL	9	9	810	2	0	17	10	10	13	0	0	2	0
2009	RSL	26	26	2305	1	3	48	22	26	28	2	8	8	0
2010	RSL	28	24	2184	1	1	40	12	23	25	6	18	3	0
2011	RSL	25	22	2059	2	1	39	15	20	29	2	13	6	1
	Totals	94	82	7520	7	5	148	61	84	96	10	39	20	2

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2005	RSL	Did Not Play												
2008	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	7	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
2009	RSL	4	4	345	0	0	1	0	5	4	1	1	2	0
2010	RSL	2	1	112	0	0	3	2	0	4	0	4	0	0
2011	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	3	2	2	3	0	0	0	0
	Totals	12	11	997	0	0	14	5	9	13	1	5	2	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 – 7 times, last: July 4, 2011; RSL v. NE
Assists	1 – 5 times, last: July 9, 2011; RSL v. DAL
Shots on Goal	2 – 15 times, last: Sept. 10, 2011; RSL @ SEA
Shots	4 – 4 times, last: May 28, 2011; RSL v. SEA
Fouls Committed	4 – 2 times, last: Aug. 14, 2010; RSL v. CLB
Fouls Suffered	5 – Oct. 1, 2011; RSL @ LA





HEIGHT: 6'0"

WEIGHT: 175

BORN: February 28, 1988 in Trelawny, Jamaica

HOMETOWN: Trelawny, Jamaica

CITIZENSHIP: Jamaica

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: N/A

LAST CLUB: Fort Lauderdale Strikers (NASL) (2011)

After securing the rights of former North American second-division standouts Yordany Alvarez and Paulo Junior over the offseason, Real Salt Lake could very easily go back to the well to secure the services of left back Lance Laing, who joined the squad for its Tucson-based spring training camp in mid-February. The 24-year-old Laing enjoyed a stellar debut season with Paulo Junior's former side, the Fort Lauderdale Strikers, earning NASL Best XI honors in 2011 after beginning his professional career with four seasons in his native Jamaica.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Joined the NASL's Ft. Lauderdale Strikers in 2011, the former squad of current RSL forward Paulo Junior (formerly Miami FC) ... Notched a goal and an assist in 22 contests for the Strikers, his work at the back leading to a spot in the NASL Best XI at season's end ... Joined Fort Lauderdale from Jamaican side Village United in his home area of Trelawny, where he played the 2010-11 Jamaican National Premier League ... Began professional career with three seasons (2007-2010) for Jamaican powers Harbour View and was part of the squad that won both the 2007 and 2010 JNPL titles ... Participated in the 2007 CFU Club Championship, 2008 CONCACAF Champions' Cup and 2008-09 CONCACAF Champions League as a member of Harbour View.

INTERNATIONAL CAREER

Represented Jamaica twice at the senior international in 2008, debuting in a friendly against El Salvador on 7/26/08 ... Was a regular member of the Reggae Boyz' Under-17 squad between 2004-05.





HEIGHT: 5'7"

WEIGHT: 160

BORN: September 29, 1990 in Montevideo, Uruguay

HOMETOWN: Rock Hill, S.C.

CITIZENSHIP: Uruguay

COLLEGE: University of North Carolina

MLS EXPERIENCE: Rookie

LAST CLUB: University of North Carolina (2011)

ACQUIRED: Selected in the first round (17th overall) of the 2012 MLS SuperDraft on 1/12/12

Some things are just meant to be, and that seemed to be the general consensus when highly-touted midfielder Enzo Martinez fell right into the lap of Real Salt Lake late in the first round of January's MLS SuperDraft in Kansas City. Why the key cog for North Carolina's College Cup-winning side slid to the 17th overall pick will never be known, but what is for certain is that the motivated midfielder's savvy on the ball, mature decision-making and industrious workrate will make the native Uruguayan a perfect fit in the diamond midfield RSL has perfected under Jason Kreis. While the RSL Technical Staff gushed about the Generation adidas product's production and ability, it was even more impressed with his maturity off the field, forcing many of the pundits who questioned where the 21-year-old might fit on the field for many teams to also admit that the Claret-and-Cobalt might just have come away with the steal of draft day.

COLLEGIATE

Collegiate Stats at UNC

Year	GP/GS	G	A
2011 (senior)	20/20	4	0
2010 (junior)	19/18	0	0
2009 (sophomore)	13/4	0	1
2008 (freshman)	18/4	5	2
Totals	72/53	22	20

Career Highlights/Accolades: One of nine members of the 2012 Generation adidas class ... Named a NSCAA First Team All-American and to Soccer America's MVP's Second Team after helping lead top-seeded North Carolina to the 2011 College Cup title following his junior season ... Played all but 6 minutes of UNC's five-game run to the championship, earning a spot on the 2011 College Cup All-Tournament Team in the process ... Helped the Tar Heels kick off the tournament on 11/20/11 by scoring the game-winner (69') in a 3-2 victory over Coastal Carolina in the Second Round ... His 85th minute shot-turned-assist on 12/09 v. UCLA equalized the National Semifinal showdown, which UNC would emerge from in PKs ... Named a NSCAA Third Team All-American and to the All-Atlantic Conference Second Team as a sophomore in 2010 after leading Tar Heels in goals (10) and assists (5) ... An ACC All-Freshman Team honoree in 2009 after appearing in 22 of UNC's 24 games and helping the squad to the College Cup Semifinals, where the Heels fell in PK's to eventual champion Akron ... Played club soccer for Discoveries Soccer Club out of Rock Hill, SC, where he was a teammate of fellow 2012 RSL draft pick Sebastian Velasquez.

Misc: Along with his girlfriend, founded “Kicking for a Cause,” a charitable cause that raises money for local organizations and families in need in his hometown of Rock Hill ... Bilingual speaker is fluent in both English and Spanish ... Uncle, Miguel Beltran, played for Nacional, a powerhouse in his native Uruguay ... Moved to the United States from Uruguay at the age of 10.





HEIGHT: 5'9"

WEIGHT: 165

BORN: January 10, 1980 in Buenos Aires, Argentina

HOMETOWN: Buenos Aires, Argentina

CITIZENSHIP: Argentina

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 6th Season (2007-11)

LAST CLUB: UD Vecindario [Spanish LIGA BBVA (Second Division)] (2007)

ACQUIRED: Signed to a Senior contract as a Senior International on 8/17/07

Perhaps no player in Major League Soccer was poised to have a better 2011 than Javier Morales. From the get-go, the Argentine midfield maestro was pulling the strings for a Real Salt Lake side on the cusp of international glory, his infectious attitude, quiet leadership and abundant skill helping a pioneering club earn plaudits from every corner of America's soccer landscape. So while RSL's disappointment at the end of its CONCACAF Champions League run in late April was a tough blow for the squad, it's quite telling that the result's effect on the team's season paled in comparison to the loss of Morales to an ankle injury just 10 days after the stinging defeat.

It is also telling that, during a stretch of two weeks when clumsy challenges like the one Morales suffered from felled some of MLS' other brightest attacking talents, RSL's playmaker vowed to come back before season's end. Anyone who saw the incident must have thought Morales' thoughts were wishful thinking at best, but they also weren't witness to the hard work he put in day after day. While the air was sucked out of the building that day, Morales knew it wasn't sucked out of the season, and he wanted to make sure he could help the squad finish the challenge it had laid down at the start of the year – add hardware to the trophy case.

While that goal wouldn't come to fruition, the comeback of Morales inspired not only his teammates, but the RSL faithful as well, who could not get enough updates on the status of "Javi" and when – not if – he would return to the field. While Morales was never back to 100% during the final six weeks of the season, he showed plenty enough to make it clear that he was closer than anyone, save himself, might have thought. But, perhaps more than anything, his comeback allowed everyone the opportunity to remember a different image of #11 at Rio Tinto Stadium in 2011 – the thunderous standing ovation he received upon entering the Sept. 28 match against Chicago in front of the largest crowd in the stadium's history. 20,762 fans, all there to pay tribute to the heart-and-soul of RSL, to see the maestro pick up his baton once again.

The start of the 2012 campaign sees Morales continuing to overcome injury, an offseason procedure to clean out bone spurs in his left foot and a right quad strain suffered during the preseason limiting him during the squad's preparations for the upcoming season. But if 2011 proved anything, it's that Morales will be able to overcome any challenge thrown at him ... and likely sooner than anyone could imagine.

MLS CAREER

2011: Started nine of 10 regular season appearances split between beginning and end of the season, scoring twice and adding three assists ... Also played all but three of RSL's 540 minutes across its run to the CONCACAF Champions League Finals, adding three goals and an assist

in the competition's Championship Stage ... Helped key RSL's offensive explosion on 3/01 v. CLB in the CCL Quarterfinals 2nd leg, assisting on Saborio's 23' opener before adding a pair of his own, including the 36' GWG, in a dominant 4-1 performance ... Notched game-winning assist on 3/19 @ SJ, finding Beckerman for his 64' tally in a 1-0 victory in monsoon-like conditions at Buck Shaw Stadium ... Duplicated earlier 1A/2G effort against Columbus on 3/26 v. LA, helping Williams open the scoring less than 90 seconds in before tacking on a pair (10', 41') to crush the Galaxy in a 4-1 win in Sandy ... Provided the high point of RSL's campaign on 4/20 @ Monterrey, his far-post finish in the 89' bringing the first leg of the CCL Finals to its eventual 2-2 finish ... Suffered a dislocated ankle and torn ligaments in his left foot on 5/07 @ CHV, Marcos Mondaini's challenge from behind ruling the RSL playmaker out of game action for what would prove to be four-and-a-half months ... Returned to 18-man roster on 9/24 @ DC but did not feature ... Four days later on 9/28 v. CHI, entered the match at the hour mark and went the final 30 minutes in a 0-3 defeat in which RSL went down to 10 men early ... Would make first start and notch first assist of his comeback on 10/01 @ LA, Espindola's finish of his 45' corner kick giving RSL a temporary lead in an eventual 1-2 defeat ... Ended up starting each of RSL's last four contests, and went the full 90 minutes in the last three ... Also started all three of RSL's postseason contests, playing all but 12 of the 270 available minutes and tying David Beckham for the postseason assist lead with three helpers ... Assisted on both of Saborio's tallies on 10/29 v. SEA in Leg 1 of the Western Conference Semifinals, spurring RSL to a crucial 3-0 win and eventual 3-2 series triumph ... Ended the season with a 90-minute effort on 11/06 @ LA, in which he assisted on Saborio's 25' equalizer in the 1-3 defeat in the Western Conf. Championship at The Home Depot Center.

2010: Consistent return to top form in 2010 earned the Argentine playmaker his first MLS "Best XI" honor at season's end, his second RSL Most Valuable Player award, and his second consecutive MLS All-Star nomination – this time voted as a "First XI" choice by fans, players, coaches, GM's and his playing peers ... Combined to play 2,511 minutes across 32 matches (28 starts) in League and Cup competition ... Led squad with nine assists in MLS play while also ranking in top 5 with an MLS-career-high seven goals (2nd), 25 starts (4th), and 2,163 minutes played (5th) ... The nine helpers placed T-9th across MLS alongside fellow Argentine Guillermo Barros Schelotto, while 76 fouls suffered were 2nd most, behind only League MVP David Ferreira ... Finished season in top five





JAVIER MORALES MIDFIELDER

on RSL's career charts in numerous categories, his all-time numbers including 31 assists (1st), 15 goals (T-5th w/ Movsisyan), 6 game-winning assists (1st), 7 game-winning goals (2nd), 199 fouls suffered (2nd behind A. Williams), 64 shots on goal (4th), and 132 shots (T-5th w/ Kreis) ... 2G/1A effort in a thorough 3-0 win on 3/27 @ SJ led to Morales being voted the first MLS Player of the Week of 2010 ... Started scoring with a stunning 30-yard volley into the upper right 90 (14') before finishing the night's scoring with another upper-corner beauty on a free kick from the edge of the area (54'), and notched an assist on an Espindola (27') goal in between ... The brace marked his first multi-goal effort in what was his 63rd regular-season match in an RSL uniform ... His tally on 4/01 @ HOU (17') pushed RSL out to a lead in the eventual 1-2 defeat, and was retroactively voted the MLS Goal of the Week for Week 2 ... Missed MLS Cup '09 rematch on 4/17 @ LA due to a R adductor strain suffered on 04/10 v SEA ... Helped exact revenge on 5/13 v. HOU, assisting twice (Saborio - 24', 60') to help lead RSL to a 3-1 win in Sandy ... Helped end Galaxy's 12-game undefeated streak to start the season on 6/09 v. LA, his 80' goal off a Galaxy miscue counting as the lone goal in a 1-0 win that preceded the World Cup break ... Notched another 2-assist game on 7/02 v. NE in RSL's 5-0 drubbing of the Revs (Olave - 47+', Saborio - 57') ... After earning second All-Star nod, started and played 63 minutes on 7/28 on behalf of MLS vs. Manchester United in the EPL side's 5-2 win in front of 70,728 fans at Houston's Reliant Stadium ... Earned MLS Player of the Week honors for Week 21 effort on 8/14 v. CLB, blasting home two seeing-eye strikes (11', 60') that punctuated a dominant performance and a 2-0 win in the battle of Conference leaders at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Assisted on both RSL goals on 10/02 @ NE (Borchers - 68', Saborio - 84') in a 2-1 win that marked the team's first ever on artificial turf ... Led the charge in clash of the records on 10/16 v. DAL, assisting on Grabavoy's GWG (59') before closing the scoring himself (90') in a 2-0 win that pushed RSL's home undefeated run in MLS play to 25 games and snapped FCD's League-record-tying 20 match stretch ... After picking up a red card (69' - 2nd caution) on 10/30 @ DAL in Leg One of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series, was forced to sit out of the 1-1 Leg Two draw on 11/06 in Sandy (2-3 aggregate loss)

2009: First-time MLS All-Star finished season 3rd on RSL with five assists and 5th with 24 GS and 26 GP ... Also started all four MLS Cup Playoff contests for RSL, finishing the postseason with a goal and assist in 299 minutes of action ... Finished season as RSL's career leader in assists (21) and corner kicks (239) ... Ranked in top 5 in MLS with 113 corner kicks (2nd to KC's Lopez - 123) and 55 fouls suffered (4th) ... His first and only goal of the season was a big one on 4/11 v. DC, his 80th minute finish past Louis Crayton lifting the home side to a 2-1 victory ... Made his contributions known during a historic night on 4/25 v. NE, assisting on RSL's first two goals (Olave - 53', Mathis - 55') in a 6-0 trouncing of the Revs ... Morales' precision corner kick to the far post combined with Mathis' thunderous volley to create one of the three 2009 MLS Goal of the Year nominees ... Served one-games suspensions on 5/06 v. LA (Disciplinary Committee Decision for incident on 5/02 @ COL) and 6/06 v. COL (caution accumulation) ... Netted the lone goal on 7/11 v. Club América (MEX) in XanGo Cup 2009, defeating the "Águilas" 1-0 in the first-ever international friendly at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Named in July to his first MLS All-Star Team as one of two "Commissioner's Picks" along with teammate Kyle Beckerman ... Played 26 min. for MLS All-Stars on 7/29 v. Everton FC at Rio Tinto Stadium in MLS' 3-4 PK defeat (1-1 in regulation) in front of his home crowd ... Suffered R adductor strain on 8/23 @ NE and missed 8/26 v. CHV and 8/29 @ KC contests ... Started in heated friendly on 10/07 v. CD Guadalajara (Chivas) (MEX) and played 42 minutes before leaving the match ... Ended season on a high note on 10/24 v. COL, notching assist on Movsisyan's final RSL tally in the 85' of a thorough 3-0 win that helped clinch RSL's passage to the postseason ... Sparked RSL in East Semifinal Leg Two on 11/05 @ CLB, factoring in all three goal-scoring plays while registering a goal and assist in leading Utahns to a 3-2 win and a spot in the

East Championship ... The 1G/1A effort marked his second such postseason performance (11/08/08 @ CHV, West Semifinal Leg #2) ... Played all 120 minutes on 11/14 @ CHI in the Eastern Conf. Championship, seeing the match through to its 120-minute conclusion (missed 4th round PK) ... Started MLS Cup 2009 on 11/22 v. LA in Seattle, but an awkward challenge from David Beckham resulted in a knee injury that forced the Argentine from the Qwest Field turf in the 22nd minute of RSL's eventual 1-1 draw that was capped by a 5-4 PK victory.

2008: Started and appeared in 29 of RSL's 30 contests during the best season ever enjoyed by an RSL midfielder, breaking the club's single-season record with 15 assists while also finishing T-2nd (w/ Findley) on RSL's scoring chart with six goals ... Finished 2nd in MLS in assists (15), assists/gm (0.52), and multi-assist games (3); 4th in assists/90 min. (0.54) and fouls committed (49); and 5th in fouls suffered (59) ... His assist on RSL's first-ever goal at Rio Tinto Stadium on 10/09 v. NY (Olave – 41') was his 17th in an RSL uniform, breaking a tie with Andy Williams for RSL's career lead in the category ... His five-game point streak from 4/26 @ DC – 5/31 v. SJ (2G/5A) was T-2nd for the longest such stretch of the season [trailing only Luciano Emilio (DC) – 6] ... Notched first two-assist match in his MLS career on 5/03 v. LA ... His free kick (own goal – 11') and deflected shot (Nunez goal – 60') started both of RSL's goal-scoring plays on 6/28 in a 2-1 win v. NE ... Took part in the first half of RSL's 1-4 loss in XanGo Cup 2008 on 7/09 v. Santos Laguna (MEX) ... Scored the GWG on 7/12 with a 4' free kick in RSL's 2-0 victory v. CLB ... Played the second half of RSL's 1-2 L in an international friendly on 7/23 v. Deportivo Saprissa (CRC) ... Had second 2-assist game of season – both on Fabian Espíndola goals – in a 2-0 win over COL on 8/29 ... Signed contract extension on 9/23 that will keep him a member of RSL through the 2012 campaign ... His back-to-back 1G/1A performances on 9/27 @ SJ and 10/04 @ NE marked his third and fourth such performances of the season (5/31 v. SJ and 8/16 @ HOU) ... His 12th assist of the season, a brilliant chip to Andy Williams (73'), on 10/04 @ NE gave him the RSL single-season record in the category, breaking Jeff Cunningham's mark of 11 (2006) ... Became first player in RSL history and second player in MLS in 2008 (Barros Schelotto – CLB) to record assists in four straight games on 10/18 v. FCD, a match that marked his third 2-helper game of the campaign ... Figured in all three of RSL's goals in the 2008 MLS Cup Playoffs ... Carried his sparkling season over into the postseason in Game One of the Western Conference Semifinal Series v. CHV on 11/01, assisting on Movsisyan's 90' goal in a dramatic 1-0 win at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Continued his wizardry in Game Two @ CHV on 11/08, first serving the final cross on Kovalenko's 39' equalizer before hammering what would be the final nail in the Goats' coffin, his curling 77' strike serving as the eventual series winner in the game's 2-2 draw and RSL's 3-2 aggregate series win.

2007: Joined Real Salt Lake as a Senior International with the club on 8/17/07 ... Finished the season with one goal and two assists in seven appearances (five starts) ... Made a spectacular first impression in his MLS debut on 8/29 v. KC, recording an assist on fellow Argentine Matías Mantilla's goal 40 seconds into the match ... The assist was the fastest ever for a player making his MLS debut ... Scored his first career MLS goal on 9/19 v. LAG on an 86th minute free-kick, helping RSL earn a 2-2 draw.





INTERNATIONAL CLUB CAREER

2006-07: UD Vesindario – Spanish LIGA BBVA (Second Division): Made 23 appearances and 20 starts in one season in Spain's second division, scoring five goals for the club.

2006: Instituto de Córdoba – Primera División Argentina (First Division)

2000-03, 2004-05: Arsenal de Sarandí – Primera División Argentina (First Division): Made 79 appearances, scoring three goals, over parts of six seasons with the team ... Helped team earn promotion from Nacional B Metropolitano (Third Division) up to the Primera División in during his first stint with the Avellaneda-based club.

2004: Newell's Old Boys – Primera División Argentina (First Division): Made 11 appearances, notching one goal while with the first division squad.

1998-2000, 2003: Lanús – Primera División Argentina (First Division): Made 28 appearances over three seasons.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	RSL	7	5	369	1	2	6	3	8	9	1	15	2	0
2008	RSL	29	29	2511	6	15	48	23	49	59	5	112	3	0
2009	RSL	26	24	2076	1	5	36	16	30	55	2	113	6	0
2010	RSL	26	25	2163	7	9	42	21	35	76	4	80	2	0
2011	RSL	10	9	785	2	3	12	5	10	22	3	35	3	0
Totals		98	92	7904	17	34	144	68	132	221	15	355	16	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	3	3	267	1	2	8	2	9	8	0	10	0	0
2009	RSL	4	4	299	1	1	4	1	6	3	0	5	1	0
2010	RSL	1	1	69	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	1	1
2011	RSL	3	3	258	0	3	2	2	4	10	0	10	1	0
Totals		11	11	893	2	6	14	5	24	24	0	25	3	1

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	2 – 3 times, last: Mar. 26, 2011; RSL v. LA
Assists	2 – 7 times, last: Oct. 2, 2010; RSL @ NE
Shots on Goal	3 – 2 times, last: July 3, 2009; RSL v. SJ
Shots	4 – 5 times, last: Sept. 4, 2010; RSL v. NY
Fouls Committed	5 – 2 times, last: May 24, 2008; RSL @ DAL
Fouls Suffered	7 – 2 times, last: May 29, 2010; RSL v. KC





HEIGHT: 5'10"

WEIGHT: 155

BORN: October 18, 1992 in Albuquerque, NM

HOMETOWN: Albuquerque, NM

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: Rookie

LAST CLUB: RSL-Arizona Academy U-18s (2011)

PRONUNCIATION: moon-YEEZ

ACQUIRED: Signed to contract as a Homegrown Player on 9/15/11 (ineligible to play until 2012)

Real Salt Lake broke new ground last fall when it agreed to terms with Nico Muñiz, making the midfielder the first RSL-Arizona Academy member to jump straight to the "big club" from Casa Grande. While technically unable to perform for the MLS outfit until the new year, the now 19-year-old Muñiz joined the first team in Utah upon the announcement in September, giving him a leg up on preparations for his first professional campaign with what amounted to a seven week "sneak peek." Muñiz started three of his six appearances (346 min.) as a regular call-up for the RSL Reserves in 2011, and the Albuquerque native should expect to see his development continue largely through opportunities in MLS Reserve League fixtures during the 2012 campaign.

RSL-ARIZONA ACADEMY

Was a main cog in the RSL-Arizona Academy Under-18 squad that enjoyed plenty of success in its first season in the U.S. Soccer Development Academy in 2010/11 (Sept. 2010-June 2011), scoring 11 goals while starting 27 of his 29 regular season and playoff appearances ... Helped the RSL-AZ U-18s to a third-place finish (9-6-3, 30 pts) behind established powers Arsenal FC and Pateadores in the SoCal Division – the Arizona squad placing just three points behind the duo – and an overall record of 15-8-5 ... Started in all three of RSL-AZ U-18s' appearances in the opening round of the 2010/11 USSDA postseason at Pizza Hut Park in late June, helping the squad to a 2-1-0 mark and the cusp of qualification for the "Finals Week" championships ... Played 83 min. on 7/24 v. Sockers FC (IL) in 3-0 win and 50 min. on 7/25 in a 4-0 triumph over Cal Odyssey ... Went full 90 minutes in decisive group contest v. NY Red Bulls on 7/27 (0-3 L) ... Helped represent RSL-Arizona Academy in the Gordan Jago Super Group at the prestigious Dallas Cup XXXII, also at Pizza Hut Park, in April, during which the squad went 1-2-0 in contests against Mexican side Tigres (4/17, 1-3 L), Brazil's SC Corinthians (4/18, 1-4 L) and fellow MLS side Vancouver Whitecaps FC Academy (4/20, 2-0 W)

MISC.

As a member of the EduKick program, trained with the youth side of Spanish club AD Alcobendas in Madrid from Sept. 09 – June 2010 ... EduKick is a education boarding school and soccer academy/camp program that features programs across the globe for young players ages 10-17 ... Served trials with AD Colmenar and Pozuelo of the Spanish Third Division ... Played his club soccer for Elite FC in his hometown of Albuquerque from the ages of 12-16, helping the squad to state championships in each of his five years under coach Gabe Nosseir ... Played in the Region IV Olympic Development Program through the age of 15.





HEIGHT: 6'3"

WEIGHT: 210

BORN: April 21, 1981 in
Medellin, Colombia

HOMETOWN: Medellin,
Colombia

CITIZENSHIP: Colombia

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 5th Season
(2008-11)

LAST CLUB: Deportivo Cali
(Colombia Copa Mustang/First
Division)

PRONUNCIATION: HA-meh-son
oh-LAH-vay

ACQUIRED: Signed to senior
contract on loan from
Colombian side Deportivo Cali
on 2/20/08

It seemed to take a couple of years for MLS fans and pundits to fully appreciate the depth of talent that RSL center back Jamison Olave possessed. However, now that he's a known commodity, the RSL center back can't seem to stop the plaudits coming his way, the ultra-athletic center back garnering spots on the MLS Best XI and MLS All-Star teams for a second consecutive season in 2011. He began the year by not only displaying his usual defensive prowess, but also securing himself an even bigger spot in RSL lore courtesy of some offense, as it was his goal at Deportivo Saprissa that would swing the CONCACAF Champions League Semifinal series the Utah side's way.

While RSL fans loved seeing "The Verb" represent the Claret-and-Cobalt against Manchester United in the All-Star Game once again, they were also left holding their collective breath after a sliding tackle sidelined him with an MCL sprain in his left knee. Success, it appeared, might come at a price. However, Olave would return after missing only a month, using his unique blend of size and closing speed – in addition to a growing sense of comfort with the ball at his feet – to keep opposing forwards on lockdown. Olave would again suffer from injury, this time a quadriceps strain, during the 2011 postseason, but the 2012 preseason sees the Colombian fit as a fiddle and ready to lead the RSL backline to more impressive and historic numbers – more specifically the ones in the "W" and "SO" columns. And, speaking of numbers, the 30-year-old Olave will hit a nice round one the next time he sees the field, as his next appearance on the field will mark his 100th in MLS regular season play.

MLS CAREER

2011: Started all 24 of his regular season appearances, both the second-most among RSL defenders, and added two goals and as assist along the way ... Also started all six CONCACAF Champions League Championship Stage contests, missing only 45 minutes due to a R hamstring strain on 3/15 v. Saprissa (Semifinals, Leg 1) ... Made up for lost time in the second leg on 4/05 @ Saprissa, his 61' goal counting as the series-winner, advancing RSL 3-2 on aggregate despite a 1-2 loss in the match ... Early goal on 6/08 @ CLB gave RSL an early lead in an eventual 1-2 defeat ... Assist on 7/04 v. NE (Espindola, 83') helped RSL to a dramatic 3-3 draw and marked his first helper since joining RSL prior to the start of the 2008 campaign (87th regular season game) ... Late goal on 7/23 v. SJ finished the scoring in RSL's 4-0 rout ... Suffered Grade 1 MCL sprain in Left Knee during 2011 MLS All-Star Game vs. Manchester United on 7/27 at Red Bull Arena, keeping him out of action for a month (7/30 v CLB through 8/20 @ HOU) ... Returned to action on 8/27 @ CHV and went

on to start nine of RSL's final 10 regular season contests ... Started RSL's playoff opener on 10/29 v. SEA, but was forced to leave Leg One of the West. Conference Semifinal Series after 32 minutes due to a R quadriceps strain ... Missed the second leg on 11/02 @ SEA, but made miraculous turnaround to grind out an 82-minute effort on 11/06 @ LA in the Western Conf. Championship.

2010: Filled up his mantle after being named 2010 MLS Defender of the Year, earning a spot on the MLS "Best XI" team, and being named to his first MLS All-Star Team as a member of the "First XI" ... Key reason Real Salt Lake smashed the MLS record for fewest goals allowed in a season, the Utah side allowing only 20 goals in its 30 contests (previous record 23 GA by 2007 Houston Dynamo) ... In the process of gaining that record, also played most every minute in RSL's 567-minute and 568-minute shutout streaks, the 3rd and 4th longest such runs in League annals ... Started all 33 appearances (2,953 minutes) and scored four goals across MLS regular season, MLS Cup Playoff and CONCACAF Champions League action ... All four of his goals were scored at Rio Tinto Stadium, meaning all nine of his career tallies (MLS & CCL) have come in home contests ... His 27 games played and starts and 2,413 minutes were all high-water marks for his three-year MLS career ... Made his 50th career MLS appearance on 4/01 @ HOU and followed with his 50th start in League play on 4/10 v. SEA ... Scored first goal of the season on 5/01 v. TOR, following up Saborio's shot on the doorstep to open the scoring in a 2-1 win ... Continued on the attack a week later on 5/08 v. PHI, notching an insurance tally in the 51st minute of a 3-0 win ... The two-game goal binge (5/1 v. TOR, 5/8 v. PHI) was the second such streak of his MLS career (4/11/09 v. DC, 4/25/09 v. NE) ... Got on the end of Morales' free kick into the six on 7/02 v. NE, tallying RSL's second goal in the 5-0 drubbing of the Revs ... In his All-Star debut, started and played 45 minutes on 7/28 on behalf of MLS vs. Manchester United in the EPL side's 5-2 win in front of 70,728 fans at Houston's Reliant Stadium ... Made CCL debut in Group A opener on 8/18 v. Árabe Unido, going the full 90 minutes in a wild 2-1 win ... Missed RSL's 4-5 loss @ Cruz Azul on 8/25 due to tweaked MCL in left knee just two training sessions prior to game ... Suspended for 9/09 @ SEA due to yellow card caution accumulation, marking the only match he missed in 2010 due to disciplinary reasons ... Tallied game-winning goal in critical CONCACAF Champions League match on 9/15 vs. Toronto with 40' header off Williams free kick to give RSL a lead in the eventual 4-1 win ... Also started CCL away matches on 9/22 @ Árabe Unido (3-2 W) and 9/28 @ TOR (1-1), the latter earning the standings



point RSL needed to ensure advancement to the knockout phase ... Went the full 180 minutes across both legs of RSL's Western Conference Semifinal Series defeat to FC Dallas (2-3 on aggregate).

2009: Named RSL's 2009 Defensive Player of the Year after starting 24 of 25 appearances ... One of 3 players on RSL with 3 goals in 2009, finishing T-3rd on the squad ... Has 4 goals in RSL's 17 regular season contests at Rio Tinto Stadium since opening in Oct. 2008 (3rd most goals at RTS) ... Played all 420 minutes for RSL in postseason play en route to helping the Utah side claim its first MLS Cup title ... Scored in back-to-back games for first time in RSL uniform, first tallying an immediate equalizer on 4/11 v. DC (40') that led to a 2-1 comeback win ... Followed that up on 4/25 v. NE by opening RSL's historic account in the 53', his GWG opening the floodgates during the second half of a 6-0 trouncing of the Revs ... Missed 4/18 @ NY contest (DNP-Coach's Decision) in between his scoring forays due to precautionary reasons related to surgically-repaired right knee and playing on hardened FieldTurf at Giants Stadium ... Played all 90 minutes on 4/28 @ SEA in a 1-4 defeat in qualifying play for the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup ... Returned to play on 7/03 v. SJ after missing 6/27 v. TOR match due to red card suspension (6/20 @ HOU, 58'), his second red card of 2009 season (5/02 @ COL, 41') ... Started and played all 90 minutes on 7/11 v. Club América in the 1-0 XanGo Cup victory ... Missed match on 8/23 @ NE due to yellow card accumulation, his third contest missed due to disciplinary reasons this season ... Return to scoresheet on 9/12 v. CHI was worth the wait, as his in-stride volley of Andy Williams' 50-yard ball over the top 18 minutes from time brought the match to its eventual 1-1 finish ... Received third red card of the season on 9/19 @ HOU and sat out on 9/26 @ DAL ... Started friendly on 10/07 v. CD Guadalajara (MEX) but wouldn't finish the first half, an altercation with Chivas FW Edgar Solis resulting in their ejections just prior to halftime (49+') ... Put discipline problems behind him for the postseason, going the full 90 minutes in both wins v. CLB in the East Semifinal Series and playing all 120 minutes in the Eastern Conf. Championship on 11/14 @ CHI and MLS Cup 2009 on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field.

2008: After sitting for RSL's first four contests, Olave started 23 of RSL's last 26 matches, scoring twice in the process ... Played 90 minutes in 21 of 23 MLS appearances, including his last 19 ... Partnered with Nat Borchers to form one of the most formidable center back tandems across the League ... Made his MLS debut on 4/26 @ DC, playing an impressive 90 minutes in central defense ... Played the first half of RSL's 1-2 international friendly loss on 7/23 v. Deportivo Saprissa of Costa Rica ... Scored his first career MLS goal on 7/28 v. TOR ... played the first half in two of RSL's three international friendlies: 7/23 v. Deportivo Saprissa (CRC) and 9/03 v. UANL Tigres (MEX) ... Became surprise choice to score RSL's first-ever goal at Rio Tinto Stadium on 10/09 v. NY by converting from 9 yards out on a Morales corner kick (41') ... His nine cautions (T-2nd in MLS) led to a pair of one-match caution accumulation suspensions (8/16 @ HOU & 10/04 @ NE) ... Started all three of RSL's postseason contests, tallying 246 minutes of action in helping the squad reach the brink of MLS Cup.

INTERNATIONAL CLUB CAREER

2001, 2005-07: Deportivo Cali – Colombia Copa Mustang (First Division): Broke into professional ranks with the storied Colombian side in 2001 ... Returned to the squad in 2005, helping Deportivo Cali to its eighth domestic championship in the now Copa Mustang.

2004: Chicó FC - Colombia Copa Mustang (First Division)

2003: CD Patriotas FC – Colombia Copa Concasa (Second Division)

2002: Atletico Huila - Colombia Copa Mustang (First Division)

PERSONAL

Full name is Jamison Olave Mosquera ... Pronounced HA-mee-son oh-LAH-vay ... His nickname, “El Goro,” is a reference to the classic video game Mortal Kombat.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	23	23	2006	2	0	10	4	33	17	0	0	9	0
2009	RSL	25	24	2039	3	0	12	8	34	15	1	0	6	3
2010	RSL	27	27	2413	3	0	15	5	30	16	2	0	8	0
2011	RSL	24	24	2128	2	1	20	7	30	17	3	0	3	1
Totals		99	98	8586	10	1	57	24	127	65	6	0	26	4

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	3	3	246	0	0	1	0	0	4	2	0	0	0
2009	RSL	4	4	420	0	0	3	1	8	7	0	0	1	0
2010	RSL	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	1	0
2011	RSL	2	2	114	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		11	11	960	0	1	5	1	16	11	2	0	2	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 – 10 times, last: July 23, 2011; RSL v. SJ
Assists	1 – July 4, 2011, RSL v. NE
Shots on Goal	3 – July 4, 2011, RSL v. NE
Shots	3 – 3 times, last: July 4, 2011, RSL v. NE
Fouls Committed	6 – 2 times, last: July 3, 2008; RSL v. HOU
Fouls Suffered	3 – 5 times, last: Oct. 22, 2011; RSL v. POR





HEIGHT: 5'7"

WEIGHT: 155

BORN: January 23, 1989 in Teresina, Brazil

HOMETOWN: Teresina, Brazil

CITIZENSHIP: Brazil

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 3rd Season (2010-11)

LAST CLUB: Miami FC (USF D-2 Pro League) (2010)

ACQUIRED: RSL: Signed via loan from Miami FC on 9/09/10; Loan deal extended for 2011 season on 12/27/10, which includes option to purchase contract rights through 2014 at end of the agreement; Purchased rights from Ft. Lauderdale Strikers on 2/09/12 and signed to a new three-year contract

As explosive as the fall 2010 debut of Paulo Junior onto the Real Salt Lake scene was, it appeared that the Brazilian's 2011 was equally as disappointing ... but one look at the limited sample size of stats might just prove otherwise. While the swashbuckling striker missed exactly half of the season due to lingering hamstring and hip flexor injuries over the summer, when he was on the field he was able to produce, notching a pair of goals and five assists in what amounted to just under 600 minutes across MLS and CONCACAF play.

The diminutive forward's season got off to a sparkling start, as he recorded a goal, an assist or both during his first four overall appearances. However, the injury bug would strike soon afterwards, derailing a promising start and limiting him to substitute and spot-start duty across the last three months of the season. Despite the health concerns, Real Salt Lake recognized Paulo Junior's potential this past offseason and acquired the 23-year-old's player rights from the Ft. Lauderdale Strikers in February. The Utah side hopes a new three-year contract will provide the stability and confidence the still-developing striker needs in order to perform, which would result in a dangerous complement to first-choice forwards Fabian Espindola and Álvaro Saborío.

MLS CAREER

2011: Tallied a pair of goals and four assists across 11 appearances (6 starts, 563 mins.) in limited action during the regular season ... Also added an assist in 24 minutes spread across two substitute appearances in CONCACAF Champions League play during the squad's run through the Championship Stage ... Also started six of seven contests in MLS Reserve League play, totaling 429 minutes ... Provided an assist on RSL's third goal (Morales, 77') on 3/01 v. CLB in Leg 2 of the CCL Quarterfinals during a 19 min. appearance off the bench in the squad's series-clinching 4-1 triumph ... Helped bookend RSL's scoring on 3/26 v. LA, assisting on Williams' 2nd minute opener before scoring one of his own in the 68th minute of the dominant performance in Sandy ... Helped secure a three-point road result on 4/09 @ NE, his 47' breakaway tally counting as the insurance goal in a thorough 2-0 triumph ... Again proved vital to victory just four days later on 4/13 v. COL, his 21-minute stint including an assist on Espindola's stoppage-time score that lifted RSL to a 1-0 win in the Rocky Mountain Cup series ... 5-minute cameo in Leg Two of the CCL Finals on 4/27 v. Monterrey would prove to be his last first-team action for four months ... L hamstring and R hip flexor strains would force the Brazilian from the field for four month, his return coming on 8/13 @ TOR via a

9-minute run off the bench ... Added assists on 9/03 v. PHI (Beckerman, 18') in a 2-1 win and on 9/24 @ DC (Saborio, 86') in a 1-4 defeat ... Listed on 18-man roster in each of RSL's three postseason contests but did not see the field.

2010: Appeared in six games across all competitions for Real Salt Lake after joining the club on loan on 9/09, scoring three goals in 176 minutes of play ... Scored three goals in just 65 minutes across two games in CONCACAF Champions League play ... Made an immediate impact in his RSL debut on 9/15 v. TOR, entering the CCL contest in the 74th minute and opening his scoring account just 6 minutes later, capping the scoring in RSL's vital 4-1 victory ... Made his MLS debut three days later on 9/18 v. CHI, logging another 16 minutes in RSL's 1-0 win that broke the record for the longest MLS home undefeated streak at 23 games ... After missing a handful of games due to a left hamstring strain, returned to the field on 10/9 @ NY via a 22-minute stint of the bench in a scoreless draw at Red Bull Arena ... Scored RSL's first two goals on 10/19 v. Cruz Azul (43', 67') in the CCL Group A finale for both sides, pacing the Utahans to a 3-1 win that allowed RSL to become the first MLS team in nine tries to win a Group Stage ... Played final 29 minutes on 10/22 @ COL in the regular season finale, a 2-2 draw that allowed RSL to maintain the Rocky Mountain Cup rivalry trophy for a fourth consecutive season ... Made his postseason debut in the second leg of the Western Conference Semifinal Series on 10/06 v. DAL, playing the last 17 minutes off the bench in the 1-1 draw that ended RSL's 2010 campaign ... Saw loan deal extended for 2011 MLS season on 12/27, with Utah side holding option to purchase contract rights through 2014 at the end of the campaign.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2010: Miami FC (USSF D-2 Pro League):

Started 18 of his 22 matches with Miami FC in League play, registering a team-high 8 goals and adding 4 assists across 1,675 minutes of action, numbers that led to him being named to the USSF D-2 Pro League's Best XI team for 2010 ... At the time of his departure, ranked in USSF D-2's top five with 20 points (3rd), 8 goals (T-4th), and 50 shots (5th) ... Also scored five times in three Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup contests, ranking at the top of the competition's scoring chart (alongside Seattle's Nate Jaqua) ... Four of those goals came during a 10-minute span in added extra time in Miami FC's First Round 5-1 win over the Central Florida Kraze (PDL) on 6/15 ... Also tallied the





Blues' opener (2') a week later in the squad's 2-1 (AET) victory over fellow D-2 USSF side Tampa Bay ... Started and went the full 90 minutes on 6/29 at Houston Dynamo in a 0-1 Third Round defeat ... Re-signed with Miami on 3/15 for its 2010 season.

2009: Miami FC (USL First Division): Notched three goals and three assists across 18 appearances in his first season with Miami ... Made his Blues debut on 5/20 v. Charleston Battery ... Scored his first USL goal a month later on 6/20 vs. Cleveland City Stars.

2008: Ituano FC (Campeonato Brasileiro Série C): Began his professional career in 2008 with Ituano FC of the Campeonato Brasileiro Série C before signing with Miami FC in 2009.

PERSONAL

Full name is Paulo Moraes de Araujo Junior

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	3	0	65	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
2011	RSL	11	5	468	2	4	11	6	6	5	5	0	0	0
	Totals	14	5	533	2	4	14	7	6	6	5	0	0	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	1	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2011	RSL	Did Not Play												

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 – 2 times, last: Apr. 9, 2011, RSL @ NE
Assists	1 – 4 times, last: Sept. 24, 2011, RSL @ DC
Shots on Goal	2 – 2 times, last: Apr. 9, 2011, RSL @ NE
Shots	4 – Mar. 26, 2011, RSL v. LA
Fouls Committed	2 – 2 times, last: Apr. 9, 2011, RSL @ NE
Fouls Suffered	1 – 6 times, last: Oct. 1, 2011, RSL @ LA





HEIGHT: 6'3"

WEIGHT: 190

BORN: November 3, 1984 in Valencia, Calif.

HOMETOWN: Valencia, Calif.

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: UC Santa Barbara

MLS EXPERIENCE: 6th Season (2007-11)

LAST CLUB: UC Santa Barbara

ACQUIRED: RSL: Selected in the fourth round (43rd overall) of the 2007 MLS Supplemental Draft on 1/18/07

With the retirement of Andy Williams this past offseason, goalkeeper Kyle Reynish becomes the recipient of the "current longest tenured RSL player" title, as the netminder drafted on Jan. 18, 2007 will begin his sixth full season with the squad in 2012. As the back-up to the 2nd-longest tenured player, Nick Rimando, the UC-Santa Barbara native hasn't had many occasions to show his stuff in recent seasons, but when he was able to in 2011 he would deliver, notching two shutout wins in his three first-team appearances. The 27-year-old 'keeper will not only continue to be perhaps the league's most underrated understudy, but will also be looked at to help mentor young Lalo Fernandez, RSL's latest Homegrown addition to the roster.

MLS CAREER

2011: Made combined three first-team starts in 2011 across regular season and U.S. Open Cup play (2-1-0, 0.66 GAA) ... Concussion-like symptoms and bone spurs in left ankle limited his action across the second half of the campaign ... Stopped both shots faced on 4/09 @ NE, helping RSL to a 2-0 clean sheet triumph in what would prove to be his lone regular season appearance of the season ... Started and went the full 90 minutes in both Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup contests for RSL, a 2-0 shutout win on 6/28 v. Wilmington (USL PRO) in the Third Round and a 0-2 defeat in the Quarterfinals on 7/12 @ DAL ... Also notched six appearances (five starts) in MLS Reserve League action, allowing just three goals in 425 minutes (0.64 GAA) en route to posting a 2-3-0 record.

2010: Made six appearances in MLS regular season, CONCACAF Champions League & Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup play, notching a 1.20 GAA (8 GA in 600 min.), 1-1-4 record, and one shutout ... Earned draws in all three regular season appearances, during which he allowed just two goals (0.67 GAA) and registered his first career clean sheet ... Also went 2-0-1 during a midseason loan to the USL-2's Charleston Battery, using the stint to sharpen himself for RSL's August / September gauntlet of matches ... Was between the posts on 4/14 @ SJ for RSL's U.S. Open Cup qualifying opener, keeping a clean sheet for the first half of the match before seeing three goals rush past in a 3-3 OT draw ... After 120 minutes of regulation and added extra time, the Utah side eventually advanced via a 5-3 win in penalties (0 saves, 1 miss in 4 attempts against) ... The start @ SJ was his first in an RSL uniform in League or Cup competition since being drafted in 2007 ... Started and played full 90 minutes on 5/21 v. Mexico's U-21 National Team, recording 6 saves in the 1-1 friendly draw at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Logged a solid 120-minute performance on

6/02 @ DC in an Open Cup qualifier, making 6 saves in the 1-2 OT loss at RFK ... Earned first-ever MLS start on 8/11 @ PHI, his six saves helping RSL gain a valuable road point from a 1-1 draw in its inaugural visit to PPL Park ... Collected his first career shutout on 9/09 @ SEA, making a pair of saves behind a stout defense in a scoreless draw that marked RSL's first visit to Qwest Field since its MLS Cup 2009 triumph ... Was introduced to the intensity of the Rocky Mountain Cup rivalry on 9/25 v. COL, making three saves in a thrilling 1-1 draw that pushed RSL's MLS record home unbeaten run to 24 games ... Helped RSL capture a slice of history on 10/19 v. Cruz Azul, stopping three of four shots on his frame in a 3-1 win that allowed the Utah side to become the first MLS team in nine tries to finish atop its CCL group (Group A).

2009: Made his MLS debut off the bench on 5/02 @ COL, playing 55 minutes in place of injured starter Nick Rimando while making one save and allowing one goal in a 1-2 defeat in the '09 Rocky Mountain Cup opener ... Appeared on gameday roster for RSL's following five contests in the month of May ... Did not appear for RSL in U.S. Open Cup or exhibition play.

2008: Finished RSL Reserves campaign with six of the team's seven wins (6-1-1) and a sub-1.00 GAA (0.95), allowing just 4 goals in 378 minutes between the posts ... Finished 18-game Reserves career (6 GS) across the 2007-08 seasons with a 0.92 GAA and 8-2-1 record ... Recorded the first win of the season for the RSL Reserves on 5/04 v. LA, his scoreless first half helping RSL to a 5-2 victory ... Started on 7/23 in RSL's 1-2 international friendly loss v. Costa Rican champions Deportivo Saprissa, playing the entire match ... Went full 90 minutes for RSL Reserves on 8/06 @ DAL, earning the "W" in a 3-2 road triumph ... Posted a solo clean sheet for RSL Reserves on 8/30 v. COL, helping RSL to a dominating 4-0 win ... Saw his GAA dip below 1.00 in Reserve play by posting 45 shutout minutes in RSL Reserves' season-ending 2-1 win @ COL.

2007: Did not see any first-team action in MLS play ... Made RSL debut on 4/18 vs. Fijian MNT, playing the full 90 minutes and helping a mostly reserve squad to a shutout in the 3-0 win ... Played 9 minutes in 1-0 victory on 6/07 vs. Chinese MNT ... Entered at the half on 7/21 v. Everton and made two saves in combining with Nick Rimando to shut out the EPL side 2-0 ... Enjoyed solid Reserve Division campaign, leading the squad with a 0.88 GAA and picking up a 2-1-0 record in 9 games (3 starts) ... Drafted by RSL in the 4th round (43rd overall) of the 2007 MLS Supplemental Draft on 1/18/07.



COLLEGE

After serving primarily as a back-up to All-American Dan Kennedy for most of his first two seasons, played every minute of his junior and senior campaigns at the University of California – Santa Barbara ... Ended 57-game collegiate career (49 starts) with impressive 0.82 GAA, 33-13-4 record, and 23 shutouts ... **2006:** Played every minute for the Gauchos for the second straight season, this time helping UCSB to its first NCAA College Cup title ... Went 17-7-1 in his 25 starts while registering a 0.91 GAA, .823 save percentage and 12 shutouts ... Named to NCAA College Cup All-Tournament Team after helping UCSB to a 4-3 penalty kick triumph over Wake Forest after 120 minutes of scoreless soccer in the Semifinals and a 2-1 win in the Final over UCLA ... Also earned All-Big West First-Team and co-Big West Goalkeeper of the Year honors during his senior season ... **2005:** Played every minute of his 21 starts for the Gauchos during his first year as a full-time starter ... Garnered Second-Team All-Big West honors and led the Big West with nine shutouts on the season ... **2004:** Served as a back-up, but made four appearances in which he allowed only one goal across 225 minutes of action ... **2003:** Red-shirted between his freshman and sophomore seasons ... **2002:** Enjoyed a solid freshman season, not allowing a single goal in 202 minutes of play, a Gaucho record to start a career.

HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB

Attended Santa Clarita's Williams S. Hart High School, where he posted a 0.84 career goals against average ... Set school records for both single-season (14) and career (38) shutouts ... Helped lead the Indians to a Foothill League Championship ... Named First Team All-Foothill League, All-CIF and LA Times All-Area ... Also played basketball for Hart, earning MVP honors as a freshman ... Played club soccer for SoCal United, who he helped win a West Coast Premier League Championship ... Also played on the California State ODP squad.

PERSONAL

Hobbies: Enjoys playing video games like Halo and Call of Duty ... **Major in College:** Law and Society ... **Favorite Movies:** The Departed, Super Troopers, Man on Fire and City of God ... **Favorite Food:** Sushi ... **Favorite Book:** Any book by Tucker Max ... **Favorite TV Shows:** Lost, Modern Family and Mad Men ... **Favorite athletes outside of soccer:** LeBron James and Manny Ramirez

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2007	RSL	Did Not Play												
2008	RSL	Did Not Play												
2009	RSL	1	0	55	2	1	0	1	1.64	0	0	0	0	0
2010	RSL	3	3	270	13	11	1	2	0.67	0	0	0	0	3
2011	RSL	1	1	90	2	2	1	0	0.00	0	0	1	0	0
	Totals	5	4	415	17	14	2	3	0.65	0	0	1	0	3

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2008	RSL	Did Not Play												
2009	RSL	Did Not Play												
2010	RSL	Did Not Play												
2011	RSL	Did Not Play												

MLS RESERVE DIVISION STATISTICS

MEN'S RESERVE DIVISION STATISTICS												
YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	SHOGA	GAA	PK	PKA	W	L	T	
2007	RSL	9	3	408	1	4	0.88	0	0	2	1	0
2008	RSL	9	3	378	1	4	0.95	0	0	6	1	1
2011	RSL	6	5	425	2	3	0.64	1	1	2	3	0
	Totals	24	11	1211	4	11	0.82	1	1	10	5	1

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals Allowed 1 – 3 times, last: Sept. 25, 2010; RSL v COL

Saves 6 – Aug. 11, 2010; RSL @ PHI





HEIGHT: 5'9"

WEIGHT: 185

BORN: June 17, 1979 in
Montclair, CA

HOMETOWN: Montclair, CA

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: UCLA

MLS EXPERIENCE: 13th Season
(2000-2011)

LAST CLUB: New York Red
Bulls (2007)

ACQUIRED: RSL: Acquired via
trade from NY for a 2008 MLS
SuperDraft pick and 2009 MLS
Supplemental Draft pick on
2/23/07

NY: Acquired via trade from
RSL on 2/9/07 for future
considerations

RSL: Acquired via trade along
with MF Freddy Adu from
DC for GK Jay Nolly, a major
player allocation and future
considerations on 12/11/06

DC: Selected third in the 2002
MLS Allocation Draft on 2/12/02

MIA: Selected in third round
(35th overall) of the 2000 MLS
SuperDraft on 2/06/00

Nick Rimando would have been hard-pressed to duplicate the record-setting 2010 campaign he presided over between the posts for Real Salt Lake, but his 2011 season was not all that far behind. Once again finishing at or near the top of Major League Soccer in goals against average, shutouts and wins, Rimando's 12th MLS season gave credence to the theory that the shelf life of the American goalkeeper is almost limitless ... a good sign now that the 32-year-old Rimando is the elder statesman of the Claret-and-Cobalt after the offseason retirement of Andy Williams. That being said, it takes more than age to climb towards the top of MLS' record books, which is exactly what Rimando has done by ranking second in all-time shutouts (87) and third in wins (121), games played in goal (288), starts in goal (also 288) and minutes in goal (26,073).

Much like teammate Kyle Beckerman, Rimando's international career has also picked up steam once again, as the Southern California native has been a regular call-up under the new regime of Jurgen Klinsmann since his appointment as USMNT's sideline boss last summer. If Rimando can continue to produce sparkling performances like the first half he turned in against Panama in January, it will be a busy year of shuffling between club and country for the RSL fanbase's favorite "homeboy."

MLS CAREER

2011: Started all but one of RSL's 34 regular season contests, all six CONCACAF Champions League Championship State matches and all three MLS Cup Playoff appearances for RSL ... His 13 shutouts were tied with Kevin Hartman (DAL) for the regular season lead in the category, while he also added two clean sheets in CCL play (2/22 @ CLB, QF Leg 1 & 3/15 v. Saprissa, SF Leg 1) ... 14 wins were third best across MLS, and made him the first goalkeeper in League history to record four 14+ win campaigns ... Wrapped up play in CCL knockout rounds with a 2-2-2 record, 1.00 GAA (6 GA in 540 min.) and 2 shutouts ... Five-game winning streak from 8/27 @ CHV through 9/21 @ NY marked the third 5+ game winning streak of his career ... 1.09 GAA was T-5th in MLS and the third lowest mark of his 12-year career ... Notched fourth-longest shutout streak of regular season at 409 minutes (4/30 @ POR through 5/28 v. SEA) ... Began this season in spectacular fashion on 3/19 @ SJ, stopping a season-high eight shots – including six in the final 20 minutes in monsoon-like conditions – to give RSL a 1-0 win at Buck Shaw Stadium ... Also registered six-save efforts on the road on 8/20 @ HOU (2-3 L), 10/14 @ COL (0-0 T) and 11/02 @ SEA (0-2 L), the latter helping RSL advance from its Western Conference Semifinal Series against Sounders FC (3-2 agg.).

2010: In 34 overall regular season and Cup appearances (3,040 minutes), allowed only 31 goals en route to a sparkling 18-6-10 record, 0.91 GAA, and 14 shutouts ... His MLS regular season numbers were even more impressive: 27 games played (all starts), with a 15-4-6 record, 0.67 GAA, and 14 shutouts ... The 0.67 GAA was the 2nd lowest single-season mark in MLS history, behind only Kevin Hartman's 0.62 for FC Dallas (also in 2010), while besting the previous League record held by Houston's Pat Onstad from 2007 (0.82) ... The 14 clean sheets were not only a career-high but also the 2nd best single-season mark in MLS annals, behind only Tony Meola's 16 shutouts for Kansas City in 2000 ... 15 wins equaled his previous high-water mark (2001 w/ Miami, 2005 w/ DC) ... Named an MLS All-Star for just the 2nd time in his illustrious career (2001) ... His 567-minute (5/29 v. KC – 7/17 @ DAL) and 511-minute (8/07 @ KC – 10/02 @ NE) shutout streaks were tops in MLS in 2010 and the 3rd and 6th longest such runs in League history ... Went 3-1-1 with a 2.00 GAA in CCL play, notching wins on 8/18 v. Árabe Unido, 9/15 v. TOR, and 9/22 @ Árabe Unido ... Victory on 5/29 v. KC (4-1 W) was his fifth in as many contests in May ... In that contest, he also surpassed former RSL netminder Scott Garlick for 5th place on MLS' all-time appearances in goal list with his 238th GP ... Posted shutouts in all three contests in June (6/05 @ DC, 6/09 v. LA, 6/25 v. NE), leading him to becoming just the second goalkeeper in League history to earn a second MLS Player of the Month award ... Became 5th goalkeeper in MLS history to record 100 regular season wins on 7/02 v. NE in a 5-0 trouncing of the Revs at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Made a season-high 7 saves on 10/02 @ NE in RSL's 2-1 win ... Has stopped 13 of 46 penalty attempts against in regular season play (28.2%).

2009: His 1.14 GAA was the third lowest of his 10-year MLS career, while his 10 wins (10-10-6) were T-3rd (6th season w/ double-digit wins) and his 9 shutouts ranking second-most (11 SHO in 2005) ... Finished among MLS' Top 10 with a 1.14 GAA (8th), 9 shutouts (T-5th), and 10 wins (T-5th) ... Ranks 6th all-time amongst MLS goalkeepers with 92 wins; 228 games played and started; 20,673 minutes played; and 888 saves while placing T-5th with 60 shutouts ... Now RSL's career leader with 83 games started and ranks 2nd in club history with 83 games played (A. Williams – 128) ... Missed 3 games with a L 3rd finger laceration, suffered late in first half on 5/02 @ COL ... Stopped both PK attempts faced in regular season play in 2009 ... PK save of Brad Davis on 6/20 @ HOU in the 74th minute temporarily kept RSL in the lead what was an eventual 1-1 draw ... His PK stop on Jeff Cunningham on 7/24 v DAL (71') was the 13th in 42



attempts on his goal during his career (31%) ... Contributed the game-winning assist on 8/08 v. SEA, his long goal kick converted by Findley for the lone goal in a 1-0 win ... The assist was the 6th of his career, tying Marcus Hahnemann for the most by a GK in MLS history ... Saw his home shutout streak snapped at 383 minutes on 9/12 v. CHI (Rolfe – 44') ... His 60th career clean sheet in the regular season finale on 10/24 v. COL placed him T-5th on MLS' all-time list in the category w/ Pat Onstad (HOU) ... Performed heroically in RSL's four-game run to the MLS Cup 2009 crown, posting an undefeated 2-0-2 record, impressive 0.64 GAA and a pair of shutouts across 420 minutes of action ... Picked up wins over Columbus in both Eastern Conf. Semifinal Series contests against the defending MLS Cup Champions on 10/31 @ RSL and 11/05 @ CLB ... Engineered RSL's Eastern Conf. Championship triumph on 11/14 @ CHI, making 6 saves in regulation & OT to preserve visitors' end of 0-0 draw before saving 3 of the Fire's 7 PK attempts, seeing the Utahns through to a 5-4 PK win and their first MLS Cup appearance. ... Saved his best for last in MLS Cup 2009 on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field, again being thrown into penalties, this time after a 1-1 draw ... Forced a miss out of Landon Donovan and saved shots by Jovan Kirovski and Edson Buddle, the latter also coming in the 7th round and precluding Russell's championship clincher in the 5-4 shootout triumph ... Now one of only two players on RSL roster to win multiple MLS Cup titles (w/ Grabavoy), this after first winning the 2004 crown with DC in his lone prior final appearance.

2008: One of four 'keepers to play every minute for his squad in 2008 (w/ Busch, Cannon & Hartman) ... Only RSL player to log all 2,700 minutes in 2008 and one of two RSL members (w/ Beckerman) to start all 30 contests ... Finished season in top six across MLS with 10 wins (T-5th), 8 shutouts (5th) and a 1.30 GAA (T-6th) ... Broke or tied RSL single-season records in wins (tied w/ Garlick, 2006), shutouts, and a .500 winning % ... Owned 2nd longest shutout streak of the 2008 MLS season at 355 minutes (6/28 @ KC – 7/28 v. TOR), breaking his own club record in the category for the second time during the season (284 minutes from 5/31 v. SJ through 6/21 v. NE) ... One of two 'keepers to post a pair of shutouts streaks in the season's top 10 (w/ Hartman – KC) ... Named MLS Player of the Month for July after going 2-0-2 with 3 shutouts & 1 GA in four games ... Played 5 minutes in midfield for the RSL Reserves on 8/06 @ DAL ... Made 200th MLS regular season start & appearance on 10/09 v. NY, just two games after becoming the 6th 'keeper in League history to reach the 800-save plateau (9/27 @ SJ) ... His 1.00 GAA during RSL's three-game appearance in the MLS Cup Playoffs marked the stingiest performance of his four career postseason runs ... Has stopped 11 of the 40 PK's faced in his career (27.5% save percentage).

2007: Finished season among MLS leaders with 146 saves (1st), 76.4 save % (2nd), 1.37 GAA (7th) and 7 shutouts (7th) ... His 146 saves in just 27 games were tops in MLS by 26 saves and also shattered the RSL single-season record (112 by D.J. Countess, 2005) ... Made a career-high 13 SVS on 6/02 @ NE ... 13 saves tied him for the fourth-most stops in an MLS contest ... Also stopped 12 shots in a scoreless draw on 9/15 @ TFC ... Acquired, traded, then re-acquired by RSL during the off-season, he final deal bringing Rimando back to Utah from NYRB in exchange for a 2008 MLS SuperDraft pick and 2009 MLS Supplemental Draft pick on 2/23/07.

2006: Made just two appearances in a back-up role behind Troy Perkins after overcoming nagging injuries during the first half of the season ... Stayed sharp in MLS Reserve Division play, allowing only four goals in eight starts in which he posted an impressive 0.57 GAA and 5-2-0 record, the five wins leading all 'keepers in RD action.

2005: Returned to full strength and had one of his best seasons, notching a career-high 11 shutouts while maintaining an impressive 1.17 GAA and tying his career-best of 15 wins ... Notched an assist on 9/10 at FC Dallas when he sent a long punt to Jamil Walker, whose subsequent pass led to a goal by Santino Quaranta in D.C.'s 2-1 win ... That season, broke DC's club records for games played in goal, games started in goal, minutes played in goal, saves, and shutouts.

2004: A right knee injury limited Rimando to just 13 appearances – all starts ... Still managed to record a 7-3-3 record and a career-best and club-record 1.00 GAA ... After returning from a torn ACL in 2003, experienced other injury difficulties and opted to have surgery during the mid-season All-Star break to repair the meniscus in his right knee ... Gave United momentum going into the 2004 MLS Cup Playoffs by posting three shutouts in the team's final six games, including a scoreless streak of 274 minutes down the stretch ... Went 4-0-0 in postseason play, his 1.15 GAA helping United to its fifth MLS Cup crown.

2003: Logged 2,318 minutes, stretching his cumulative minutes played to 6,016 dating back to July 4th of 2001 ... The mark fell just 50 minutes short of the MLS all-time record for consecutive minutes played when he limped off of the turf at Giants Stadium with a torn ACL on 9/25 at MET ... Equaled a DC team single-season record with seven shutouts.

2002: Recorded club-record seven shutouts and United's single-season record for saves (131) ... Only player on DC to log every minute (2,588) during the 2002 season, which also ranked tops in MLS ... One of six players recognized as MLS Player of the Week on multiple occasions (Weeks 15 & 27).

2001: Set several team records for Miami Fusion FC in his first full season, including wins (15) and shutouts (5) ... Posted a 15-5-5 record and 1.29 GAA, numbers that helped Miami garner the 2001 Supporters Shield ... Earned a starting nod in the MLS All-Star Game and an invite to Bruce Arena's U.S. National Team training camp.

2000: Made five saves and recorded a shutout in his MLS debut for MIA, a 1-0 overtime win vs. DC on 5/10 ... Finalist for the Nickelodeon GAS Play of the Year for a one-handed save on DC's Bobby Convey's shot on 8/05 ... Recorded a game-winning assist on 5/13 vs. COL in a 2-1 victory ... Posted a 2-1-0 record in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup and made a PK save in the Final on 10/21 at CHI.

U.S. MEN'S NATIONAL TEAMS

U.S. MNT: Has collected a 3-0-0 record and 0.25 goals against average (1 GA in 360 minutes) in his six "caps" for the full U.S. Men's National Team ... Was called into USMNT camp by head coach Jurgen Klinsmann as one of four MLS players on the roster for the 2/29/12 friendly at Italy ... His latest January camp stint in 2012 was topped off with a standout 45 minutes on 1/25/12 @ Panama, his Man of the Match performance in the first half helping the USA register a 1-0 win at Estadio Rommel Fernandez ... Also earned call-ups by Klinsmann for the USA's contests on 10/08 v. Honduras in Miami and 10/11 v. Ecuador in Harrison, NJ, but did not feature in either contest ... Ended his stay at the U.S. MNT's January 2011 camp on 1/22/11 v. Chile, starting and playing a shutout first 45 minutes in the 1-1 draw at The Home Depot Center in his native southern California ... Ended six-and-a-half-year span between Senior team appearances on 2/24/10 v. El Salvador and earned the win from a 2-1 friendly triumph at Raymond James Stadium in Tampa ... Also made 18-man roster on 1/23/10 v. Honduras as starter Troy Perkins' back-up ... Participated in Bob Bradley's extended training camps in January and February 2010, marking his first activity with the U.S. Senior side since joining RSL prior to the 2007 season ... 2-0 victory over Wales on 5/26/03 marked his first start, win, and complete-game shutout for the U.S. MNT ... Relieved Tim Howard at the half on 1/18/03 v. Canada, helping the U.S. to a 4-0 trouncing of the Maple Leafs in Ft. Lauderdale ... Made his senior international debut on 11/17/02 vs. El Salvador, coming on at the half and combining with Howard to post a 2-0 shutout win on his home turf of RFK Stadium ... **U.S. Under-20's:** Made 31 caps for the U.S. Under-20 squad across 1998-99 ... Was a member of the U.S. U-20 National Team that went 2-2-0 at the 1999 FIFA World Youth Championship in Nigeria ... **U.S. Under-17s:** Was a member of the USA's U-17 squad that competed in the 1995 U-17 World Cup in Ecuador.



Finished his three years at UCLA with an impressive 0.67 GAA, the second-best mark in Bruin history ... **1999:** Culminated his final season with UCLA by receiving NSCAA All-Far West First-Team and College Soccer Online All-American Honorable Mention honors ... Tallied 19 wins in 22 games while maintaining a 0.78 GAA in helping UCLA reach the NCAA College Cup Semifinals ... **1998:** Named NSCAA Second-Team All-American, Second-Team All-Mountain Pacific Sports Federation and First-Team All-Far West as a sophomore ... Recorded 11 shutouts to earn Team Co-Defensive MVP honors and help the Bruins to a second straight NCAA College Cup appearance ... **1997:** Earned All-MPSF Honorable Mention honors as a freshman ... Held a shutout streak of 450 minutes to begin the season ... Registered a 0.17 GAA and four shutouts as a freshman.

PERSONAL

Lives in Salt Lake City with wife, Jacqui; 4-year-old son, Jett Nicholas; and 2-year-old daughter, Benny Rose ... Enjoys hitting the local dog parks with his two dogs, Cassius & Marley ... Runs his popular "Nick is My Homeboy" blog and is an avid social media user, as demonstrated by his plentiful Facebook and Twitter updates ... Proud of his Southern California roots, where his parents still live in his hometown of Montclair ... A huge music fan, sees as many concerts as possible and enjoys listening to Jack Johnson, Rancid, AFI, Rise Against and Ben Harper ... A self-proclaimed "perfect slowdancer."

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2000	Miami	22	22	2002	150	102	2	41	1.84	3	5	10	11	1
2001	Miami	25	25	2300	155	116	5	33	1.29	3	5	15	5	5
2002	D.C. United	28	28	2588	183	131	7	40	1.39	5	6	9	14	5
2003	D.C. United	25	25	2318	131	100	7	29	1.13	3	5	10	9	6
2004	D.C. United	13	13	1170	40	26	4	13	1.00	3	3	7	3	3
2005	D.C. United	30	30	2700	128	92	11	35	1.17	4	5	15	9	6
2006	D.C. United	2	2	180	10	6	0	4	2.00	0	1	0	1	1
2007	RSL	27	27	2430	191	146	7	37	1.37	4	6	6	13	8
2008	RSL	30	30	2700	140	96	8	39	1.30	4	4	10	10	10
2009	RSL	26	26	2285	108	73	9	29	1.14	0	2	10	10	6
2010	RSL	27	27	2430	100	78	14	18	0.67	4	4	15	4	8
2011	RSL	33	33	2970	134	95	13	36	1.09	5	7	14	11	8
	Totals	288	288	26073	1470	1061	87	354	1.22	38	53	121	100	67

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2001	Miami	6	6	499	36	26	2	9	1.62	1	1	3	3	0
2004	D.C. United	4	4	390	29	22	2	5	1.15	2	2	4	0	0
2005	D.C. United	2	2	180	11	5	1	4	2.00	0	0	0	1	1
2008	RSL	3	3	270	13	9	1	3	1.00	1	1	1	1	1
2009	RSL	4	4	420	21	18	2	3	0.64	0	0	2	0	2
2010	RSL	2	2	180	7	4	0	3	1.50	0	0	0	1	1
2011	RSL	3	3	270	13	7	1	5	1.67	2	2	1	2	0
	Totals	24	24	2209	130	91	9	32	1.30	6	6	10	8	6

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals Allowed 4 – 11 times, last: Sept. 24, 2011; RSL @ DC
Saves 13 – June 2, 2007; RSL @ NE





HEIGHT: 6'1"

WEIGHT: 185

BORN: March 25, 1982 in San Carlos, Costa Rica

HOMETOWN: San Carlos, Costa Rica

CITIZENSHIP: Costa Rica

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: 3rd Season (2010)

LAST CLUB: Bristol City FC (2009)

PRONUNCIATION: sah-bo-REE-oh

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Added to roster on loan from Swiss First Division side FC Sion as an International Player on 3/15/10; Re-signed to four-year contract as a Designated Player on 12/01/10

As a forward there's always pressure to perform, and in 2011 the pressure seemed to be both a blessing and a curse for Álvaro Saborío, who began the year with a new contract that heaped on the added weight of becoming Real Salt Lake's first-ever "Designated Player" (though the title was more a technicality thanks to the transfer fees involved in obtaining his full rights). The roller-coaster season saw Saborío bag goals in bunches and in some critical moments, but also included some droughts and mountains of adversity on the national team front for his native Costa Rica.

A part of that ebb-and-flow of output was due to injury, as Saborío rushed back from offseason knee surgery quickly in order to help keep his hot hand in the CONCACAF Champions League going from the prior fall. While he indeed helped carry the squad to the tournament's finals, his production and availability would suffer in the months to follow, only to ratchet back up during a torrid stretch in mid-summer. When the dust settled, "Sabo" had collected 16 goals across 32 games in all competitions, keeping pace with the 18 tallies in 36 contests the season prior. The wear-and-tear resulted in another surgery on his right knee immediately after the season, making his return to the line-up at the start of 2012 a question mark. However, the "Tico Terror" won't be sidelined for long, as he has progressed strongly during the club's preseason camps and is expected to be on the field and creating havoc for the opposition by April at the very latest.

MLS CAREER

2011: Finished his "DP" season with 11 goals and 2 assists in 23 appearances (22 starts) in regular season play, leading the team in scoring and placing T-9th across MLS ... When combining regular season, CONCACAF Champions League and MLS Cup Playoff action, "Sabo" finished with 16 goals in 32 games ... Marked second straight year he garnered the RSL Golden Boot award ... His four game-winning goals also led RSL and ranked T-5th in MLS, while his 0.48 goals/game rate was 6th best in the league ... Started all six CCL Championship Stage contests (513 mins.) and attacked on a pair of goals that helped RSL reach the Finals of the 2010/11 competition ... Started the scoring on 3/01 v. CLB in Leg 2 of the CCL Quarterfinals, his 23' tally helping RSL to a dominant 4-1 win and advancement ... Scored against his former side on 3/15 v. Saprissa in Leg One of the CCL Semifinals, his 9th minute tally standing as the match-winner in a 2-0 victory ... After

going goalless in first three months of MLS play (6 games), broke out of slump with six goals in as many contests from 6/25 v. TOR through 8/06 v. NY ... Stretch included a pair of braces on 6/25 v. TOR and 7/23 v. SJ, the latter in which he also added an assist in a 4-0 win ... Tallied a goal and assist on 7/04 v. NE in a wild 3-3 Independence Day draw in Sandy ... After scoring all six goals during that stretch at home, went on a road show across Aug./Sept., scoring four goals in a five-game stretch (8/27 @ CHV, 9/10 @ SEA, 9/21 @ NY & 9/24 @ DC) ... Goal in regular season finale on 10/22 v. POR broke a tie for the team lead with Fabian Espindola (1-1 T) ... His three postseason goals tied LA's Mike Magee for the MLS Cup Playoffs scoring lead ... Started his playoff scoring binge on 10/29 v. SEA with a brace in Leg 1 of the Western Conf. Semifinals, including his first-ever playoff goal (41') and a Goal-of-the-Year-quality heel-flick (53') en route to leading RSL to a 3-0 win ... Also tallied on 11/06 @ LA in the Western Conf. Championship, his 25th minute header equalizing less than two minutes after LA jumped on top in an eventual 1-3 defeat.

2010: Tallied a franchise-record 18 goals and added six assists across 36 appearances (31 starts; 2,669 minutes) in League and Cup competition during his first season in Utah, numbers that helped him earn the 2010 MLS Newcomer of the Year award ... His 12 goals in MLS play placed him 8th on the MLS Golden Boot chart and earned him Real Salt Lake's Golden Boot award as its top scorer ... Finished T-3rd in MLS with five GWG and three multi-goal games ... His four assists in 27 regular season games (23 starts) placed T-4th on the squad (w/ Findley) ... His six goals during CONCACAF Champions League play were not only tops on the squad, but placed him in a three-way tie for second place across the 24 teams taking part in the regional championship's Preliminary and Group stages ... Also added a pair of assists during his five appearances (all starts, 411 minutes) in CCL play ...

Made RSL debut on 3/27 @ SJ off the bench (18 min.) and made first start five days later on 4/01 @ HOU (60 min.) ... Recorded first assist (Morales - 18') in the 1-2 defeat @ HOU ... Series of firsts continued on 4/10 v. SEA, as his first-ever MLS goal - a crashing header at the top of the six off of Nelson Gonzalez's corner - helped RSL notch a 2-2 comeback draw (94+)' ... Started and played 80 min. in RSL's U.S. Open Cup qualifier on 4/14 @ SJ, a wild 3-3 draw that RSL emerged from 5-3 in PKs ... Notched first multi-goal game on 5/13 v. HOU, his game-winning, left-footed swipe from 20 yards out (24') and header on the doorstep (60') helping RSL to a 3-1 victory ... Named MLS Player of the Week for Week 8 for his performance against the Dynamo, which also vaulted



him to the top of the RSL scoring charts for good ... Goal and assist on 5/29 v. KC (4-1 W) extended streak with goal or assist to team-record 5 games, matching streaks set by Jason Kreis (2005), Jeff Cunningham (2006), and Javier Morales (2008) ... Voted MLS Player of the Month for May, his 4G and 3A helping RSL notch its first-ever 5-game League winning streak ... Helped RSL to the second-largest margin of victory in team history on 7/02 v. NE, netting twice (52', 57') in the 5-0 drubbing of the Revs ... Brace against New England earned him second MLS Player of the Week award of the season (Week 14) ... Notched another match-winner on 7/31 v. DC, his 13th minute tally opening the scoring in a 3-0 win ... His brace on 8/18 v. Árabe Unido in RSL's first ever CCL contest led the comeback in a wild 2-1 victory in Sandy over the Panamanian champs [45', 94+' (PK)] ... A week later on 8/25 @ Cruz Azul, scored an equalizer (26') and an early go-ahead goal (43') during a monsoon in Mexico City in what turned out to be a heart-breaking 4-5 defeat ... Joined Costa Rica National Team for pair of away friendlies at Panama (9/03) and Jamaica (9/05, DNP), causing him to miss NYRB game on 9/4 at Rio Tinto Stadium ... 69th minute insurance goal on 9/15 v. TOR marked his 5th goal in three CCL games, helping RSL secure a 4-1 win ... Lashed home from the penalty spot on 9/18 v. CHI, his first half stoppage-time conversion standing as the lone goal in a 1-0 RSL win that set the record for the longest home undefeated streak in League history (23 games) ... Gave RSL a lead on the road on 9/22 @ Árabe Unido, his 36' goal putting RSL up 2-1 in its eventual 3-2 triumph ... Just minutes after RSL allowed an equalizer on 10/02 @ NE, scored his 5th GWG of the campaign (84') to give the visitors a crucial 2-1 result ... Almost single-handedly allowed RSL to maintain possession of the Rocky Mountain Cup in the regular season finale on 10/23 @ COL, his high-pressuring of GK Matt Pickens leading to his first tally in the 90th minute before a PK five minutes later brought the rivalry affair to a stunning 2-2 finish ... Grinded through a right knee injury during the Western Conference Semifinal Series v. FC Dallas, starting both legs and totaling 133 minutes in the 2-3 aggregate defeat (68 min. on 10/30 @ DAL, 65 min. on 11/06 v. DAL).

INTERNATIONAL CLUB CAREER

2001-06: Club Deportivo Saprissa – Costa Rica (Primera División de Costa Rica): Saborío's career at CD Saprissa totaled 149 appearances and 95 goals, scoring an average of two goals every three games ... Helped Saprissa reach the CONCACAF Champions Cup final in back-to-back years, winning the 2005 title over Mexican side UNAM (Pumas) (3-2 agg.) a year after dropping the series to fellow Costa Rican side Alajuelense ... Was Saprissa's leading scorer in the Costa Rican First Division's 2003-04 season, when he logged 25 tallies ... Twice helped Saprissa to Primera División de Costa Rica titles in 2003-04 and 2005-06 ...

2006-09: FC Sion – Switerland (Swiss Super League): Netted 36 goals in 87 appearances during his stay with the Swiss team ... The 2007-08 year was Saborío's strongest statistical year abroad, when he logged 34 appearances and 17 goals ... Helped FC Sion achieve the 2008-09 Swiss Cup crown in May of 2009 ... Was loaned out to Bristol FC in fall 2009 ...

2009-10: Bristol City FC – England (Football Championship League): Made 19 appearances for Bristol City in their 2009-10 campaign after joining the Robins on loan in September 2009 ... Made an immediate impact in his debut on 9/12/09 v. Coventry, logging an assist on Nick Maynard's equalizer (48') in the 1-1 draw ...

COSTA RICAN NATIONAL TEAM

For the better part of the last decade, has proven to be an important player for the Costa Rican National Team at various levels ... Has scored 23 goals in 69 appearances across all levels as of Feb. 2012 ... Notched an assist on 9/02/11 against the USA, helping the Ticos to a 1-0 win at The Home Depot Center ... Represented Costa Rica during the 2011 Gold Cup in June, a tumultuous stint that included a goal in the opening 5-0 win over Panama and a pair of missed PKs in the Quarterfinals against Honduras in a shootout loss (1-1 T) ... Scored the first-ever goal in Costa Rica's new National Stadium on 3/26/11 v. China, and also helped the Ticos welcome Argentina to the venue three days later ... Represented the CRC U-23s at the 2004 Olympics, scoring the Qualifying goal that advanced Costa Rica ... At the Sydney 2004 Games, started three of the team's four matches, scoring a goal against Portugal ... Parlaying that performance into consistency for Costa Rica's full National Team, appeared prominently during 2006 World Cup Qualifying ... Better known as "Sabo" or "le Gigi," the striker appeared twice for Costa Rica in Germany at the 2006 FIFA World Cup, totaling 73 minutes in a pair of losses as a substitute for Tico legends Ronald Gómez and Paulo César Wanchope ... His goal just 79 seconds into a 3-1 CONCACAF World Cup Qualifying win over the U.S. on 6/03/09 in San Jose, Costa Rica, is the second-fastest goal the U.S. has ever allowed during qualifying rounds.

PERSONAL

Álvaro Alberto Saborío Chacón was born March 25, 1982 in Ciudad Quesada, Costa Rica ... Can speak five languages: Mekatelyu (Limonese Creole), Spanish, Portuguese, French, and English.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	27	23	1988	12	4	51	22	30	30	21	0	3	0
2011	RSL	23	22	1928	11	2	66	24	43	38	38	0	3	0
	Totals	50	45	3916	23	6	117	46	73	68	59	0	6	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	2	2	133	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
2011	RSL	3	3	256	3	0	8	4	6	7	2	0	0	0
	Totals	5	5	389	3	0	9	5	7	8	3	0	0	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	2 – 5 times, last: July 23, 2011; RSL v. SJ
Assists	1 – 6 times, last: July 23, 2011; RSL v. SJ
Shots on Goal	4 – 2 times, last: July 23, 2011; RSL v. SJ
Shots	6 – 4 times, last: Aug. 3, 2011; RSL @ KC
Fouls Committed	5 – Sept. 17, 2011; RSL v. KC
Fouls Suffered	5 – May 7, 2011; RSL v. CHV





HEIGHT: 6'4"

WEIGHT: 185

BORN: September 6, 1987 in St. Louis, MO

HOMETOWN: Aurora, IL

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: Creighton University

MLS EXPERIENCE: 3rd Season (2010-11)

LAST CLUB: Creighton University (2009)

ACQUIRED: RSL: Selected in the third round (39th overall) of the 2009 MLS SuperDraft on 1/14/10

What a difference a year made for defender Chris Schuler. After showing a glimpse of promise that was cut short due to injury in 2010, the Chicagoland native returned to the field with a vengeance in 2011, playing in 26 matches across all competitions as injuries and suspensions wrecked havoc at times on the RSL backline. Five months after breaking his foot just the day after RSL clinched a spot in the CONCACAF Champions League knockout phase, it was perhaps fate that Schuler would be called upon to serve in place of the suspended Nat Borchers right off the bat against Columbus in the CCL Quarterfinals. The 24-year-old would pass that test with flying colors, and, as the RSL Technical Staff began to grow more and more comfortable with him, Schuler would also begin to draw assignments at outside back as situations dictated.

While some may think it unfortunate to sit behind one of the best center back tandems in league history on the depth chart, it is clear during the 2012 preseason that Schuler has been soaking up knowledge from Borchers and Jamison Olave over the course of his first two pro seasons. Learning the tricks of the trade from those pillars both technically and leadership-wise will certainly pay off with even better performances when called upon down the road, which may occur just as much this season with another congested schedule on the docket for the Claret-and-Cobalt.

MLS CAREER

2011: Totaled 26 appearances across regular season play and all Cup competitions, adding a pair of goals during his 20 MLS regular season affairs ... Also played all 540 minutes of his six MLS Reserve Division appearances ... Stepped into the First XI in place of the suspended Nat Borchers on 3/01 v. CLB in Leg 2 of their CONCACAF Champions League series, helping RSL advance via a 4-1 result ... Replaced the other regular center back, Jamison Olave, at halftime of the next CCL contest on 3/15, a 2-0 win over Saprissa in Leg 1 of the Semifinals ... Would score first professional goal on 4/09 @ NE, his 27th minute header off Warner's corner kick standing as the match-winner in a 2-0 victory ... After starting seven of first 18 regular season contests, start on 7/30 v. CLB marked the beginning of a stretch in which he'd receive starting nods in 13 of 14 contests (only missed 9/24 @ DC, coach's decision), mostly in place of the injured Olave ... During that stretch on 9/03 v. PHI, his 26' tally would again be the game-winner, this time in a 2-1 result in Sandy ... His only two shots on frame of the 13 shots in total both found the back of the net ... In-game injury to Olave on 10/29 v. SEA led to 58 minutes of action in RSL's thorough 3-0

defeat of Sounders FC in Leg One of their Western Conf. Semifinal Series in Sandy ... Would go the full 90 minutes in RSL's remaining two playoff contests on 11/02 @ SEA (0-2 L, wins 3-2 on agg.) and in the Western Conf. Championship on 11/06 @ LA (1-3 L).

2010: Made one appearance each in regular season, CONCACAF Champions League, and Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup action, totaling 243 minutes ... Started and played full 90 minutes in unofficial RSL debut on 5/15 v. Mexican U-21 Nat'l Team, going the full 90 during a 1-1 draw at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Official first-team debut came on 6/02 @ DC in RSL's second U.S. Open Cup qualifying contest, when he started and played 63 minutes before giving way to Fabian Espindola in the eventual 1-2 OT loss ... Entered at the half on 6/19 v. Puntarenas FC (CRC) and played the final 45 minutes in helping RSL close out a 2-0 international friendly/CCL tune-up win at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Made four appearances on loan for USSF D-2 Pro League side AC St. Louis during two separate stints, notching 338 minutes while sharpening up for RSL's congested late-season slate ... Started for the Gateway City side on 7/21 @ Montreal (90 min., 0-3 L), 7/24 @ Crystal Palace Baltimore (90 min., 0-1 L), 7/28 v. Portland (68 min., 3-0 W), and 9/05 v. Miami FC (90 min., 3-1 W) ... Made MLS debut in breakout fashion just four days after his last loan stint ended on 9/09 @ SEA, exhibiting stellar form across 90 minutes in a road shutout at Qwest Field in place of suspended DF Jamison Olave ... Was thrown into the fire of international competition in RSL's Champions League away fixture @ Árabe Unido on 9/22, going the full 90 minutes in a crucial 3-2 victory in Panama City ... Was in line for more appearances during busy October stretch until suffering a broken bone in his right foot during a training session on 9/29 in Toronto in preparation for a likely start on 10/02 @ NE.

COLLEGE

2009 (Senior): One of the most dominant defenders in school history, co-captain was named Second-Team All-Region in 2009, his third All-Region honor as a Bluejay ... Helped the Bluejays lead the Missouri Valley Conference with a 0.76 goals against average in 2009, ranking among NCAA leaders in both GAA and shutout percentage - eight clean sheets in 16 matches ... The center back became the 9th player in school history to be named first-team All-MVC three times - the first since former MLS performer David Wagenfuhr (2001-03) ... **2008 (Junior):** Ended standout Junior season being named Missouri Valley Conference Defensive Player of the Year, NSCAA Second-Team All-America



and NSCAA All-Midwest Region First-Team ... Also All-MVC First-Team, MVC All-Tournament Team and College Soccer News Second-Team All-America honoree ... Twice honored on the Soccer America National Team of the Week (Sept. 23, Oct. 7) and named MVC Defensive Player of the Week twice (Sept. 22, Oct. 6) ... Led the team with 1,852 minutes played, playing every minute of every match with the exception of a 12-minute break against UMKC (Sept. 13) ... Captain and anchor for record-setting defense which led the NCAA in shutout percentage (.650) and ranked second in goals against average (0.48) ... Helped team set school record with 13 shutouts ... Scored his only goal of the season against No. 22 Connecticut (Nov. 29) in the NCAA Tournament, the equalizer in the 79th minute of the overtime win ... **2007 (Sophomore):** Tabbed First-Team All-MVC and Second-Team NSCAA All-Midwest Region ... One of six Bluejays to start all 20 matches and played all but one minute in CU's final 19 matches ... Leader on a CU defense which posted seven shutouts and led the MVC with a 0.79 goals against average ... **2006 (Freshman):** Honored on the Soccer America Freshman All-America Second-Team and MVC All-Freshman Team ... Named to the MVC All-Tournament Team after scoring the game-winning goal of the championship match ... Each of his three goals were game-winners, two in overtime, ranking 2nd on the team in GWG ... First collegiate goal came in the 99th minute against Georgetown (Sept. 1) to give CU a 3-2 win in his home debut ... **2005 (RS-Freshman):** – Redshirted in his only season at Indiana after appearing in the Hoosiers' first exhibition match against UCLA ... Tabbed a Top 100 Freshmen to Watch by College Soccer News.

CLUB / HIGH SCHOOL

Named a 2005 PARADE All-American for Waubonsie Valley during his senior year ... Ranked as the top defender and seventh-best player in the nation by StudentSportsSoccer.com ... 2004 NSCAA/adidas Youth Boys Region II All-American and earned NSCAA/adidas All-Region V honors as a senior ... First-Team All-State defender as named by the Chicago Tribune ... Two-time All-Conference and All-Area First-Team honoree ... Played high school soccer for 1978 Hermann Trophy winner Angelo DiBernardo ... Played club soccer for the Chicago Magic (Aurora, IL), leading the team to State Cup Championships from 2001-04 and three regional championships ... Served as four-year captain for the Magic, the same club which produced RSL GM Garth Lagerwey and MF Ned Grabavoy ... Member of the Illinois and Region II Olympic Development Program ... Participated in two events with the national ODP team in summer 2005 ... Tabbed the MVP at the US Youth Soccer National Championships in July 2006.

PERSONAL

The son of Chris and Christina Schuler, Chris was born Sept. 6, 1987, in St. Louis, Mo. ... Has one younger sister, Christen (23), who played soccer at Northern Illinois ... Management information systems major while at Creighton.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
2011	RSL	20	16	1638	2	0	13	2	16	13	0	0	2	0
	Totals	21	17	1728	2	0	13	2	17	14	0	0	2	0

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2010	RSL	Did Not Play												
2011	RSL	3	2	238	0	0	1	0	4	2	0	0	0	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals 1 – 2 times, last: Sept. 3, 2011, RSL vs. PHI

Assists 0

Shots on Goal 1 – 2 times, last: Sept. 3, 2011, RSL vs. PHI

Shots 4 – Sept. 3, 2011, RSL vs. PHI

Fouls Committed 3 – Oct. 6, 2011, RSL @ VAN

Fouls Suffered 3 – Oct. 1, 2011, RSL @ LA





HEIGHT: 6'0"

WEIGHT: 180

BORN: February 7, 1986 in Larne, Northern Ireland

HOMETOWN: Larne, Northern Ireland

CITIZENSHIP: Northern Ireland

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: First Season

LAST CLUB: Carolina Railhawks (NASL) (2011)

Jonny Steele has squeezed a career's worth of stops into his first eight professional seasons, but the preseason pact he signed with Real Salt Lake might just allow the 26-year-old midfielder to stop and settle down for awhile ... besides, there's precedence for this sort of thing with the Utah side (see Williams, Andy). After years of hopping between second divisions clubs and indoor teams, the native of Northern Ireland has finally earned the opportunity to display his talents on the North American continent's top stage, eight years after his stateside journey began with a trial for FC Dallas. While Steele's presence will ratchet up the amount of bite in the RSL midfield, thinking of him as simply a "hardman" would be a mistake, as the former Wolverhampton performer didn't win the 2008 USL-1 MVP award for the Puerto Rico Islanders on hard tackles alone.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Began career with Wolverhampton Wanderers in 2004, but failed to appear for the first team during their brief climb to the English Premier League ... Moved across the pond in 2004 and, after undergoing an unsuccessful trial with FC Dallas, landed for the season with the Syracuse Salty Dogs (9 GP, 1 goal) in the then-USL A-League ... Split 2005 between A-League's Rochester Raging Rhinos and Ballymena United of the Irish Premier League ... Returned to Rochester in 2006 before moving on to the expansion Carolina Railhawks of the USL First Division in 2007 ... Enjoyed great success during two-year stint with the Puerto Rico Islanders in 2008-09, his USL-1 MVP campaign in 2008 helping lift the Islanders to the league's championship (6G in 49 GP in two seasons) ... Made 23 appearances between the Vancouver Whitecaps (13 GP) and Tampa Bay Rowdies (10 GP) during the 2010 USSF D-2 Pro League season ... Rejoined Carolina for its 2011 season in the NASL, making 22 appearances while helping the squad to the league's regular season title ... Also spent time with professional indoor soccer outfits Kansas City Comets (2004-05), Baltimore Blast (2005-2007) and Philadelphia KIXX (2007-08)..





HEIGHT: 5'8"

WEIGHT: 150

BORN: July 14, 1985 in Ibaraki, Japan

HOMETOWN: Ibaraki, Japan

CITIZENSHIP: Japan

COLLEGE: N/A

MLS EXPERIENCE: First Season

LAST CLUB: Sagan Tosu
(Japanese 2nd Div.) (2011)

As proof the RSL Technical Staff is committed to leaving no stone unturned in its search for talent, enter Terukazu Tanaka, an outside back prospect GM Garth Lagerwey spotted during a combine in Tokyo shortly after the end of the 2011 season. The 26-year-old right-sided defender brings five years of professional experience in the Japanese first and second divisions with him across the Pacific, a pedigree he hopes will earn him not only a spot on the RSL roster, but a regular slot in the outside back rotation alongside returning vets Chris Wingert and Tony Beltran.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Outside back has spent six seasons in the Japanese first and second divisions ... After going through youth system of Gamba Osaka (1998-2000), began professional career with reserve team of first division side Omiya Ardija in 2004 before moving up to first team in 2007 ... Played 10 games in 2007 and nine in 2008 before being loaned out to second division squad Yokohama FC ... Registered 41 appearances while on loan during 2009 season and, after move to Yokohama was made permanent in 2010, played another 12 contests ... Transferred to Sagan Tosu of J2 League in 2010 and played in 33 games between 2010-11 seasons, helping the squad win promotion to J1 in 2011.





HEIGHT: 5'7"

WEIGHT: 140

BORN: February 11, 1991 in Medellin, Colombia

HOMETOWN: Greenville, S.C.

CITIZENSHIP: USA/Colombia

COLLEGE: Spartanburg (SC) Methodist College

MLS EXPERIENCE: Rookie

LAST CLUB: Spartanburg Methodist College (2011)

ACQUIRED: Selected in the second round (36th overall) of the 2012 MLS SuperDraft on 1/12/12

If you were not aware of Sebastian Velasquez when Real Salt Lake selected him towards the end of the 2012 MLS SuperDraft, well, you weren't alone ... the plucky playmaker was the first Junior College player to be selected on draft day since Kansas City took another member of the RSL family, Yura Movsisyan, six years earlier. The Wasatch Front is a long way from Spartanburg Methodist College in South Carolina, but when word from collegiate scouting contacts about the "diamond-in-the-Upstate" came across RSL's attention, due diligence by assistant coach Miles Joseph paid off for the now-21-year-old midfielder via an invite to the club's December combine in Arizona. Velasquez impressed enough there to earn the nod to the next level, where he will be allowed plenty of time to learn how pull the strings on the top of RSL's midfield diamond behind Javier Morales and Luis Gil.

COLLEGIATE

Career Highlights/Accolades: Named NJCAA Second Team All-American after prolific scoring season in 2011 ... Played with fellow 2012 draftee Enzo Martinez in youth circles in South Carolina

Misc: Youth soccer days included time with Greenville Futbol Club, St. Giles Futbol Club, Carolina Elite Soccer Association and finally Discoveries Soccer Club in Rock Hill, SC, where he played alongside fellow 2012 RSL draftee Enzo Martinez ... Born in Medellin, Colombia, and moved to the United States with his mother when he was 14 months old ... Monitored his hopeful selection in the 2012 MLS SuperDraft by watching the online coverage alongside his family in Colombia.

Collegiate Stats at Spartanburg Methodist Community College (JuCo)

Year	GP/GS	G	A
2011 (sophomore)	19/-	35	16
2010 (freshman)	14/-	20	17
Totals	33/-	55	33





HEIGHT: 5'11"

WEIGHT: 170

BORN: June 16, 1982 in
Babylon, NY

HOMETOWN: Babylon, NY

CITIZENSHIP: United States

COLLEGE: St. John's University

MLS EXPERIENCE: 9th Season
(2004-2011)

LAST CLUB: Colorado Rapids
(2007)

ACQUIRED: **RSL:** Via trade with
Colorado Rapids on 7/13/07 in
exchange for RSL's first round
2008 and second round 2009
MLS Supplemental Draft picks.

COL: Acquired on 1/20/06 from
the Columbus Crew in exchange
for the Rapids' natural third
round 2006 MLS SuperDraft
selection and a conditional
2007 MLS SuperDraft pick

CLB: Selected by the Crew in
the second round (12th overall)
of the 2004 MLS SuperDraft.

The outside back position in RSL's 4-4-2 system is perhaps one of the most challenging spots in Major League Soccer – to call them “defenders” is simply not doing them justice. The role requires players to have the physicality to defend one-on-one, the speed and stamina to make run after run up and down the flank to provide width in attack and the technical acumen to make things happen with the ball, be it by providing crosses into the area or quick combinations with the midfield. You have to be smart, disciplined and in ridiculously good shape ... in other words, you almost have to be Chris Wingert.

The 29-year-old Wingert will enter the 2012 season as RSL's longest-tenured field player, beating out his former ex-Colorado teammate Kyle Beckerman for the honor by three days courtesy of their back-to-back trades in mid-July 2007. That longevity has not only shot him up the RSL all-time rankings in numerous categories, but it's also allowed him to master the abilities necessary to thrive on the island that can sometimes be the outside back position in Jason Kreis' preferred line-up. To protect against the wear-and-tear that saw nagging injuries effect the three-man rotation of Wingert, Tony Beltran and the departed Robbie Russell last season, the Claret-and-Cobalt will hope Wingert can mentor whichever two players emerge in the back-up battle out wide during preseason to increase the rotation to four by midseason. If there's anyone up for the task of mentoring it would be Wingert, a locker room leader who also has the NSCAA Scholar-Athlete of the Year honor from his Senior season at St. John's in his back pocket.

MLS CAREER

2011: His 22 starts; 23 appearances; 1,915 minutes and one assist in regular season play were the norm in RSL's three-man outside back rotation, but they also marked his lowest numbers in each category (except assists) in the four full seasons he's been in Claret-and-Cobalt ... Those numbers were greatly affected by a L wrist fracture suffered on 8/13 @ TOR, an injury that sidelined him for six weeks ... Finished the season in the RSL all-time top five with 122 games played (3rd); 112 starts (5th); 10,065 minutes (5th) ... Began the season by going the full 90 minutes in five of RSL's six contests in the CONCACAF Champions League Championship Stage, sitting out of only the team's 2-0 win in Leg One of the Semifinals against Saprissa ... His quick throw-in to set up Morales' 25-yard blast on 3/26 v. LA (41') marked his lone assist during the regular season ... Was the secondary character in one of the most talked-about incidents in MLS in 2011 on 6/18 v. DC, his clean slide tackle inside the area being cruelly judged as a foul against a diving Charlie Davies, which set up Davies' equalizing PK in the 85th minute and cost RSL a pair of points by leveling the match at 1-1 ... After

missing a month-and-a-half due to the broken wrist, returned to the field on 9/24 @ DC with a full 90-minute effort (1-4 L) ... His return marked the first of six straight starts to finish up the regular season and led to starting XI nods in all three MLS Cup Playoffs games as well ... Helped RSL open the scoring in the opening leg of its Western Conf. Semifinal Series on 10/29 v. SEA, assisting on Saborio's 41st minute tally in the crucial 3-0 victory.

2010: Scored a goal and contributed an assist in 2,466 minutes of action (30 GP/ 28 GS) across regular season and Cup competition ... Those tallies included one assist in four CONCACAF Champions League contests (all starts, 360 minutes) ... Ended season ranked third on RSL's career charts with 99 appearances; 90 starts (tied w/ Beckerman); and 8,150 minutes played ... Missed two games after suffering a hamstring strain early on 4/14 @ SJ in a Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup qualifier (sat out of MLS Cup '09 rematch on 4/17 @ LA and another playoff rematch on 4/24 @ CLB) ... Returned to the field off the bench on 5/01 v. TOR (20 minutes) and returned to starting XI on 5/08 v. PHI (3-0 W) ... Showed signs of ending his goalless streak on 5/13 v. HOU, when he pushed forward on numerous forays into the box and took a pair of shots in the 3-1 win ... Notched a goal seven seasons in the making on 5/22 @ CHV (46+'), his rebound off a Morales shot starting the scoring in RSL's 2-1 win at The Home Depot Center ... The goal snapped the fifth-longest goalless streak to begin a career in MLS history at 146 games ... Re-aggravated hamstring injury in late May, forcing him to miss RSL's 6/02 (USOC qualifier) and 6/05 contests @ DC ... Helped RSL achieve MLS history in CCL play, starting and going the distance on 8/18 v. Árabe Unido (2-1 W), 8/25 @ Cruz Azul (4-5 L), 9/15 v. TOR (4-1 W), and 9/28 @ TOR (1-1 T) during the Utah side's run to the top of the Group A table ... Helped get RSL on the board – and its first-ever goal in CCL action – on 8/18 v. Árabe Unido, his looping cross finished by Saborio to equalize just before the half (45') in the thrilling victory in Sandy ... Missed games on 10/09 @ NY, 10/16 v. DAL, and 10/19 v. Cruz Azul (CCL) due to a left quadriceps strain ... Made his 13 career postseason appearance on 10/30 @ DAL, returning from injury to log the full 90 minutes of the Western Conf. Semifinal Series Leg One defeat (1-2 L).

2009: One of 2 players (w/ Borchers) to appear in all 30 of RSL's contests and ranked 2nd with 27 starts ... Tied his single-season high of 3 assists (also in 2008) ... Moving up club's career charts, finishing 2009 with 75 GP (3rd); 68 GS (5th); and 6,165 minutes (4th) in an RSL uniform ... Ended the season with a 43-consecutive-match played streak ... Recorded a 796-minute streak to begin the 2009 campaign up to match on 5/16 v. KC (tactical substitution) ... Assist on 6/20 @ HOU marked his first helper in 16 games ... Went the full 90 minutes on 7/11 v. Club America (MEX) in XanGo Cup 2009, which RSL took by a 1-0 margin ... Assisted on first professional goal by Raphael Cox on 7/18 @ CLB, the assist helping



RSL to its only goal in the 1-3 defeat ... Saw 8-game starting streak snapped due to illness on 8/15 v. HOU ... Matched single-season high with his third assist, a helper on Findley's first finish in a 4-0 win v. CHV on 8/26 (85') ... One of two players (w/ Beltran) to register all 90 min. on 10/07 v. CD Guadalajara (Chivas) (MEX), going the distance in a contentious 1-1 draw at Rio Tinto Stadium ... Including playoffs, played every minute in RSL's final 13 contests ... Played all 120 minutes in Eastern Conf. Championship on 11/14 @ CHI, making several key defensive plays in helping RSL to a 0-0 draw through regulation and OT and an eventual 5-4 triumph in penalty kicks ... Playoffs culminated in his first MLS Cup appearance, a steady 120-minute effort on 11/22 v. LA at Seattle's Qwest Field ... Followed the 1-1 draw in regulation and overtime by keeping RSL's hopes alive in penalties, burying his 6th round attempt to keep the proceedings going for one more round – which is all it took for RSL to register a 5-4 PK win and the team's first-ever championship.

2008: Collected a career-best three assists while starting in all 29 League contests for which he was eligible (red card suspension for 7/12 match v. CLB) ... Was shown first red card of his career on 7/03 v. HOU ... Started and went all 90 minutes on 7/09 v. Santos Laguna (MEX) in RSL's 1-4 loss in the 2008 XanGo Cup ... Scored RSL's lone goal on 7/23 in 1-2 international friendly loss v. Deportivo Saprissa (CRC) at Rice-Eccles Stadium ... Notched first assist of 2008 on 7/28 v. TOR, his stellar cross being finished by Olave (63') in the 2-1 win ... Made his 100th career MLS appearance on 8/16 @ HOU ... His second assist of the campaign on 9/06 @ LA (Movsisyan, 21') helped get RSL on the board in an eventual 2-2 draw ... Notched single-season best in assists when he tallied his third helper of the campaign on Will Johnson's MLS Goal of the Year-winning volley (54') on 10/18 v. FCD in a 3-1 victory ... Played all 270 minutes across RSL's three postseason contests.

2007: Went from the bench to the starting XI after being acquired by RSL on 7/13/07 from Colorado in exchange for RSL's 2008 first round and 2009 second round MLS Supplemental Draft picks ... Made 22 League appearances overall, with 16 coming in an RSL uniform, while adding a pair of assists ... Made RSL debut on 7/14 @ KC ... Broke a 56-game streak without an assist on 9/12 @ DC ... Added second helper of the campaign in front of his hometown fans on 9/29 @ NY.

2006: Acquired by Colorado on 1/20/06 in a deal that sent a pair of draft picks to The Crew ... Made his Rapids debut on 4/02/06 v. HOU, starting and playing all 90 minutes ... Played 10 games for the Rapids first team and nine for the team's MLS Reserve Division outfit before suffering a mid-season leg injury ... Came back to appear in all three of the Rapids' playoff matches, recording 272 minutes on the field during their march to the Western Conference Final.

2005: Started 20 of his 27 appearances for CLB during his sophomore MLS campaign ... Earned a team-high eight cautions during his second professional season.

2004: Selected in the second Round (12th overall) by CLB in the 2004 MLS SuperDraft ... Appeared in 22 games, earning 16 starts, for CLB after working his way into the lineup as a rookie ... Made his MLS debut on 5/01 v. DAL, playing 33 minutes as a sub ... Earned his first MLS start on 7/03 v. CHI.

COLLEGE

Capped a highly-decorated career at St. John's University by winning the 2003 M.A.C. Hermann Trophy, college soccer's equivalent of the Heisman Trophy ... Played in two NCAA Men's College Cups in 2001 and 2003 ... As the team's captain, started all 23 games in which he appeared in his senior season in 2003 ... Missed the only game of his career while playing for the U.S. U-23 National Team ... Became the first player in Division 1 men's soccer history to win the Hermann Trophy and the NSCAA Scholar-Athlete Award in the same season.

U.S. NATIONAL TEAMS

U.S. MNT: Earned first “cap” with the full U.S. Men’s National Team on 1/24/09 v. Sweden, playing the final 11 minutes in a 3-2 victory at The Home Depot Center ... The appearance concluded his debut camp with the USA’s Senior Team, his first call-up to the U.S. Soccer system since 2004 ... U.S. U-23’s: Represented the U.S. at the Under-23 level between 2002 and 2004, appearing in all five games of the 2004 CONCACAF Olympic Qualifying Tournament in Guadalajara, Mexico – a run that ended with a semifinal loss the “El Tri.”

HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB

Played club soccer for West Chester, Penn. side FC Delco, helping the club to the 2001 U-19 Snickers United States Youth National Championship when he hit the game-winning goal in a 1-0 final victory ... Named All-State in New York as both a junior and a senior at St. John the Baptist High School, where he also lettered in tennis, his favorite sport after soccer.

PERSONAL

The son of Norman and Noreen Wingert ... Has one sister, Kerri ... His grandfather, Warren Mehrtens, won horse racing’s triple crown as a jockey aboard Assault in 1946 ... His father, Norm, was also a professional soccer player, a goalkeeper for the NASL Philadelphia Atoms in the 70’s ... Was a member of the prestigious President’s Society, recognizing the top students at St. John’s, where he was a Communication Arts major ... Enjoys playing the guitar, his favorite genre being rock and his favorite band Led Zeppelin.

MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2004	Columbus	22	16	1488	0	2	11	5	25	15	2	0	4	0
2005	Columbus	27	20	1896	0	0	10	1	50	16	1	0	8	0
2006	Colorado	10	4	446	0	0	0	0	10	5	0	0	1	0
2007	Colorado	6	4	446	0	0	1	1	8	2	0	0	1	0
	RSL	16	12	1144	0	2	3	2	18	15	0	16	3	0
	2007 totals	22	16	1590	0	2	4	3	26	17	0	16	4	0
2008	RSL	29	29	2589	0	3	10	5	23	14	0	2	4	1
2009	RSL	30	27	2432	0	3	9	2	31	22	0	3	3	0
2010	RSL	24	22	1985	1	0	9	2	26	15	1	0	4	0
2011	RSL	23	22	1915	0	1	9	2	32	10	0	3	5	0
	Totals	187	156	14341	1	11	62	20	223	114	4	24	33	1

MLS PLAYOFF STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
2004	Columbus	2	2	134	0	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0
2006	Colorado	3	2	272	0	0	2	0	4	1	0	0	1	0
2008	RSL	3	3	270	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
2009	RSL	4	4	420	0	0	2	0	10	2	0	1	1	0
2010	RSL	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2011	RSL	3	3	270	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
	Totals	16	15	1456	0	1	7	1	21	8	0	1	2	0

REGULAR SEASON GAME HIGHS

Goals	1 – May 22, 2010; RSL @ CHV
Assists	1 – 11 times, last: Mar. 26, 2011, RSL v. LA
Shots on Goal	2 – Oct. 15, 2007, RSL vs. HOU
Shots	3 – July 3, 2004, CLB vs. CHI
Fouls Committed	6 – Sept. 24, 2005, CLB at RSL
Fouls Suffered	4 – Sept. 12, 2007, RSL at DC



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2011 SEASON IN REVIEW

The 2011 season didn't quite go according to plan for Real Salt Lake. Despite all of the preseason talk centered around which trophies the Claret-and-Cobalt would be taking home this year (MLS Cup, Supporters' Shield, US Open Cup and CONCACAF Champions League), it ended up falling short on each count. RSL finished the year with a 15-11-8 record, with only the record-breaking defense of LA bettering its total of 36 goals against.

The Utah outfit certainly showed they had a solid backbone to the team, yet came up short at key times in the year, just when it looked as if glory was on the horizon. The season turned out to be one full of struggles and adversity, as injuries, national team call-ups and fatigue took their toll at various points in the year. Still, RSL was still able to claw its way into third place on the league table (earning the squad a 2012/13 CCL berth in the process) and defeated a talented Seattle Sounders FC squad in the opening round of the MLS Cup Playoffs, prior to succumbing to the eventual champion Galaxy in an entertaining Western Conference Championship at The Home Depot Center.



The campaign started early due to CCL Championship Stage play, a captivating run that began against fellow MLS side Columbus Crew in the Quarterfinals. After a scoreless Leg One in frigid Central Ohio on Feb. 22, RSL warmed up on the chilly Wasatch Front a week later, a 4-1 thumping setting up a Semifinal Round showdown against Costa Rican power Deportivo Saprissa.

Playing against the club he helped lead to the 2005 CONCACAF Champions Cup title, striker Alvaro Saborio tallied the opener for Real in a 2-0 triumph in Sandy in the opening leg on March 15. RSL carried that momentum across the three-week break between legs down to Estadio Ricardo Saprissa, where Jamison Olave's second half tally made the difference in a 1-2 defeat that was good enough to produce a 3-2 aggregate win, allowing the Utahns to become the first MLS team to earn a spot in the CCL Finals.

Arguably RSL's finest moment of the year came on April 20, when it earned a stunning 2-2 draw at Monterrey's Estadio Tecnológico in the first leg of the Champions League finals back in April. Twice the visitors went down in hostile conditions, but Nat Borchers and Javier Morales were able to answer back, the latter's equalizer in the waning moments setting up a dramatic finale back at Rio Tinto Stadium in the return leg.

Real Salt Lake's quest for CCL glory piqued the interest of soccer fans across North America, giving MLS supporters the rare opportunity to galvanize behind a squad in international competition. Despite having the support of MLS fans across North America and needing just a 0-0 or 1-1 draw to add to the trophy case, the April 27 decider failed to fall RSL's way as Chilean international Humberto Suazo's close-range goal just before the half would stand tall for Monterrey in their 1-0 victory. The defeat not only dashed a historic moment for the Claret-and-Cobalt, but also pierced the club's invincibility at Rio Tinto Stadium, the result marking RSL's first loss in Sandy in 33 competitive games, a stretch that dated back to May 2009.

While a defeat with so much on the line would normally count as the low point in a season, RSL's morale suffered an even bigger blow less than two weeks later on May 7, when playmaker Javier Morales suffered a horrific ankle injury at home against Chivas USA. The image of the Argentine's agony after suffering a hard challenge from Marcos Mondaini was hard to erase from the collective memory of "RSL Nation," but the impact of losing Morales for what many thought would be the remainder of the year was even more profound. Real Salt Lake's "Team is the Star"

mantra would be put to the test more than it ever had been in the Jason Kreis era, and while the squad would fail to hit on all cylinders across much of the summer, the collective still had more than enough quality pieces in place to build on its strong start and stay towards the top of the MLS table.

In the absence of Morales, several players had the chance to pull the strings at the top of RSL's midfield diamond, but none took better advantage of the opportunity than young Luis Gil. By necessity, the budding playmaker announced himself to MLS fans at the age of 17, his blast from outside of the area against the New York Red Bulls at Rio Tinto Stadium in August opening his MLS scoring account and symbolizing signs of good things to come for the talented Californian. On the opposite end of the field (and the RSL roster's age-range), another SoCal native helped pick up the slack, as veteran 'keeper Nick Rimando registered 13 shutouts and a 1.09 GAA during another standout campaign.

In a season full of emotional twists and turns, captain Kyle Beckerman was a rock. The gritty midfielder cranked his game up a notch in the absence of Morales, tallying a career-high nine assists and helping to keep his team's head above water when it could have easily folded at various points along the way. With the exception of a regrettable and out-of-character lapse of judgment when he headbutted Chicago's Daniel Paladini in late September – a stunt that earned him a five-game suspension – he was among the top performers in the League, meriting serious MVP consideration and resulting in a re-birth of his senior international career for the USA over the summer thanks to new boss Jurgen Klinsmann.

With Beckerman's suspension and periodic absences due to international duty, it was important for RSL to find a fill-in at the holding midfielder spot. They found one with the late-season addition of Yordany Álvarez, who was coming off a championship-winning season in which he was named the USL Pro league MVP for his efforts with Orlando City SC.





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Despite suffering through mountains of adversity, a franchise-record five-game winning streak across late-August and September allowed RSL to stay in a fierce three-team race for the Supporters Shield alongside fellow Western foes Seattle and Los Angeles. However, a five-game losing swoon and disappointing 1-1 draw at home against Portland in the regular season finale followed, the two vastly different runs echoing the roller-coaster that was RSL's 2011 campaign. The one bright spot for RSL down the stretch was the inspirational return of Morales, who came off the bench on Sept. 28 against Chicago to a true hero's welcome, evoking one of the loudest ovations in the three-plus-year history of Rio Tinto Stadium.



So why would the playoffs be any different? An "unfair" meeting, according to Kreis, between RSL and Seattle in the Western Conference Semifinals would pit league powers against each other in the opening round, and it was the Utahns that answered the bell quickly. Using a brace by Saborio and an ultimately pivotal late tally by Ned Grabavoy, Real Salt Lake jumped out to a 3-0 lead in the aggregate series, but the win would prove costly as the centerback tandem of Nat Borchers and repeat MLS Best XI performer Jamison Olave both left the match due to injury. RSL then held on for dear life in the second leg at CenturyLink Field, using a key first half goal mouth block by defender Tony Beltran and a lockdown last 10 minutes to stave off the Sounders, a 0-2 defeat good enough to register a 3-2 aggregate win and a date in LA against the Galaxy in the Western Conference Championship.

Despite both teams working on short rest, the showdown at The Home Depot Center was both entertaining and exhausting to watch. Real Salt Lake came firing out of the gates in the opening quarter-hour, but a PK conversion by Landon Donovan would put the home side up against the run of play 21 minutes in. However, Saborio would answer by heading home less than two minutes later to keep the crowd on edge – and the Galaxy on notice. RSL became the latest victim of Mike Magee's postseason offensive firestorm, a header of his own put the Galaxy back on top just shy of the hour mark. RSL almost answer straight away once again, but Fabian Espindola – who enjoyed a breakout campaign with 10 regular season goals – saw his spectacular, twisting effort from distance clank off the crossbar, signifying the coming of the end for the Claret-and-Cobalt. A Robbie Keane finish off a quick counter in the 68th minute was the final nail in the coffin for Real Salt Lake, which would have only re-entry into the CONCACAF Champions League to show at the end of the most trying of its seven MLS campaigns.



2011 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

REAL SALT LAKE 2011 REGULAR SEASON RESULTS * FINAL RECORD: 15-11-8, 53 pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	GOALS
03/19/2011	at San Jose	W 1-0	10,525	1-0-0	T1	3	RSL: Beckerman [64]
03/26/2011	Los Angeles	W 4-1	20,507	2-0-0	T1	6	RSL: Williams [2] Morales [10,41] Araujo [68]; LA: Angel [80]
04/09/2011	at New England	W 2-0	7,970	3-0-0	T1	9	RSL: Schuler [27] Araujo [47]
04/13/2011	Colorado	W 1-0	15,513	4-0-0	1	12	RSL: Espindola [90]
04/30/2011	at Portland	L 0-1	18,627	4-1-0	T2	12	POR: Cooper [22]
05/07/2011	Chivas USA	W 1-0	14,313	5-1-0	2	15	RSL: Johnson [87]
05/14/2011	Houston	T 0-0	16,301	5-1-1	3	16	
05/22/2011	at FC Dallas	T 0-0	10,550	5-1-2	T3	17	
05/28/2011	Seattle	L 1-2	14,674	5-2-2	T5	17	RSL: Gonzalez [87]; SEA: Ianni [71] Neagle [84]
06/04/2011	Vancouver	W 2-0	15,174	6-2-2	4	20	RSL: Alexandre [32] Espindola [79]
06/08/2011	at Columbus	L 1-2	9,650	6-3-2	4	20	RSL: Olave [7]; CLB: Mendoza [76] Gardner [82]
06/11/2011	at Philadelphia	T 1-1	18,728	6-3-3	5	21	RSL: Espindola [53]; PHI: Daniel [24]
06/18/2011	D.C. United	T 1-1	16,841	6-3-4	T4	22	RSL: Espindola [38]; DC: Davies [85]
06/22/2011	at Chicago	T 0-0	14,972	6-3-5	4	23	
06/25/2011	Toronto FC	W 3-1	15,077	7-3-5	4	26	RSL: Borchers [39] Saborio [42,60]; TOR: dos Santos [66]
07/04/2011	New England	T 3-3	16,139	7-3-6	4	27	RSL: Johnson [24] Saborio [56] Espindola [83]; NE: Lekic [4] Tierney [16] Joseph [63]
07/09/2011	FC Dallas	W 2-0	17,734	8-3-6	4	30	RSL: Williams [47] Espindola [90]
07/16/2011	at Vancouver (PPD)				4		
07/23/2011	San Jose	W 4-0	19,429	9-3-6	4	33	RSL: Saborio [63,75] Beckerman [78] Olave [83]
07/30/2011	Columbus	L 0-2	18,516	9-4-6	5	33	CLB: Gaven [5] Heinemann [10]
08/03/2011	at Sporting KC	L 0-2	18,467	9-5-6	5	33	KC: Espinoza [29] Bunbury [34]
08/06/2011	New York	W 3-0	19,081	10-5-6	5	36	RSL: Borchers [13] Gil [44] Saborio [77]
08/13/2011	at Toronto FC	L 0-1	21,644	10-6-6	5	36	TOR: Plata [77]
08/20/2011	at Houston	L 2-3	16,247	10-7-6	5	36	RSL: Espindola [28] Gil [60]; HOU: Ching [47] Boswell [69] Dixon [90]
08/27/2011	at Chivas USA	W 1-0	14,127	11-7-6	5	39	RSL: Saborio [11]
09/03/2011	Philadelphia	W 2-1	18,720	12-7-6	4	42	RSL: Beckerman [18] Schuler [26]; PHI: Le Toux [30]
09/10/2011	at Seattle	W 2-1	35,940	13-7-6	4	45	RSL: own goal [12] Saborio [56]; SEA: Montero [45]
09/17/2011	Sporting KC	W 1-0	19,888	14-7-6	3	48	RSL: Borchers [54]
09/21/2011	at New York	W 3-1	15,266	15-7-6	T2	51	RSL: Saborio [7] Espindola [11,21]; NY: Lindpere [69]
09/24/2011	at D.C. United	L 1-4	16,367	15-8-6	3	51	KC: Saborio [86]; DC: Najjar [13] De Rosario [22,27,31]
09/28/2011	Chicago	L 0-3	20,762	15-9-6	3	51	CHI: Pappa [9,36,75]
10/01/2011	at Los Angeles	L 1-2	27,000	15-10-6	3	51	RSL: Espindola [45]; LA: Barrett [59] own goal [72]
10/06/2011	at Vancouver	L 0-3	20,113	15-11-6	3	51	VAN: Camilo [44,53] Khalfan [88]
10/14/2011	at Colorado	T 0-0	16,272	15-11-7	3	52	
10/22/2011	Portland	T 1-1	20,378	15-11-8	3	53	RSL: Saborio [45]; POR: Danso [90]

REAL SALT LAKE 2011 MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS

WESTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINAL SERIES

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
Sat. Oct. 29	Seattle	W 3-0	17,067	(RSL leads 3-0 agg)	RSL: Saborio [41, 53] Grabavoy 88
Wed. Nov. 2	at Seattle	L 0-2	36,021	(RSL wins 3-2 agg)	SEA:

WESTERN CONFERENCE FINAL

Sun. Nov. 6	at Los Angeles	L 1-3	23,437	(LA advances to Cup)	RSL: Saborio [25]; LA: Donovan [23] Magee [58] Keane [68]
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REAL SALT LAKE 2011 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (MLS PLAY-IN ROUNDS)

Tue. June 28	Wilmington	W 2-0	7,620	RSL advances to 1/4s	RSL: Beltran [40] Alexandre [44]
Tue. July 12	at FC Dallas	L 0-2	3,189	RSL eliminated	DAL: Benitez [18] Jackson [54]

REAL SALT LAKE 2011 CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE RESULTS

Tue. Feb. 22	at Columbus (USA)	T 0-0	4,665		
Tue. March 1	Columbus (USA)	W 4-1	15,405	RSL advances 4-1 agg	RSL: Saborio [23] Morales [36, 77] Williams [95+]; CLB: Mendoza [49]
Tue. March 15	Saprissa (CRC)	W 2-0	16,888		RSL: Saborio [9] Espindola [56]
Tue. April 5	at Saprissa (CRC)	L 1-2	21,065	RSL advances 2-1 agg	RSL: Olave [61]; SAP: Cordero [46] Solis [87]
Wed. April 20	at Monterrey (MEX)	T 2-2	31,000	RSL earns away result	RSL: Borchers [35] Morales [89]; MTY: DeNigris [17] Suazo [63]
Wed. April 27	Monterrey (MEX)	L 0-1	20,378	FIFA Club WC denied	MTY: Suazo [46]

2011 RSL STATS AT-A-GLANCE

2011 RSL MISCELLANEOUS STATS

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED:

2' - Williams; 03/26 v LA
7' - Olave; 6/8 @ CLB
7' - Saborio; 9/21 @ NY

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED:

4' - Lekic; 7/4 v NE
5' - Gaven; 7/30 v CLB

RSL EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

83' - Espindola, 7/4 v NE

OPP. EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

85' - Davies, 6/18 v DC
91+ - Danso, 10/22 v POR

RSL GAME WINNERS AFTER 75':

93' - Espindola; 4/13 v COL
87' - Johnson; 5/7 v CHV

OPP. GWG AFTER 75':

93+ - Dixon; 8/20 @ HOU
84' - Neagle; 5/28 v SEA
82' - Gardner; 6/8 @ CLB
77' - Plata; 8/13 @ TOR

RSL MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Morales (2); 3/26 v LA
Saborio (2); 6/25 v TOR
Saborio (2); 7/23 v SJ
Espindola (2); 9/21 @ NY

OPP. MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

DeRosario (3); 9/24 @ DC
Pappa (3); 9/28 v CHI
Camilo (2); 10/6 @ VAN

RSL MULTI-ASSIST GAMES:

Warner (2); 4/9 @ NE
Russell (2); 6/25 v TOR
Beckerman (2); 6/25 v TOR
Beckerman (2); 8/6 v NY

OPP. MULTI-ASSIST GAMES:

Rogers (2); 7/30 v CLB
Davis (2); 8/20 @ HOU

OPP. HAT TRICKS:

DeRosario; 9/24 @ DC
Pappa; 9/28 v CHI

OWN GOALS FOR RSL:

Keller, SEA; 9/10 @ SEA, 12'

OWN GOALS AGAINST RSL:

Borchers, @ LA; 10/1 @ LA, 72'

RSL RED CARDS RECEIVED:

Johnson, 87'; 4/9 @ NE
Olave, 58'; 5/28 v SEA
Borchers, 3'; 7/4 v NE
Borchers, 24'; 8/27 @ CHV
Beltran, 35'; 9/10 @ SEA
Beckerman, 11'; 9/28 v CHI
Warner, 44'; 10/6 @ VAN

OPP. RED CARDS RECEIVED:

Joseph, 64'; 4/9 @ NE
Phelan, 87'; 4/9 @ NE
Boyens, 24'; 5/7 v CHV
Mondaini, 37'; 5/7 v CHV
Cochrane, 67'; 7/4 v NE
Burling, 60'; 7/23 v SJ
Espinoza, 57'; 8/3 @ KC
Hurtado, 39'; 9/10 @ SEA

2011 AWARD WINNERS

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week 2 - MF Javier Morales
Week 12 - FW Jean Alexandre

MLS SAVE OF THE WEEK

Week 1 - GK Nick Rimando
Week 24 - GK Nick Rimando

MLS PLAYER OF THE MONTH

March - GK Nick Rimando

MLS GOAL OF THE WEEK

Week 21 - MF Luis Gil
Week 25 - MF Kyle Beckerman

2011 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL				
MLS Regular Season:	10-3-4 (29/15)	5-8-4 (15/20)	15-11-8 (44/36)	In Red:	10-3-4 (29/15)	4-7-1 (14/18)	14-10-5 (43/33)
One-Goal Games:	4-1-0	3-5-0	7-5-0	In Gold:	n/a	0-1-1 (0/3)	0-1-1 (0/3)
				In White:	N/A (-/-)	1-0-2 (1/0)	1-0-2 (1/0)
vs. East:	4-2-3 (13/11)	2-5-2 (10/14)	6-7-5 (23/25)	On KUTV2/KMYU:	4-1-0 (10/2)	4-8-3 (14/21)	8-9-4 (24/23)
vs. West:	6-1-1 (16/4)	3-3-2 (5/7)	9-4-3 (21/11)	On ESPN2:	0-0-1 (3/3)	0-0-1 (0/0)	0-0-2 (3/3)
				On Telefeutura:	1-0-0 (1/0)	N/A (-/-)	1-0-0 (1/0)
First 17 games:	6-1-3 (18/8)	2-2-3 (5/4)	8-3-6 (23/12)	On Fox Soccer:	0-0-1 (0/0)	1-0-0 (1/0)	1-0-1 (1/0)
Last 17 games:	4-2-1 (11/7)	3-6-1 (10/17)	7-8-2 (21/24)	Opp. Local TV:	9-3-2 (25/12)	4-7-3 (13/17)	13-10-5 (38/29)
Before All-Star:	7-1-3 (22/8)	2-2-3 (5/4)	9-3-6 (27/12)	In March:	1-0-0 (4/1)	1-0-0 (1/0)	2-0-0 (5/1)
Since All-Star:	3-2-1 (7/7)	3-6-1 (10/17)	6-8-2 (16/20)	In April:	1-0-0 (1/0)	1-1-0 (2/1)	2-1-0 (3/1)
				In May:	1-1-1 (2/2)	0-0-1 (0/0)	1-1-2 (2/2)
Scoring First:	10-0-2	5-3-0	15-3-2	In June:	2-0-1 (6/3)	0-1-2 (2/3)	2-1-3 (8/5)
Opp. Scoring First:	0-3-1	0-5-1	0-8-2	In July:	2-1-1 (9/3)	--	2-1-1 (9/5)
				In August:	1-0-0 (3/0)	1-3-0 (3/6)	2-3-0 (6/6)
Leading at Half:	5-0-2	3-3-0	8-3-2	In Sept.:	2-1-0 (3/4)	2-1-0 (6/6)	4-2-0 (9/10)
Tied at Half:	5-1-1	2-1-3	7-2-4	In Oct.:	0-0-1 (1/1)	0-2-1 (1/5)	0-2-2 (2/6)
Trailing at Half:	0-2-1	0-4-1	0-6-2				
Leading at 75':	8-0-2	5-1-0	13-1-2	MLS Regular Season:	10-3-4 (29/15)	5-8-4 (15/21)	15-11-8 (44/36)
Tied at 75':	2-0-1	0-2-4	2-2-5	MLS Reserve Division:	1-4-0 (2/5)	1-3-0 (2/5)	2-7-0 (4/10)
Trailing at 75':	0-3-1	0-5-0	0-8-1	U.S. Open Cup:	1-0-0 (2/0)	0-1-0 (0/2)	1-1-0 (2/2)
				CONCACAF CL:	2-1-0 (6/2)	0-1-2 (3/4)	2-2-2 (9/6)
Day Games:	1-0-0 (1/0)	1-0-1 (3/2)	2-0-1 (4/2)	Playoffs:	1-0-0 (3/0)	0-2-0 (1/5)	1-2-0 (4/5)
Night Games:	9-3-4 (28/15)	4-9-3 (12/18)	13-12-7 (40/34)	TOTALS	15-8-4 (42/24)	6-15-6 (21/37)	21-22-10 (62/59)
On Grass:	10-3-4 (29/15)	3-6-4 (11/16)	13-9-8 (40/31)				
On Turf:	N/A	2-2-0 (4/5)	2-2-0 (4/5)				



2011 RSL REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	F	Alvaro Saborio	23	22	1928	11	2	66	24	43	38	38	0	3	0
7	F	Fabian Espindola	27	25	2096	10	3	62	31	39	31	33	1	6	0
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	29	27	2423	3	9	33	13	36	23	1	42	6	1
6	D	Nat Borchers	30	30	2547	3	1	19	6	14	15	5	0	1	2
23	F	Paulo Araujo Jr.	11	5	468	2	4	11	6	6	5	5	0	0	0
11	M	Javier Morales	10	9	785	2	3	12	5	10	22	3	35	3	0
8	M	Will Johnson	25	22	2059	2	1	39	15	20	29	2	13	6	1
4	D	Jamison Olave	24	24	2128	2	1	20	7	30	17	3	0	3	1
77	M	Andy Williams	31	20	1970	2	1	38	13	33	45	1	40	2	0
21	M	Luis Gil	25	14	1288	2	0	21	7	16	11	4	2	0	0
28	D	Chris Schuler	20	16	1638	2	0	13	2	16	13	0	0	2	0
12	M	Jean Alexandre	19	9	703	1	2	12	4	19	9	8	0	3	0
22	M	Nelson Gonzalez	6	2	174	1	1	5	2	4	1	0	13	0	0
26	M	Collen Warner	24	15	1106	0	5	16	8	28	19	4	12	3	1
3	D	Robbie Russell	26	22	1809	0	2	8	1	17	10	0	0	4	0
10	M	Arturo Alvarez	16	8	724	0	1	18	1	12	9	3	3	0	0
2	D	Tony Beltran	22	19	1731	0	1	5	3	14	21	1	0	1	1
17	D	Chris Wingert	23	22	1915	0	1	9	2	32	10	0	3	5	0
14	F	Artur Aghasyan	4	1	98	0	0	3	0	5	2	1	0	0	0
13	F	Chris Agorsor (TOT)	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	F	Chris Agorsor (RSL)	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	M	Yordany Alvarez	5	4	419	0	0	0	0	21	4	0	0	4	0
27	F	Cody Arnoux	2	0	69	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
20	M	Ned Grabavoy	25	21	1899	0	0	17	3	25	38	3	1	3	0
30	D	Rauwshan McKenzie	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
24	G	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	G	Nick Rimando	33	33	2970	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0
19	D	Blake Wagner (TOT)	11	10	841	0	0	6	2	11	11	0	4	0	0
19	D	Blake Wagner (RSL)	2	1	63	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
1	G	Tim Melia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	F	Donny Toia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Own-goals received				1									
		Team totals	34	34	3060	44	38	429	153	443	411	115	165	56	7
		Opponent totals	34	34	3060	36	31	375	136	411	443	66	147	52	8

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Alvaro Saborio 4, Chris Schuler 2, Fabian Espindola 2, Nat Borchers 2

Andy Williams 1, Javier Morales 1, Will Johnson 1, Kyle Beckerman 1
Jean Alexandre 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 6, Collen Warner 2, Robbie Russell 1, Javier Morales 1

Nat Borchers 1, Tony Beltran 1, Paulo Araujo Jr. 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Alvaro Saborio 3-3, Javier Morales 1-1, Fabian Espindola 1-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24	G	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	2	2	0	0.00	0	0	1	0	0	1
18	G	Nick Rimando	33	33	2970	134	95	36	1.09	5	7	14	11	8	13
		Team totals	34	34	3060	136	97	36	1.06	5	7	15	11	8	14
		Opponent totals	34	34	3060	153	109	44	1.29	5	5	11	15	8	10

2011 RSL POSTSEASON STATS (1-2-0)

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	F	Alvaro Saborio	3	3	256	3	0	8	4	6	7	2	0	0	0
20	M	Ned Grabavoy	3	0	64	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
11	M	Javier Morales	3	3	258	0	3	2	2	4	10	0	10	1	0
4	D	Jamison Olave	2	2	114	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
17	D	Chris Wingert	3	3	270	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
14	M	Yordany Alvarez	1	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	3	3	270	0	0	4	0	3	0	0	1	0	0
2	D	Tony Beltran	2	1	98	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0
6	D	Nat Borchers	1	1	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	F	Fabian Espindola	3	3	270	0	0	7	3	6	5	7	0	1	0
21	M	Luis Gil	3	0	22	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	M	Will Johnson	3	3	270	0	0	3	2	2	3	0	0	0	0
18	G	Nick Rimando	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0
3	D	Robbie Russell	3	3	250	0	0	3	2	3	2	0	0	0	0
28	D	Chris Schuler	3	2	238	0	0	1	0	4	2	0	0	0	0
77	M	Andy Williams	3	3	222	0	0	2	1	4	2	0	1	0	0
13	F	Chris Agorsor (TOT)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	F	Chris Agorsor (RSL)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	M	Jean Alexandre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	M	Arturo Alvarez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	F	Paulo Araujo Jr.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	F	Cody Arnoux	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	M	Nelson Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	D	Rauwshan McKenzie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	Tim Melia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	G	Kyle Reynish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	F	Donny Toia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	D	Blake Wagner (TOT)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	D	Blake Wagner (RSL)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	M	Collen Warner	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team totals			3	3	270	4	5	33	16	42	44	9	12	4	0
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Alvaro Saborio 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Chris Wingert 1, Javier Morales 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO	RECORD
18	G	Nick Rimando	3	3	270	13	7	5	1.67	2	2	1	2	0	1	0-0-0
Team totals			3	3	270	13	7	5	1.67	2	2	1	2	0	1	0-0-0
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1.33</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0-0-0</i>



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2011 U.S. OPEN CUP



RSL qualified for the 2011 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup by virtue of its top-8 MLS finish in 2010 (2nd in Supporters Shield race). After hosting nearly 8,000 fans for minor-league Wilmington's visit, RSL traveled mid-July to a sweltering Frisco, Tex., once again unable to win in Dallas and break the club's "Texas Hex." RSL has never advanced past the Quarterfinal stage of the Open Cup in its seven-season history.

2011 REAL SALT LAKE LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Result	Goals	Venue
6/28	vs. Wilmington Hammerheads (USL PRO)	2-0 W	RSL: Beltran (40') Alexandre (44')	JRio Tinto Stadium Sandy, Utah
7/12	at FC Dallas (MLS)	0-2 L	DAL: Benitez (19'), Jackson (54')	Pizza Hut Park Frisco, Texas

2011 REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP STATS

#	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
12	MF Jean Alexandre	2	1	114	1	1	0	0
2	DF Tony Beltran	2	2	180	1	0	0	0
8	MF Will Johnson	2	2	180	0	1	0	0
10	MF Arturo Álvarez	1	0	32	0	0	0	0
5	MF Kyle Beckerman	2	2	153	0	0	0	0
6	DF Nat Borchers	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
7	FW Fabián Espíndola	1	1	66	0	0	1	0
21	FW Luis Gil	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
22	MF Nelson Gonzáles	1	0	16	0	0	0	0
20	MF Ned Grabavoy	2	1	85	0	0	1	0
30	DF Rauwshan McKenzie	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
4	DF Jamison Olave	1	1	90	0	0	1	0
24	GK Kyle Reynish	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
3	DF Robbie Russell	1	0	27	0	0	0	0
28	DF Chris Schuler	1	1	63	0	0	0	0
26	MF Collen Warner	2	1	106	0	0	0	0
77	MF Andy Williams	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
17	DF Chris Wingert	1	1	58	0	0	0	0
	RSL totals	2	2	180	2	2	3	0
	Opponent totals	2	2	180	2	1	6	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Tony Beltran 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Jean Alexandre 1

PENALTY KICKS: None

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24 Kyle Reynish	2	2	180	2	1.00	0	0	1	1	0	1
RSL Totals	2	2	180	2	1.00	0	0	1	1	0	1
Opponent totals	2	2	180	2	1.00	0	0	1	1	0	1



2011 MLS STATS & STANDINGS



2011 FINAL STANDINGS

EASTERN	OVERALL								HOME						ROAD					
	GP	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	GD	W	L	T	GF	GA	W	L	T	GF	GA		
x Sporting KC	34	13	9	12	51	50	40	10	9	2	6	29	16	4	7	6	21	24		
x Houston	34	12	9	13	49	45	41	4	10	3	4	32	20	2	6	9	13	21		
x Philadelphia	34	11	8	15	48	44	36	8	7	1	9	24	18	4	7	6	20	18		
x Columbus	34	13	13	8	47	43	44	-1	9	3	5	27	18	4	10	3	16	26		
x New York	34	10	8	16	46	50	44	6	8	3	6	29	17	2	5	10	21	27		
Chicago	34	9	9	16	43	46	45	1	6	3	8	24	19	3	6	8	22	26		
D.C. United	34	9	13	12	39	49	52	-3	4	5	8	28	27	5	8	4	21	25		
Toronto FC	34	6	13	15	33	36	59	-23	5	4	8	18	21	1	9	7	18	38		
New England	34	5	16	13	28	38	58	-20	4	7	6	17	24	1	9	7	21	34		

WESTERN	OVERALL									HOME					ROAD					
	GP	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	GD		W	L	T	GF	GA		W	L	T	GF	GA
ss Los Angeles	34	19	5	10	67	48	28	20		12	0	5	28	8		7	5	5	20	20
x Seattle	34	18	7	9	63	56	37	19		9	4	4	32	20		9	3	5	24	17
x Real Salt Lake	34	15	11	8	53	44	36	8		10	3	4	29	15		5	8	4	15	21
x FC Dallas	34	15	12	7	52	42	39	3		9	5	3	20	11		6	7	4	22	28
x Colorado	34	12	9	13	49	44	41	3		6	2	9	25	16		6	7	4	19	25
Portland	34	11	14	9	42	40	48	-8		9	5	3	30	22		2	9	6	10	26
San Jose	34	8	12	14	38	40	45	-5		5	4	8	24	19		3	8	6	16	26
Chivas USA	34	8	14	12	36	41	43	-2		5	7	5	19	17		3	7	7	22	26
Vancouver	34	6	18	10	28	35	55	-20		6	6	5	24	24		0	12	5	11	31

ss - clinched Supporters' Shield

x - indicates that this club has clinched a playoff spot.

BUDWEISER GOLDEN BOOT	TM	GP	GOALS
Dwayne De Rosario	DC*	33	16
Chris Wondolowski	SJ	30	16
Thierry Henry	NY	26	14
Andres Mendoza	CLB	29	13
Camilo	VAN	32	12
Landon Donovan	LA	23	12
Fredy Montero	SEA	30	12
Dominic Oduro	CHI*	34	12
Charlie Davies	DC	26	11
Sebastien Le Toux	PHI	34	11
Alvaro Saborio	RSL	23	11
Brek Shea	DAL	31	11

ASSISTS	TM	GP	ASTS
Brad Davis	HOU	34	16
David Beckham	LA	26	15
Mauro Rosales	SEA	26	13
Dwayne De Rosario	DC*	33	12
Kyle Beckerman	RSL	29	9
Davide Chiumiento	VAN	26	9
Sebastien Le Toux	PHI	34	9
Fredy Montero	SEA	30	9
Patrick Nyarko	CHI	30	9

GOALKEEPING LEADERS	TM	GP	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	W-L-T	SHO
Donovan Ricketts	LA	15	1284	52	41	11	0.77	7-3-4	7
Josh Saunders	LA	19	1639	72	55	17	0.93	12-2-4	8
Faryd Mondragon	PHI	27	2385	77	49	28	1.06	8-8-11	7
Kevin Hartman	DAL	33	2970	120	85	35	1.06	15-11-7	13
Kasey Keller	SEA	34	3060	147	110	37	1.09	18-7-9	9
Nick Rimando	RSL	33	2970	131	95	36	1.09	14-11-8	13
Bouna Coundoul	NY	12	1035	50	37	13	1.13	3-2-6	3
Jimmy Nielsen	KC	31	2767	114	79	35	1.14	12-8-11	7
Tally Hall	HOU	34	3060	140	99	41	1.21	12-9-13	6
Matt Pickens	COL	34	3060	118	77	41	1.21	12-9-13	8

Minimum: 900 minutes played

2011 MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS



MLS CUP 2011 – NOVEMBER 20, 2011

The Home Depot Center; Carson, Calif.
Los Angeles Galaxy 1 : 0 Houston Dynamo
Attendance: 30, 281



EASTERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

Nov. 6 Sporting KC v. Houston Dynamo 0-2 20,839

EASTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

Sporting Kansas City (1E) – Colorado Rapids (WC1)

Sporting KC wins 4-0 on aggregate

Oct. 30	Colorado v. Sporting KC	0-2	8,601
Nov. 2	Sporting KC v. Colorado	2-0	18,565

Houston Dynamo (2E) – Philadelphia Union (E3)

Houston wins 3-1 on aggregate

Oct. 30	Philadelphia v. Houston	1-2	18,539
Nov. 3	Houston v. Philadelphia	1-0	24,749

WESTERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

Nov. 6 LA Galaxy v. Real Salt Lake 3-1 23,437

WESTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

LA Galaxy (1W) – New York Red Bulls (WC2)

Los Angeles wins 3-1 on aggregate

Oct. 30	New York v. Los Angeles	0-1	22,633
Nov. 3	Los Angeles v. New York	2-1	20,000

Seattle Sounders FC (2W) – Real Salt Lake (W3)

Real Salt Lake wins 3-2 on aggregate

Oct. 29	Real Salt Lake v. Seattle	3-0	17,067
Nov. 3	Seattle v. Real Salt Lake	0-2	36,021

WILD CARD ROUND

Oct. 26	FC Dallas (WC1) v. NY Red Bulls (WC4)	0-2	10,017
Oct. 27	Colorado Rapids (WC2) v. Columbus Crew (WC3)	1-0	7,803

PLAYOFF LEADERS

GOALS	TEAM	GP	GOALS
Landon Donovan	LA	4	3
Mike Magee	LA	4	3
Alvaro Saborio	RSL	3	3
Teal Bunbury	KC	3	2
Andre Hainault	HOU	4	2
14 players tied			1

ASSISTS	TEAM	GP	ASTS
David Beckham	LA	4	4
Javier Morales	RSL	3	3
Brad Davis	HOU	3	2
Graham Zusi	KC	3	2
15 players tied			1

GOALKEEPING LEADERS	TEAM	GP	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	W-L-T	SHO
Tally Hall	HOU	4	360	22	20	2	0.50	3-1-0	2
Josh Saunders	LA	4	360	13	11	2	0.50	4-0-0	2
Jimmy Nielsen	KC	3	270	9	7	2	0.67	2-1-0	2
William Hesmer	CLB	1	90	7	6	1	1.00	0-1-0	0
Frank Rost	NY	3	270	15	12	3	1.00	1-2-0	1

Minimum: 75 minutes played



CLB 0 : 0 RSL



COLUMBUS CREW V. REAL SALT LAKE

RSL Game #1 – CONCACAF Champions League, Quarterfinal Leg #1
 Tuesday, February 22, 2011 – Columbus Crew Stadium – Columbus, OH

COLUMBUS CREW (USA) 0 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE (USA)

CLB	LINEUPS	RSL
Ray Burse Jr. – GK		GK – Nick Rimando
Sebastian Miranda – D		D – Tony Beltran
Rich Balchan – D		D – Nat Borchers
Andy Iro – D		D – Jamison Olave
Josh Gardner – D	75'	D – Robbie Russell
Cole Grossman – M		M – Kyle Beckerman
Eddie Gaven – M	63'	M – Ned Grabavoy
Robbie Rogers – M		M – Will Johnson
Emmanuel Ekpo – M		M – Javier Morales
Emilio Renteria – F	59'	F – Fabián Espíndola
Andres Mendoza – F	82'	F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS

Leandre Griffit	63'	59'	Robbie Russell
Jeff Cunningham	75'	81'	Andy Williams
Justin Meram	82'		

CAUTIONS

Sebastian Miranda	49'	42'	Tony Beltran
		54'	Kyle Beckerman

ELECTIONS

Emilio Renteria	72'	53'	Tony Beltran
		72'	Nat Borchers

CLB	STATS	RSL
Shots	14	6
Shots on Goal	4	0
Saves	0	4
Corner Kicks	4	0
Fouls	10	8
Offsides	4	3

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Jair Marrufo (USA)
Assistant Referees.....	CJ Morgante (USA), Eric Boria (USA)
4th Official.....	Ricardo Salazar (USA)
Attendance.....	4,665
Weather.....	Cloudy, 26 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – CLB 0 : 0 RSL

- The scoreless draw came amid brutal cold on an icy field, with the new-look Crew standing firm against Real Salt Lake, who brought back nearly the entire squad intact from the one which fell just shy of the 2010 Supporters Shield.
- GK Nick Rimando tallied four saves for his first CCL clean sheet with RSL, which has now gone two consecutive games without allowing the first goal, as it did in its first five CCL group matches.
- DF Tony Beltran was booked in both the 42nd and 53rd minutes for late challenges, forcing RSL to play a man down for the final 37 minutes of action.
- In the game's 72nd minute, center official Jair Marrufo issued straight reds to both RSL DF Nat Borchers and Crew FW Emilio Renteria, making the game 10v9 for the final 18 minutes.
- The disadvantage posed by the Beltran ejection was the first since Sept. 19, 2009, when DF Jamison Olave was sent off in a 2-3 loss at Houston.
- For the first time in RSL's 225-game history (MLS, CCL, Open Cup and exhibition), it was held without either a shot on goal or a corner kick.



RSL 4 : 1 CLB



REAL SALT LAKE V COLUMBUS CREW

RSL Game #2 – CONCACAF Champions League, Quarterfinal Leg #2
Tuesday, March 1, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT
(RSL wins series 4-1 on aggregate)

REAL SALT LAKE (USA)	4	:	1	COLUMBUS CREW (USA)
Saborío (Morales, Williams)	23'		49'	Mendoza (Gaven)
Morales (Williams, Espindola)	36'			
Morales (Paulo Jr.)	77'			
Williams (unassisted)	95+'			

RSL	LINEUPS	CLB
Nick Rimando – GK		GK – Ray Burse Jr.
Robbie Russell – D		D – Rich Balchan
Chris Schuler – D		D – Sebastian Miranda
Jamison Olave – D		D – Andy Iro
Chris Wingert – D	60'	D – Josh Gardner
Kyle Beckerman – M		M – Eddie Gaven
Andy Williams – M	75'	M – Emmanuel Ekpo
Will Johnson – M		M – Cole Grossman
Javier Morales – M	87'	M – Robbie Rogers
Fabían Espíndola – F	85'	F – Andres Mendoza
Álvaro Saborío – F	71'	F – Jeff Cunningham

SUBS
Paulo Jr. 71' 60' Julius James
Jean Alexandre 85' 65' Justin Meram
Ned Grabavoy 87' 75' Dilly Duka

CAUTIONS			
Javier Morales	57'	43'	Josh Gardner
		94+'	Sebastian Miranda

RSL	STATS	CLB
Shots	16	8
Shots on Goal	7	2
Saves	1	3
Corner Kicks	10	5
Fouls	7	10
Offsides	5	2

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Mark Geiger (USA)
Assistant Referees.....	Corey Rockwell (USA), George Gansner (USA)
4th Official.....	Terry Vaughn (USA)
Attendance.....	15,405
Weather.....	Partly Cloudy, 40 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:52

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 4 : 1 CLB

- The opening goal by Álvaro Saborío gave the RSL target man his seventh goal of the competition in as many appearances, placing him third on the CCL's 2010/11 goal-scoring chart behind the Cruz Azul duo of Javier Orozco (12) and Emanuel Villa (8).
- Despite his pair of goals and additional assist, Javier Morales called Andy Williams the “Man of the Match” ... Williams set up the first two goals before his looping free kick from 35 yards out in the 95+ min to ice the game
- Center back Chris Schuler made a surprise start on the RSL backline for the suspended Nat Borchers, the second-year man out of Creighton playing a sturdy 90 minutes alongside Jamison Olave.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: “To be completely honest, I was a little concerned coming into this match because we’ve been talking a lot about it and what we’ve managed to do is put ourselves under a tremendous amount of pressure. We really raised the level of expectations for ourselves. On prior occasions we’ve struggled with that ... obviously we didn’t, so I’m extremely pleased with that situation.”





RSL 2 : 0 SAP

REAL SALT LAKE V DEPORTIVO SAPRISSA
RSL Game #3 – CONCACAF Champions League, Semifinal Leg #1
Tuesday, March 15, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE (USA) 2 : 0 SAPRISSA (CRC)

Saborio (Espindola, Williams) 9'
 Espindola (Williams) 56'

RSL LINEUPS

Nick Rimando – GK
 Robbie Russell – D
 Jamison Olave – D 45'
 Nat Borchers – D 88'
 Tony Beltran – D
 Kyle Beckerman – M
 Andy Williams – M 67'
 Will Johnson – M
 Javier Morales – M 77'
 Fabián Espindola – F 87'
 Álvaro Saborio – F 72'

SAP

GK – Victor Bolivar
 D – Jose Mena
 D – Roberto Wong
 D – Gabriel Badilla
 D – Ricardo Blanco
 M – Douglas Sequiera
 M – David Guzman
 M – Walter Centeno
 F – Armando Alonso
 F – Jairo Arrieta
 F – Josue Martinez

SUBS

Chris Schuler 45' 72' Luis Cordero
 Ned Grabavoy 67' 77' Mayko Ortiz
 Arturo Alvarez 87' 88' Oscar Duarte

CAUTIONS

12' Jose Mena
 30' Jairo Arrieta
 37' Gabriel Badilla
 73' Ricardo Blanco
 81' Douglas Sequiera

RSL STATS

Shots 13 11
 Shots on Goal 5 6
 Saves 6 3
 Corner Kicks 4 3
 Fouls 9 20
 Offsides 2 4

SAP

Shots
 Shots on Goal
 Saves
 Corner Kicks
 Fouls
 Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Enrico Wijngaarde (SUR)
 Assistant Referees.....Ricardo Louisville (SUR), Ricardo Morgan (JAM)
 4th Official.....Courtney Campbell (JAM)
 Attendance.....16,888
 Weather.....Cloudy, 56 degrees
 Time of Game.....1:52

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 2 : 0 SAP

- For the second time in as many weeks, it was an opening goal by Álvaro Saborio – against his former team, no less – that gave the RSL target man his eighth goal of the competition in as many appearances. The low, driven shot came just minutes after a stellar header by Nat Borchers was inexplicably disallowed, with striker Fabian Espindola setting up both plays. It was Espindola who provided the final margin early in the second half, cutting back against the Saprissa defense and slotting a shot to make it 2-0 RSL, off yet another Andy Williams assist
- GK Nick Rimando made 6 saves to keep Saprissa from earning a valuable road goal, allowing RSL to enter the 2nd leg with a true 2-0 margin.
- Center back Chris Schuler was forced to enter the game at halftime after Jamison Olave suffered a strained right hamstring during a tussle midway through the first stanza.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: “I was really pleased with the first 15 minutes and the way we handled ourselves. We did exactly what we asked of the guys—to jump all over them—and they did that. We gave them no space to breathe and I’m really pleased that we capitalized in that first 15 minutes. We put ourselves in a good place.”
- On the play of Fabián Espindola: “Fabian started out this preseason just like a man on fire. From the very first day of preseason there was something different in his eye. He seems to be an extremely, extremely hungry player that wants to take the next step forward in this league and in his career.”

SJ 0 : 1 RSL



SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES (0-1-0) V. REAL SALT LAKE (1-0-0)

RSL Game #4 – MLS Regular Season Game #1

Saturday, March 19, 2011 – Buck Shaw Stadium – Santa Clara, CA



SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

0 : 1

REAL SALT LAKE

Beckerman 1 (Morales 1, Beltran 1)

SJ

LINEUPS

RSL

Jon Busch – GK
Ramiro Corrales – D
Jason Hernandez – D
Chris Leitch – D
Brandon McDonald – D
Bobby Convey – M
Sam Cronin – M
Joey Gjertsen – M
Khari Stephenson – M
Ryan Johnson – F
Chris Wondolowski – F

GK – Nick Rimando
D – Tony Beltran
D – Nat Borchers
D – Chris Schuler
D – Chris Wingert
M – Kyle Beckerman
M – Ned Grabavoy
M – Will Johnson
M – Javier Morales
F – Fabián Espíndola
F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS

Simon Dawkins
Ellis McLoughlin
Anthony Ampaipitakwong

Arturo Alvarez
Jean Alexandre
Paulo Jr.

CAUTIONS

Sam Cronin
Chris Leitch
Khari Stephenson

Fabián Espíndola

RSL

STATS

CLB

Shots	15	11
Shots on Goal	8	2
Saves	1	8
Corner Kicks	6	4
Fouls	8	10
Offsides	2	2

Shots	
Shots on Goal	
Saves	
Corner Kicks	
Fouls	
Offsides	

GAME DATA

Referee.....Baldomero Toledo (USA)
Assistant Referees.....Kevin Duliba (USA), Ian Anderson (USA)
4th Official.....Juan Guzman (USA)
Attendance.....10,525
Weather.....Rain, 51 degrees
Time of Game.....1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – SJ 0 : 1 RSL

- Real Salt Lake stretched its undefeated streak in League play to 15 games (7-0-8), its last defeat in regular season play coming on July 17, 2010, at FC Dallas (0-2 L). The current run includes eight straight road contests without a defeat (2-0-6).
- Last year's record-setting defensive effort also carried over, as the clean sheet marked the third in four contests in 2011 when combining the result with RSL's play in the CONCACAF Champions League [only 1 GA (vs. CLB in Leg 2 of the CCL Quarterfinals) in 360 total minutes of play this year].
- This marks the second straight season in which Real Salt Lake has kicked off the year in League play with a road win at San Jose, following on the heels of last year's 3-0 result at Buck Shaw Stadium.
- The win pushed RSL's all-time record against the 'Quakes over the .500 mark (4-3-5).
- Beckerman's goal was the first for the Claret-and-Cobalt captain in MLS play in 15 appearances, his last goal on May 8, 2010, standing as the match-winner (27') in a 3-0 result over Philadelphia at Rio Tinto Stadium. Beckerman had scored since then, pushing one across in RSL's 4-1 win over Toronto FC in CCL play last Sept. 15, also in Sandy.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "These were possibly the worst weather conditions I've ever coached in. The result was huge. We got the goal from Kyle and then just battled. It became a bit of a war of attrition there at the end. I'm glad that the clock ran out."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers on GK Nick Rimando: "When you have a veteran goalkeeper and great shot stopper like Nick, it gives the defense a lot more confidence. He was awesome tonight. We got the shutout and I attribute most of that to him."





RSL 4 : 1 LA

REAL SALT LAKE (2-0-0) V LOS ANGELES GALAXY (1-1-1)

RSL Game #5 – MLS Regular Season Game #2

Saturday, March 26, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	4	:	1	LOS ANGELES GALAXY
Williams 1 (Paulo Jr.1, Morales 2)	2'		80'	Angel 1 (Beckham 1)
Morales 1 (penalty kick)	10'			
Morales 2 (Wingert 1)	39'			
Paulo Jr. 1 (Espindola 1)	68'			

RSL	LINEUPS	LA
Nick Rimando – GK		GK – Josh Saunders
Robbie Russell – D	63'	D – Sean Franklin
Jamison Olave – D		D – A.J. DeLaGarza
Nat Borchers – D		D – Leonardo
Chris Wingert – D		D – Todd Dunivant
Kyle Beckerman – M		M – Chris Birchall
Andy Williams – M	69'	M – Michael Stephens
Ned Grabavoy – M		M – David Beckham
Javier Morales – M		M – Juninho
Fabián Espindola – F		F – Chad Barrett
Paulo Jr. – F	77'	F – Juan Pablo Angel

SUBS		
Tony Beltran	63'	45'
Collen Warner	69'	58'
Luis Gil	77'	87'

CAUTIONS		
	9'	Josh Saunders
	53'	David Beckham
	54'	Miguel Lopez
	74'	Leonardo

RSL	STATS	LA
Shots	14	10
Shots on Goal	6	3
Saves	2	2
Corner Kicks	7	3
Fouls	11	10
Offsides	8	2

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Jair Marrufo
Assistant Referees.....	Anthony Vasoli, Matthew Kreitzer
4th Official.....	Jose Carlos Rivero
Attendance.....	20,507 (new RSL record)
Weather.....	Cloudy, 47 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 4 : 1 LA

- Andy Williams' goal was the second-fastest tally in RSL history, ranking behind only Matias Mantilla's goal 40 seconds into a 3-1 win over Kansas City on Aug. 29, 2007.
- Real Salt Lake's 26-match undefeated streak at home in regular season play is part of a larger 36-game run (26-0-10) across all contests in Sandy (including friendlies) since May of 2009. Since then, RSL has gone 16-0-10 in MLS play, 5-0-0 in CONCACAF Champions League action, 1-0-1 in MLS Cup Playoff games and 2-0-1 in international friendlies.
- MF Luis Gil made his regular season debut, playing the final 13 minutes in place of Paulo Jr.
- The high-octane output on the offensive end marked the fourth time in Real Salt Lake's regular season history in which it scored at least four goals, and its first instance in 17 regular season contests.
- A new Rio Tinto Stadium record of 20,507 fans attended the game.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "For 45 minutes, that was probably the best soccer I've ever seen in this stadium and from this team. It was a sheer delight to watch that."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "That's how we play. We're aggressive at home, and even when we're away; it's the only way we know how to play. When we play at home and have the support of 18,000 or a sellout, we'll always play aggressive."

SAP 2 : 1 RSL



DEPORTIVO SAPRISSA V. REAL SALT LAKE

RSL Game #6 – CONCACAF Champions League, Semifinal Leg #2
 Tuesday, April 5, 2011 – Estadio Ricardo Saprissa – San Jose, Costa Rica
 (RSL wins series 3-2 on aggregate)

DEPORTIVO SAPRISSA (CRC) 2 : 1 REAL SALT LAKE (USA)

Cordero (unassisted) 46' 61' Olave (unassisted)
 Solis (penalty kick) 87'

SAP LINEUPS RSL

Victor Bolivar – GK		GK – Nick Rimando
Victor Cordero – D		D – Robbie Russell
Roberto Wong – D		D – Jamison Olave
Oscar Duarte – D		D – Nat Borchers
David Guzman – M		D – Chris Wingert
Saul Phillip – M	63'	M – Kyle Beckerman
Walter Centeno – M	86'	M – Andy Williams
Armando Alonso – M		M – Will Johnson
Jairo Arrieta – F		M – Javier Morales
Josue Martinez – F	70'	F – Fabián Espíndola
Luis Diego Cordero – F		F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS

Allan Aleman	63'	58'	Ned Grabavoy
Alejandro Sequiera	70'	79'	Arturo Alvarez
Alonso Solis	86'		

CAUTIONS

Armando Alonso	69'	45'	Robbie Russell
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SAP STATS RSL

Shots	14	11	Shots
Shots on Goal	10	4	Shots on Goal
Saves	3	10	Saves
Corner Kicks	6	4	Corner Kicks
Fouls	7	10	Fouls
Offsides	1	2	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Marco Rodriguez (MEX)
Assistant Referees.....	Jose Luis Camargo (MEX), Alberto Morin (MEX)
4th Official.....	Ricardo Arellano (MEX)
Attendance.....	21,065
Weather.....	Breezy, 71 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – SAP 2 : 1 RSL

- Real Salt Lake advanced to the 2010/11 CCL Finals despite the loss, winning the series with Saprissa 3-2 on aggregate. DF Jamison Olave notched the equalizer in the 61st minute to tally the all-important road goal, his right-footed side-volley coming off a deflected Nat Borchers header to erase a superb Saprissa strike in the first minute of the 2nd half.
- This result actually marked the first loss for Real Salt Lake during the 2011 calendar year. The Utah side's opening scoreless draw against Columbus Crew in the first leg of the CCL Quarterfinal back on Feb. 22 in mid-Ohio was followed by four consecutive wins spanning CCL and MLS regular season play. Overall RSL has collected a 4-1-1 record while scoring 12 goals and allowing only four.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We did accomplish something, there's no doubt about it. But I think all of us feel that the real history is to be made. We've gotten to the dance, now we'll see what we can do. "I think I'm going to take some time to digest it. I'm feeling a little bit bittersweet about it all at the moment. I'm really pleased obviously at this historical moment. I guess I would have liked to advance in a little more impressive fashion, would be the right way to put it."
- More Kreis, on the Olave goal: "Obviously it's ecstasy at that moment. For most of the game we were under a great deal of duress, stress, and emotion. It was a difficult, difficult game for us, and that one goal got us to the next leg. And also what we did at home turned out to be extremely important. Everybody put in a tremendous amount of energy tonight. I'm certain the ground that was covered would probably be off the charts for all our players, so I'm pleased with that. I'm not pleased with every facet of the game, but I am pleased with the determination they showed. "It's the first time in a long time I can remember seeing guys looking pretty darn tired in the last 10-15 minutes. That must have meant they covered a terrific amount of ground because typically our team doesn't fatigue at the end of matches."





NE 0 : 2 RSL



NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION (1-1-3) V. REAL SALT LAKE (3-0-0)

RSL Game #7 – MLS Regular Season Game #3

Saturday, April 9, 2011 – Gillette Stadium – Foxborough, MA

NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION

0 : 2

REAL SALT LAKE

27' Schuler 1 (Warner 1)
47' Paulo Jr. 2 (Warner 2)

NE

LINEUPS

RSL

Bobby Shuttleworth – GK
Kevin Alston – D
Ryan Cochrane – D
Franco Coria – D
Didier Domi – D
Stephen McCarthy – M
Shalrie Joseph – M
Pat Phelan – M
Zack Schilawski – F
Marko Perovic – F
Kenny Mansally – F

53'

45'

45'

GK – Kyle Reynish
D – Robbie Russell
D – Chris Schuler
D – Rauwshan McKenzie
D – Tony Beltran
M – Jean Alexandre
M – Ned Grabavoy
M – Will Johnson
M – Collen Warner
F – Paulo Jr.
F – Arturo Alvarez

63'

79'

SUBS

Sainey Nyassi
Ilija Stolica
Darrius Barnes

45'

45'

53'

Kyle Beckerman
Luis Gil

CAUTIONS

Franco Coria
Ilija Stolica
Kevin Alston
Didier Domi

34'

51'

60'

86'

37'

74'

84'

Jean Alexandre
Chris Schuler
Will Johnson

NE

STATS

RSL

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

10

2

3

2

16

0

12

5

2

4

19

1

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Jasen Anno
Assistant Referees.....Bill Dittmar, Eric Proctor
4th Official.....Niko Bratsis
Attendance.....7,970
Weather.....Clear, 50 degrees
Time of Game.....1:55

NOTES & QUOTES – NE 0 : 2 RSL

- GK Kyle Reynish, DF Rauwshan McKenzie, MF Jean Alexandre, MF Collen Warner, and FW Arturo Alvarez saw their first starts of the 2011 season, with McKenzie getting his first minutes of the campaign via his full 90-minute effort.
- DF Chris Schuler scored his first career MLS goal, while MF Collen Warner's pair of assists were his first two in MLS play in his 15 league appearance.
- For Reynish, the three-save performance marked the first win of his MLS career, this after he registered draws in his three League performances last season and a no-record performance in his MLS debut in 2009.
- Tonight's match marked the first time MF Will Johnson donned the captain's armband for Real Salt Lake in regular season action. He would not see the end of the game, however, after being issued his second career red card for an 86th minute incident that also saw the Revs' Pat Phelan ejected.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We put the challenge on (our players) to rise to this occasion, to step out and step up and make a statement for themselves. Not only for us, but for everybody in the league of what kind of players they are."
- RSL DF Chris Schuler: "It feels good to get the result. It feels good to get on the board, definitely. It's good to come through. I've got to give a shout out to (assistant coach) C.J. Brown for helping me out a lot after practice working on that. I'm a big guy. I feel that if I don't score a goal every now and then, I'm doing something wrong."



RSL 1 : 0 COL

REAL SALT LAKE (4-0-0) V COLORADO RAPIDS (3-2-0)

RSL Game #8 – MLS Regular Season Game #4

Wednesday, April 13, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE 1 : 0 COLORADO RAPIDS

Espindola 1 (Paulo Jr. 2)

93+'

RSL

Nick Rimando – GK
Tony Beltran – D
Jamison Olave – D
Nat Borchers – D
Chris Wingert – D
Kyle Beckerman – M
Andy Williams – M
Ned Grabavoy – M
Javier Morales – M
Fabian Espindola – F
Álvaro Saborio – F

LINEUPS

COL

GK – Matt Pickens
D – Kosuke Kimura
D – Tyrone Marshall
D – Drew Moor
D – Marvell Wynne
M – Wells Thompson
M – Jeff Larentowicz
M – Brian Mullan
M – Jamie Smith
F – Omar Cummings
F – Caleb Folan

SUBS

Paulo Jr.

69'

63' (69')

Quincy Amarikwa
Sanna Nyassi
Andre Akpan

CAUTIONS

Javier Morales

32'

59'

Tyrone Marshall
Marvell Wynne

RSL

STATS

Shots	8	10
Shots on Goal	2	3
Saves	3	1
Corner Kicks	6	2
Fouls	15	13
Offsides	9	1

COL

Shots	10
Shots on Goal	3
Saves	1
Corner Kicks	2
Fouls	13
Offsides	9

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Baldomero Toledo
Assistant Referees.....	Peter Manikowski, Craig Lowry
4th Official.....	Tyler Ploger
Attendance.....	15,513
Weather.....	Cloudy, 40 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 1 : 0 COL

- RSL's string of late-game drama against Colorado continued courtesy of Fabian Espindola's stoppage-time tally, his 17th regular season goal tying him for third on the team's career chart alongside fellow Argentine Javier Morales and the duo's head coach, Jason Kreis.
- With his 76th shutout in regular season play, GK Nick Rimando tied Chivas USA backstop Zach Thornton for second place all-time in the category. The shutout was the second of the season for Rimando and, when combined with Kyle Reynish's "zero" the previous weekend in New England, the third clean sheet in four League contests for the Claret-and-Cobalt.
- The victory allowed RSL to remain the only team with an unblemished record to start the campaign courtesy of its fourth straight win, which also pushed its club-record undefeated streak in regular season play to 18 games.
- The result also guaranteed the Rocky Mountain Cup would stay in the Beehive State for a fifth straight season, as the Rapids can only tie the series when the return leg occurs on Oct. 14 at Dick's Sporting Goods Park.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I'm really, really pleased when somebody that works so extremely hard is the one that ends up being able to make the difference at the end of the game. Fabian, for me, could be the man of the match. He just worked so extremely hard to track things down and win second balls off of defenders, so it was good to see that he got it."
- RSL FW Fabian Espindola: "Not many people remember the effort that one puts into every play, only the goals that you score. For a striker it is always very frustrating when you can't put the ball into the net, but when your efforts end in a goal, it gives you a huge satisfaction. Goals are a way of life for a striker."





MTY 2 : 2 RSL



MONTERREY V. REAL SALT LAKE

RSL Game #9 – CONCACAF Champions League, Final Leg #1
Wednesday, April 20, 2011 – Estadio Tecnológico – Monterrey, Mex.

MONTERREY (MEX) 2 : 2 REAL SALT LAKE (USA)

De Nigris (unassisted) 17' 35'
Suazo (penalty kick) 63' 89'

Borchers (Johnson)
Morales (Alvarez)

MTY LINEUPS RSL

Jonathan Orozco– GK
Sergio Perez – D 82'
Hiram Ricardo Mier – D
Jose Maria Basanta – D
Ricardo Osorio– D
Sergio Santana – M 69'
Walter Ayovi – M
Luis Ernesto Perez – M 20' 60'
Neri Cardozo – M
Humberto Suazo – F
Aldo De Nigris– F 21' 82'

GK – Nick Rimando
D – Robbie Russell
D – Nat Borchers
D – Jamison Olave
D – Chris Wingert
M – Kyle Beckerman
M – Will Johnson
M – Ned Grabavoy
M – Javier Morales
F – Fabián Espíndola
F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS

Jesus Eduardo Zavala 20' 60'
Oswaldo Martinez 21' 82'
Jose Arellano 69' 82'

Andy Williams
Tony Beltran
Arturo Alvarez

CAUTIONS

Aldo De Nigris 17' 64'
Jesus Eduardo Zavala 72' 72' 74'

Kyle Beckerman
Álvaro Saborío
Andy Williams

MTY STATS RSL

Shots	20	13	Shots
Shots on Goal	8	6	Shots on Goal
Saves	3	4	Saves
Corner Kicks	8	7	Corner Kicks
Fouls	12	16	Fouls
Offsides	4	0	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Joel Aguilar (SLV)
Assistant Referees.....William Torres (SLV), Juan Zumba (SLV)
4th Official.....Elmer Bonilla (SLV)
Attendance.....31,000
Weather.....Partly cloudy, 93 degrees
Time of Game.....1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – MON 2 : 2 RSL

- The goal for Nat Borchers was long overdue, as the RSL center back had had seemingly valid goals called back twice already in 2011.
- The clutch finish by Javier Morales was the Argentine playmaker's fourth in 2010/11 CCL play, which places him tied for ninth on the competition's scoring chart. Teammate FW Álvaro Saborío remains tied for second on the CCL scoring list with eight tallies (even with Cruz Azul's Emanuel Villa).
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "When the ball gets on Javier's foot I think we all take a collective breath and hold it for a moment because we know that he's capable of special plays. Big players make big plays in the biggest games."
- More from Kreis: "95% of me is all smiles. 5% of me is very aggravated about the yellow card decision on Kyle Beckerman. I just think it was a completely unjust decision that not only affected tonight's match, but the next one as well."
- RSL FW Javier Morales: "It's very good, but it means nothing because we have to go home and try to win [the second leg]. In the first half I think we made a great showing, and both teams had their chances. In the second half I think we lost the battle, but that's normal – it's their home. We'll see now what happens back in Salt Lake. I think it's going to be a different game."
- Thanks to cooperation from Major League Soccer and the Philadelphia Union, the MLS regular season contest between Real Salt Lake and Philly that was slated for this Saturday in Sandy has been moved back to Saturday, Sept. 3. This will allow RSL a full week to prepare for the second and decisive CCL Final leg next Wednesday.



RSL 0 : 1 MTY



REAL SALT LAKE V MONTERREY
RSL Game #10 – CONCACAF Champions League, Final Leg #2
Wednesday, April 27, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT
(Monterrey wins series 3-2 on aggregate)

REAL SALT LAKE (USA) 0 : 1 MONTERREY (MEX)
46+' Suazo (Santana)

RSL	LINEUPS	MTY
Nick Rimando – GK		GK – Jonathan Orozco
Robbie Russell – D	45'	D – Sergio Perez
Jamison Olave – D		D – Jose Basanta
Nat Borchers – D		D – Hiram Mier
Chris Wingert – D		D – Ricardo Osorio
Ned Grabavoy – M	77'	M – Neri Cardozo
Andy Williams – M	64'	M – Sergio Santana
Will Johnson – M		M – Walter Ayovi
Javier Morales – M		M – Hector Morales
Fabián Espíndola – F	85'	F – Osvaldo Martinez
Álvaro Saborío – F	74'	F – Humberto Suazo

SUBS

Tony Beltran	45'	60'	Abraham Carreño
Arturo Alvarez	64'	74'	Duilio Davino
Paulo Jr.	85'	77'	Severo Meza

CAUTIONS

Fabian Espindola	30'	42'	Sergio Perez
		74'	Osvaldo Martinez
		75'	Ricardo Osorio
		92'	Humberto Suazo

RSL

STATS

Shots	16	8
Shots on Goal	4	1
Saves	0	4
Corner Kicks	7	1
Fouls	13	13
Offsides	2	1

MTY

Shots	
Shots on Goal	
Saves	
Corner Kicks	
Fouls	
Offsides	

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Roberto Moreno (PAN)
Assistant Referees.....	Daniel Williamson (PAN), Jamie Smith (PAN)
4th Official.....	Jafeth Perea (PAN)
Attendance.....	20,378
Weather.....	Clear, 56 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 0 : 1 MON

- Tonight's contest marked the end of Real Salt Lake's 37-match undefeated streak at home against all opposition, including a previously spotless 5-0-0 run in CCL play. RSL still maintains its MLS-record 27-game undefeated run, and will defend that streak next on May 7 against Chivas USA.
- Tonight's raucous crowd of 20,378 was the third largest to date in Rio Tinto Stadium history, trumped only by this season's MLS home opener against the LA Galaxy on March 26 (20,507) and last year's CCL Group Stage finale against Cruz Azul on Oct. 19 (20,463).
- Real Salt Lake won't have time to dwell on tonight's defeat, as the squad will pick up MLS regular season play this Saturday, April 30 at the expansion Portland Timbers.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "It's a quite foreign feeling to us to lose a match at our place, it hasn't happened to us in a long time. You have to continue to be proud of what we put into this tournament and the fact that we made it to this final, I think we need to take some pride in that. Ultimately though I'm very disappointed we couldn't take that final step."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "These kinds of games can either break a team or make a team stronger, and I think our team is strong enough to know that this isn't going to break us up. We're going to stay strong and keep on preaching about how we're a good team and deep team, and how the team is the star. Right now this is an account of when there's a tough loss to rebound and forget about it and go on with our season."



POR 1 : 0 RSL



PORTLAND TIMBERS (3-3-1) V. REAL SALT LAKE (4-1-0)
RSL Game #11 – MLS Regular Season Game #5
Saturday, April 30, 2011 – JELD-WEN Field – Portland, OR



PORTLAND TIMBERS	1	:	0	REAL SALT LAKE
Cooper 3 (Alhassan 4, Jewsbury 2)	22'			
POR	LINEUPS			RSL
Troy Perkins– GK				GK – Nick Rimando
Rodney Wallace – D		70'		D – Tony Beltran
Mamadou Danso– D				D – Nat Borchers
Eric Brunner – D				D – Chris Shuler
Jeremy Hall – D				D – Chris Wingert
Darlington Nagbe– M	82'			M – Kyle Beckerman
Diego Chara– M		45'		M – Jean Alexandre
Jack Jewsbury– M		45'		M – Collen Warner
Kalif Alhassan – M				M – Javier Morales
Kenny Cooper– F	92+'			F – Álvaro Saborío
Jorge Perlaza– F	74'			F – Arturo Alvarez

SUBS

James Marcelin	74'	45'	Will Johnson
Sal Zizzo	82'	45'	Andy Williams
Ryan Pore	92+'	70'	Ned Grabavoy

CAUTIONS

Jeremy Hall 72'

POR

STATS

RSL

Shots	8	7	Shots
Shots on Goal	3	3	Shots on Goal
Saves	3	2	Saves
Corner Kicks	5	10	Corner Kicks
Fouls	10	9	Fouls
Offsides	1	3	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Jair Marrufo
Assistant Referees.....	Kermit Quisenberry, Claudio Badea
4th Official.....	Drew Fischer
Attendance.....	18,627
Weather.....	Partly Cloudy, 58 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – POR 1 : 0 RSL

- Real Salt Lake's 18-match undefeated streak in regular season play (10-0-8) fell just one shy from evening the League record of 19, set by the 2010 edition of FC Dallas (a streak that ended in Sandy last Oct. 16) and the 2004-05 Columbus Crew. RSL's previous defeat in MLS action came at the hands of FC Dallas on July 17, 2010 at Pizza Hut Park (0-2 L).
- That was not the only lengthy run that ended tonight at JELD-WEN Field, as RSL's nine-match road unbeaten stretch (3-0-6) also fell by the wayside. That mark was tied for the second longest in League annals (with 2004 CLB and 2007-08 CHI), behind only FC Dallas' 12-match run in 2010.
- Cooper's goal was just the second allowed by Real Salt Lake in MLS play this season and snapped a 213-minute shutout streak.
- After last Wednesday's grueling 0-1 defeat to CF Monterrey in the CONCACAF Champions League Finals second leg, RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis elected to rotate his line-up on the evening, giving defenders Robbie Russell (L hamstring strain) and Jamison Olave and forward Fabian Espindola the night off.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I felt like there was 45 minutes of really poor stuff and 45 minutes of really good stuff. I think the first 45 minutes were caused because we still had one foot in Wednesday night. Then we get to the second 45 and our guys were really confident and aggressive, and doing all the things I want to see for the entirety of 90 minutes."
- Kreis: "It's difficult. We've seen the end of what was a fantastic run in the CONCACAF Champions League, we see the end of a four-game winning streak, and we see the end of an 18-game unbeaten streak. But with the ending of everything comes the beginning of something new, so we need to get ready for what should be a fantastic May with a lot of home games."
- RSL DF Chris Wingert: "It has been a really tough week, but I guess that's just part of being a professional athlete. We've got to make sure the lows don't get too low and keep plugging away."



RSL 1 : 0 CHV

REAL SALT LAKE (5-1-0) V CHIVAS USA (2-3-3)

RSL Game #12 – MLS Regular Season Game #6

Saturday, May 7, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	1	:	0	CHIVAS USA
Johnson 1 (Borchers 1, Warner 3)	87'			
RSL	LINEUPS			CHV
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Dan Kennedy
Robbie Russell – D	54'			D – Andrew Boyens
Jamison Olave – D				D – Ante Jazic
Nat Borchers – D				D – Heath Pearce
Chris Wingert – D				D – Zarek Valentin
Kyle Beckerman – M	57'			M – Jorge Flores
Will Johnson – M				M – Simon Elliott
Ned Grabavoy – M	88'			M – Nick LaBrocca
Javier Morales – M	45'			M – Ben Zemanski
Fabián Espíndola – F	65'			F – Marcos Mondaini
Álvaro Saborio – F	73'			F – Alejandro Moreno
SUBS				
Andy Williams	45'	57'		Justin Braun
Arturo Alvarez	54'	73'		Mariano Trujillo
Collen Warner	65'	88'		Francisco Mendoza
CAUTIONS				
	15'			Andrew Boyens
EJECTIONS				
	25'			Andrew Boyens
	38'			Marcos Mondaini
RSL	STATS			CHV
Shots	23	3		Shots
Shots on Goal	8	1		Shots on Goal
Saves	1	7		Saves
Corner Kicks	8	1		Corner Kicks
Fouls	7	20		Fouls
Offsides	12	1		Offsides
GAME DATA				
Referee.....	Paul Ward			
Assistant Referees.....	Anthony Vasoli, Chris Strickland			
4th Official.....	Allen Chapman			
Attendance.....	14,313			
Weather.....	Clear, 71 degrees			
Time of Game.....	1:54			

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 1 : 0 CHV

- Despite the return to the win column, RSL was dealt a huge blow when MF Javier Morales suffered a dislocated left ankle after absorbing an awkward challenge from behind by Chivas USA MF Marcos Mondaini while attempting a shot in the 38th minute. The match was stopped for nearly 10 minutes while the Argentine playmaker was stretched off the field, being taken immediately to a local hospital to undergo further evaluation.
- Real Salt Lake GK Nick Rimando claimed sole possession of second place on MLS' all-time shutout list with the 77th clean sheet of his illustrious career. Rimando, who snapped a tie with Chivas USA's Zach Thornton with the "zero," now sits behind only FC Dallas netminder Kevin Hartman in the category (94).
- The salvaging goal for Will Johnson was the first for the Canadian international in League play in over a year, his last finish coming via a diving header against Seattle Sounders FC at Rio Tinto Stadium on April 10, 2010.
- The game-winning assist for Nat Borchers was the first in MLS play for the center back in more than three seasons, his previous helper coming on a Kyle Beckerman goal against D.C. United back on April 12, 2008.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "This is one of those situations where you can look at it one way and say that up two men we should score a goal—we should score three goals. Or you can look at it the other way and say when you put eight players in your own half of the field, all of them behind the goal, right on top of the penalty box, it's difficult to score."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "It definitely made the game a bit strange for everybody when you see Javi's ankle twisted and in a position that you never want to see. As far as the challenge is concerned I don't think [Mondaini] went in there meaning to break Javi's ankle, but he did mean to foul him."





RSL 0 : 0 HOU



REAL SALT LAKE (5-1-1) V HOUSTON DYNAMO (3-3-4)

RSL Game #13– MLS Regular Season Game #7

Saturday, May 14, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT

REAL SALT LAKE 0 : 0 HOUSTON DYNAMO

RSL	LINEUPS	HOU
Nick Rimando – GK		GK –Talley Hall
Robbie Russell – D		D – Corey Ashe
Jamison Olave– D		D – Bobby Boswell
Nat Borchers – D		D – Andre Hainault
Chris Wingert – D		D – Hunter Freeman
Kyle Beckerman – M	67'	M – Colin Clark
Ned Grabavoy – M		M – Geoff Cameron
Will Johnson – M	85'	M – Lovel Palmer
Collen Warner – M	60'	M – Brad Davis
Arturo Alvarez – F	74'	F – Will Bruin
Álvaro Saborío – F		F – Cam Weaver

SUBS

Andy Williams	60'	67'	Je-Vaughn Watson
Jean Alexandre	74'	69'	Koke
Nelson Gonzalez	85'	87'	Jason Garey

CAUTIONS

Robbie Russell	27'	25'	Will Bruin
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RSL

STATS

HOU

Shots	13	8	Shots
Shots on Goal	1	3	Shots on Goal
Saves	3	1	Saves
Corner Kicks	6	3	Corner Kicks
Fouls	15	15	Fouls
Offsides	2	2	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Ricardo Salazar
Assistant Referees.....	Kermit Quisenberry, Paul Scott
4th Official.....	Mark Declouet
Attendance.....	16,301
Weather.....	Cloudy, 65 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 0 : 0 HOU

- Tonight's draw allowed Real Salt Lake to stretch its MLS record home-unbeaten streak in regular season play to 29 games (20-0-9). In two days, RSL will surpass the two-year anniversary of its last loss in regular season play, a 0-2 defeat to the then-Kansas City Wizards on May 16, 2009.
- The shutout for Real Salt Lake was the team's fifth in seven regular season contests in 2011 and trimmed its MLS-best goals against average down to a miniscule 0.29 (2 GA in 630 minutes).
- Tonight saw the 2011 first-team debut of MF Nelson González, who entered the match for MF Will Johnson in the 85th minute.
- With regular strikers Fabian Espíndola (back spasms) and Paulo Jr. (hamstring strain) both nursing injuries, RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis was forced to utilize Jean Alexandre – normally a holding midfielder – up top after substituting striker Arturo Alvarez out in the 74th minute.
- MF Collen Warner was given the keys to the attack by Kreis as the replacement for the injured Javier Morales at the top of RSL's diamond midfield formation.
- Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We are going to have to answer questions about who is going to be the integral figure in there to create chances. Can other guys get a little more involved in the attacking third? Some of that is just going to take time."
- Kreis: "The back four in particular made a lot of really important tackles for us tonight. I don't think that collectively we defended quite as well. Certainly in the second half I saw quite a few of our players run out of gas."
- RSL MF Collen Warner: "It felt pretty good. I was really excited to get the chance to play and I thought that it went pretty well. Overall I thought we were a little off in the final third. A lot of our passes went astray when we got to the crucial moments when you need a good pass."



DAL 0 : 0 RSL

FC DALLAS (5-3-3) V. REAL SALT LAKE (5-1-2)
RSL Game #14 – MLS Regular Season Game #8
Sunday, May 22, 2011 – Pizza Hut Park – Frisco, TX



FC DALLAS 0 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE

DAL	LINEUPS	RSL
Kevin Hartman – GK		GK – Nick Rimando
Jackson – D	83'	D – Tony Beltran
Ugo Ihemelu – D		D – Nat Borchers
George John – D		D – Jamison Olave
Zach Loyd – D		D – Chris Wingert
Eric Alexander – M	77'	M – Kyle Beckerman
Daniel Hernandez – M		M – Ned Grabavoy
Andrew Jacobsen – M		M – Will Johnson
Brek Shea – M	72'	M – Andy Williams
Fabian Castillo – F	72'	F – Álvaro Saborio
Marvin Chavez – F	81'	F – Arturo Alvarez

SUBS

Ruben Luna	72'	72'	Collen Warner
Eric Avila	77'	81'	Jean Alexandre
Bobby Warshaw	83'		

CAUTIONS

Andrew Jacobson	53'	45'	Chris Wingert
		58'	Kyle Beckerman
		62'	Ned Grabavoy

DAL	STATS	RSL
Shots	11	5
Shots on Goal	3	2
Saves	2	3
Corner Kicks	4	4
Fouls	17	13
Offsides	0	4

GAME DATA

Referee.....	David Gantar
Assistant Referees.....	Claudio Badea, Eric Boria
4th Official.....	Matthew Foerster
Attendance.....	10,550
Weather.....	Cloudy, 90 degrees
Time of Game.....	3:43

NOTES & QUOTES – DAL 0 : 0 RSL

- Tonight's match marked the longest in Real Salt Lake's seven-year history, the 3-hour, 43-minute affair easily beating the previous mark of 2:46 (6/28/06 @ Chicago), courtesy of a nearly two-hour storm delay beginning seven minutes from time.
- Lightning struck in more ways than one for RSL, as the visitors earned their first-ever point in Dallas in their ninth try in regular season play.
- RSL's defensive dominance continued, as the Utah side saw its already-miniscule goals against average drop to 0.25 on the campaign. RSL's two goals allowed tied the mark for the lowest total conceded through eight matches to start a MLS season
- With their dueling shutouts, RSL's Nick Rimando and FCD's Kevin Hartman took over the season lead in individual shutouts with their fifth clean sheets. Rimando's current 338-minute shutout streak is the third longest in MLS play in 2011, following Columbus' Will Hesmer (414) and Hartman (399).
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We didn't come here and play the way that I wanted to play. It wasn't pleasing to my eye, but I'm thrilled about the result. We have to feel proud of what we did and say this is the first point we have ever picked up in Dallas."
- Kreis: "I remember at Chicago (in 2006) we thought we locked down a good result; we had eight to 10 minutes left and we came out super flat. I was pleased the guys came out and were ready and gave a decent effort for the last 10 minutes."





RSL 1 : 2 SEA

REAL SALT LAKE (5-2-2) V SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC (5-4-5)

RSL Game #15– MLS Regular Season Game #9

Saturday, May 28, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE		1	:	2	SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	
González 1 (unassisted)		87'		71'	Ianni 1 (Montero 4, Jaqua 1)	
				84'	Neagle 1 (Wahl 2)	
RSL		LINEUPS		SEA		
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Kasey Keller		
Robbie Russell – D		76'		D – James Riley		
Jamison Olave – D				D – Patrick Ianni		
Nat Borchers – D				D – Jeff Parke		
Tony Beltran – D				D – Tyson Wahl		
Kyle Beckerman – M		80'		M – Erik Friberg		
Ned Grabavoy – M				M – Osvaldo Alonso		
Will Johnson – M				M – Brad Evans		
Andy Williams – M		87'	18'	M – Alvaro Fernandez		
Jean Alexandre – F		62'	70'	F – Mike Fucito		
Fabián Espíndola – F				F – Nate Jaqua		
		SUBS				
Chris Wingert		62'	18'	Lamar Neagle		
Nelson González		76'	70'	Fredy Montero		
Luis Gil		87'	80'	Roger Levesque		
		CAUTIONS				
Will Johnson		28'	81'	James Riley		
Chris Wingert		66'	90'	Tyson Wahl		
		EJECTIONS				
Jamison Olave		58'				
RSL		STATS		SEA		
Shots		16	17	Shots		
Shots on Goal		6	6	Shots on Goal		
Saves		3	5	Saves		
Corner Kicks		10	4	Corner Kicks		
Fouls		7	12	Fouls		
Offsides		2	2	Offsides		
GAME DATA						

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Mark Kadlecik
Assistant Referees.....	Rob Fereday, Colin Arblaster
4th Official.....	Yader Reyes
Attendance.....	14,674
Weather.....	Cloudy, 57 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 1 : 2 SEA

- After not losing at home for 106 weeks in regular season play, RSL saw its MLS-record 29-game home undefeated streak in MLS come to end despite a furious rally in Sandy.
- Real Salt Lake GK Nick Rimando saw his team's defensive dominance come to an end, as RSL allowed as many goals tonight – two – as it had in the previous eight games this year.
- The 87th minute goal by Argentine MF Nelson González was his second career goal in his 14th MLS appearance, his first coming last July 31 in a 3-0 home win over D.C. United. The score snapped RSL's goal-scoring drought at 271 minutes.
- The 58th minute red card shown to DF Jamison Olave was the first for the imposing Colombian since Sept. 19, 2009 at Houston, and only the second red card for RSL this season (MF Will Johnson, 4/09 @ NE).
- Two RSL players – FW Álvaro Saborío (Costa Rica) and FW Arturo Alvarez (El Salvador) – missed tonight's game due to national team duty at the 2011 CONCACAF Gold Cup.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "All good things must come to an end, I guess. I'm not quite sure how to feel about it right now, I've been so focused on all of the small things going on with our team lately. In some strange way I'm pleased with a lot of the play, with the fight of the guys, with the mindset to keep going and never quit."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "The positive is that we did come back and we showed fight. We showed that we are not a team that gives up and that's always how we've been, that's how we are going to continue to be the rest of the season."



RSL 2 : 0 VAN



REAL SALT LAKE (6-2-2) V VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC (1-6-7)

RSL Game #16– MLS Regular Season Game #10

Saturday, June 4, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT

REAL SALT LAKE	2	:	0	VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC
Alexandre 1 (Beckerman) 1	32'			
Espíndola 2 (Alexandre 1)	79'			
RSL	LINEUPS			VAN
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Joe Cannon
Tony Beltran – D				D – Bilal Duckett
Chris Schuler – D		74'		D – Mouloud Aklouf
Nat Borchers – D				D – Jay DeMerit
Chris Wingert – D				D – Alain Rochat
Kyle Beckerman – M				M – Shea Salinas
Ned Grabavoy – M				M – Gershon Koffie
Nelson González – M	67'	45'		M – Peter Vagenas
Collen Warner – M	87'	45'		M – Russell Teibert
Jean Alexandre – F	81'			M – Davide Chiumiento
Fabían Espíndola – F				F – Camilo

SUBS		
Andy Williams	67'	45'
Luis Gil	81'	45'
Artur Aghasyan	87'	74'
Alexander Morfaw		
Omar Salgado		
Michael Nanchoff		

CAUTIONS		
Collen Warner	30'	15'
Jay DeMerit		
Gershon Koffie		

RSL	STATS		VAN
Shots	24	7	Shots
Shots on Goal	8	4	Shots on Goal
Saves	4	6	Saves
Corner Kicks	7	5	Corner Kicks
Fouls	18	18	Fouls
Offsides	7	0	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Juan Guzman
Assistant Referees.....	Fabio Tovar, Ian Anderson
4th Official.....	Ricardo Salazar
Attendance.....	15,174
Weather.....	Partly cloudy, 73 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:49

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 2 : 0 VAN

- FW Fabian Espíndola moved into sole possession of 3rd place on the RSL all-time goal-scoring list with his 18th career in Claret-and-Cobalt, jumping ahead of both his countryman Javier Morales and head coach Jason Kreis. Former striker Robbie Findley – in attendance tonight at Rio Tinto Stadium – leads the way with 29 goals all-time, while Jeff Cunningham scored 19 goals during his season-and-a-half with the Claret-and-Cobalt.
- The 32nd minute goal by M/F Jean Alexandre was the first of his 26-game MLS career, with the last two weeks spent up top in an attacking position. Alexandre followed up what proved to be the game-winning goal with his first career assist, setting up Espíndola's 79th minute effort to ice away the win.
- Young Armenian FW Artur Aghasyan made his MLS debut tonight, the cousin of former RSL FW Yura Movsisyan playing the final three minutes after signing with the club on May 27.
- Three RSL players – FW Álvaro Saborío (Costa Rica), FW Arturo Alvarez (El Salvador) and MF Will Johnson missed tonight's game due to national team duty for 2011 CONCACAF Gold Cup.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "Tonight was a step in the right direction. The guys played with a competitive spirit from minute one to minute ninety. They did a lot of really positive things in my book. Still room for improvement, still a couple of steps forward to make."
- RSL M/F Jean Alexandre: "I have to give credit to the pass (by Kyle Beckerman). It was a world-class pass. It took me a little by surprise and took the defense by surprise. I've dreamed about (scoring) and I always thought it would be a scrappy goal that hit me off the head and went in, but it was a decent goal."





CLB 2 : 1 RSL

COLUMBUS CREW (4-3-6) V. REAL SALT LAKE (6-3-2)

RSL Game #17 – MLS Regular Season Game #11

Wednesday, June 8, 2011 – Crew Stadium – Columbus, OH



COLUMBUS CREW	2	:	1	REAL SALT LAKE
Mendoza 4 (penalty kick)	76'		7'	Olave 1 (González 1)
Gardner 1 (Mendoza 1)	82'			

CLB

William Hesmer – GK
 Sebastian Miranda – D
 Chad Marshall – D
 Julius James – D
 Josh Gardner – D
 Emmanuel Ekpo – M
 Rich Balchan – M
 Kevin Burns – M
 Eddie Gaven – M
 Andres Mendoza – F
 Jeff Cunningham – F

LINEUPS

45' 59'
 66'
 85' 80'
 89'

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
 D – Tony Beltran
 D – Chris Shuler
 D – Jamison Olave
 D – Chris Wingert
 M – Kyle Beckerman
 M – Ned Grabavoy
 M – Nelson González
 M – Collen Warner
 F – Jean Alexandre
 F – Fabián Espíndola

SUBS

Justin Meram 45' 59'
 Andy Iro 85' 66'
 Aaron Horton 89' 80'

Luis Gil
 Andy Williams
 Robbie Russell

CAUTIONS

79' Fabian Espindola
 88' Chris Wingert

CLB

Shots 13 11
 Shots on Goal 3 4
 Saves 3 1
 Corner Kicks 8 7
 Fouls 13 8
 Offsides 2 4

GAME DATA

Referee.....Mark Kadlecik
 Assistant RReferee.....Ricardo Salazar
 Assistant Referees.....Corey Rockwell, Frank Anderson
 4th Official.....Fotis Bazakos
 Attendance.....9,650
 Weather.....Sunny, 91 degrees
 Time of Game.....1:50

RSL

Shots
 Shots on Goal
 Saves
 Corner Kicks
 Fouls
 Offsides

NOTES & QUOTES – CLB 2 : 1 RSL

- In the midst of a three-game-in-eight-day stretch, RSL head Coach Jason Kreis elected to use nearly the exact same side that defeated Vancouver four days prior in Sandy, the only change being Jamison Olave spelling fellow veteran center-back Nat Borchers.
- Olave's opening goal was the ninth of his MLS career, but marked the first tally scored away from home in his 37th road contest. Tonight's finish broke an 18-match scoreless streak in regular season play, his previous score coming in RSL's 5-0 win over New England back on July 2, 2010.
- Tonight's contest marked the first time in over two years that Real Salt Lake had relinquished a pair of goals past the 75th minute in league play, breaking a streak of 63 regular season games (last occasion on 5/06/09 v. LA, 2-2 T).
- Despite allowing a pair of goals for the second time in three contests, Real Salt Lake still boasts the top defense in MLS by a fair margin, its 0.55 goals against average (6 GA in 11 GP) still ranking above the Galaxy's 0.75 average.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I think that apart from the first 15 minutes we didn't manage the game very well. Tactically we didn't stay compact enough, we got too stretched out and we lost the ball in really critically bad positions, and when you do those things it causes you to defend for long stretches. Because of that it really affected the energy we played with in the second half."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "In the second half we came out the totally opposite. We stayed in our 18 yard box. I felt some guys didn't really put the effort in and when you don't put the effort in you don't get a result. Today we didn't get a result because we didn't put the effort in. We pretty much let down a lot of people on the team."

PHI 1 : 1 RSL



PHILADELPHIA UNION (6-3-4) V. REAL SALT LAKE (6-3-3)

RSL Game #18 – MLS Regular Season Game #12

Saturday, June 11, 2011 – PPL Park – Chester, PA



PHILADELPHIA UNION	1	:	1	REAL SALT LAKE
Daniel 1 (M. Farfan 1, Williams 1)	24'		53'	Espíndola 3 (Alexandre 2)
PHI	LINEUPS			RSL
Faryd Mondragon – GK				GK – Nick Rimando
Sheanon Williams – D			57'	D – Robbie Russell
Danny Califf – D				D – Nat Borchers
Carlos Valdes – D				D – Jamison Olave
Jordan Harvey – D	58'			D – Chris Wingert
Keon Daniel – M	67'			M – Kyle Beckerman
Brain Carroll – M				M – Andy Williams
Kyle Nakazawa – M	74'			M – Ned Grabavoy
Michael Farfan – M			83'	M – Luis Gil
Sebastian Le Toux – F			71'	F – Jean Alexandre
Danny Mwanga – F				F – Fabián Espíndola

SUBS		
Justin Mapp	58'	57'
Roger Torres	67'	71'
Jack McNerney	74'	83'
		Tony Beltran
		Artur Aghasyan
		Collen Warner

CAUTIONS

44'	Robbie Russell
54'	Jean Alexandre

PHI

STATS

Shots	12	8
Shots on Goal	7	1
Saves	0	5
Corner Kicks	8	2
Fouls	10	11
Offsides	1	2

RSL

Shots	
Shots on Goal	
Saves	
Corner Kicks	
Fouls	
Offsides	

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Jorge Gonzalez
Assistant Referees.....	Paul Scott, James Conlee
4th Official.....	Jose Carlos Rivero
Attendance.....	18,728
Weather.....	Cloudy, 79 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – PHI 1 : 1 RSL

- FW Fabian Espíndola's third goal on the campaign moved him into a tie with former striker Jeff Cunningham for 2nd place in RSL's all-time goal-scoring annals with his 19th career goal.
- 17-year old MF Luis Gil earned his first start in MLS play and played a career-best 83 minutes in his eighth RSL appearance across all competitions. Gil's only other start came as part of a 45-minute appearance last October in a 3-1 home win over Cruz Azul in the 2010/11 CONCACAF Champions League Group A clincher.
- Three RSL players – FW Alvaro Saborio (Costa Rica), FW Arturo Alvarez (El Salvador) and MF Will Johnson missed today's game due to national team duty for 2011 CONCACAF Gold Cup, the latter playing the full 90 minutes in the Maple Leafs' 1-0 win over Guadeloupe in Tampa this evening.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We felt that it was a tale of two halves today. We were pretty abysmal in the first half. We weren't fighting enough, we didn't have that competitive spirit and we were second to everything. In fact, we were fortunate that we only allowed one goal. But then the reaction in the second half was fantastic, superb. We were fiery, we possessed the ball better, we were more aggressive with our decisions, we spent more time in their half of the field. That's exactly the way that we want to play."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "(Fabian Espindola) is such a special player for us. He works so hard for us. We knew he was going to get a couple of chances and it's only a matter of time before he finishes them. He did well, took his time, got his chance and put it in the lower corner. I've seen that in practice, so I'm not really surprised."





RSL 1 : 1 DC

REAL SALT LAKE (6-3-4) V D.C. UNITED (4-5-5)

RSL Game #19 – MLS Regular Season Game #13

Saturday, June 18, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	1	:	1	D.C. UNITED
Espindola 4 (penalty kick)	38'		85'	Davies 7 (penalty kick)
RSL	LINEUPS			DC
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Bill Hamid
Tony Beltran – D				D – Jed Zayner
Jamison Olave – D				D – Perry Kitchen
Nat Borchers – D				D – Ethan White
Chris Wingert – D	85'			D – Daniel Woolard
Kyle Beckerman – M				M – Andy Najjar
Andy Williams – M			78'	M – Steven King
Ned Grabavoy – M			45'	M – Clyde Simms
Collen Warner – M	66'			M – Chris Pontius
Jean Alexandre – F				F – Blake Brettschneider
Fabián Espíndola – F	83'		62'	F – Josh Wolff

SUBS

Will Johnson	66'	45'	Dax McCarty
Artur Aghasyan	83'	62'	Charlie Davies
Robbie Russell	85'	78'	Fred

CAUTIONS

66' Blake Brettschneider

RSL	STATS		DC
Shots	11	8	Shots
Shots on Goal	4	3	Shots on Goal
Saves	2	3	Saves
Corner Kicks	3	2	Corner Kicks
Fouls	15	11	Fouls
Offsides	2	1	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Terry Vaughn
Assistant Referees.....	Kermit Quisenberry, Jeff Hosking
4th Official.....	Elias Bazakos
Attendance.....	16,841
Weather.....	Cloudy, 78 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 1 : 1 DC

- With tonight's start against D.C. United, veteran center-back Nat Borchers made his 100th career MLS regular season appearance and start for the Claret-and-Cobalt. Borchers now ranks 5th on the RSL career charts in both categories and has amassed 182 starts in 183 appearances in his seven MLS campaigns.
- FW Fabian Espíndola continued his red-hot form, scoring for the third time in his last four contests. The goal was his 20th in a RSL uniform, breaking the second-place tie on RSL's career scoring chart that he shared with Jeff Cunningham.
- The penalty kick conversion for Espíndola was the first of his 77-game MLS career.
- D.C. striker Charlie Davies' own PK was not without controversy, as replays confirmed his embellishment on a challenge by RSL DF Chris Wingert inside the area ultimately drew the call to the spot by referee Terry Vaughn.
- MF Will Johnson returned to the RSL line-up this evening, playing 24 minutes off the bench after starting all three group stage games for Canada in the 2011 CONCACAF Gold Cup across the last two weeks.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I think we have to be very disappointed to kind of have three points wrapped up and then give away a counter-attack and to be at the mercy of the referee's decision."
- RSL DF Chris Wingert: "It's almost laughable; I don't know what to say. Charlie is a friend of mine ... we roomed together in (U.S.) National Team camp. He even looked at me, kind of smiling. He knew. It's a shame we lost two points on that play because it really wasn't even close."



CHI 0 : 0 RSL

CHICAGO FIRE (2-4-10) V. REAL SALT LAKE (6-3-5)
RSL Game #20 – MLS Regular Season Game #14
Wednesday, June 22, 2011 – Toyota Park – Bridgeview, IL



CHICAGO FIRE 0 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE

CHI

Sean Johnson – GK
 Cory Gibbs – D
 Yamith Cuesta – D
 Jalil Anibaba – D
 Gonzalo Segares – D
 Dominic Oduro – M
 Daniel Paladini – M
 Baggio Husidic – M 80'
 Patrick Nyarko – M 84'
 Deigo Chaves – F 86'
 Orr Barouch – F 70'

LINEUPS

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
 D – Robbie Russell
 D – Nat Borchers
 D – Jamison Olave
 D – Tony Beltran
 M – Kyle Beckerman
 M – Ned Grabavoy
 M – Will Johnson
 M – Collen Warner
 F – Artur Aghasyan
 F – Fabián Espíndola

SUBS

Marco Pappa 70'
 Corben Bone 80'
 Gabriel Ferrari 86'

Luis Gil
 Andy Williams
 Nelson González

CAUTIONS

Cory Gibbs 3' 46+'
 Orr Barouch 64' 50'

Will Johnson
 Robbie Russell

CHI

STATS

Shots 12 8
 Shots on Goal 7 1
 Saves 0 5
 Corner Kicks 8 2
 Fouls 10 11
 Offsides 1 2

RSL

Shots
 Shots on Goal
 Saves
 Corner Kicks
 Fouls
 Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Juan Guzman
 Assistant Referees.....Fabio Tovar, Frank Anderson
 4th Official.....Abiodun Okulaja
 Attendance.....14,972
 Weather.....Cloudy, 70 degrees
 Time of Game.....1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – CHI 0 : 0 RSL

- Real Salt Lake has scored just seven goals in the eight games played since MF Javier Morales went down, this after scoring a league-high 45 goals in 2010 ... Joining Morales in the infirmary since late April has been FW Paulo Jr. (10 games) and FW Fabian Espíndola (2 games), while FW Álvaro Saborío (7 games), FW Arturo Alvarez (7 games) and MF Will Johnson (4 games) have been unavailable due to Gold Cup or injury.
- Despite the late collapse at Columbus and the difficult start at Philadelphia, Real Salt Lake – once the worst road team in the history of MLS – has earned points in 15 of its last 18 MLS road games – the equivalent of more than an entire season – dating back to May, 2010 ... The road forays have been low-scoring, as RSL has outscored opponents 14-12 on aggregate goals in that span – while Jason Kreis' team has dropped just six of its last 28 overall if you include CONCACAF and MLS Cup Playoff road matches (and one loss, April 5 at Sapriisa, still clinched the series for RSL).
- Real Salt Lake's midweek trip to Chicago was the second of 4 games in 11 days across MLS and Open Cup play and precedes a return to its Rio Tinto Stadium "Fortress" to kick off a stretch Saturday where five of its next six games and six out of eight will be played at home. On top of that stretch, RSL will host at least one additional game in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup tourney, on June 28 v the USL PRO side Wilmington Hammerheads Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. MT.
- RSL MF Kyle Beckerman: "Guys are having to play different positions but we just have to get on with it. There's a bunch of games [coming up] and you can't really complain because nobody really cares. There's another game on the schedule and you have to play it. If we play with a couple midfielders up top, so be it. We have to be able and try to score some goals."





RSL 3 : 1 TOR

REAL SALT LAKE (7-3-5) V TORONTO FC (2-7-9)

RSL Game #21 – MLS Regular Season Game #15

Saturday, June 25, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE

Borchers 1 (Beckerman 2)
Saborío 1 (Russell 1, Beckerman 3)
Saborío 2 (Russell 2)

RSL

Nick Rimando – GK
Tony Beltran – D
Jamison Olave – D
Nat Borchers – D
Robbie Russell – D
Kyle Beckerman – M
Ned Grabavoy – M
Will Johnson – M
Collen Warner – M
Álvaro Saborío – F
Luis Gil – F

3 : 1

39'
42'
60'

LINEUPS

66'
67'
57'
81'
45'

SUBS

Andy Williams
Nelson Gonzalez
Jean Alexandre

CAUTIONS

Collen Warner
Jean Alexandre
Will Johnson

STATS

Shots 19
Shots on Goal 10
Saves 0
Corner Kicks 6
Fouls 14
Offsides 1

GAME DATA

Referee.....Niko Bratsis
Assistant Referees.....Craig Lowry, Peter Manikowski
4th Official.....Ricardo Salazar
Attendance.....15,077
Weather.....Cloudy, 83 degrees
Time of Game.....1:50

TORONTO FC

Macon Santos 6 (Soolsma 3)

TOR

GK – Stefan Frei
D – Richard Eckersley
D – Doneil Henry
D – Ty Harden
D – Danleigh Borman
M – Dan Gargan
M – Nathan Sturgis
M – Gianluca Zavarise
F – Javier Martina
F – Maicon Santos
F – Joao Plata

Matt Stinson
Mikael Yourassowsky
Nick Soolsma

Richard Eckersley

TOR

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 3 : 1 TOR

- The RSL rearguard has let in one goal or fewer in 13 of its 15 MLS games this season and just nine total thus far (including two on PKs), a pace that projects to fewer than 20 goals allowed in a 34-game regular-season. A year ago, RSL allowed just 20 goals in the 30-game campaign, setting a new standard in MLS annals and breaking the 2007 Houston Dynamo record.
- Saborío's brace improved RSL to 20-2-4 all-time when a player scores two or more goals, the only losses coming last August at Cruz Azul in CCL action and back on 6/17/07, when FW Chris Brown's brace was wasted in a 2-3 loss at LA.
- Saborío's two-goal performance was his third in 33 MLS games (he had two in CCL action), moving him to a tie with MF Javier Morales for #3 all-time among RSL multi-goal game leaders. Former strikers Jeff Cunningham (5) and Robbie Findley (4 games) lead the category.
- With 26 points to show from a league-low 15 games played, RSL trails Los Angeles (35 points from 19 games), Dallas (31 in 17) and Seattle (28 in 18) but would lead the pack if it were in the Eastern Conference (led by Philadelphia Union with 26 points from 16 games)
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We've kind of had our ups and downs ever since we lost (Javier) Morales. We've had some good moments in every game and we've had some bad moments in every game; one game we're pretty good, the next game we're pretty bad. I'm hopeful. I feel like the last three matches we've started to gain some momentum."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "I think we labeled this one as a must-win game, and it definitely was. If we came out of this game with a tie or a loss, we would really have to look at ourselves in the mirror and question ourselves. I think we're very, very happy with this result and we can move forward with some confidence."



RSL 2 : 0 WIL

REAL SALT LAKE V WILMINGTON HAMMERHEADS (USL PRO)

RSL Game #22 – Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup, 3rd Round

Tuesday, June 28, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE

Beltran (Alexandre) 40'
Alexandre (Johnson) 44'

RSL

Kyle Reynish – GK
Tony Beltran – D
Rauwshan McKenzie – D
Nat Borchers – D
Chirs Schuler – D 63'
Kyle Beckerman – M 63'
Andy Williams – M 52'
Will Johnson – M
Collen Warner – M 74'
Jean Alexandre – F
Luis Gil – F

LINEUPS

WILMINGTON HAMMERHEADS

WIL

GK – Kyle Polak
D – Tom Parratt
D – Ivan Becerra
D – Gareth Evans
D – Dylan Riley
M – Emanuel Guzman
M – Tom Taylor
M – Paul Nicholson
M – Hakop Avesyan
F – Luke Muholland
F – Andriy Budnyy

SUBS

Ned Grabavoy 63' 52'
Robbie Russell 63' 60'
Nelson Gonzalez 74' 74'

Richard Jata
Jyler Noviello
Julio Cuero

CAUTIONS

Ned Grabavoy 68' 17'
35'
83'

Tom Taylor
Emanuel Guzman
Paul Nicholson

RSL

STATS

Shots 18 6
Shots on Goal 7 3
Saves 3 5
Corner Kicks 4 7
Fouls 10 7
Offsides 5 3

WIL

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Allen Chapman
Assistant Referees.....Brad Jensen, Brandon Major
4th Official.....Vincent Bair
Attendance.....7,620
Weather.....Clear, 91 degrees
Time of Game.....1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 2 : 0 WIL

- The goal by DF Tony Beltran was the fourth-year defender's first goal in an RSL uniform in any competition since being drafted 3rd overall by the Claret-and-Cobalt in the 2008 MLS SuperDraft. Beltran is still looking to snap a 69-match scoreless streak to kick off his career in MLS action.
- FW Jean Alexandre assisted on Beltran's first career goal and followed it up with a goal of his own. Tonight's performance marks the second time this season in all competitions that Alexandre has recorded an assist and a goal in the same game, the first coming against the Vancouver Whitecaps on June 4 at Rio Tinto Stadium, a performance that earned him the MLS Player of the Week honor.
- The shutout in goal by GK Kyle Reynish was his second of the 2011 season in as many games across all competitions, following up on his spotless 90 minutes at the New England Revolution in MLS play back on April 30.
- Real Salt Lake's upcoming five-day hiatus between games may seem like an eternity thanks to its recent schedule, with the squad set to return to MLS play next Monday, July 4 against the New England Revolution.
- The win over Wilmington sets up a USOC Quarterfinal match-up against fellow MLS side FC Dallas on July 12, just three days after their scheduled league meeting in Sandy.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "It wasn't a perfect game. It's not a game that I think any of us walk out of here and are ecstatic about, but we got the job done. The biggest disappointment was that it took us a little longer than I'd have liked for us to get into that game. I have to be honest and fair to the players, as there were four or five guys out there that have played four games in eleven days."
- RSL DF Tony Beltran: "It's great. I've been trying to score for a long time and I feel like I've been getting closer and closer and getting more and more confident every game, so I'm glad I was able to contribute personally. But I'm more happy we got the win because it's a very important win for us."





RSL 3 : 3 NE

REAL SALT LAKE (7-3-6) V NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION (3-8-7)

RSL Game #23 – MLS Regular Season Game #16

Monday, July 4, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE		3	:	3	NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION	
Johnson 2 (unassisted)	24'			4'	Lekic 3 (penalty kick)	
Saborio 3 (penalty kick)	56'			16'	Tierney 2 (unassisted)	
Espindola 5 (Saborio 1, Olave 1)	83'			63'	Joseph 5 (Feilhaber 3)	
RSL		LINEUPS		NE		
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Matt Reis		
Robbie Russell – D	45'			D – Kevin Alston		
Jamison Olave – D				D – Ryan Cochrane		
Nat Borchers – D				D – A.J. Soares		
Tony Beltran – D				D – Darrius Barnes		
Ned Grabavoy – M				M – Saineey Nyassi		
Andy Williams – M				M – Shalrie Joseph		
Will Johnson – M				M – Benny Feilhaber		
Collen Warner – M	9'			M – Pat Phelan		
Álvaro Saborio – F				F – Chris Tierney		
Luis Gil – F	63'			F – Rajko Lekic		
		SUBS				
Chris Schuler	9'			45'	Kenny Mansally	
Kyle Beckerman	45'			65'	Zak Boggs	
Fabián Espindola	63'			86'	Didier Domi	
		CAUTIONS				
Kyle Beckerman	85'			13'	Shalrie Joseph	
Álvaro Saborio	93+'			23'	Ryan Cochrane	
				55'	Rajko Lekic	
		EJECTIONS				
Nat Borchers	3'			67'	Ryan Cochrane	
RSL		STATS		NE		
Shots	20			6	Shots	
Shots on Goal	12			3	Shots on Goal	
Saves	0			9	Saves	
Corner Kicks	6			1	Corner Kicks	
Fouls	15			12	Fouls	
Offsides	0			1	Offsides	

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Yader Reyes
Assistant Referees.....	Peter Balciunas, Mike Kampmeintert
4th Official.....	Allen Chapman
Attendance.....	16,139
Weather.....	Cloudy, 81 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:56

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 3 : 3 NE

- The 83rd minute equalizer by Fabian Espindola pushed his team-high goal total in MLS play this season to five. The Argentine striker has now bagged four goals in his last six League appearances ... he missed RSL's last two games last week with a nagging left hamstring strain, appearing off the bench tonight with a spirited 27 minutes of play.
- The penalty conversion by Álvaro Saborio marked his first attempt from the spot in League play this season, this after the Costa Rican international was 2-for-2 in MLS play last year and 3-for-3 from the spot in 2010/11 CONCACAF Champions League play.
- The second meeting of the year against the Revs also marked the second time both teams finished without the full complement of players on the field. The 3rd minute ejection of DF Nat Borchers marked his first red card in an RSL uniform and the first shown to the veteran center back since he was a member of the Rapids back in Sept. 10, 2005 (108 MLS games).
- The much-anticipated night in Sandy included the post-game retirement of Head Coach Jason Kreis' iconic #9 jersey.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "The fireworks were out there on the field even before after the game. My take away from the match is that I'm really, really, really proud of our guys."
- RSL MF Kyle Beckerman: "In terms of that, fighting back with so many things against us, it shows a lot of the character that we have in this locker room. You'd like to come out and get a fair chance to play the game and really see who's the better team 11-v-11."



RSL 2 : 0 DAL

REAL SALT LAKE (8-3-6) V FC DALLAS (10-5-4)

RSL Game #24 – MLS Regular Season Game #17
Saturday, July 9, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE		2	:	0	FC DALLAS	
Williams 2 (Beckerman 4)		47'				
Espindola 6 (Johnson 1)		94+'				
RSL		LINEUPS		DAL		
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Kevin Hartman		
Chris Wingert – D				D – Zach Loyd		
Jamison Olave – D				D – George John		
Chris Schuler – D				D – Ugo Ihemelu		
Tony Beltran – D				D – Jair Benitez		
Kyle Beckerman – M				M – Jackson		
Ned Grabavoy – M		66'	60'	M – Eric Alexander		
Will Johnson – M				M – Bobby Warshaw		
Andy Williams – M		81'	30'	M – Andrew Jacobson		
Álvaro Saborío – F		88'		M – Brek Shea		
Luis Gil – F				F – Marvin Chavez		
		SUBS				
Fabián Espíndola		66'	30'	Ricardo Villar		
Collen Warner		81'	60'	Eric Avila		
Jean Alexandre		88'	75'	Milton Rodriguez		
		CAUTIONS				
Kyle Beckerman		29'	37'	Jackson		
Jamison Olave		67'	71'	Brek Shea		
Nick Rimando		93+'	90'	Bobby Warshaw		
RSL		STATS		DAL		
Shots		12	10	Shots		
Shots on Goal		7	2	Shots on Goal		
Saves		1	5	Saves		
Corner Kicks		4	3	Corner Kicks		
Fouls		14	14	Fouls		
Offsides		3	4	Offsides		
GAME DATA						
Referee.....		Ricardo Salazar				
Assistant Referees.....		Craig Lowry, Claudio B				
4th Official.....		Armando Villarreal				
Attendance.....		17,734				
Weather.....		Partly Cloudy, 88 degre				
Time of Game.....		1:51				

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 2 : 0 DAL

- Tonight's victory pushed Real Salt Lake's unbeaten streak in League play to six games (2-0-4), which now stands alone as the third-longest undefeated run in club history. Heading into this evening, RSL had posted six unbeaten runs of five games, behind only the 18-game and 10-game runs that originated during the club's record-setting 2010 campaign.
- Fabian Espíndola's stoppage time goal pushed his team-high goal total in MLS play to six. The red-hot Argentine striker has now scored in back-to-back games and found the back of the net five times in his last seven league appearances.
- Kyle Beckerman assisted Andy Williams on the opening goal, giving the RSL captain his team-high fourth assist this season, breaking a tie with MF Collen Warner in the category. It was Beckerman's third helper in as many games, following up on his pair of assists in RSL's 3-1 win over Toronto FC on June 25.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "This was a huge, huge match for us; probably the biggest one we've had this season against what I think is arguably the team that is in the best form right now. A positive result, doesn't matter to me the score, to get all three points at home against them was big for us. It wraps up the series where we drew with them away and win at home."
- Kreis: "When I said this match was one of the biggest, if not the biggest one that we've played in MLS this year, I wasn't only talking about MLS. I knew there would be a positive statement to make to get a little confidence and go down to Dallas and hopefully move on in the U.S. Open Cup."
- RSL DF Tony Beltran: "They are a counter-attacking team, but if we keep the ball, which we did well at times, they can't really get anything against us because they can't have any opportunity to counter."





DAL 2 : 0 RSL

FC DALLAS V. REAL SALT LAKE

RSL Game #25 – Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup – Quarterfinals
Tuesday, July 12, 2011 – Pizza Hut Park – Frisco, TX



FC DALLAS	2	:	0	REAL SALT LAKE
Benitez (unassisted)	18'			
Jackson (Alexander)	54'			
DAL	LINEUPS			RSL
Kevin Hartman – GK				GK – Kyle Reynish
Zach Loyd – D	68'		58'	D – Chris Wingert
George John – D				D – Nat Borchers
Ugo Ihemelu – D				D – Jamison Olave
Jair Benitez – D				D – Tony Beltran
Bobby Warshaw – M				M – Kyle Beckerman
Ricardo Villar – M	64'		58'	M – Ned Grabavoy
Eric Avila – M				M – Will Johnson
Bruno Guarda – M				M – Andy Williams
Eric Alexander – F				F – Luis Gil
Marvin Chavez – F	45'		66'	F – Fabián Espíndola
	SUBS			
Jackson	45'		58'	Collen Warner
Brek Shea	64'		58'	Arturo Alvarez
Andrew Wiedeman	68'		66'	Jean Alexandre
	CAUTIONS			
Jair Benitez	37'		14'	Fabián Espíndola
Zach Loyd	45+'		40'	Jamison Olave
Andrew Wiedeman	87'			
DAL	STATS			RSL
Shots	13		6	Shots
Shots on Goal	4		0	Shots on Goal
Saves	0		1	Saves
Corner Kicks	3		1	Corner Kicks
Fouls	11		18	Fouls
Offsides	7		3	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Michael Kennedy
Assistant Referees.....	Jonathan Johnson, Adam Garner
4th Official.....	Matthew Foerster
Attendance.....	3,189
Weather.....	Clear, 97 degrees

NOTES & QUOTES – DAL 2 : 0 RSL

- Real Salt Lake's continues to find nothing but misery in the Metroplex, as Tuesday's Open Cup loss pushed the Utah side's record at Dallas to 0-10-1 across all competitions (0-8-1 in regular season play and 0-1-0 in MLS Cup Playoff and U.S. Open Cup action). Tonight's result gives the Western Conference rivals an even 1-1-1 split in their three contests in 2011.
- Tonight's defeat also snapped RSL's recent run of results, as the Claret-and-Cobalt entered this evening on a seven-match undefeated streak across MLS and Open Cup play (3-0-4).
- Real Salt Lake is now 4-7-1 all-time in Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup play, its 3-3-0 mark in the tournament proper including two-match runs in 2005, 2006 and 2011.
- There could be no doubt about head coach Jason Kreis' previous statements regarding prioritizing the U.S. Open Cup, as Real Salt Lake made just three changes to the squad that posted its own 2-0 win over FC Dallas last Saturday in Sandy. Defender Nat Borchers replaced Chris Schuler and returned to man the middle of the RSL backline alongside normal partner Jamison Olave, while Kyle Reynish continued his role between the posts in the tournament in place of a slightly injured Nick Rimando (R ankle sprain) and Fabian Espíndola replaced Álvaro Saborio up top.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We have seen it lots of time here in Dallas, where we can't get our energy level right. It presents its difficulties with the weather for us, and it certainly did tonight. If we don't have the right energy and right mentality for games we often don't get results, and when we do have the right mentality and energy we do get results."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "We need to get back on track where we're winning games and getting results on the road. The Open Cup is over now and we have to wash our hands of it and put it in the past. This was a tough result for us, but now we can focus on the league, and that is the most important thing for us."



RSL 4 : 0 SJ

REAL SALT LAKE (9-3-6) V SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES (5-7-9)

RSL Game #26 – MLS Regular Season Game #18

Saturday, July 23, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	4	:	0	SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES
Saborio 4 (penalty kick)	63'			
Saborio 5 (unassisted)	75'			
Beckerman 2 (Saborio)	78'			
Olave 2 (Alvarez 1, Beckerman 5)	83'			

RSL	LINEUPS	SJ
Nick Rimando – GK		GK – John Busch
Robbie Russell – D		D – Tim Ward
Jamison Olave – D		D – Bobby Burling
Nat Borchers – D	54'	D – Nana Attakora
Tony Beltran – D		D – Bobby Convey
Kyle Beckerman – M		M – Jacob Peterson
Ned Grabavoy – M	79'	M – Sam Cronin
Will Johnson – M	84'	M – Khari Stephenson
Andy Williams – M	72'	M – Rafael Baca
Álvaro Saborio – F		F – Chris Wondolowski
Fabián Espíndola – F	63'	F – Scott Sealy

SUBS		
Collen Warner	72'	54'
Arturo Alvarez	79'	63'
Luis Gil	84'	
		Brad Ring
		Chris Leitch

CAUTIONS		
Kyle Beckerman	13'	15'
		Jacob Peterson
		Bobby Convey
		Brad Ring

EJECTIONS		
	60'	Bobby Burling

RSL	STATS	SJ
Shots	25	3
Shots on Goal	13	1
Saves	1	9
Corner Kicks	7	3
Fouls	15	8
Offsides	6	1

GAME DATA

Referee.....	David Gantar
Assistant Referees.....	Anthony Vasoli, Colin Arblaster
4th Official.....	Tyler Ploeger
Attendance.....	19,429
Weather.....	Sunny, 88 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 4 : 0 SJ

- Tonight's victory stretched the third-longest regular season unbeaten streak in Real Salt Lake history to seven games (3-0-4). The current run now stands behind only the 18-game and 10-game streaks that originated during the club's record-setting 2010 campaign.
- The shutout was RSL's tenth in league play this season and Nick Rimando's ninth of 2011, which helped boost his current shutout streak to 207 minutes. Rimando trails only FC Dallas netminder Kevin Hartman (11) for the league lead in shutouts.
- The assist for MF Kyle Beckerman was his fourth in as many league matches and tied his career single-season high in the category (2003 with Colorado) in just 18 games into the campaign.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I feel that we've been improving every single match for five or six matches. I think this was number seven in league play ... we had an Open Cup match that was a bit of a step backwards, but I think tonight we moved forward again. But we're still looking for 90 minutes of good play. Tonight it was 45, maybe 55; maybe there was 10 minutes of good play in the first half."
- RSL MF Kyle Beckerman: "We should have been up. I should have scored and Fabian [Espíndola] should have scored. It would have looked different if we were up 2-0 instead of at 0-0. We knew we could pick it up a little bit (in the second half)."





RSL 0 : 2 CLB

REAL SALT LAKE (9-4-6) V COLUMBUS CREW (9-6-7)

RSL Game #27 – MLS Regular Season Game #19

Saturday, July 30, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	0	:	2	COLUMBUS CREW
				Gaven 4 (Rogers 2)
			5'	Heinemann 2 (Rogers 3, Rusmir 2)
			10'	
RSL	LINEUPS			CLB
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Andy Gruenebaum
Robbie Russell – D	61'			D – Sebastian Miranda
Chris Schuler – D				D – Julius James
Nat Borchers – D				D – Chad Marshall
Chris Wingert – D				D – Josh Gardner
Kyle Beckerman – M				M – Emmanuel Ekpo
Ned Grabavoy – M				M – Eddie Gaven
Will Johnson – M		61'		M – Dejan Rusmir
Andy Williams – M	61'			M – Robbie Rogers
Jean Alexandre – F	70'			F – Tommy Heinemann
Fabián Espíndola – F		76'		F – Justin Meram

SUBS

Arturo Alvarez	61'	61'	Eric Gehrig
Collen Warner	61'	76'	Bernardo Anor
Luis Gil	70'		

DAL

STATS

RSL

Shots	16	11	Shots
Shots on Goal	2	5	Shots on Goal
Saves	3	2	Saves
Corner Kicks	7	3	Corner Kicks
Fouls	12	16	Fouls
Offsides	5	1	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	James Anno
Assistant Referees.....	Frank Anderson, Corey Rockwell
4th Official.....	Fotis Bazakos
Attendance.....	18,516
Weather.....	Cloudy, 86 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:48

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 0 : 2 CLB

- This evening's loss was just RSL's second at Rio Tinto Stadium in 37 regular season contests. RSL is now 24-2-11 at its Sandy home in MLS play dating back to the building's opening in October 2008. Tonight's contest also marked the first time that Real Salt Lake lost at Rio Tinto Stadium by multiple goals.
- Tonight's loss snapped the third-longest regular season unbeaten streak in Real Salt Lake history at seven games (3-0-4) and the club's shutout streak at 212 minutes, good for the second-longest such run for the Claret-and-Cobalt in 2011.
- Tonight was the fourth occasion on which a team posted a pair of goals in the first 10 minutes against Real Salt Lake. FC Dallas was the last team to accomplish the feat back on 9/26/09 at Pizza Hut Park (0-3 L).
- After signing with Real Salt Lake late last week, FW Chris Agorsor suited up on the 18-man gameday roster for his new club for the first time against the Crew. Also making his 2011 debut on the 18-man list was GK Tim Melia, who is taking over back-up duties to Nick Rimando while Kyle Reynish recovers from a concussion.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "To me it just came down to mental lapses. You're down two goals to a team that's very good defensively and works hard together and, I think, was going to come in to this game and try and put a lot of numbers behind the ball. It's difficult to break them down."
- Kreis: "We know that Fabian [Espíndola] is a very emotional player. I thought he was trying to make a difference for us every time he got the ball tonight. He was going at players, trying to get behind them and trying to make the final pass or make the goal, but it wasn't coming off for him, as it wasn't for the other players."
- RSL MF Andy Williams: "We were prepared, but I just think [Columbus] came out with a game plan and kind of caught us napping a couple of times, and in that 20-minute span they were able to take over the game by creating chance after chance. After that things kind of adjusted, but we just couldn't get that first goal."



SKC 2 : 0 RSL



SPORTING KANSAS CITY (7-6-9) V. REAL SALT LAKE (9-5-6)
RSL Game #28 – MLS Regular Season Game #20
Wednesday, August 3, 2011 – Livestrong Sporting Park – Kansas City, KS

SPORTING KANSAS CITY 2 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE

Espinoza 1 (unassisted) 29'
 Bunbury 5 (unassisted) 34'

SKC

Jimmy Nielsen – GK
 Seth Sinovic – D 68'
 Matt Besler – D
 Julio Cesar – D
 Michael Harrington – D
 Jefferson – M 79'
 Roger Espinoza – M
 Graham Zusi – M 59'
 Kei Kamara – F 74'
 Omar Bravo – F 94+
 Teal Bunbury – F

LINEUPS

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
 D – Tony Beltran
 D – Nat Borchers
 D – Chris Schuler
 D – Chris Wingert
 M – Kyle Beckerman
 M – Will Johnson
 M – Arturo Alvarez
 M – Collen Warner
 F – Álvaro Saborío
 F – Fabián Espíndola

SUBS

C.J. Sapong 74' 59'
 Birahim Diop 79' 65'
 Luke Sassano 94+ 68'

Andy Williams
 Luis Gil
 Robbie Russell

CAUTIONS

47' Nat Borchers
 89' Fabián Espíndola

EJECTIONS

Roger Espinoza 57'

SKC

STATS

RSL

Shots 16 19
 Shots on Goal 5 3
 Saves 3 3
 Corner Kicks 2 8
 Fouls 14 12
 Offsides 2 2

Shots
 Shots on Goal
 Saves
 Corner Kicks
 Fouls
 Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Hilario Grajeda
 Assistant Referees.....Chris Strickland, Peter Manikowski
 4th Official.....Tyler Ploeger
 Attendance.....18,467
 Weather.....Sunny, 93 degrees
 Time of Game.....1:53

NOTES & QUOTES – SKC 2 : 0 RSL

- Real Salt Lake has dropped back-to-back matches in League play for the first time since April of 2010, halting a stretch of 44 contests without consecutive defeats [4/17/10 @ LA (1-2 L) and 4/24/10 @ CLB (0-1 L)].
- After the Espinoza and Bunbury tallies around the half hour mark, Real Salt Lake faced a two-goal deficit on the road for the first time in 2011, and for only the fourth time in its 20 regular season contests. However, it also marked the second straight contest in which the Utah side went down two goals after Columbus notched a quick pair just four days prior in Sandy.
- Teal Bunbury's 34th minute goal was the first allowed by Real Salt Lake during the middle half hour of a match in its 20 regular season contests to date. Despite the two goals allowed, RSL still stands second in MLS in goals allowed at 0.80 per contest, behind only Los Angeles (0.70/game heading into their match @ Portland this evening).
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "[The team's morale] better be real bad because my morale is real bad. We need guys right now to feel that pain because I honestly feel that we're at a precipice for our season right now. We need a huge game on Saturday (vs. New York), a huge effort. We need these guys to pull together and give absolutely everything they have because to have three losses in a row would be monstrously bad."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "[Sporting KC] is a great attacking team with a lot of weapons, and they play well at home, I thought they put us under the gun early and created a lot of chances. If you don't keep the ball they will punish you and that's exactly what they did in the first half."





RSL 3 : 0 NY

REAL SALT LAKE (10-5-6) V. NEW YORK RED BULLS (6-6-12)

RSL Game #29 – MLS Regular Season Game #21

Saturday, August 6, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	3	:	0	NEW YORK RED BULLS
Borchers 2 (Beckerman 6)	13'			
Gil 1 (Beckerman 7)	44'			
Saborio 6 (penalty kick)	77'			

RSL	LINEUPS	NY
Nick Rimando – GK	45'	GK – Frank Rost
Robbie Russell – D		D – Chris Albright
Nat Borchers – D		D – Rafael Marquez
Chris Schuler – D		D – Tim Ream
Chris Wingert – D		D – Roy Miller
Kyle Beckerman – M	69'	M – Jan Gunnar Solli
Andy Williams – M	82'	M – Mehdi Ballouchy
Will Johnson – M	87'	M – Dax McCarty
Luis Gil – M	67'	M – Joel Lindpere
Álvaro Saborio – F		F – Juan Agudelo
Fabían Espíndola – F		F – Thierry Henry

SUBS		
Collen Warner	67'	45'
Arturo Alvarez	82'	45'
Jean Alexandre	87'	69'

CAUTIONS		
Will Johnson	85'	76'

RSL	STATS	NY
Shots	11	7
Shots on Goal	5	1
Saves	1	2
Corner Kicks	6	4
Fouls	10	12
Offsides	4	3

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Elias Bazakos
Assistant Referees.....	Ian Anderson, Eric Boria
4th Official.....	Tyler Ploeger
Attendance.....	19,081
Weather.....	Sunny, 93 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:47

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 3 : 0 NY

- At 17 years, 265 days of age, Luis Gil became the youngest player to score a regular season goal in RSL's seven-season history. Freddy Adu previously held the record, his goal on May 20, 2007 at FC Dallas coming at 17 years, 352 days of age. The first career MLS goal for Gil came in his 14th league appearance and fifth start, all coming this season for the second-year product out of Garden Grove, CA.
- Kyle Beckerman had his second multi-assist performance of 2011 [June 25 v. TOR (3-1 W)]. The RSL captain's fourth game-winning assist of the season on the Borchers tally put him alone in second place across MLS in the category, but only because Los Angeles' David Beckham registered his fifth in a 3-1 win over FC Dallas later in the evening.
- Beckerman's pair of helpers also allowed him to register a new single-season high in the category and gave him six helpers in his last seven MLS contests.
- The shutout was Real Salt Lake's 11th of the 2011 regular season and lowered its MLS-best goals against average to 0.76 per game.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "Anytime anyone scores their first goal for us we get a little bit emotional with the moment. Luis is a kid that has worked extremely hard for us for a year-and-a-half. He's done a great job keeping his head down and not listening to other people around him telling him he should be playing all of the time."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "After giving away two games like we did to Columbus at home and Kansas City away, I think we got our heads down a little bit. We knew we had to come out with some energy tonight and we really just wanted to improve from how we've been playing, which wasn't hard to do with the way we played against Kansas City. I'm really happy with the result and the three points are so big at this point of the season."



TOR 1 : 0 RSL



TORONTO FC (4-11-11) V. REAL SALT LAKE (10-6-6)

RSL Game #30 – MLS Regular Season Game #22

Saturday, August 13, 2011 – BMO Field – Toronto, Ontario

TORONTO FC		1	:	0	REAL SALT LAKE	
Plata 3 (Stinson 1)		77'				
TOR		LINEUPS			RSL	
Milos Kocic – GK				81'	GK – Nick Rimando	
Richard Eckersley – D					D – Robbie Russell	
Andy Iro – D		65'			D – Nat Borchers	
Torsten Frings – D					D – Chris Schuler	
Danleigh Borman – M				32'	D – Chris Wingert	
Matt Stinson – M		77'			M – Kyle Beckerman	
Julian de Guzman – M				76'	M – Andy Williams	
Eric Avila – M					M – Will Johnson	
Peri Marosevic – F					M – Luis Gil	
Danny Koevermans – F		74'			F – Alvaro Saborío	
Joao Plata – F					F – Fabián Espíndola	
		SUBS				
Ty Harden		65'		32'	Tony Beltran	
Javier Martina		74'		76'	Arturo Alvarez	
Doneil Henry		77'		81'	Paulo Jr.	
		CAUTIONS				
				54'	Will Johnson	
TOR		STATS			RSL	
Shots		11		16	Shots	
Shots on Goal		4		4	Shots on Goal	
Saves		4		3	Saves	
Corner Kicks		3		7	Corner Kicks	
Fouls		8		8	Fouls	
Offsides		1		4	Offsides	
GAME DATA						
Referee.....				Mark Kadlecik		
Assistant Referees.....				James Conlee, Colin Arblaster		
4th Official.....				Sorin Stoica		
Attendance.....				21,644		
Weather.....				Clear , 77 degrees		
Time of Game.....				1:51		

NOTES & QUOTES – TOR 1 : 0 RSL

- BMO Field has not been a desirable destination for Real Salt Lake, with tonight's shutout marking the fifth at home for Toronto FC against the Utah side in as many regular season contests dating back to 2007 (RSL now 0-3-2 in MLS play at Toronto). When RSL needed a goal in CCL play against the Reds last September it got the job done, as MF Javier Morales' free kick tally helped the visitors to a 1-1 result that secured their advancement into the tournament's knockout phase.
- Real Salt Lake's already sizeable list of injuries accrued during the 2011 campaign grew around the half hour mark, when DF Chris Wingert was forced from the contest after suffered a broken left wrist. The eight-year veteran and third most "capped" player in RSL history with 116 appearances was replaced by Tony Beltran.
- Real Salt Lake had the services of FW Paulo Jr. in the 18-man gameday roster for the first time in over three months, and the Brazilian striker indeed saw the field with a nine-minute stint off the bench. Paulo Jr.'s last contest for the Claret-and-Cobalt was during the second leg of the CONCACAF Champions League Final against Monterrey back on April 27.
- Tonight's result pushed RSL's record against Eastern Conference opposition on the season to 3-4-5 (1-3-2 on the road). RSL is in the midst of a stretch of five straight games against the East, and six of its next eight contests will be inter-conference affairs.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "Soccer is a very cruel game, that's what I walk away from this game and think to myself, this is a cruel game sometimes. I think that we did enough tonight, certainly to pick up a draw, and on a different night we walk away from here with all three points. If we score some of those chances that we had tonight things look completely different. The goal that was scored was a very fluky one as well, so all-in-all we just couldn't get the bounces tonight that I feel we needed to get."
- RSL MF Will Johnson: "We were just extremely unlucky. As far as chances go I think it was pretty one-sided. But if you don't put your chances away you are always leave yourself liable for a lucky goal and that's what happened."



HOU 3 : 2 RSL



HOUSTON DYNAMO (8-7-11) V. REAL SALT LAKE (10-7-6)

RSL Game #31 – MLS Regular Season Game #23

Saturday, August 20, 2011 – Robertson Stadium – Houston, TX



HOUSTON DYNAMO	3	:	2	REAL SALT LAKE
Ching 5 (Davis 12, Costly 1)	47'		28'	Espindola 7 (Warner 4)
Boswell 4 (Davis 13)	69'		60'	Gil 2 (Espindola 2)
Dixon 1 (unassisted)	93+'			

HOU LINEUPS

Talley Hall – GK	
Hunter Freeman – D	
Bobby Boswell – D	
Andre Hainault – D	
Corey Ashe – D	
Colin Clark – M	81'
Geoff Cameron – M	45'
Je-Vaughn Watson – M	85'
Brad Davis – M	
Brian Ching – F	89'
Carlo Costly – F	84'

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
D – Robbie Russell
D – Nat Borchers
D – Chris Schuler
D – Tony Beltran
M – Kyle Beckerman
M – Collen Warner
M – Arturo Alvarez
M – Luis Gil
F – Álvaro Saborío
F – Fabián Espindola

SUBS

Alex Dixon	81'	45'
Cam Warner	84'	62'
Calen Carr	89'	85'

Andy Williams
Paulo Jr.
Jean Alexandre

CAUTIONS

Bobby Boswell	33'	67'
Corey Ashe	58'	
Je-Vaughn Watson	60'	

Álvaro Saborío

HOU STATS

Shots	19	8
Shots on Goal	10	4
Saves	2	7
Corner Kicks	7	4
Fouls	5	10
Offsides	4	4

RSL

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Abiodun Okulaja
Assistant Referees.....	Craig Lowry, Adam Garner
4th Official.....	John McCloskey
Attendance.....	16,247
Weather.....	Clear, 93 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:56

NOTES & QUOTES – HOU 3 : 2 RSL

- Real Salt Lake's seven-year winless drought in Texas remained intact, as the Utahns are now 0-17-2 all-time in the Lone Star State. Despite the fact that RSL has scored in all eight visits to Robertson Stadium, tonight's defeat dropped its ledger in Houston to 0-7-1, with all seven losses coming by a one-goal margin.
- After winning its first two road affairs of the season at San Jose (1-0 on March 19) and at New England (2-0 on April 9), RSL has gone winless in its last eight road affairs (0-5-3). Seven of the Claret-and-Cobalt's final 11 matches will come away from the friendly confines of Rio Tinto Stadium.
- FW Fabian Espindola's seventh goal of the season pushed him in front of strike-mate Álvaro Saborío for the team's scoring lead. The seven tallies marks a new career single-season best in MLS play for the Argentine forward, eclipsing the half-dozen goals he bagged last season.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We're heartbroken, there's no doubt about it. You look around the locker room and all of us are feeling devastated about that, because you never want to be in a position where you have two leads and walk away with nothing. We would have at least liked to get the draw, and if we're 30 seconds better there at the end, we walk away with at least a point, and we can pat ourselves on the back for all the hard work that we put into that. But to walk away with nothing, it feels very, very unfortunate."
- RSL MF Andy Williams: "We were holding our own. Nick [Rimando] made a few great saves for us and we just let him down. We expect it when we come here. Brian Ching and [Carlo] Costly and Cameron, they are all over 6-foot-3. We worked on it at practice to prepare for all the crosses coming in tonight."



CHV 0 : 1 RSL

CHIVAS USA (7-10-10) V. REAL SALT LAKE (11-7-6)

RSL Game #32 – MLS Regular Season Game #24

Saturday, August 27, 2011 – The Home Depot Center – Carson, CA



CHIVAS USA

0 : 1

REAL SALT LAKE

Saborio 7 (unassisted)

CHV

LINUPS

Dan Kennedy – GK
David Junior Lopes – D
Michael Umana – D
Heath Pearce – D
Ante Jazic – D
Blair Gavin – M
Simon Elliot – M
Nick LaBrocca – M
Jorge Flores – F
Juan Pablo Angel – F
Alejandro Moreno – F

45'
61'

32'

85'

SUBS

Mariano Trujillo
Laurent Courtois
Marcos Mondaini

45'
61'
72'

Chris Schuler
Andy Williams

CAUTIONS

David Junior Lopes

79'

Kyle Beckerman

EJECTIONS

24'

CHV

STATS

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

13
4
4
3
9
3

9
5
4
2
16
3

RSL

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Kevin Stott
Assistant Referees.....Peter Balciunas, Jason Cullum
4th Official.....Allen Chapman
Attendance.....14,127
Weather.....Clear, 75 degrees
Time of Game.....1:54

NOTES & QUOTES – CHV 0 : 1 RSL

- Tonight's victory allowed RSL to avoid a third consecutive loss, something that has occurred only once in the Jason Kreis coaching era, back in July of 2007, 10 games into Kreis' tenure.
- FW Alvaro Saborio moved into a tie with former striker Jeff Cunningham in 3rd place in the RSL all-time goal-scoring annals with his 19th career MLS goal, trailing only Robbie Findley (29) and current teammate Fabian Espindola (23), who he tied for the 2011 scoring lead in MLS play with his 7th tally.
- DF Nat Borchers received his second red card of the season (7/04 v. NE), this time after hauling down CHV MF Nick LaBrocca just inside the area. After going 108 matches in between his previous red cards, tonight's ejection was Borchers' second in nine contests.
- Four RSL players – FW Alvaro Saborio (Costa Rica), FW Arturo Alvarez (El Salvador), MF Will Johnson (Canada) and MF Jean Alexandre (Haiti) – will join Borchers among the group not available for selection by RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis, missing next week's home game vs. Philadelphia due to national team duty for CONCACAF World Cup Qualifiers or international friendlies.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "For me, it's just the guys believing, because it takes a lot of belief to go down a man as early as we did. It takes a lot of belief from the guys, a lot of willingness to stay together as a unit. To be through the stretch we've just been through, it would be extremely easy (to have not believed), and I think 80 or 90 percent of the teams in this league couldn't have been as mentally tough as we were."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "It was a good one for us. We knew we could come in here and get a result, we've done it before. The objective was to get a zero. We know when we play good defense we're capable of getting results on the road and that's exactly what we did. [Saborio] came in and got a good goal for us."





RSL 2 : 1 PHI

REAL SALT LAKE (12-7-6) V. PHILADELPHIA UNION (8-7-10)

RSL Game #33 – MLS Regular Season Game #25

Saturday, September 3, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	2	:	1	PHILADELPHIA UNION
Beckerman 3 (Paulo Jr. 3)	18'		30'	Le Toux 4 (Mapp 3)
Schuler 2 (Beckerman 8)	26'			
RSL	LINEUPS			PHI
Nick Rimando – GK			45'	GK – Faryd Mondragon
Robbie Russell – D	94+'			D – Sheanon Williams
Jamison Olave – D				D – Danny Califf
Chris Schuler – D				D – Stefani Miglioranza
Tony Beltran – D				D – Michael Farfan
Kyle Beckerman – M			68'	M – Justin Mapp
Andy Williams – M				M – Sebastien Le Toux
Luis Gil – M			59'	M – Kyle Nakazawa
Collen Warner – M	73'			M – Amobi Okugo
Paulo Jr. – F	66'			F – Veljko Paunovic
Fabián Espíndola – F				F – Danny Mwanga

SUBS

Cody Arnoux	66'	45'	Zac MacMath
Ned Grabavoy	73'	59'	Freddy Adu
Blake Wagner	94+'	68'	Roger Torres

CAUTIONS

Robbie Russell	35'	67'	Danny Califf
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RSL

PHI

RSL	STATS		PHI
Shots	18	4	Shots
Shots on Goal	8	2	Shots on Goal
Saves	1	5	Saves
Corner Kicks	9	9	Corner Kicks
Fouls	9	6	Fouls
Offsides	0	3	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Hilario Grajeda
Assistant Referees.....	Frank Anderson, Paul Scott
4th Official.....	Allen Chapman
Attendance.....	18,720
Weather.....	Clear, 61 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:52

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 2 : 1 PHI

- With the bump into fourth place in the Western Conference, Real Salt Lake (42 points) now sits within two games of third-place FC Dallas (46 pts.) and second-place Seattle Sounders FC (48 pts.), with the Utah side holding two games in hand on both squads. RSL is now one point above its Rocky Mountain Cup rival, the Colorado Rapids, but holds three games in hand on the defending MLS Cup Champs.
- The goal-and-assist performance by Kyle Beckerman was the second for the RSL captain in 2011 and his fourth multi-point effort of the campaign in regular season play. The 29-year-old midfielder upped his team leading and single-season career-high assist total to eight – good for a fourth-place tie alongside four other players on the 2011 MLS helper chart, including Union goalscorer Le Toux. In addition, his career-best fifth game-winning assist now places him alone in second place in the league this season, behind only David Beckham.
- Two players that did come off the bench for Kreis – FW Cody Arnoux and D/M Blake Wagner – made their Real Salt Lake debuts in the second half, Arnoux entering for FW Paulo Jr. in the 66th minute and Wagner for a hobbled DF Robbie Russell in stoppage time. The last time two players made their Claret-and-Cobalt debut in the same game came back on March 28, 2009 at Seattle, when Alexandre and Raphael Cox both saw action as rookies in a 0-2 season-opening defeat in the Emerald City.
- The Labor Day weekend affair was rescheduled from the original April 23rd date to accommodate RSL's early-season run to the CONCACAF Champion League finals.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I hope that we're never going to be content with where we're at, at anytime. There's so many details that we're letting slip right now. We need to improve on all those little details, and one of those things is how we finish games. To see it tonight again shows that we're improving. And I think improving at the exact right time."
- RSL MF Kyle Beckerman: "It's a huge game for us. This was one of those games that we had in hand and if we win we jumped Colorado (Rapids) so it had a lot of importance. It was just like any other big game we play."



SEA 1 : 2 RSL

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC (13-6-9) V. REAL SALT LAKE (13-7-6)

RSL Game #34 – MLS Regular Season Game #26

Saturday, September 10, 2011 – CenturyLink Field – Seattle, WA



SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	1	:	2	REAL SALT LAKE
Montero 7 (Rosales 10)	47+'		12'	Keller (own goal)
			56'	Saborio 8 (unassisted)

SEA LINEUPS

Kasey Keller – GK
James Riley – D
Jeff Parke – D
Jhon Kennedy Hurtado – D
Tyson Wahl – D
Mauro Rosales – M
Oswaldo Alonso – M
Erik Friberg – M
Alvaro Fernandez – F
Mike Fucito – F
Fredy Montero – F

RSL LINEUPS

GK – Nick Rimando
D – Robbie Russell
D – Nat Borchers
D – Jamison Olave
D – Tony Beltran
M – Kyle Beckerman
M – Andy Williams
M – Will Johnson
M – Luis Gil
F – Álvaro Saborío
F – Fabián Espíndola

SUBS

Servando Carrasco	31'	45'	Chris Schuler
Lamar Neagle	65'	68'	Ned Grabavoy
Pat Noonan	73'	79'	Paulo Jr.

CAUTIONS

Servando Carrasco	38'	20'	Tony Beltran
Oswaldo Alonso	94+'	68'	Andy Williams

EJECTIONS

Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	39'	35'	Tony Beltran
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SEA STATS

Shots	20	10	Shots
Shots on Goal	3	4	Shots on Goal
Saves	3	2	Saves
Corner Kicks	11	2	Corner Kicks
Fouls	10	12	Fouls
Offsides	3	2	Offsides

RSL STATS

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Mark Kadlecik
Assistant Referees.....	Mike Kampmeier, James Conlee
4th Official.....	Edvin Jurisevic
Attendance.....	35,940
Weather.....	Clear, 73 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:53

NOTES & QUOTES – SEA 1 : 2 RSL

- Today's full three points gives Real Salt Lake its second three-game winning streak in MLS play this season, its first such stretch since the Utah side posted four consecutive wins to kick off the 2011 campaign back in March/April.
- With his 56th minute tally, Álvaro Saborio once again snagged sole possession of Real Salt Lake scoring lead in regular season play with his eighth goal. The Costa Rican scored in back-to-back regular season games for the third time in his short RSL tenure.
- The red card issued to Tony Beltran was the fifth shown to a Real Salt Lake player in MLS play this season, and also marked the second straight road match in which RSL was reduced to 10-men (8/27 @ CHV, 1-0 W). The fourth-year product out of UCLA had never been ejected in his 77 previous league appearances leading up to today's contest.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "It feels really, really good and I told our guys I'm really proud of all the hard work they put in. The fact that they stuck together and kept working hard and stayed discipline through some pretty interesting decisions in the first half. There were some pretty dire circumstances and I was proud of our guys for getting another hard fought win."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "[Seattle] is definitely a tough place to play. Their crowd is excellent and their team is a good team in this league. We wanted to come in here and prove a point that we are good team even though we lost of couple of games. We gave it everything we had and we won."





RSL 1 : 0 SKC

REAL SALT LAKE (14-7-6) V. SPORTING KANSAS CITY (10-9-10)

RSL Game #35 – MLS Regular Season Game #27

Saturday, September 17, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	1	:	0	SPORTING KANSAS CITY
Borchers 3 (Beckerman 9)	54'			
RSL	LINEUPS			SKC
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Jimmy Nielsen
Robbie Russell – D				D – Michael Harrington
Jamison Olave – D				D – Aurelien Collin
Nat Borchers – D				D – Matt Besler
Chris Schuler – D				D – Seth Sinovic
Kyle Beckerman – M		81'		M – Roger Espinoza
Andy Williams – M		86'		M – Julio Cesar
Will Johnson – M				M – Graham Zusi
Luis Gil – M	59'			F – Kei Kamara
Álvaro Saborío – F				F – Teal Bunbury
Fabían Espíndola – F	91+'	69'		F – Omar Bravo
	SUBS			
Ned Grabavoy	59'	69'		C.J. Sapong
Jean Alexandre	91+'	81'		Davy Arnaud
		86'		Jeferson
	CAUTIONS			
Chris Schuler	12'	28'		Aurelien Collin
Kyle Beckerman	69'	93+'		Graham Zusi
RSL	STATS			SKC
Shots	5	11		Shots
Shots on Goal	3	5		Shots on Goal
Saves	5	2		Saves
Corner Kicks	2	6		Corner Kicks
Fouls	18	16		Fouls
Offsides	5	2		Offsides
	GAME DATA			
Referee.....	Ricardo Salazar			
Assistant Referees.....	Craig Lowry, Peter Manikowski			
4th Official.....	Tyler Ploeger			
Attendance.....	19,888			
Weather.....	Clear, 63 degrees			
Time of Game.....	1:51			

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 1 : 0 SKC

- RSL leapt back into third place in the Western Conference standings and sits just one win behind second-place Seattle Sounders FC.
- Real Salt Lake now owns two of the three four-match winning streaks in Major League Soccer this season, equaling its run to begin the 2011 regular season (3/19 @ SJ through 4/13 v. COL). Los Angeles owns the season's only other four-match winning run (5/14 v. SKC through 5/28 @ NE).
- The goal for DF Nat Borchers was the third of the season for the RSL center back and reigning MLS Best XI defender, giving him a new single-season high in the category for his seven-season MLS career. In addition, the tally was his second game-winning goal of the season, going along with his opening salvo in RSL's 3-0 win over the Utah side's next opponent, the New York Red Bulls, back on August 6 in Sandy.
- Captain Kyle Beckerman continued to flex his scoring muscle, as his free kick service on Borchers' header upped his career-best assist total to nine on the season, good for fifth place across MLS in 2011. In addition, the deft chip allowed him to tie David Beckerman for the MLS-lead in game-winning assists with six – that is, until the Galaxy midfielder notched his seventh on Mike Magee's opening goal in LA's 3-0 win over Whitecaps FC at The Home Depot Center.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I believe that this team can win in multiple ways. I think it sends a message to the rest of the league that if a brawl is going to break out and it's going to be a wrestling match, well, we can win that way too."
- Kreis: "It seems like this time of year is Andy Williams' time. The amount of work that he's putting in right now is incredible and he obviously deserves to keep playing when he does that."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "It was kind of funny. It was almost like Kyle and I drew it up like a play in basketball. I just made sure I curled my run, he hit the perfect ball, and Jimmy Nielson's in no-man's land. It's a pretty easy goal. Usually Javier has taken those in the past and has been fantastic, and now with Kyle, he's putting in excellent balls, so those are easy to finish. We work on them in training every now and again, which helps."



NY 1 : 3 RSL

NEW YORK RED BULLS (7-7-15) V. REAL SALT LAKE (15-7-6)

RSL Game #36 – MLS Regular Season Game #28

Wednesday, September 21, 2011 – Red Bull Arena – Harrison, NJ



NEW YORK RED BULLS

Lindpere 7 (Marquez 4)

1 : 3

69' 7'

11'

21'

NY

Frank Rost – GK
Jan Gunnar Solli – D
Rafael Marquez – D
Tim Ream – D
Chris Albright – D
Dane Richards – M
Dax McCarty – M
Teemu Tainio – M
Joel Lindpere – F
Luke Rodgers – F
Thierry Henry – F

LINEUPS

15'

86'

54'

REAL SALT LAKE

Saborio 9 (Williams 1)
Espindola 8 (unassisted)
Espindola 9 (Warner 5)

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
D – Robbie Russell
D – Nat Borchers
D – Jamison Olave
D – Chris Schuler
M – Yordany Alvarez
M – Andy Williams
M – Will Johnson
M – Collen Warner
F – Álvaro Saborío
F – Fabián Espindola

SUBS

Carlos Mendes 15' 68'
Juan Agudelo 54' 77'
Brian Nielsen 86' 83'

Arturo Alvarez
Luis Gil
Jean Alexandre

CAUTIONS

Like Rodgers 47+

NY

STATS

Shots 12 6
Shots on Goal 4 4
Saves 1 3
Corner Kicks 10 3
Fouls 10 12
Offsides 3 2

RSL

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Jorge Gonzalez
Assistant Referees.....Greg Barkey, Claudio Badea
4th Official.....Andrew Chapin
Attendance.....15,266
Weather.....Rain, 68 degrees
Time of Game.....1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – NY 1 : 3 RSL

- Real Salt Lake became the first team in MLS to win five consecutive contests during the 2011 season. RSL now has winning streaks of four (to open the campaign in March/April) and five games. The win also gave RSL three straight road victories for only the second time in club history, joining a run from July/August 2006.
- After Alvaro Saborio gained some breathing room for the team's scoring lead with his opening tally, Fabian Espindola re-closed the gap with a pair of tallies in a 10-minute span shortly thereafter, both strikers now sitting on nine goals in MLS play.
- Tonight marked the Real Salt Lake debut of MF Yordany Alvarez, the reigning USL PRO Most Valuable Player making his first appearance in Claret-and-Cobalt as a member of the starting XI in place of suspended captain Kyle Beckerman.
- Tonight's first-half goalfest marked the third time Real Salt Lake had bagged three goals in the opening stanza, joining similar offensive outbursts on July 23, 2005 vs. FC Dallas (3-0 W) and this season's MLS home opener against the Galaxy on March 26 (4-1 W). The 21st minute marks the fastest point in which Real Salt Lake has reached three goals in a contest (previous record of 30th minute reached in the afore-mentioned 2005 match vs. FC Dallas).
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I think that we have demonstrated clearly over two years what we are capable of winning some games and going on runs. I believe that we should be considered as contenders for the championship and that is how we think about ourselves."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "We are a team that is kind of clicking right now. I don't think we are playing our best but we are playing good and we are playing good at the right time. We knew it was going to be a tough game. With New York you don't know what to expect because sometimes they can be really good and sometimes they don't click. Lucky enough we dropped on them early and never looked back."





DC 4 : 1 RSL



D.C. UNITED (9-8-11) V. REAL SALT LAKE (15-8-6)

RSL Game #37 – MLS Regular Season Game #29

Saturday, September 24, 2011 – RFK Stadium – Washington, DC

D.C. UNITED	4	:	1	REAL SALT LAKE
Najar 4 (De Rosario 11)	13'		86'	Saborio 10 (Paulo Jr. 4)
De Rosario 11 (Najar 6)	22'			
De Rosario 12 (Wolff 6)	27'			
De Rosario 13 (unassisted)	31'			

DC

Bill Hamid – GK
 Perry Kitchen – D
 Ethan White – D
 Brandon McDonald – D
 Marc Burch – D
 Andy Najar – M
 Stephen King – M
 Clyde Simms – M
 Austin Da Luz – F
 Josh Wolff – F
 Dwayne De Rosario – F

LINEUPS

62'
 81'
 62'
 74'
 65'

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
 D – Blake Wagner
 D – Nat Borchers
 D – Rauwshan McKenzie
 D – Chris Wingert
 M – Kyle Beckerman
 M – Ned Grabavoy
 M – Arturo Alvarez
 M – Collen Warner
 F – Paulo Jr
 F – Jean Alexandre

SUBS

Joseph Ngwenya
 Blake Brettschneider
 Brandon Barklage

65' 62'
 74' 62'
 81' 75'

Will Johnson
 Luis Gil
 Álvaro Saborío

CAUTIONS

59'

Collen Warner

DC

STATS

Shots 16 18
 Shots on Goal 7 5
 Saves 4 3
 Corner Kicks 3 2
 Fouls 14 9
 Offsides 5 0

GAME DATA

Referee.....Edvin Jurisevic
 Assistant Referees.....Chris Strickland, Adam Garner
 4th Official.....Andrew Chapin
 Attendance.....16,367
 Weather.....Partly cloudy, 73 degrees
 Time of Game.....1:49

NOTES & QUOTES – DC 4 : 1 RSL

- Along with its overall winning streak being snapped, tonight's loss halted Real Salt Lake's bid to string together its first-ever four match winning streak on the road, pushing its 2011 away mark to 5-6-3.
- United's outburst marked the third time Real Salt Lake had allowed at least four goals in a half, and only the second time since Jason Kreis took over as coach in 2007 (4 goals in 1st half on 8/16/08 @ HOU; 6 goals in 2nd half on 8/26/06).
- By notching his 10th goal, Alvaro Saborío registered the fourth double-digit single-season goal haul, on top of his 12 in 2010 and joining Robbie Findley (12 in 2009) and Jeff Cunningham (16 in 2006). The goal allowed Saborío to climb into a tie for 5th place on the league-wide Golden Boot chart with one month to go, a chase now lead by De Rosario's 13 tallies.
- Tonight saw Javier Morales make the 18-man roster for the Claret-and-Cobalt for the first time since suffering his devastating left ankle injury back on May 7.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I'm disappointed. Obviously with the scoreline I'm very disappointed that we reacted the way we did giving up the first goal. I actually thought we started okay and looked fairly dangerous and were moving the ball pretty nicely and I really kind of had the feeling that things were going to go well. And then the first goal comes and the reactions just weren't good enough. It just never felt like it was a 4-0 half to me. I felt like they scored on every chance they had which was odd. So, I walk away thinking I've got a lot of work to do to break down that video and see where the faults lie."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "I would argue that this is the same team that beat Cruz Azul last year at home and this is basically the same group that did that with a few changes. We expect a lot from our guys who come in off the bench, so we definitely need to work on a few things to get better."



RSL 0 : 3 CHI

REAL SALT LAKE (15-9-6) V. CHICAGO FIRE (7-8-15)

RSL Game #38 – MLS Regular Season Game #30

Wednesday, September 28, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE		0	:	3	CHICAGO FIRE
				9'	Pappa 6 (Paladini 1, Nyarko 8)
				36'	Pappa 7 (Pardo 4)
				75'	Pappa 8 (unassisted)
RSL		LINEUPS		CHI	
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Sean Johnson	
Robbie Russell – D	45'		78'	D – Dan Gargan	
Jamison Olave – D			70'	D – Josip Mikulic	
Nat Borchers – D				D – Cory Gibbs	
Chris Wingert – D	60'			D – Gonzalo Segares	
Andy Williams – M				M – Marco Pappa	
Kyle Beckerman – M				M – Daniel Paladini	
Luis Gil – M	15'			M – Pavel Pardo	
Will Johnson – M				M – Logan Pause	
Álvaro Saborío – F		81'		F – Patrick Nyarko	
Fabián Espíndola – F				F – Dominic Odoro	
		SUBS			
Yordany Alvarez	15'		70'	Jalil Anibaba	
Chris Schuler	45'		78'	Michael Videira	
Javier Morales	60'		81'	Corben Bone	
		CAUTIONS			
Fabián Espíndola	16'		16'	Dan Gargan	
Yordany Alvarez	56'				
		EJECTIONS			
Kyle Beckerman	11'				
RSL		STATS		CHI	
Shots	10		11	Shots	
Shots on Goal	2		7	Shots on Goal	
Saves	4		2	Saves	
Corner Kicks	2		1	Corner Kicks	
Fouls	14		12	Fouls	
Offsides	4		3	Offsides	
GAME DATA					
Referee.....	Baldomero Toledo				
Assistant Referees.....	Fabio Tovar, Ian Anderson				
4th Official.....	Juan Guzman				
Attendance.....	20,762				
Weather.....	Clear, 80 degrees				
Time of Game.....	1:50				

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 0 : 3 CHI

- Tonight's massive midweek crowd at Rio Tinto Stadium surpassed the squad's previous record at its Sandy home, the old mark of 20,507 being set during this year's MLS regular season opener against the Los Angeles Galaxy on March 26 (4-1 W).
- Beckerman's red card for head-butting the Fire's Daniel Paladini – the 6th shown to an RSL player in 2011 – was the first issued to the RSL captain in his 121st appearance in Claret-and-Cobalt, and just the second of his now 269-game MLS career.
- The hour mark saw the emotional return of playmaker Javier Morales, who was welcomed back to the field for the first time since May 7 with a thunderous standing ovation from the record crowd.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I'm really, really aggravated, I think is the best word. For me, a complete lack of discipline to give away a goal on a throw-in, which you have heard me harp on again and again, you've heard me say it too many times. To give away a goal that softly is a complete lack of discipline by every player that is in that area of the field, but it happened. Then Kyle (Beckerman's) ejection, a complete lack of discipline. Then every dangerous chance that was created against us was a complete lack of discipline."
- RSL MF Will Johnson: "Javier's a big part of this team and he has been for a while; he's a leader on this team and it will be fun to see him get back and get sharp. Obviously these are preseason games for him. He needs three to four weeks, which we have left, to get back to being Javi. I thought he looked great, he looked just like the old Javi, so that's probably the only positive thing you can take from tonight."





LA 2 : 1 RSL

LOS ANGELES GALAXY (18-3-10) V. REAL SALT LAKE (15-10-6)

RSL Game #39 – MLS Regular Season Game #31

Saturday, October 1, 2011 – The Home Depot Center – Carson, CA



LOS ANGELES GALAXY

Barrett 6 (Beckham 15)

Borchers (own goal)

LA

Josh Saunders – GK

Bryan Jordan – D

Omar Gonzalez – D

A.J. DeLaGarza – D

Todd Dunivant – D

Paolo Cardozo – M

David Beckham – M

Juninho – M

Landon Donovan – F

Chad Barrett – F

Robbie Keane – F

2 : 1

59' 45'

72'

LINEUPS

REAL SALT LAKE

Espíndola 10 (Morales 3)

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando

D – Chris Wingert

D – Nat Borchers

D – Jamison Olave

D – Chris Schuler

M – Yordany Alvarez

M – Ned Grabavoy

M – Will Johnson

M – Javier Morales

F – Álvaro Saborío

F – Fabián Espíndola

SUBS

Adam Cristman 73'

Michael Stephens 89'

Jovan Kirovski 91+'

CAUTIONS

Omar Gonzalez 40'

Paolo Cardozo 43'

38' 49' 48' 57'

Paulo Jr.

Andy Williams

Collen Warner

Fabián Espíndola

Ned Grabavoy

Javier Morales

Yordany Alvarez

LA

STATS

Shots 12

Shots on Goal 5

Saves 3

Corner Kicks 2

Fouls 16

Offsides 2

GAME DATA

Referee.....Kevin Stott

Assistant Referees.....Adam Wienckowski, Brian Poeschel

4th Official.....Ramon Hernandez

Attendance.....27,000

Weather.....Clear, 64 degrees

Time of Game.....1:55

NOTES & QUOTES – LA 2 : 1 RSL

- Real Salt Lake dropped a third consecutive match for the first time since July, 2007. On two previous occasions this season, RSL snapped back-to-back losses with the August 6 win vs. New York and again on Sept. 3 vs. Philadelphia.
- Things will only get tougher as four players – FW Alvaro Saborio (Costa Rica), MF Will Johnson (Canada), M/F Jean Al-exandre (Haiti) and Captain Kyle Beckerman (United States) – will miss the next contest at Vancouver (international duty). Beckerman also sat out of tonight's contest due to red card suspension.
- In his return to the starting XI, Javier Morales' corner kick service on Fabian Espindola's team-high-tying 10th goal marked the playmaker's first assist since March 26, also coming against the Galaxy (4-1 W).
- RSL travels later this week to face Western expansion foe Vancouver Whitecaps FC on Thursday, October 6, at 7:30 p.m. MT, in the second game from newly-renovated BC Place. The trip to Vancouver will be RSL's second this year, with the July 16 match postponed two hours prior to kickoff due to a field rendered unplayable, as the temporary grass pitch – installed for an international friendly against Manchester City – was flooded due to rain.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I wanted improvement, I wanted a collective team effort and I wanted a team that showed a little bit more discipline, more difficult to break down than we have been in the last two games and we got all that. We didn't get the result that I had hoped for but we got a lot of hard work from the guys and we got a lot of sense of improvement."
- RSL DF Nat Borchers: "We are disappointed obviously. We wanted come here and get a shutout and at least come away with a point. I thought in the first half we did pretty well we controlled the ball and capitalized on the one chance we had. In the second half two lapses in concentration cost us the game."



VAN 3 : 0 RSL

VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC (5-16-10) V. REAL SALT LAKE (15-11-6)

RSL Game #40 – MLS Regular Season Game #32

Thursday, October 6, 2011 – BC Place – Vancouver, British Columbia



VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC 3 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE

Camilo 10 (penalty kick) 44'

Camilo 11 (penalty kick) 53'

Khalfan 1 (Salgado 1, Cannon 1) 88'

VAN

Joe Cannon – GK

Jeb Brovsky – D

Jay DeMerit – D

Carlyle Mitchell – D

Alain Rochat – D

Nizar Khalfan – M

Gershon Koffie – M

John Thorrrington – M

Jordan Harvey – M

Long Tan – F

Camilo – F

LINEUPS

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando

D – Chris Wingert

D – Nat Borchers

D – Jamison Olave

D – Chris Schuler

M – Collen Warner

M – Ned Grabavoy

M – Andy Williams

M – Javier Morales

F – Paulo Jr.

F – Luis Gil

SUBS

Peter Vagenas 69' 45'

Omar Salgado 73' 59'

Shea Salinas 84' 80'

Cody Arnoux

Robbie Russell

Chris Agorsor

CAUTIONS

Jeb Brovsky 34' 42'

51'

64'

Jamison Olave

Ned Grabavoy

Javier Morales'

EJECTIONS

43'

Collen Warner

VAN

STATS

Shots

15 6

Shots on Goal 5 2

Saves 2 2

Corner Kicks 6 2

Fouls 12 16

Offsides 1 2

GAME DATA

Referee.....Chris Penso

Assistant Referees.....Frank Anderson, Jeff Hosking

4th Official.....Paul Ward

Attendance.....20,113

Weather.....Overcast, 55 degrees

Time of Game.....1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – VAN 3 : 0 RSL

- The trip to Vancouver was RSL's second this year, with the July 16 match at Empire Field postponed two hours prior to kickoff due to a field rendered unplayable, as the temporary grass pitch – installed for a friendly against Manchester City – was flooded due to rain. The match marked the second contest in Vancouver's new home of BC Place.
- Tonight's defeat sent Real Salt Lake to its first four-game losing streak in more than four years, the last occasion coming all the way back during the beginning of the "Jason Kreis Era" in July of 2007.
- The red card issued to MF Collen Warner was the seventh shown to a Real Salt Lake player this season, and the fourth in its last nine contests, dating back to DF Nat Borchers' dismissal at Chivas USA on Aug. 27. The 43rd minute ejection was the fifth consecutive issued to an RSL player during the first half. Eight of the 35 goals allowed by the Claret-and-Cobalt this season have come in the 292 minutes the Utah side has played while a man down.
- 21-year-old Chris Agorsor made his MLS debut with an energetic 11-minute stint off the bench, while former Whitecaps product Cody Arnoux logged 45 minutes in place of Paulo Jr. for his second league appearance with RSL.
- RSL Assistant Coach Jeff Cassar: "Well, we put ourselves behind the eight ball early with two PK calls and we didn't react extremely well from that. The effort just quite wasn't up to par. You could tell Vancouver came out with a little bit of edge and once that PK happened with the ejection, we were really forced into a situation that we didn't want to be in."





COL 0 : 0 RSL



COLORADO RAPIDS FC (11-9-13) V. REAL SALT LAKE (15-11-7)

RSL Game #41 – MLS Regular Season Game #33

Friday, October 14, 2011 – Dick's Sporting Goods Park – Commerce City, CO

COLORADO RAPIDS 0 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE

COL LINEUPS RSL

Matt Pickens – GK			GK – Nick Rimando
Kosuke Kimura – D			D – Robbie Russell
Marvell Wynne – D			D – Nat Borchers
Tyrone Marshall – D			D – Jamison Olave
Drew Moor – D			D – Chris Wingert
Brian Mullan – M			M – Yordany Alvarez
Jeff Larentowicz – M			M – Andy Williams
Pablo Mastroeni – M	76'	89'	M – Luis Gil
Wells Thompson – M	82'		M – Javier Morales
Omar Cummings – F	68'		F – Fabián Espíndola
Sanna Nyassi – F			F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS

Caleb Folan	68'	89'	Jean Alexandre
Jamie Smith	76'		
Macoumba Kandji	82'		

CAUTIONS

Drew Moor	58'	38'	Yordany Alvarez
		44'	Chris Wingert
		55'	Fabián Espíndola
		72'	Jamison Olave

COL STATS RSL

Shots	12	4	Shots
Shots on Goal	6	1	Shots on Goal
Saves	1	6	Saves
Corner Kicks	5	1	Corner Kicks
Fouls	13	24	Fouls
Offsides	2	3	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Ricardo Salazar
Assistant Referees.....	Craig Lowry, Peter Manikowski
4th Official.....	Juan Guzman
Attendance.....	16,272
Weather.....	Partly cloudy, 57 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:51

NOTES & QUOTES – COL 0 : 0 RSL

- Tonight's draw, coupled with Real Salt Lake's 1-0 win in Sandy back on April 13, allowed the Claret-and-Cobalt to win the Rocky Mountain Cup rivalry series outright for the first time since the Utah side claimed its inaugural series win back in 2007, which it also clinched at Dick's Sporting Goods Park. RSL had retained the trophy as the defending trophy holder after series draws in each of the last three seasons.
- With the shutout, Real Salt Lake broke a five-game streak without a clean sheet, the last occasion coming back on Sept. 17 in a 1-0 victory over Sporting Kansas City at Rio Tinto Stadium. GK Nick Rimando's 13th clean sheet of season – and 87th of his career – broke the tie he had with FC Dallas netminder Kevin Hartman for the MLS lead in the category, while the 14th shutout for the Claret-and-Cobalt drew them even with the LA Galaxy for the most shutouts for an MLS side this season.
- The Utah side's four shots were tied for the second-lowest output in team annals [Aug. 26, 2006 @ NY (0-6 L); June 14, 2008 @ CHV (1-0 W)]. The only match in which RSL logged fewer shots came back on June 20, 2009 at Houston, when the Claret-and-Cobalt registered just two shots in a 1-1 draw.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "We've got so many things going wrong I think it's important to try to focus on one thing and build from that. For me that was this week, competing as a team, showing some pride and getting back to all the defensive details that we built this team upon. So tonight to see them walk out of here with a nil-nil draw, a shutout, that means something to us and we'll look to build on it in the next week."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "The intention was to get a shutout and get a point and I think we did a pretty good job at that. At the end they threw everything at us and some big boys up top got some chances, but we battled and we fought and kept the shutout, which is good."



RSL 1 : 1 POR

REAL SALT LAKE (15-11-8) V. PORTLAND TIMBERS (11-14-9)

RSL Game #42 – MLS Regular Season Game #34

Saturday, October 22, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	1	:	1	PORTLAND TIMBERS
Saborio 11 (Espindola 3)	45'		91+'	Danso 3 (Umony 1)
RSL	LINEUPS			POR
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Troy Perkins
Robbie Russell – D			72'	D – Lovel Palmer
Jamison Olave – D				D – Eric Brunner
Nat Borchers – D				D – Futty Danso
Chris Wingert – D				D – Rodney Wallace
Yordany Alvarez – M				M – Eric Alexander
Andy Williams – M	84'			M – Jack Jewsbury
Will Johnson – M				M – James Marcelin
Javier Morales – M				M – Diego Chara
Álvaro Saborio – F			66'	F – Kenny Cooper
Fabián Espíndola – F			80'	F – Kalif Alhassan

SUBS

Arturo Alvarez	84'	66'	Bright Dike
		72'	David Horst
		80'	Brian Umony

CAUTIONS

Chris Wingert	27'	38'	Rodney Wallace
Yordany Alvarez	33'	81'	Bright Dike
Álvaro Saborio	86'		

RSL

STATS

POR

Shots	15	15	Shots
Shots on Goal	1	3	Shots on Goal
Saves	2	0	Saves
Corner Kicks	1	5	Corner Kicks
Fouls	13	15	Fouls
Offsides	1	3	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Silviu Petrescu
Assistant Referees.....	Chris Strickland, Hector Vergara
4th Official.....	Allen Chapman
Attendance.....	20,378
Weather.....	Clear, 64 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:50

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 1 : 1 POR

- Despite having six attempts to eclipse its single-season record of 15 wins, Real Salt Lake will have to settle for equaling last year's record-setting victory count.
- A win would have locked up the West's #3-seed in MLS Cup Playoffs without needing outside help, but Futty Danso's stoppage time equalizer meant RSL had to sweat out the late Dallas-San Jose result. The Earthquakes' 4-2 win allowed RSL to rest easy – and for three more days – by avoiding the Wild Card round.
- FW Álvaro Saborio claimed Real Salt Lake's Golden Boot crown as the squad's scoring leading for a second straight year, his 11th goal of the regular season beating out the man who played helper on the tally, FW Fabian Espindola, by one goal.
- Tonight's crowd of 20,378 marked the third consecutive sellout at Rio Tinto Stadium and the seventh full house for RSL during the 2011 campaign (six in MLS play, one in CONCACAF Champions League).
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I think the whole team was really ready to go tonight. We wanted a really bright start, we wanted to get after them right from the get-go, and I think we did. Having said that, I looked up at the clock after the first 15-20 minutes and thought 'I wish we had a goal for all this hard work that we've done.' Sometimes you need to reward yourself to feel that all the work you put into it was worth it, and if we had had one at that time I think things would have gotten a bit easier for us."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "We put in 90-plus minutes with great work and we turned off on one play and it cost us. We need to be mature enough to win this game and we should have won this game. The playoffs are right around the corner, and if this happens in the playoffs it will cost us."





RSL 3 : 0 SEA

REAL SALT LAKE V. SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC

RSL Game #43 – MLS Cup Playoffs – Western Conference Semifinals, Leg #1
Saturday, October 29, 2011 – Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, UT



REAL SALT LAKE	3	:	0	SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC
Saborío 1 (Wingert 1, Morales 1)	41'			
Saborío 2 (Morales 2)	53'			
Grabavoy 1 (unassisted)	88'			
RSL	LINEUPS			SEA
Nick Rimando – GK				GK – Kasey Keller
Robbie Russell – D				D – James Riley
Jamison Olave – D	32'			D – Jeff Parke
Nat Borchers – D	84'			D – Jhon Kennedy Hurtado
Chris Wingert – D				D – Leo Gonzalez
Kyle Beckerman – M		60'		M – Lamar Neagle
Andy Williams – M				M – Osvaldo Alonso
Will Johnson – M				M – Brad Evans
Javier Morales – M	79'	77'		M – Alvaro Fernandez
Álvaro Saborío – F		63'		F – Sammy Ochoa
Fabián Espíndola – F				F – Fredy Montero

SUBS			
Chris Schuler	32'	60'	Erik Friberg
Ned Grabavoy	79'	63'	Mike Fucito
Luis Gil	84'	77'	Roger Levesque

CAUTIONS			
Fabián Espíndola	30'	54'	Osvaldo Alonso
		90'	Fredy Montero
		93+'	Erik Friberg

RSL	STATS		SEA
Shots	19	12	Shots
Shots on Goal	11	0	Shots on Goal
Saves	0	8	Saves
Corner Kicks	5	7	Corner Kicks
Fouls	11	11	Fouls
Offsides	4	0	Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....	Mark Geiger
Assistant Referees.....	Joe Fletcher, Steven Taylor
4th Official.....	Silviu Petrescu
Attendance.....	17,067
Weather.....	Clear, 50 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:54

NOTES & QUOTES – RSL 3 : 0 SEA

- Alvaro Saborio's brace was the first in postseason play for an RSL member in its now 11-match playoff ledger.
- Not to be outdone, MF Javier Morales became the first RSL player to notch a pair of assists in MLS Cup Playoff game, the helpers on both of Saborio's tallies marking his fourth and fifth career playoff assists.
- The three-goal effort for Real Salt Lake tonight tied its largest offensive output in postseason history (Nov. 5, 2009 @ CLB).
- The clean sheet by Nick Rimando was his ninth in 22 postseason contests.
- With their substitute appearances, DF Chris Schuler and MF Luis Gil made their MLS postseason debuts. However, the duo's entrance was forced, as the centerback tandem of Jamison Olave and Nat Borchers both left the contest due to injury.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "I thought our spirit was really, really high. And I'll tell you what, that's a credit to the crowd. That was the first time in a long time that I can remember at the beginning of the match looking around and saying, 'the stands are almost full' ... it was a very, very loud start."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "Seattle is a tough place to play. You can't be too comfortable with any score. They're still a great team and they'll be better at home, so we have to make sure we do everything right with our bodies, and I'm sure coach will have a game plan for us. 3-0 is a good lead, but I just think we need to continue to play well."
- RSL MF Ned Grabavoy: "It's such a weird thing, you go into the playoffs and, obviously, we hadn't been doing our best stuff, but we kept telling ourselves if we keep playing and working through it that the soccer's going to show through. It doesn't necessarily surprise me. This is a very veteran group and I thought it would turn around."



SEA 2 : 0 RSL

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC V. REAL SALT LAKE

RSL Game #44 – MLS Cup Playoffs – Western Conference Semifinals, Leg #2

Wednesday, November 2, 2011 – CenturyLink Field – Seattle, WA

(RSL wins series 3-2 on aggregate)

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC 2 : 0 REAL SALT LAKE

Alonso 1 (penalty kick) 56'
Neagle 1 (Montero 1, Alonso 1) 61'

SEA

Kasey Keller – GK
Zach Scott – D
Jeff Parke – D
Jhon Kennedy Hurtado – D
Leo Gonzalez – D
Brad Evans – M 21'
Osvaldo Alonso – M 57'
Erik Friberg – M
Alvaro Fernandez – M 14' 89'
Mike Fucito – F 76'
Fredy Montero – F 76'

LINEUPS

RSL

GK – Nick Rimando
D – Robbie Russell
D – Chris Wingert
D – Chris Schuler
D – Tony Beltran
M – Kyle Beckerman
M – Andy Williams
M – Will Johnson
M – Javier Morales
F – Fabián Espíndola
F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS

Lamar Neagle 14' 57'
Roger Levesque 21' 76'
Sammy Ochoa 76' 89'

Ned Grabavoy
Yordany Alvarez
Luis Gil

CAUTIONS

Roger Levesque 62' 55'
Leo Gonzalez 92+ 56'

Tony Beltran
Nick Rimando

SEA

STATS

RSL

Shots 26 4
Shots on Goal 9 1
Saves 1 6
Corner Kicks 10 2
Fouls 17 16
Offsides 0 3

Shots
Shots on Goal
Saves
Corner Kicks
Fouls
Offsides

GAME DATA

Referee.....Jair Marrufo
Assistant Referees.....Corey Rockwell, C.J. Morgante
4th Official.....Jasen Anno
Attendance.....36,021
Weather.....Rain, 49 degrees
Time of Game.....1:58

NOTES & QUOTES – SEA 2 : 0 RSL

- By advancing, Real Salt Lake has put itself in a MLS Conference Final for the third time in the last four seasons, going along with its Western Conference Championship berth in 2008 (0-1 L v. NY) and the 2009 Eastern Conference Championship (0-0 T @ CHI, 5-4 W in PKs).
- With Jamison Olave and Nat Borchers out with quad strains, Head Coach Jason Kreis paired Chris Schuler and normal winger Chris Wingert into the middle of the four-man backline.
- However, it was the return of DF Tony Beltran, whose last appearance also came CenturyLink Field on Sept. 10 (adductor strain), that proved vital, as his leaping header to knock away a sure goal by Jeff Parke was quite possibly the defensive play of the season.
- MF Yordany Alvarez made his RSL postseason debut on the evening, playing the final 14 minutes as a defensive replacement for FW Álvaro Saborío.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "Four days ago we're just completely dominant and tonight we're back on our heels and being dominated. In the span of four days, sometimes that can be difficult to figure out but our guys battled through and believed in each other and kept at it and kept their nose down through some very, very difficult play, difficult decisions by the referee and a difficult atmosphere. But we move on and we'll look for a better performance in the next round."
- RSL GK Nick Rimando: "Yeah, it was tough. It felt like we were down the whole game. But we battled. It was one of those games where we had to battle and stick in there to the end through a lot of adversity. Take that any way you guys want to take it but I think we stuck in there and we advanced."



LA 3 : 1 RSL



LOS ANGELES GALAXY V. REAL SALT LAKE
RSL Game #45 – MLS Cup Playoff – Western Conference Championship
Sunday, November 6, 2011 – The Home Depot Center – Carson, CA
(LA advances to MLS Cup 2011)

LOS ANGELES GALAXY	3	:	1	REAL SALT LAKE
Donovan 2 (penalty kick)	23'		25'	Saborio 3 (Olave 1, Morales 3)
Magee 3 (Beckham 3)	58'			
Keane 1 (Donovan 1)	68'			

LA	LINEUPS	RSL
Josh Saunders – GK		GK – Nick Rimando
Sean Franklin – D	70'	D – Robbie Russell
Omar Gonzalez – D	82'	D – Jamison Olave
A.J. DeLaGarza – D		D – Chris Schuler
Todd Dunivant – D		D – Chris Wingert
Landon Donovan – M		M – Kyle Beckerman
David Beckham – M	89'	M – Andy Williams
Juninho – M		M – Will Johnson
Mike Magee – M		M – Javier Morales
Chad Barrett – F	63'	F – Fabián Espíndola
Robbie Keane – F		F – Álvaro Saborío

SUBS		
Chris Birchall	63'	Ned Grabavoy
Michael Stephens	89'	Luis Gil
		Tony Beltran

CAUTIONS		
Juninho	56'	Javier Morales
Sean Franklin	93+'	

LA	STATS	RSL
Shots	14	10
Shots on Goal	4	4
Saves	3	1
Corner Kicks	3	5
Fouls	16	15
Offsides	2	2

GAME DATA	
Referee.....	Jorge Gonzalez
Assistant Referees.....	Greg Barkey, Jeff Hosking
4th Official.....	Andrew Chapin
Attendance.....	23,437
Weather.....	Partly cloudy, 57 degrees
Time of Game.....	1:53

NOTES & QUOTES – LA 3 : 1 RSL

- The 25th minute goal by Álvaro Saborio kept him in a share of the 2011 MLS Cup Playoffs scoring lead, the Costa Rican striker staying even with the Galaxy's Mike Magee on top of the postseason scoring chart with three tallies.
- The corner kick service on the tally by MF Javier Morales marked his third assist of the 2011 postseason, putting him atop the category across MLS Cup Playoff participants alongside the Galaxy's David Beckham.
- FW Fabian Espindola nearly pulled off Saborio's first-half feat of providing an immediate equalizer following Magee's 58th minute goal, but his dipping effort – RSL's only shot in the first 33 minutes of the half – hit off the crossbar.
- Just eight days after suffering a quadriceps strain, DF Jamison Olave turned in a gritty 82-minute performance in central defense alongside Chris Schuler, who put in another 90 minutes just four days after helping RSL grind through the second leg of the Conference Semifinals in Seattle.
- RSL Head Coach Jason Kreis: "Tonight's game for me was a microcosm of the season. We had our disappointments; we had some moments of brilliance; we had some moments of averageness. So we are up, down, middle, but one thing that never changes is that our guys fought and fought and fought. Even when they are down two goals, they are fighting. There is no quit in our guys and I'm extremely proud of what they did in this game and more proud of what they did in the season."
- RSL MF Kyle Beckerman: "I think it was a game of storms. We put a little pressure on them, they put a little pressure on us, then we put a little pressure on them it seemed to go back and forth and back and forth and we are both creating some chances, but like I said they finished more than we did."







ALL-TIME TEAM HISTORY

ALL-TIME REGULAR SEASON RECORD v. OPPONENT

-----OVERALL-----										-----HOME GAMES-----										-----ROAD GAMES-----										-----FORM GUIDE-----									
v. Team	GP	W-L-T	GF	GA	+/-	GP	W-L-T	GF	GA	+/-	GP	W-L-T	GF	GA	+/-	11	10	09	08	07	06	05																	
COL	22	7-8-7	22	22	=	11	5-3-3	12	8	-4	11	2-5-4	10	14	-4	TW	TT	WTL	TWL	WWTL	LWLT	LLWL	LLWL																
CHV	20	7-9-4	22	29	-7	9	4-2-3	15	9	+6	11	3-7-1	7	20	-13	WW	TW	WL	LWL	LLL	TTTL	WLWL	WLWL																
DAL	20	7-11-2	26	30	-4	11	7-3-1	21	12	+9	9	0-8-1	5	18	-13	WT	WL	LW	WLW	LLT	LWLL	LWLL	TLWL																
LA	19	7-7-5	31	28	+3	9	4-1-4	17	12	+5	10	3-6-1	14	16	-2	LW	WL	WT	TT	TWL	WLWL	TLWL																	
HOU	16	3-8-5	22	25	-3	8	3-1-4	8	4	+4	8	0-7-1	14	21	-7	LT	WL	LTT	LT	LLW	TWLL																		
NE	14	6-4-4	28	18	+10	7	3-2-2	17	7	+10	7	3-2-2	11	11	=	TW	WW	LW	TW	LT	WT	LL																	
KC	14	5-6-3	19	20	-1	7	4-2-1	12	9	+3	7	1-4-2	7	11	-4	WL	TW	WL	LT	WL	TW	LL																	
CLB	14	4-9-1	13	20	-7	7	3-3-1	9	6	+3	7	1-6-0	4	14	-10	LL	WL	LW	LW	LT	WL	LL																	
NY	14	4-3-7	19	20	-1	7	3-0-4	13	7	+6	7	1-3-3	6	13	-7	WW	TW	WL	TL	TT	LT	TT																	
DC	14	5-5-4	20	23	-3	7	5-1-1	15	7	+8	7	0-4-3	5	16	-11	LT	WT	TW	LW	LW	TW	LL																	
CHI	14	3-6-5	9	17	-8	7	2-3-2	6	11	-5	7	1-3-3	3	6	-3	LT	WW	TL	TT	LT	LW	LL																	
SJ	13	5-3-5	20	14	+6	7	2-1-4	10	5	+5	6	3-2-1	10	9	+1	WW	TW	TL	WTW			TLTL																	
TOR	10	4-4-2	11	8	+3	5	4-1-0	11	5	+6	5	0-3-2	0	3	-3	LW	TW	LW		TL																			
SEA	6	2-2-2	6	7	-1	3	1-1-1	4	4	=	3	1-1-1	2	3	-1	WL	TT	WL																					
PHI	4	2-0-2	7	3	+4	2	2-0-0	5	1	+4	2	0-0-2	2	2	=	WT	TW																						
VAN	2	1-1-0	2	3	-1	1	1-0-0	2	0	+2	1	0-1-0	0	3	-1	LW																							
POR	2	0-1-1	1	2	-1	1	0-0-1	1	1	=	1	0-1-0	0	1	-1	TL																							
TOTALS	218	72-87-59	278	289	-11	109	53-24-32	178	108	+70	109	19-63-27	100	181	-81																								

REAL SALT LAKE – MLS CUP PLAYOFF HISTORY

v. Team	No. of Series	Series		Last		GF	GA	Mtg. Round	Series Result
		W-L	GP	W-L-T	OT	ShO			
Chivas USA	1	1-0	2	1-0-1		3	2	2008 West Semis	Won 3-2 on aggregate
NY Red Bulls	1	0-1	1	0-1-0		0	1	2008 West Final	Lost 0-1 in West Final
CLB Crew	1	1-0	2	2-0-0		4	2	2009 East Semis	Won 4-2 on aggregate
Chicago Fire	1	1-0	1	0-0-1	1-0-0	0	0	2009 East Final	Won PK shootout in East Final
LA Galaxy	1	1-0	1	0-0-1	1-0-0	1	1	2009 MLS Cup '09	Won PK shootout in MLS Cup '09
FC Dallas	1	0-1	2	0-1-1		2	3	2010 West Semis	Lost 2-3 on aggregate
SEA Sounders	1	1-0	1	1-1-0		3	2	2011 West Semis	Won 3-2 on aggregate
LA Galaxy	1	0-1	1	0-1-0		1	3	2011 West Final	Lost 1-3 in West Final
TOTALS	8	5-3	12	4-4-4	2-0-0	2-0	14	14	

REAL SALT LAKE – CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE HISTORY

v. Team	No. of Series	Series		GP	W-L-T	OT	ShO	Last GF	GA	Mtg. Stage	Series Result
		W-L	W-L								
Arabe Unido (PAN)	-	---	2	2-0-0				5	3	2010 Group	
Cruz Azul (MEX)	-	---	2	1-1-0				7	6	2010 Group	
Toronto FC (CAN)	-	---	2	1-0-1				5	2	2010 Group	
Columbus Crew (USA)	1	1-0	2	1-0-1				4	1	2011 Quarter	RSL advance 4-1 agg.
Saprissa (CRC)	1	1-0	2	1-1-0				3	2	2011 Semi	RSL advance 3-2 agg.
Monterrey (MEX)	1	0-1	2	0-1-1				2	3	2011 FINAL	RSL loses 2-3 agg.
TOTALS	12	6-3-3						26	17		

REAL SALT LAKE – US OPEN CUP HISTORY

v. Team	GP	W-L-T	OT	ShO	GF	GA	Mtg. Round	Series Result
Minnesota Thunder (USL)	1	0-1-0	0-1-0		4	6	2005 Rd of 16	
Virginia Beach (USL)	1	1-0-0	1-0-0		2	1	2006 Rd of 16	
Kansas City Wizards	1	1-0-0			2	1	2007 Play-in	
Colorado Rapids	2	0-2-0			1	3	2007 Quarterfinal	
Columbus Crew	1	0-1-0			0	2	2008 Play-in	
Seattle Sounders FC	1	0-1-0			1	4	2009 Play-in	
San Jose Earthquakes	2	1-0-1		1-0	7	3	2010 Play-in	
D.C. United	2	0-1-0	0-1-0		1	2	2010 Play-in	
Wilmington (USL)	1	1-0-0			2	0	2011 Rd of 16	
FC Dallas	1	0-1-0			0	2	2011 Quarterfinal	
TOTALS	12	4-7-1	1-2-0	1-0	20	24		

ALL-TIME ATTENDANCE

YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

	OVERALL					HOME GAMES					ROAD GAMES					Finish	Shield	Playoff Result
	W-L-T	PTS	GF	GA		W-L-T	GF	GA		W-L-T	GF	GA						
2005	5-22-5	20	30	65		5-8-3	19	24		0-14-2	11	41		West 5	11th of 12	DNQ		
2006	10-13-9	39	45	49		6-4-6	23	19		4-9-3	22	30		West 5	9th of 12	DNQ		
2007	6-15-9	27	31	45		4-7-4	18	22		2-8-5	13	23		West 6	12th of 13	DNQ		
2008	10-10-10	40	40	39		8-1-6	24	10		2-9-4	16	29		West 3	7th of 14	Semifinals		
2009	11-12-7	40	43	35		9-1-5	34	11		2-11-2	9	24		West 5	8th of 15	Cup Champion		
2010	15-4-11	56	45	20		11-0-4	31	7		4-4-7	14	13		West 2	2nd of 16	Quarterfinals		
2011	15-11-8	53	44	36		10-3-4	29	15		5-8-4	15	21		West 3	3rd of 18			
TOT.	72-87-59	275	278	289		53-24-32	178	108		19-63-27	100	181						

COACHING HISTORY

Year	Coach	-----Regular Season-----					-----Playoffs-----						-----USOC-----					-----CCL-----					
		W	L	T	PCT	PTS	W	L	T	PCT	OT	Sho	W	L	T	PCT	OT	Sho	W	L	T	PCT	PTS
2005	John Ellinger	5	22	5	.234	20							0	1	0	.000	0-1-0						
2006	John Ellinger	10	13	9	.453	39							1	1	0	.500	1-0-0						
2007	John Ellinger	0	2	2	.250	2							1	0	0	1.000							
	TOTAL	15	37	16	.338	61							2	2	0	.500	1-1-0						
2007	Jason Kreis	6	13	7	.365	25							0	1	0	.000							
2008	Jason Kreis	10	10	10	.500	40	1	1	1	.500	0-0-0	0-0	1	1	0	.500							
2009	Jason Kreis	11	12	7	.483	40	2	0	2	.750	0-0-2	2-0	0	1	0	.000							
2010	Jason Kreis	15	4	11	.683	56	0	1	1	.250	0-0-0	0-0	0	1	1	.250		1-0	4	1	1	.750	13
2011	Jason Kreis	15	11	8	.556	53	1	2	0	.333			1	1	0	.500			2	2	2	.500	8
	TOTAL	57	50	43	.523	214	4	4	4	.500	0-0-2	2-0	2	5	1	.313	1-0		6	3	3	.625	21
	ALL-TIME	72	87	59	.466	275	4	4	4	.500	0-0-2	2-0	4	7	1	.375			6	3	3	.625	21



ALL-TIME ATTENDANCE

ALL-TIME ATTENDANCE

REGULAR SEASON

	OVERALL	----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME	LARGEST HOME CROWD
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG	RANK	
2005	5-22-5	16	288,586	18,037	16	207,985	12,999	2nd	40,589 [6/04/05, 0-2 L vs. DAL]
2006	10-13-9	16	261,855	16,366	16	246,209	15,388	5th	22,515 [10/07/06, 1-1 T vs. HOU]
2007	6-15-9	15	239,395	15,960	15	236,047	15,736	7th	24,633 [9/19/07, 2-2 T vs. LA]
2008	10-10-10	15	242,690	16,179	15	231,367	15,424	7th	26,391 [9/20/08, 0-1 L vs. CHV]
2009	11-12-7	15	245,628	16,375	15	217,799	14,520	5th	19,546 [6/06/09, 1-1 T vs. COL]
2010	15-4-11	15	256,427	17,095	15	262,410	17,494	7th	20,236 [10/16/10, 2-0 W vs. DAL]
2011	15-11-8	17	299,047	17,591	17	292,465	17,204	10th	20,762 [9/28/11, 0-3 L vs. CHI]
TOT.	72-87-59	109	1,833,628	16,822	109	1,694,282	15,544	11th	

PLAYOFFS

YEAR	OVERALL	----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME RANK	LARGEST HOME CROWD
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG		
2008	1-1-1	2	34,727	17,364	1	19,265	19,265	3d	20,008 [11/15/08, 0-1 L vs. NY]
2009	2-0-2	1	11,499	11,499	2	31,832	15,916	6th	11,499 [10/31/09, 1-0 W vs. CLB]
2010	0-1-1	1	19,324	19,324	1	11,003	11,003	4th	19,324 [11/6/10, 1-1 T vs. DAL]
2011	1-2-0	1	17,067	17,067	2	59,368	29,684		17,067 [10/29/11, 3-0 W vs. SEA]
TOT.	4- 4- 4*	5	82,617	16,523	6	121,468	20,245		

*neutral site MLS Cup 2009 at Seattle [46,011] not included

CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

	OVERALL			----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME RANK	LARGEST HOME CROWD
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT		
2010	4-1-1	3	42,668	14,223	3	14,481	4,827				
2011	2-2-2	3	52,671	17,557	3	59,665	19,888				
TOT.	6-3-3	6	95,339	15,890	6	74,146	12,358				

LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP

	OVERALL			----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME RANK	LARGEST HOME CROWD
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT		
2005	0-0-1				1						
2006	1-1-0	2	11,406	5,703							6,960 [7/11/06, 2-1 W vs. VB]
2007	1-0-1	1*	8,147	8,147	1	1,572	1,572				8,147 [4/18/07, 2-1 W vs. KC]
2008	1-1-0	1	10,761	10,761	1	4,816	4,816				10,761 [4/30/08, 4-0 W vs. SJ]
2009	0-1-0				1	3,890	3,890				
2010	0-1-1				2	5,792	2,896				
2011	1-1-0	1	7,620	7,620	1	3,189	3,189				7,620 [6/28/09, 2-0 W vs. WIL]
TOT.	4-5-3	5	37,934	7,587	7	19,259	2,751				

EXHIBITION

	OVERALL			----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME RANK	LARGEST HOME CROWD
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT		
2005	2-0-1	3	24,391	8,130							
2006	0-2-0	2	56,226	28,113							
2007	3-0-1	3*	47,865	11,966							
2008	1-2-0	3	34,863	11,621							
2009	1-0-1	2	33,858	16,929							
TOT.	7-4-3	13*	197,203	15,169							

ALL-TIME RSL ATTENDANCE BY COMPETITION

	OVERALL			----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME RANK	LARGEST HOME CROWD
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT		
REG. SEASON	72-87-59	109	1,833,628	16,822	109	1,694,282	15,544				40,589 [6/04/05, 0-2 L v. DAL]
PLAYOFFS	4-4-4*	5	82,617	16,523	6	121,468	20,245				20,008 [11/15/08, 0-1 L v. NY]
CONCACAF	6-3-3	6	95,339	15,890	6	74,146	12,358				20,463 [10/19/10, 3-1 W v. CAZ]
US OPEN CUP	4-5-3	5	37,934	7,587	7	19,259	2,751				10,761 [4/30/08, 4-0 W v. SJ]
EXHIBITION	7-4-3	13*	197,203	14,086							45,511 [8/12/06, 0-2 L v. RM]
	93-103-72	138*	2,246,721	16,281	128	1,909,155	14,915				

ALL-TIME RSL ATTENDANCE BY YEAR

	OVERALL			----- AT HOME -----			----- ON THE ROAD -----			HOME	
	RECORD	G	TOT	AVG	G	TOT	AVG		RANK	LARGEST HOME CROWD	
2005	7- 22- 6	19	312,977	16,472	16	207,985	12,999	2d	40,589 [6/04/05, 0-2 L vs. DAL]		
2006	11- 16- 9	20	329,487	16,474	16	246,209	15,388	5th	22,515 [10/07/06, 1-1 T vs. HOU]		
2007	10- 15- 11	19*	295,407	14,770	16	237,619	14,851	7th	24,633 [9/19/07, 2-2 T vs. LA]		
2008	13- 14- 11	21	323,041	15,383	17	255,448	15,026	7th	26,391 [9/20/08, 0-1 L vs. CHV]		
2009	14- 12- 10	18	290,985	16,166	18	253,521	14,085	5th	19,546 [6/06/09, 1-1 T vs. COL]		
2010	19- 6- 13	19	318,419	16,759	21	293,686	13,985	7th	20,236 [10/16/10, 2-0 W vs. DAL]		
2011	19- 16- 10	22	376,405	17,109	23	414,687	18,030	10th	20,762 [9/28/11, 0-3 L vs. CHI]		
	93-101-70	138*	2,246,721	16,281	128^	1,909,155	14,915				

*includes 2007 Open Cup / Exhibition doubleheader vs KC / Fiji [att. 8,147]

*neutral site MLS Cup 2009 at Seattle [46,011] not included

ALL-TIME ATTENDANCE

TOP 20 ALL-TIME RSL ATTENDANCES

Date	Opponent	Attendance	Notes
Aug. 12, 2006	Real Madrid (ESP)	45,511*	Most attended soccer match in Utah history
June 4, 2005	FC Dallas	40,589	Doubleheader w/ USA v. Costa Rica WC Qualifier
Sept. 20, 2008	Chivas USA	26,391	Rice-Eccles finale marks biggest stand-alone regular season crowd
May 3, 2008	Los Angeles Galaxy	25,571	Beckham thrills masses with two goals to equalize in 2-2 tie
April 16, 2005	Colorado Rapids	25,287	Inaugural RSL Home Game at Rice-Eccles
Sept. 19, 2007	Los Angeles Galaxy	24,633	Even without Beckham, teams entertain in thrilling 2-2 draw
Oct. 7, 2006	Houston Dynamo	22,515	Playoff hopes fade in '06 Rice-Eccles finale
Sept. 28, 2011	Chicago Fire	20,762*	Largest crowd in RTS history witnesses worst-ever home defeat (0-3 v Chicago)
July 4, 2006	Chivas USA	20,752	'05 Expansion brethren duel to scoreless Independence Day tie
July 4, 2007	Toronto FC	20,751	Canadian club makes first RES visit on July 4th
March 26, 2011	Los Angeles Galaxy	20,507*	RSL exacts '10 Supp. Shield revenge with dominating performance
Oct. 19, 2010	Cruz Azul (MEX)	20,463*	Historic 3-1 win makes RSL first MLS squad to win CCL Group
Oct. 22, 2011	Portland Timbers	20,378*	Record-breaking third consecutive sellout in 2011 reg. season finale
April 27, 2011	Monterrey (MEX)	20,378*	Trip to FIFA Club World Cup falls one step short in 0-1 loss
Oct. 16, 2010	FC Dallas	20,236*	2-0 W snaps 17-game Dallas unbeaten run, extends RSL home dominance
July 29, 2009	MLS All-Star Game	20,120*	Premier League's Everton downs MLS' best in PK's after 1-1 draw
Oct. 9, 2008	New York Red Bulls	20,008*	Massive crowd brings festive atmosphere to stadium-opening 1-1 draw
Nov. 15, 2008	New York Red Bulls	20,008*	Red Bulls' return ruins Western Conf. Final in front of second sellout
Sept. 17, 2011	Sporting Kansas City	19,888**	RSL downs East leader with Borchers' game-winner early 2nd half
June 6, 2009	Colorado Rapids	19,546	Stadium dedication with Elder Gonzalez starts with David Archuleta, ends with 1-1 draw
July 24, 2010	CD Chivas USA	19,469**	Grabavoy left-footed volley from distance highlights Pioneer Day 1-1 draw
July 23, 2011	San Jose Earthquakes	19,429**	4-goal outburst following 60' red card for SJ preview fireworks show
Nov. 6, 2010	FC Dallas	19,324	RSL can only muster a draw in must-win Playoff game
Aug. 6, 2011	New York Red Bulls	19,081	Dominant 3-0 win over "NYDPs" snaps 2-game losing streak

*Sellout

**Sellout w/ diminished "concert stage" capacity

LARGEST CROWDS AT RIO TINTO STADIUM (OPENED OCTOBER 2008)

Date	Opponent	Attendance	Notes
Sept. 28, 2011	Chicago Fire	20,762*	Largest crowd in RTS history witnesses worst-ever home defeat (0-3 v Chicago)
March 26, 2011	Los Angeles Galaxy	20,507*	RSL cruises to 2 goals in first 10 minutes against star-studded rival
Oct. 19, 2010	Cruz Azul (MEX)	20,463*	CCL Group Stage finale sees RSL youngsters win 3-1 over Mex. power
Oct. 22, 2011	Portland Timbers	20,378*	Record-breaking third consecutive sellout in 2011 reg. season finale
April 27, 2011	Monterrey (MEX)	20,378*	Trip to FIFA Club World Cup falls one step short in 0-1 loss
Oct. 16, 2010	FC Dallas	20,236*	2-0 W snaps 17-game Dallas unbeaten run, extends RSL home dominance
July 29, 2009	MLS All-Star Game	20,120*	Premier League's Everton downs MLS' best in PK's after 1-1 draw
Oct. 9, 2008	New York Red Bulls	20,008*	Massive crowd brings festive atmosphere to stadium-opening 1-1 draw
Nov. 15, 2008	New York Red Bulls	20,008*	Red Bulls' return ruins Western Conf. Final in front of second sellout
Sept. 17, 2011	Sporting Kansas City	19,888**	RSL downs East leader with Borchers' game-winner early 2nd half
May 16, 2009	Kansas City Wizards	19,340**	0-2 loss last prior to record home unbeaten run
June 6, 2009	Colorado Rapids	19,546**	Stadium dedication with Elder Gonzalez starts with David Archuleta, ends with 1-1 draw
July 24, 2010	CD Chivas USA	19,469**	Grabavoy left-footed volley from distance highlights Pioneer Day 1-1 draw
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Rio Tinto Stadium sellouts defined as games in which more SRO seats are sold prior to remaining manifested seats



RSL ALL-TIME REGULAR SEASON STATS

REAL SALT LAKE CAREER MLS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS (72-87-59, 275 PTS.; 2005-11)

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
10	F	Robbie Findley	96	59	5573	29	13	157	69	37	85	60	0	4	0
7	F	Fabian Espindola	95	77	6365	26	10	184	92	120	99	96	5	18	2
15	F	Alvaro Saborio	50	45	3916	23	6	117	46	73	68	59	0	6	0
90	F	Jeff Cunningham	38	33	3006	19	11	94	52	28	56	45	0	7	0
11	M	Javier Morales	98	92	7904	17	34	144	68	132	221	15	355	16	0
9	F	Jason Kreis	58	55	4952	17	9	132	57	68	72	44	3	10	1
14	F	Yura Movsisyan	53	36	3287	15	3	143	65	47	54	27	2	4	1
77	M	Andy Williams	189	122	11536	14	29	232	83	198	269	26	225	21	3
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	121	117	10459	13	17	167	67	161	127	10	57	29	1
4	D	Jamison Olave	99	98	8586	10	1	57	24	127	65	6	0	26	4
17	M	Chris Klein	43	43	3832	8	9	92	37	26	31	21	76	1	0
8	M	Chris Brown	60	40	3506	7	1	54	24	26	29	8	2	0	0
3	D	Carey Talley	60	58	5120	6	9	48	16	95	91	5	0	14	1
8	M	Will Johnson	88	81	7358	6	5	144	59	79	95	10	39	19	1
6	D	Nat Borchers	119	119	10509	6	2	54	17	86	48	7	0	14	2
84	M	Clint Mathis	66	57	4639	5	11	88	31	56	39	9	52	14	2
7	F	Atiba Harris	43	25	2405	4	2	32	19	92	58	32	0	13	1
20	M	Ned Grabavoy	68	47	4226	3	3	34	11	52	77	4	2	8	1
16	F	Kenny Deuchar	29	18	1557	3	2	41	18	29	30	18	0	4	0
6	F	Jordan Cila	12	8	646	3	1	6	4	10	9	4	1	1	0
23	F	Paulo Junior	14	5	533	2	4	14	7	6	6	5	0	0	0
19	F	Pablo Campos	27	8	834	2	4	22	12	26	10	6	0	3	0
10	M	Mehdi Ballouchy	46	40	3401	2	2	42	11	82	75	7	49	9	0
22	M	Nelson Gonzalez	18	5	504	2	2	10	5	16	5	0	22	1	0
22	F	Jamie Watson	38	6	1112	2	1	26	13	24	46	14	4	2	1
4	F	Kyle Brown	8	3	286	2	0	7	4	6	1	3	0	0	0
13	D	Brian Dunseth	24	24	2011	2	0	8	5	34	22	3	0	3	1
21	M	Luis Gil	25	14	1288	2	0	21	7	16	11	4	2	0	0
23	D	Eddie Pope	69	69	5930	2	0	18	6	64	57	1	0	6	1
28	D	Chris Schuler	21	17	1728	2	0	13	2	17	14	0	0	2	0
24	M	Seth Tremblay	22	11	1176	2	0	25	13	38	31	0	0	8	0
3	D	Robbie Russell	78	68	5959	1	9	38	12	52	28	1	0	10	1
17	D	Chris Wingert	122	112	10065	1	9	40	13	130	76	1	24	19	1
11	F	Alecko Eskandarian	17	17	1428	1	3	47	21	32	39	16	24	6	1
11	F	Freddy Adu	11	10	899	1	2	24	12	11	25	6	22	1	0
12	M	Jean Alexandre	38	14	1296	1	2	18	7	35	11	8	0	5	0
21	F	Dema Kovalenko	22	19	1668	1	2	25	5	30	23	1	2	7	0
14	F	Melvin Tarley	9	9	729	1	1	22	12	9	6	18	0	0	0
23	M	Raphael Cox	6	2	208	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
22	F	Luis Miguel Escalada	5	1	126	1	0	4	2	2	0	5	0	0	0
27	D	Matias Mantilla	17	15	1382	1	0	5	3	21	6	0	0	6	0
27	M	Kevin Novak	29	27	2250	1	0	7	3	29	20	2	0	3	0
25	F	Tino Nunez	12	2	281	1	0	6	3	10	3	2	0	0	0
27	D	Douglas Sequeira	18	13	1246	1	0	16	4	29	14	3	0	3	1
25	M	Jafet Soto	8	1	192	1	0	2	2	1	3	2	1	0	0
26	M	Collen Warner	37	19	1532	0	5	22	10	32	25	5	12	5	1
2	D	Tony Beltran	78	67	6020	0	3	19	6	65	56	2	0	10	1
12	M	Leslie Fitzpatrick	18	6	716	0	2	8	6	11	13	0	6	0	0
15	D	Robert Scarlett	9	8	720	0	2	8	3	7	5	3	5	0	0
10	M	Arturo Alvarez	16	8	724	0	1	18	1	12	9	3	3	0	0
25	D	Gustavo Cabrera	4	4	360	0	1	0	0	6	4	0	0	2	0
16	D	Willis Forko	38	38	3244	0	1	0	0	26	34	3	0	4	0
19	M	Luke Kreamalmeyer	6	2	249	0	1	6	2	0	7	0	3	0	0
16	D	Chris Lantos	14	8	811	0	1	3	1	11	5	0	5	3	0
3	D	Rusty Pierce	15	15	1200	0	1	3	1	20	24	0	1	3	0
18	G	Nick Rimando	143	143	12815	0	1	0	0	2	15	0	0	3	0
31	D	Jack Stewart	25	24	1993	0	1	6	0	20	11	1	0	2	1
99	F	Dante Washington	9	2	282	0	1	7	3	3	7	2	0	0	0
14	F	Artur Aghasyan	4	1	98	0	0	3	0	5	2	1	0	0	0

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13	F	Chris Agorsor	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	D	Nelson Akwari	41	35	3195	0	0	7	2	39	21	1	0	7	0	0	0	0
14	M	Yordany Alvarez	5	4	419	0	0	0	0	21	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
27	F	Cody Arnoux	2	0	69	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	M	Matt Behncke	8	7	587	0	0	6	2	12	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	M	Nikolas Besagno	8	4	440	0	0	1	0	9	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
4	M	Paul Broome	11	10	917	0	0	1	0	13	15	1	0	4	0	0	0	0
8	M	Matias Cordoba	7	2	173	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	D.J. Countess	27	27	2422	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
15	M	Kenny Cutler	47	35	3103	0	0	13	4	36	8	0	0	8	1	0	0	0
21	M	Rachid El Khalifi	4	3	178	0	0	2	0	3	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	Scott Garlick	31	31	2745	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
8	M	Adolfo Gregorio	6	4	359	0	0	4	2	5	7	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
33	D	David Horst	3	2	176	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	M	Christian Jimenez	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	F	Ryan Johnson	7	1	154	0	0	1	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	D	Ian Joy	20	18	1384	0	0	3	1	27	8	1	0	4	1	0	0	0
5	M	Brian Kamler	28	24	2028	0	0	11	3	22	38	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
25	D	Jean-Martial Kipre	18	16	1427	0	0	7	2	24	14	2	0	4	0	0	0	0
28	D	Dustin Kirby	2	1	82	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	D	Cameron Knowles	4	3	346	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
6	M	Ritchie Kotschau	20	18	1664	0	0	3	0	19	10	1	0	3	1	0	0	0
31	D	Michael Lookingland	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	D	Rauwshan McKenzie	6	4	404	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
18	G	Jay Nolly	7	6	585	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
15	M	Leighton O'Brien	6	1	236	0	0	2	1	2	3	0	4	1	0	0	0	0
24	G	Kyle Reynish	5	4	415	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	D	Marlon Rojas	7	6	507	0	0	0	0	8	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
1	G	Chris Seitz	7	7	630	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	F	Dipsy Selolwane	8	4	401	0	0	10	4	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	D	Nathan Sturgis	8	7	491	0	0	5	0	12	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
18	F	Luis Tejada	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	D	Daniel Torres	26	25	2188	0	0	5	2	21	18	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
19	D	Blake Wagner	2	1	63	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	D	Evan Whitfield	5	0	135	0	0	2	1	3	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
	F	Joey Worthen	3	0	29	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Own-goals received			8													
		Team totals	218	218	19620	278	240	2673	1102	2793	2724	644	1015	410	34			
		<i>Opponent totals</i>	<i>218</i>	<i>218</i>	<i>19620</i>	<i>289</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>2583</i>	<i>1111</i>	<i>2740</i>	<i>2775</i>	<i>586</i>	<i>1050</i>	<i>373</i>	<i>29</i>			

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	G	Nick Rimando	143	143	12815	673	488	159	1.12	17	23	55	48	40	51
1	G	Scott Garlick	31	31	2745	158	108	43	1.41	1	2	10	12	9	4
1	G	D.J. Countess	27	27	2422	170	112	54	2.01	3	3	4	19	4	4
1	G	Chris Seitz	7	7	630	34	19	13	1.86	1	1	1	4	2	1
18	G	Jay Nolly	7	6	585	59	41	17	2.62	1	1	1	4	1	0
24	G	Kyle Reynish	5	4	415	17	14	3	0.65	0	0	1	0	3	2
5	M	Brian Kamler	1	0	8	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Team totals	218	218	19620	1111	782	289	1.33	23	30	72	87	59	62
		Opponent totals	218	218	19620	1102	788	278	1.28	25	29	87	72	59	69

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 9, Javier Morales 7, Fabian Espindola 5, Alvaro Saborio 5, Jeff Cunningham 4, Kyle Beckerman 3, Jason Kreis 3, Andy Williams 3, Pablo Campos 2, Brian Dunseth 2, Yura Movsisyan 2, Kyle Brown 1, Ned Grabavoy 1, Atiba Harris 1, Will Johnson 1, Chris Klein 1, Tino Nunez 1, Jamison Olave 1, Eddie Pope 1, Douglas Sequiera 1, Carey Talley 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Javier Morales 6, Robbie Findley 5, Andy Williams 5, Kyle Beckerman 4, Fabian Espindola 4, Clint Mathis 4, Jeff Cunningham 3, Robbie Russell 3, Alecko Eskandarian 2, Chris Klein 2, Carey Talley 2, Tony Beltran 1, Chris Brown 1, Ned Grabavoy 1, Atiba Harris 1, Will Johnson 1, Dema Kovalenko 1, Nick Rimando 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Chris Wingert 1

PENALTY KICKS: Jeff Cunningham 5-5, Jason Kreis 4-4, Alvaro Saborio 2-2, Carey Talley 2-2, Robbie Findley 2-3, Freddy Adu 1-1, Will Johnson 1-1, Dema Kovalenko 1-1, Alecko Eskandarian 1-2, Andy Williams 1-2, Javier Morales 0-1



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ALL-TIME RSL INDIVIDUAL LEADERS — REGULAR SEASON ONLY

GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	GP
Andy Williams	189
Nick Rimando	143
Chris Wingert	122
Kyle Beckerman	121
Nat Borchers	119
Jamison Olave	99
Javier Morales	98
Robbie Findley	96
Fabian Espindola	95
Will Johnson	88

GAMES STARTED

PLAYER	GS
Nick Rimando	143
Andy Williams	122
Nat Borchers	119
Kyle Beckerman	117
Chris Wingert	112
Jamison Olave	98
Javier Morales	92
Will Johnson	81
Fabian Espindola	77
Eddie Pope	69

MINUTES PLAYED

PLAYER	MIN
Nick Rimando	12815
Andy Williams	11536
Nat Borchers	10509
Kyle Beckerman	10459
Chris Wingert	10065
Jamison Olave	8586
Javier Morales	7904
Will Johnson	7358
Fabian Espindola	6345
Tony Beltran	6020

GOALS

PLAYER	GP	G
Robbie Findley	96	29
Fabian Espindola	95	26
Alvaro Saborio	50	23
Jeff Cunningham	38	19
Jason Kreis	58	17
Javier Morales	98	17
Yura Movsisyan	53	15
Andy Williams	189	14
Kyle Beckerman	121	13
Jamison Olave	99	10

ASSISTS

PLAYER	GP	ASTS
Javier Morales	98	34
Andy Williams	189	29
Kyle Beckerman	121	17
Robbie Findley	96	13
Jeff Cunningham	38	11
Clint Mathis	66	11
Fabian Espindola	95	10
Chris Klein	43	9
Jason Kreis	58	9
Robbie Russell	78	9
Carey Talley	60	9
Chris Wingert	122	9

SHOTS

PLAYER	GP	SHOTS
Andy Williams	189	232
Fabian Espindola	95	184
Kyle Beckerman	121	167
Robbie Findley	96	157
Will Johnson	88	144
Javier Morales	98	144
Yura Movsisyan	53	143
Jason Kreis	58	132
Alvaro Saborio	50	117
Jeff Cunningham	38	94

SHOTS ON GOAL

PLAYER	GP	SOG
Fabian Espindola	95	92
Andy Williams	189	83
Robbie Findley	96	69
Javier Morales	98	68
Kyle Beckerman	121	67
Yura Movsisyan	53	65
Will Johnson	88	59
Jason Kreis	58	57
Jeff Cunningham	38	52
Alvaro Saborio	50	46

FOULS COMMITTED

PLAYER	GP	FC
Andy Williams	189	198
Kyle Beckerman	121	161
Javier Morales	98	132
Chris Wingert	122	130
Jamison Olave	99	127
Fabian Espindola	95	120
Carey Talley	60	95
Atiba Harris	43	92
Nat Borchers	119	86
Mehdi Ballouchy	46	82

FOULS SUFFERED

PLAYER	GP	FS
Andy Williams	189	269
Javier Morales	98	221
Kyle Beckerman	121	127
Fabian Espindola	95	99
Will Johnson	88	95
Carey Talley	60	91
Robbie Findley	96	85
Ned Grabavoy	68	77
Chris Wingert	122	76
Mehdi Ballouchy	46	76

CAUTIONS (YELLOW)

PLAYER	GP	CAUT
Kyle Beckerman	121	29
Jamison Olave	99	26
Andy Williams	189	21
Will Johnson	88	19
Chris Wingert	122	19
Fabian Espindola	95	18
Javier Morales	98	16
Nat Borchers	119	14
Clint Mathis	66	14

EJECTIONS (RED CARDS)

PLAYER	GP	EJECT
Jamison Olave	99	4
Andy Williams	189	3
Nat Borchers	119	2
Fabian Espindola	95	2
Clint Mathis	66	2

20 players tied with 1

CORNER KICKS

PLAYER	GP	CK
Javier Morales	98	355
Andy Williams	189	225
Chris Klein	43	76
Kyle Beckerman	121	57
Clint Mathis	66	52
Mehdi Ballouchy	46	49
Will Johnson	88	39
Alecko Eskandarian	17	24
Chris Wingert	122	24
Freddy Adu	11	22
Nelson Gonzalez	18	22

OFFSIDES

PLAYER	GP	OFF
Fabian Espindola	95	96
Robbie Findley	96	60
Alvaro Saborio	50	59
Jeff Cunningham	38	45
Jason Kreis	58	44
Atiba Harris	43	32
Yura Movsisyan	53	27
Andy Williams	189	26
Chris Klein	43	21
Kenny Deuchar	29	18
Melvin Tarley	9	18

GAME-WINNING GOALS

PLAYER	GP	GWG
Robbie Findley	96	9
Alvaro Saborio	50	50
Javier Morales	98	8
Fabian Espindola	95	7
Kyle Beckerman	121	4
Jeff Cunningham	38	4
Andy Williams	189	4
Jason Kreis	58	3

6 players tied with 2

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS

PLAYER	GP	GWA
Kyle Beckerman	121	10
Javier Morales	98	7
Robbie Findley	96	5
Andy Williams	189	5
Fabian Espindola	95	4
Clint Mathis	66	4
Robbie Russell	78	4
Jeff Cunningham	38	3

5 players tied with 2

HAT TRICKS

PLAYER	GP	HATS
1) Robbie Findley	96	1

MULTI-GOAL GAMES

PLAYER	GP	GAMES
Jeff Cunningham	38	5
Alvaro Saborio	50	5
Robbie Findley	96	4
Javier Morales	98	3
Fabian Espindola	95	2
Yura Movsisyan	53	2
Kyle Beckerman	121	1
Chris Brown	60	1
Atiba Harris	43	1
Jason Kreis	58	1

PENALTY KICK GOALS

PLAYER	GP	PKG
Jeff Cunningham	38	5
Alvaro Saborio	50	5
Jason Kreis	58	4
Robbie Findley	96	2
Carey Talley	60	2
Freddy Adu	11	1
Alecko Eskandarian	17	1
Fabian Espindola	95	1
Will Johnson	88	1
Dema Kovalenko	22	1
Javier Morales	98	1
Andy Williams	189	1

GAMES PLAYED IN GOAL

PLAYER	GP
Nick Rimando	143
Scott Garlick	31
D.J. Countess	27
Jay Nolly	7
Chris Seitz	7
Kyle Reynish	5
Brian Kamler	1

ALL-TIME RSL INDIVIDUAL GK LEADERS

GAMES STARTED IN GOAL

PLAYER	GP
Nick Rimando	143
Scott Garlick	31
D.J. Countess	27
Chris Seitz	7
Jay Nolly	6
Kyle Reynish	4

MINUTES PLAYED IN GOAL

PLAYER	MIN
Nick Rimando	12815
Scott Garlick	2745
D.J. Countess	2422
Chris Seitz	630
Jay Nolly	585
Kyle Reynish	415
Brian Kamler	8

SAVES PERCENTAGE

SAVES PERCENTAGE					
YEAR	PLAYER	GP	SAVES	SOG	PCT
	Nick Rimando	143	488	673	72.5

Minimum: 175 saves

WINS

PLAYER	GP	WON
Nick Rimando	143	55
Scott Garlick	31	10
D.J. Countess	27	4
Jay Nolly	7	1
Kyle Reynish	5	1
Chris Seitz	7	1

LOSSES

PLAYER	GP	LOST
Nick Rimando	143	48
D.J. Countess	27	19
Scott Garlick	31	12
Jay Nolly	7	4
Chris Seitz	7	4

GOALS AGAINST AVG.

PLAYER	MIN	GA	GAA
Rimando	12815	159	1.12

Minimum: 4000 minutes played

SHUTOUTS

PLAYER	GP	SHO
Nick Rimando	143	51
D.J. Countess	27	4
Scott Garlick	31	4
Kyle Reynish	5	2
Chris Seitz	7	1

SAVES

PLAYER	GP	SVS
Nick Rimando	143	488
D.J. Countess	27	112
Scott Garlick	31	108
Jay Nolly	7	41
Chris Seitz	7	19
Kyle Reynish	5	14

SAVES PERCENTAGE

SAVES PERCENTAGE				
YEAR	PLAYER.....	GP	SAVES...SOGPCT
	Nick Rimando.....	143	488.....673	72.5

Minimum: 175 saves

RSL INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS

* ACTIVE PLAYERS IN BOLD

GAMES PLAYED

NAME	YEARS	GP
2011 Nick Rimando	33
2010 Nat Borchers	30
Andy Williams	30
2009 Nat Borchers	30
Chris Wingert	30
2008 Kyle Beckerman	30
Nick Rimando	30
2007 Eddie Pope	27
Nick Rimando	27
2006 Mehdi Ballouchy	32
Chris Klein	32
2005 Chris Brown	29

GAMES STARTED

GAMES STARTED		33
2011	Nick Rimando	33
2010	Nat Borchers	30
2009	Nat Borchers	30
2008	Kyle Beckerman	30
	Nick Rimando	30
2007	Eddie Pope	27
	Nick Rimando	27
2006	Chris Klein	32
2005	D.J. Countess	27
	Clint Mathis	27

MINUTES PLAYED

MIN	TEST PLAYED	MIN
2011	Nick Rimando	2970
2010	Nat Borchers	2673
2009	Nat Borchers	2679
2008	Nick Rimando	2700
2007	Nick Rimando	2430
2006	Chris Klein	2842
2005	D.J. Countess	2422

GOALS

GP	GOALS
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23
2010 Alvaro Saborio	27
2009 Robbie Findley	27
2008 Yura Movsisyan	22
2007 Robbie Findley	16
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Jason Kreis	24

ASSISTS

GP	ASTS
2011 Kyle Beckerman	29
2010 Javier Morales	26
2009 Clint Mathis	28
2008 Javier Morales	29
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
Andy Williams	24
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Jason Kreis	24
Clint Mathis	27

GAME-WINNING GOALS

GP	GWG
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23
2010 Alvaro Saborio	27
2009 Robbie Findley	27
2008 Javier Morales	29
2007 Robbie Findley	16
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Brian Dunseth	24
Jason Kreis	24

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS

GP	GWA
2011 Kyle Beckerman	29
2010 Javier Morales	26
2009 4 players tied with 2	
2008 Javier Morales	29
Andy Williams	26
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Clint Mathis	27

PENALTY-KICK GOALS

GP	PKG
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23
2010 Alvaro Saborio	27
2009 Robbie Findley	27
Will Johnson	26
2008 Dema Kovalenko	22
2007 Carey Talley	26
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Jason Kreis	24

SHOTS

GP	SHOTS
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23
2010 Alvaro Saborio	27
2009 Yura Movsisyan	26
2008 Yura Movsisyan	22
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Jason Kreis	24

SHOTS ON GOAL

GP	SOG
2011 Fabian Espindola	27
2010 Alvaro Saborio	27
2009 Yura Movsisyan	22
2008 Yura Movsisyan	22
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Jason Kreis	24

FOULS COMMITTED

GP	FC
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23
2010 Javier Morales	26
2009 Kyle Beckerman	25
2008 Javier Morales	29
2007 Atiba Harris	21
2006 Carey Talley	30
2005 Andy Williams	26

FOULS SUFFERED

GP	FS
2011 Andy Williams	31
2010 Javier Morales	26
2009 Javier Morales	26
2008 Javier Morales	29
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
2006 Andy Williams	29
2005 Andy Williams	26

CAUTIONS (YELLOW)

GP	CAUT
2011 Kyle Beckerman	29
Fabian Espindola	27
Will Johnson	25
2010 Jamison Olave	27
2009 Kyle Beckerman	25
2008 Jamison Olave	23
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
Matias Mantilla	10
Carey Talley	26
2006 Atiba Harris	22
2005 Seth Tremblay	22

EJECTIONS (RED CARDS)

GP	EJECT
2011 Nat Borchers	30
2009 Jamison Olave	25
Ian Joy	19
Andy Williams	26
Chris Wingert	29
2007 5 players tied with 1	
2006 5 players tied with 1	
2005 6 players tied with 1	

CORNER KICKS

GP	CK
2011 Kyle Beckerman	29
2010 Javier Morales	26
2009 Javier Morales	26
2008 Javier Morales	29
2007 Mehdi Ballouchy	14
2006 Chris Klein	32
2005 Andy Williams	26

OFFSIDES

GP	OFF
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23
2010 Fabian Espindola	22
2009 Fabian Espindola	22
2008 Kenny Deuchar	29
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31
2005 Jason Kreis	24

GAMES PLAYED IN GOAL

GAMES PLAYED IN GOAL.....		GP
2011	Nick Rimando.....	33
2010	Nick Rimando.....	27
2009	Nick Rimando.....	26
2008	Nick Rimando.....	30
2007	Nick Rimando.....	27
2006	Scott Garlick.....	31
2005	D. J. Countess.....	27



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RSL INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS ~CON'T

GAMES STARTED IN GOAL	GP	SVS
2011 Nick Rimando	33	95
2010 Nick Rimando	27	78
2009 Nick Rimando	26	73
2008 Nick Rimando	30	96
2007 Nick Rimando	27	146
2006 Scott Garlick	31	108
2005 D.J. Countess	27	112

MINUTES PLAYED IN GOAL	MIN
2011 Nick Rimando	2970
2010 Nick Rimando	2430
2009 Nick Rimando	2285
2008 Nick Rimando	2700
2007 Nick Rimando	2430
2006 Scott Garlick	2745
2005 D.J. Countess	2422

WINS	GP	WON
2011 Nick Rimando	33	14
2010 Nick Rimando	27	15
2009 Nick Rimando	26	10
2008 Nick Rimando	30	10
2007 Nick Rimando	27	6
2006 Scott Garlick	31	10
2005 D.J. Countess	27	4

LOSSES	GP	LOST
2011 Nick Rimando	33	11
2010 Nick Rimando	27	4
2009 Nick Rimando	26	10
2008 Nick Rimando	30	10
2007 Nick Rimando	27	13
2006 Scott Garlick	31	12
2005 D.J. Countess	27	19

RSL INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

GAMES PLAYED

Career:189 Andy Williams
Season: 33 Nick Rimando (2011)

MINUTES

Career:12815 Nick Rimando
Season:2970 Nick Rimando (2011)

GOALS

Career:29 Robbie Findley
Season:16 Jeff Cunningham (2006)
Game:3 Robbie Findley (04/02/2009 vs. CLB)
Half: 2 14 times

ASSISTS

Career:34 Javier Morales
Season: 15 Javier Morales (2008)
Game: 2 24 times
Half: 2 12 times

SHOTS

Career:232 Andy Williams
Season:83 Jeff Cunningham (2006)
Game: 11
.....Andy Williams (08/06/2005 vs. CHV)

SHOTS ON GOAL

Career:92 Fabian Espindola
Season: 45 Jeff Cunningham (2006)
Game:5
.....Yura Movsisyan (09/13/2008 at NY)
Game:5
.....Yura Movsisyan (09/27/2008 at SJ)
Half:4
Jeff Cunningham (07/29/2006 vs. DC, 2d)
Half:4
.....Yura Movsisyan (09/27/2008 at SJ, 1st)

SAVES	GP	SVS
2011 Nick Rimando	33	95
2010 Nick Rimando	27	78
2009 Nick Rimando	26	73
2008 Nick Rimando	30	96
2007 Nick Rimando	27	146
2006 Scott Garlick	31	108
2005 D.J. Countess	27	112

SHOTS	GP	SHO
2011 Nick Rimando	33	13
2010 Nick Rimando	27	14
2009 Nick Rimando	26	9
2008 Nick Rimando	30	8
2007 Nick Rimando	27	7
2006 Scott Garlick	31	4
2005 D.J. Countess	27	4

SCORING PCT.	GP	SHOTS	GOALS	PCT
2011 Alvaro Saborio	23	66	11	16.7
2010 Alvaro Saborio	27	51	12	23.5
2009 Robbie Findley	27	60	12	20.0
2008 Fabian Espindola	12	25	5	20.0
2007 Robbie Findley	16	20	6	30.0
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31	83	16	19.3
2005 Jason Kreis	24	65	9	13.8

Minimum: 5 goals

SHOTS ON GOAL PCT.	GP	SHOTS	SOG	PCT
2011 Fabian Espindola	27	62	31	50.0
2010 Javier Morales	26	42	21	50.0
2009 Will Johnson	26	48	22	45.8
2008 Kyle Beckerman	30	45	22	48.9
2007 Alecko Eskandarian	17	47	21	44.7
2006 Jeff Cunningham	31	83	45	54.2
2005 Jason Kreis	24	65	31	47.7

Minimum: 20 shots on goal

GOALS AGAINST AVG.	GP	MIN	GA	GAA
2011 Nick Rimando	33	2970	36	1.09
2010 Nick Rimando	27	2430	18	0.67
2009 Nick Rimando	26	2285	29	1.14
2008 Nick Rimando	30	2700	39	1.30
2007 Nick Rimando	27	2430	37	1.37
2006 Scott Garlick	31	2745	43	1.41
2005 D.J. Countess	27	2422	54	2.01

Minimum: 1000 minutes played

WINNING PCT.	GP	WON	LOST	TIED	PCT
2011 Nick Rimando	33	14	11	8	545
2010 Nick Rimando	27	15	4	8	704
2009 Nick Rimando	26	10	10	6	500
2008 Nick Rimando	30	10	10	10	500
2007 Nick Rimando	27	6	13	8	370
2006 Scott Garlick	31	10	12	9	468

Minimum: 5 wins

SAVES PERCENTAGE	GP	SAVES	SOG	PCT
2011 Nick Rimando	33	95	134	70.9
2010 Nick Rimando	27	78	100	78.0
2009 Nick Rimando	26	73	108	67.6
2008 Nick Rimando	30	96	140	68.6
2007 Nick Rimando	27	146	191	76.4
2006 Scott Garlick	31	108	158	68.4
2005 D.J. Countess	27	112	170	65.9

Minimum: 40 saves

GAMES PLAYED

Career:143 Nick Rimando
Season: 33 Nick Rimando (2011)

MINUTES

Career:12815 Nick Rimando
Season:2970 Nick Rimando (2011)

WINS

Career:55 Nick Rimando
Season: 15 Nick Rimando (2010)

LOSSES

Career:48 Nick Rimando
Season: 19 D.J. Countess (2005)

TIES

Career:40 Nick Rimando
Season: 10 Nick Rimando (2008)

SHUTOUTS

Career:51 Nick Rimando
Season: 14 Nick Rimando (2010)

GOALS ALLOWED

Career:159 Nick Rimando
Season:54 D.J. Countess (2005)
Game:6 Jay Nolly (08/26/2006 at NY)
Half:6 Jay Nolly (08/26/2006 at NY, 2d)

SAVES

Career:488 Nick Rimando
Season:146 Nick Rimando (2007)
Game:13
.....D.J. Countess (04/30/2005 vs. SJ)
Game:13
.....Nick Rimando (06/02/2007 at NE)
Half:8
.....Nick Rimando (06/02/2007 at NE, 2d)
Half:8
.....Nick Rimando (09/15/2007 at TOR, 1st)

RSL TEAM HIGHS

GAMES PLAYED

Season:.....34 in 2011

MINUTES

Season:.....3060 in 2011

GOALS

Season:.....45 in 2006

Season:.....45 in 2010

Game:.....6 04/25/2009 vs. NE

2-Tms:.....7 09/08/2007 at HOU

2-Tms:.....7 08/16/2008 at HOU

Half:.....6 04/25/2009 vs. NE (2d)

ASSISTS

Season:.....43 in 2009

Game:.....6 04/25/2009 vs. NE

2-Tms:.....8 4 times

Half:.....6 04/25/2009 vs. NE (2d)

SHOTS

Season:.....429 in 2008

Season:.....429 in 2011

Game:.....29 04/25/2009 vs. NE

2-Tms:.....36 07/26/2006 vs. CHV

Half:.....17 08/16/2006 at CLB (2d)

Half:.....17 04/25/2009 vs. NE (2d)

Half:.....17 07/23/2011 vs. SJ (2d)

SHOTS ON GOAL

Season:.....184 in 2009

Game:.....13 04/25/2009 vs. NE

Game:.....13 07/23/2011 vs. SJ

2-Tms:.....21 04/30/2005 vs. SJ

Half:.....10 08/06/2005 vs. CHV (2d)

FOULS COMMITTED

Season:.....443 in 2011

Game:.....24 07/14/2007 at KC

Game:.....24 10/01/2011 at LA

Game:.....24 10/14/2011 at COL

2-Tms:.....45 04/23/2005 at DAL

Half:.....14 05/20/2007 at DAL (2d)

Half:.....14 10/01/2011 at LA (2d)

FOULS SUFFERED

Season:.....458 in 2005

Game:.....25 04/23/2005 at DAL

2-Tms:.....43 04/23/2005 at DAL

Half:.....16 10/07/2006 vs. HOU (2d)

OFFSIDES

Season:.....123 in 2006

Game:.....12 05/07/2011 vs. CHV

2-Tms:.....15 07/04/2006 vs. CHV

Half:.....8 07/04/2006 vs. CHV (1st)

CORNER KICKS

Season:.....165 in 2011

Game:.....12 4 times

2-Tms:.....20 07/19/2008 at CHI

2-Tms:.....20 03/28/2009 at SEA

Half:.....10 03/28/2009 at SEA (2d)

Half:.....10 07/03/2009 vs. SJ (2d)

CAUTIONS

Season:.....69 in 2009

Game:.....5 05/01/2006 at LA

2-Tms:.....8 4 times

Half:.....4 05/06/2006 vs. CLB (2d)

EJECTIONS

Season:.....8 in 2009

Game:.....1 34 times

2-Tms:.....3 04/09/2011 at NE

Half:.....1 34 times

WINS

Season:.....15 in 2010

Season:.....15 in 2011

LOSSES

Season:.....22 in 2005

TIES

Season:.....11 in 2010

SHUTOUTS

Season:.....15 in 2010

GOALS ALLOWED

Season:.....65 in 2005

Game:.....6 08/26/2006 at NY

2-Tms:.....7 09/08/2007 at HOU

2-Tms:.....7 08/16/2008 at HOU

Half:.....6 08/26/2006 at NY (2d)

SAVES

Season:.....152 in 2007

Game:.....13 04/30/2005 vs. SJ

Game:.....13 06/02/2007 at NE

2-Tms:.....17 04/30/2005 vs. SJ

Half:.....8 06/02/2007 at NE (2d)

Half:.....8 09/15/2007 at TOR (1st)

RSL TEAM LOWS

GAMES PLAYED

Season:.....30 4 times

MINUTES

Season:.....2700 4 times

GOALS

Season:.....30 in 2005

Game:.....0 69 times

2-Tms:.....0 22 times

Half:.....0 239 times

ASSISTS

Season:.....20 in 2007

Game:.....0 101 times

2-Tms:.....0 46 times

Half:.....0 292 times

SHOTS

Season:.....340 in 2010

Game:.....2 06/20/2009 at HOU

2-Tms:.....12 06/14/2008 at CHV

2-Tms:.....12 06/20/2009 at HOU

2-Tms:.....12 04/10/2010 vs. SEA

Half:.....0 06/11/2005 at LA (1st)

Half:.....0 06/20/2009 at HOU (2d)

SHOTS ON GOAL

Season:.....135 in 2010

Game:.....0 05/02/2009 at COL

2-Tms:.....2 05/18/2005 vs. CHV

Half:.....0 45 times

FOULS COMMITTED

Season:.....335 in 2010

Game:.....5 08/16/2006 at CLB

Game:.....5 08/01/2009 at CHI

2-Tms:.....9 08/01/2009 at CHI

Half:.....0 05/07/2011 vs. CHV (2d)

FOULS SUFFERED

Season:.....308 in 2009

Game:.....4 06/28/2008 at KC

Game:.....4 08/01/2009 at CHI

2-Tms:.....9 08/01/2009 at CHI

Half:.....0 06/24/2006 vs. NE (2d)

Half:.....0 08/01/2009 at CHI (2d)

OFFSIDES

Season:.....64 in 2009

Game:.....0 17 times

2-Tms:.....0 07/09/2005 at CHV

2-Tms:.....0 05/06/2006 vs. CLB

2-Tms:.....0 03/28/2009 at SEA

Half:.....0 105 times

CORNER KICKS

Season:.....125 in 2006

Game:.....0 5 times

2-Tms:.....2 07/26/2006 vs. CHV

2-Tms:.....2 05/08/2010 vs. PHI

Half:.....0 73 times

CAUTIONS

Season:.....51 in 2010

Game:.....0 24 times

2-Tms:.....0 5 times

Half:.....0 160 times

EJECTIONS

Season:.....0 in 2010

Game:.....0 184 times

2-Tms:.....0 168 times

Half:.....0 402 times

WINS

Season:.....5; 2005

LOSSES

Season:.....4, 2010

TIES

Season:.....5, 2005

SHUTOUTS

Season:.....4, 2006

Season:.....4, 2005

GOALS ALLOWED

Season:.....20; 2010

Game:.....0 62 times

2-Tms:.....0 22 times

Half:.....0 230 times

SAVES

Season:.....87; 2009

Game:.....0 11 times

2-Tms:.....0 05/18/2005 vs. CHV

Half:.....0 80 times



CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

Real Salt Lake's MLS Cup 2009 crown not only put the Utah side on top of the domestic soccer landscape, but it also opened up the door for international glory, as the title automatically qualified RSL for the 2010/11 edition of the CONCACAF

Champions League. The regional tournament annually includes the best teams from North America, Central America, and the Caribbean, with Jason Kreis' Claret-and-Cobalt side nearly advancing to the prestigious FIFA Club World Cup in its first foray into an international competition. Despite earning a dramatic, last-minute draw on the road in the CCL Final first leg at Monterrey courtesy of Javier Morales' heroics, RSL dropped an 0-1 decision at home in the second leg – the second time in as many tries that RSL has failed to secure hardware in front of a sold-out Rio Tinto Stadium crowd (2008 MLS West Final v NY, also an 0-1 loss).

In the Fall of 2010 Real Salt Lake became the first-ever MLS team to win its CONCACAF Champions League group (and only the 3rd non-Mexican side to do so), earning the right to pursue international glory with a championship stage battle in February, 2011, nearly a whole month prior to its MLS brethren. However, the draw was kind to RSL, as instead of squaring off against a Mexican or Central American side in the midst of its regular league campaign, Utah's side was paired against the very familiar Columbus Crew, whom RSL ousted from the 2009 MLS Cup playoffs as an underdog, despite the Crew's status as defending league champion and reigning Supporters Shield holders.

Following a 0-0 draw in Leg 1 at Crew Stadium, Real Salt Lake cruised to a 4-1 victory in the 2nd leg to become the first-ever MLS side to advance to the CCL Semifinals. MF Javier Morales and RSL Original Andy Williams combined for three goals and three assists while FW Alvaro Saborio scored his seventh goal in as many CCL games for RSL, which extended its vaunted home undefeated streak to 34 games in all competitions at Rio Tinto Stadium.

Costa Rica's Deportivo Saprissa claimed the final spot in the CONCACAF Champions League's Semi-final Round on March 3, 2011, courtesy of a 2-1 win at Honduran champion CD Olimpia in San Pedro Sula. The result, which gave Saprissa a 3-1 aggregate series win, set up the opportunity for "El Monstuo Morado" (the "purple monster") to make its second-ever visit to Utah, hosted by its one-time prized prodigy, current RSL FW Saborio. The Costa Rican international advanced to the FIFA Club World Cup in 2005 with his Saprissa team, bagging an incredible 95 goals across 149 appearances for "the Purple Monster" from 2001-06. Saborio helped Saprissa to the 2005 CONCACAF Champions Cup title, the team's third to go along with the 1993 & 1995 regional crowns (Saborio tied three others as

the leading scorer in the 2005 FIFA Club World Cup, including English standout Peter Crouch). In addition to Saborio and Saprissa's previous visit to Salt Lake, more familiarity between the regional powers was evident as Saprissa DF Douglas Sequeira – who once called Rice-Eccles Stadium home, for the 2006 MLS season – could not quite provide much of a scouting report on his former side, as all but one member of the RSL roster – MF Andy Williams – had turned over since "Douglas" made 18 appearances in Claret-and-Cobalt back in 2006. Also, Saborio and Sequeira were teammates on the Costa Rican 2006 FIFA World Cup side in Germany that Summer.

RSL burst out to a 2-0 series lead courtesy of a dominant home win the first leg of the Saprissa series, paced by a pair of Andy Williams assists, setting up "Sabo" in the 9th minute of the opening stanza and then creating a golden Fabian Espindola opportunity just 10 minutes into the 2nd half. On the return leg to Central America, RSL made its fans slightly nervous by allowing a goal in the opening seconds of the second half, but 15 minutes later DF Jamison Olave clinched the series – and a berth in the CCL Final – with a side-volley from the top of the box to earn a 3-1 series aggregate lead along with the critical road goal tiebreaker. Saprissa pulled one goal back with an 87th-minute PK, but it was too little, too late, with the result sending RSL through to the final round.

The opponent emerging from the opposite side of the bracket was FMF leader Monterrey, who outlasted RSL's Mexican group nemesis, Cruz Azul. Arguably RSL's best moment of the year came on April 20, when it earned a stunning 2-2 draw at Monterrey's famed Estadio Tecnológico in the first leg of the CCL Final. Twice the visitors went down in hostile conditions, but DF Nat Borchers and MF Javier Morales were able to quickly answer back, the latter's equalizer in the waning moments setting up a dramatic finale back at Rio Tinto Stadium in the return leg.



Real Salt Lake's quest for CCL glory piqued the interest of soccer fans across North America, giving MLS supporters the rare opportunity to galvanize behind a domestic squad in international competition. Despite having the support of MLS fans across the U.S. and Canada, needing just a 0-0 or 1-1 draw to add to the trophy case, the April 27 decider failed to fall RSL's way as Chilean international Humberto Suazo's close-range goal just before the half would stand tall for Monterrey in their 1-0 victory. The defeat not only dashed a historic moment for the Claret-and-Cobalt, but also pierced the club's invincibility at Rio Tinto Stadium, the result marking RSL's first loss in Sandy in 33 competitive games, a stretch that dated back to May 2009.

Despite the disappointment of last year, RSL's 2012 aspirations once again include the CONCACAF tourney, as the club is one of four U.S. MLS sides to advance in the 24-team competition. By virtue of the Los Angeles Galaxy's duplicate MLS Cup and Supporters Shield slots, as well as the Seattle Sounders' 2011 U.S. Open Cup title, RSL's third-best point total amassed over last year's regular-season – despite missing Morales for nearly six months – qualified Jason Kreis' team, in addition to MLS Cup runners-up Houston Dynamo.

The 2012/13 CONCACAF Champions League marks the 47th edition of the regional competition that dates back to 1962, and the fifth year of its revamped 24-team "league" format. However, a new wrinkle emerges in 2012, as all 24 teams enter at the same stage – gone are the preliminary "home and home" mini-series between lower-seeded teams – in eight groups of three teams each. Teams from Mexico and the United States will be kept separate in the draw, with only the top point-earners in each of the eight groups emerging after four games to advance to the Championship Stage in March, 2013. The quarterfinals, semifinals and final all contested across home and away legs, with the away goal rule in effect for the Championship Rounds; should that not separate the teams, a 30-minute overtime will be played in its entirety at the conclusion of the second leg, and kicks from the penalty spot will decide a winner if the opponents remain tied following the overtime period.



RSL IN THE OPEN CUP



The Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup, recognized as U.S. Soccer's National Championship, is an annual, single-elimination competition open to all amateur and professional soccer teams affiliated with U.S. Soccer. The tournament has crowned a champion for 98 consecutive years dating back to 1914, with the year's champion earning a \$100,000 prize and receiving the honor of having its name inscribed on the base of the historic Dewar Challenge Trophy, the oldest trophy in American team sports. The tournament's runner-up will collect \$50,000, while the top Division II, Division III and amateur clubs will each receive a \$10,000 prize.

From an expanded tournament field to an equal opportunity to host matches, the 99th edition of the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup features an assortment of strategic changes. The 2012 U.S. Open Cup includes a 64-team field, which represents the largest in the modern era (1995 to present), and will include all Division I, II and III professional clubs for the first time ever.

The Division I field includes all 16 U.S.-based Major League Soccer teams, marking the first time since 2006 that all Division I teams will take part. Meanwhile, all six U.S.-based North American Soccer League teams (Division II) and all 10 U.S.-based USL PRO teams (Division III) will complete the balance of the 32 professional sides competing (also a modern record). The amateur entries will feature 32 teams from various leagues affiliated with the U.S. Adult Soccer Association (including USASA regional qualifiers, the United Soccer Leagues Premier Development League and the National Premier Soccer League) and US Club Soccer.

Another revision heading into this year's U.S. Open Cup includes a random selection process for determining home teams from the first round through the quarterfinals among clubs that have applied to host. This change gives each participating team with a venue meeting tournament standards an equal chance at hosting its possible opponent for these rounds. All 2012 U.S. Open Cup matches until the final are scheduled for Tuesdays, with the championship taking place on either Tuesday, Aug. 7, or Wednesday, Aug. 8.

RSL LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (4-7-1 ALL-TIME; 20 GF / 24 GA)

2005



THIRD ROUND • JULY 13, 2005

James S. Griffin Stadium • St. Paul, MN
Minnesota Thunder (USL1) 6 : 4 Real Salt Lake

2006



THIRD ROUND • JULY 11, 2006

Rice-Eccles Stadium • Salt Lake City, UT
Real Salt Lake 2 : 1 Virginia Beach Mariners (USL1) (OT)



FOURTH ROUND • AUGUST 2, 2006

Rice-Eccles Stadium • Salt Lake City, UT
Real Salt Lake 0 : 1 Colorado Rapids

2007



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #1 • APRIL 18, 2007

Rice-Eccles Stadium • Salt Lake City, UT
Real Salt Lake 2 : 1 Kansas City Wizards (OT)



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #2 • MAY 23, 2007

Dick's Sporting Goods Park • Commerce City, CO
Colorado Rapids 2 : 1 Real Salt Lake

2008



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #1 • APRIL 30, 2008

Rice-Eccles Stadium • Salt Lake City, UT
Real Salt Lake 4 : 0 San Jose Earthquakes



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #2 • MAY 23, 2008

Columbus Crew Stadium • Columbus, Ohio
Columbus Crew 2 : 0 Real Salt Lake

2009



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #1 • APRIL 28, 2009

Starfire Sports Complex • Tukwila, WA
Seattle Sounders FC 4 : 1 Real Salt Lake

2010



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #1 • APRIL 14, 2010

Buck Shaw Stadium • Santa Clara, CA
San Jose Earthquakes 3 : 3 Real Salt Lake (RSL advances 5-3 on PKs)



MLS PLAY-IN GAME #2 • JUNE 2, 2010

RFK Stadium • Washington DC
D.C. United 2 : 1 Real Salt Lake (aet)

2011



THIRD ROUND • JUNE 28, 2011

Rio Tinto Stadium • Sandy, Utah
Real Salt Lake 2 : 0 Wilmington Hammerheads (USL PRO)



QUARTERFINALS • JULY 12, 2011

Pizza Hut Park • Frisco, TX
FC Dallas 2 : 0 Real Salt Lake

ALL-TIME U.S. OPEN CUP STATS

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
Andy Williams	10	6	756	3	1	2	0
Jason Kreis	2	2	210	3	0	1	0
Jeff Cunningham	3	3	256	2	1	1	0
Will Johnson	5	5	491	2	1	0	0
Kyle Beckerman	6	5	405	2	0	0	0
Jean Alexandre	5	3	378	1	1	1	0
Tony Beltran	7	6	629	1	0	1	0
Nat Borchers	5	4	464	1	0	0	0
Robbie Findley	4	4	390	1	0	0	0
Nelson González	2	1	77	1	0	0	0
Chris Klein	3	3	223	1	0	0	0
Yura Movsisyan	2	1	108	1	0	0	0
Jamie Watson	4	2	182	1	0	1	0
Mehdi Ballouchy	4	3	324	0	2	0	0
Chris Brown	5	3	233	0	1	0	0
Matias Cordoba	2	2	131	0	1	0	0
Matias Mantilla	2	2	180	0	1	0	0
Tino Nuñez	2	1	85	0	1	0	0
Robbie Russell	4	2	326	0	1	0	0
Seth Tremblay	1	1	120	0	1	1	0
Freddy Adu	2	2	165	0	0	0	0
Nelson Akwari	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Arturo Alvarez	1	0	32	0	0	0	0
Nikolas Besagno	3	3	293	0	0	0	0
Pablo Campos	2	1	80	0	0	0	0
Jordan Cila	1	0	17	0	0	0	0
Raphael Cox	1	0	19	0	0	0	0
Kenny Cutler	5	5	494	0	0	0	0
Brian Dunseth	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Luis Miguel Escalada	1	1	57	0	0	0	0
Fabian Espindola	4	1	183	0	0	2	0
Tiger Fitzpatrick	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
Willis Forko	3	3	330	0	0	0	0
Luis Gil	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
Ned Grabavoy	4	3	238	0	0	1	0
Atiba Harris	2	1	138	0	0	1	0
Duke Hashimoto	2	0	56	0	0	0	0
David Horst	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
Ryan Johnson	1	0	37	0	0	0	0
Ian Joy	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
Brian Kamler	1	1	103	0	0	0	0
Jean-Martial Kipré	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
Dustin Kirby	2	1	87	0	0	0	0
Cameron Knowles	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Dema Kovalenko	2	1	94	0	0	0	1
Luke Kreamalmeyer	1	0	75	0	0	0	0
Chris Lancos	2	1	148	0	0	1	0
Clint Mathis	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Rauwshan McKenzie	3	3	330	0	0	0	0
Javier Morales	3	0	106	0	0	0	0
Jay Nolly	3	3	330	0	0	0	0
Kevin Novak	2	2	210	0	0	0	0
Jamison Olave	3	3	226	0	0	1	0
Eddie Pope	2	2	114	0	0	0	0
Kyle Reynish	4	4	420	0	0	0	0
Nick Rimando	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
Álvaro Saborio	2	1	137	0	0	0	0
Chris Schuler	2	2	126	0	0	0	0
Chris Seitz	4	4	390	0	0	0	0
Dipsy Selolwane	1	0	36	0	0	1	0
Douglas Sequeira	1	0	15	0	0	0	0
Jack Stewart	3	2	246	0	0	0	0
Carey Talley	3	3	271	0	0	0	0
Daniel Torres	2	2	210	0	0	1	0
Collen Warner	4	3	295	0	0	1	0
Dante Washington	1	0	46	0	0	0	0
Chris Wingert	3	3	153	0	0	0	0
Joey Worthen	2	0	74	0	0	0	0
RSL totals	12	12	1230	20	12	19	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1230</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>1</i>



GAME-WINNING GOALS: Andy Williams 2, Kyle Beckerman 1, Tony Beltran 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Jean Alexandre 1, Mehdi Ballouchy 1, Jeff Cunningham 1, Matias Mantilla

PENALTY KICKS: Jeff Cunningham 2-2, Will Johnson 1-1, Jason Kreis 1-1

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
Kyle Reynish	4	4	420	7	1.50	1	1	1	2	1	1
Chris Seitz	4	4	390	7	1.62	1	1	2	2	0	1
Nick Rimando	1	1	90	2	2.00	0	0	0	1	0	0
Jay Nolly	3	3	330	8	2.18	0	0	1	2	0	0
RSL totals	12	12	1230	24	1.76	2	2	4	7	1	2



RSL RESERVE LEAGUE STATS (2005-08; 2011)

ALL-TIME RESERVES RECORD: (22-18-7)

POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
M/F	Arturo Alvarez	3	3	239	2	1	0	0
FW	Chris Agorsor	5	3	286	1	0	0	0
FW	Conor Chinn	4	4	285	1	0	1	0
MF	Collen Warner	9	9	525	1	0	2	0
MF	Jean Alexandre	8	8	698	1	0	2	0
MF	Nelson Gonzalez	6	5	426	0	2	2	1
DF	Julio Alarcon*	5	4	338	0	0	1	0
MF	Jordan Allen	1	0	17	0	0	0	0
MF	Yordany Alvarez	4	4	342	0	0	1	0
FW	Cody Arnoux	6	3	299	0	0	1	0
DF	Tony Beltran	4	3	299	0	0	0	0
DF	Leone Cruz#	2	2	172	0	0	0	0
DF	Paulo da Silva#	2	0	21	0	0	0	0
MF	David Flores#	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
MF	Luis Gil	6	5	434	0	0	0	0
MF	Ned Grabavoy	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
FW	Paulo Jr.	7	6	429	0	0	0	0
DF	Phanuel Kavita*	3	2	200	0	0	0	0
DF	Rauwshan McKenzie	10	10	900	0	0	1	0
MF	Paulo Mendes#	1	0	35	0	0	0	0
FW	Pedro Mendes#	1	0	18	0	0	0	0
MF	Nico Muniz	6	3	346	0	0	1	0
MF	Kevin Molina#	1	0	45	0	0	0	0
MF	Lucas Neel#	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
MF	Nelio#	1	1	77	0	0	0	0
M/F	Maikon Orellana*	3	2	154	0	0	0	0
DF	Robbie Russell	1	0	14	0	0	0	0
DF	Chris Schuler	6	6	540	0	0	1	1
DF	Seth Sinovic#	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
FW	Donny Toia	9	7	458	0	0	3	0
MF	Ricardo Velasco*	5	1	135	0	0	2	0
DF	Blake Wagner	6	5	293	0	0	1	0
MF	Andy Williams	1	0	35	0	0	0	0
DF	Chris Wingert	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
RSL totals		10	10	900	6	3	19	2
<i>Opponent totals</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>

(*)- RSL-Arizona Academy player

(#)- RSL guest player



A fan favorite, Jamie Watson (2005 -2007), was a regular on the reserve team, playing in 32 games, with 27 starts, notching 11 goals and seven assists. The Dallas, Texas native was selected by RSL thirteenth overall in the second round of the 2005 MLS SuperDraft.

REAL SALT LAKE RESERVES INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
GK	Tim Melia 7	5	475	7	1.75	3	3	1	4	0	0	
GK	Kyle Reynish	6	5	425	3	0.60	1	1	2	3	0	2
Team Totals		10	10	900	10	1.00	4	4	3	7	0	3
<i>Opponent totals</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0.60</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>7</i>

REAL SALT LAKE RESERVES 2011 RESULTS/SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT/TIME (MT)
3/29	FC Dallas Reserves	0-2 L
4/14	Colorado Rapids Reserves	2-0 W
5/03	@ Sporting KC Reserves	0-2 L
5/14	Houston Dynamo Reserves	0-1 L
5/22	@ FC Dallas Reserves	2-0 W
8/21	@ Houston Dynamo Reserves	0-1 L
9/06	@ Chicago Fire Reserves	0-2 L
9/18	Sporting KC Reserves	0-1 L
10/08	Chicago Fire Reserves	0-1 L
10/15	@Colorado Rapids Reserves	2-0 W

VENUE

XanGo Field – Lehi, Utah
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Swope Park Training Center – Kansas City, Missouri
Rio Tinto Stadium – Sandy, Utah
Pizza Hut Park – Frisco, Texas
Robertson Stadium – Houston, Texas
Toyota Park – Bridgeview, Illinois
XanGo Field – Lehi, Utah
XanGo Field – Lehi, Utah
Dicks Sporting Goods Park



2010 SEASON IN REVIEW

Real Salt Lake's title defense lasted nearly 10 months from March to November, a sometimes arduous stretch that saw the six-year old organization's first foray into meaningful international competition, a visit to the White House to commemorate the MLS Cup Championship in 2009 and an ultimately shocking and disappointing "game for the ages" in Mexico City that had the U.S. soccer blogosphere hyperventilating with anticipation.

On a November evening in the RSL locker room, eyes filled with tears found it impossible to believe that after losing just four games out of 38 in all competitions over the previous six months that an incredibly dynamic, record-setting season – one when many "firsts" were accomplished – was now over, and that another team – eventually, its chief rival – would be crowned MLS Cup champion.

While Real Salt Lake did not repeat – something that has occurred just twice in Major League Soccer's 15 seasons – Jason Kreis' team accomplished several franchise and American soccer milestones that contribute to an "unfinished business" fuel for 2011. Depth was a massive key to the team's success in 2010, as RSL saw 16 different players score in three competitions, and a total of 23 players earning starts. Therefore, it can truly be called a TEAM effort as Real Salt Lake established new all-time MLS standards in several categories, including: fewest goals allowed (20), overall goal differential (+25), total home points (37), fewest home losses (0) and fewest home goals allowed (7) during the 2010 season.



While RSL was the highest-scoring team in MLS last year with 45 goals in 30 games for an average of 1.50 goals/game, defense takes precedence in Jason Kreis' "Team is the Star" system. The total commitment of all 11 players on the field to the defensive side of the ball allowed 2010 Real Salt Lake to amass two of the top four shutout streaks in MLS history. GK Nick Rimando played all 568 minutes of the third longest streak for a team and goalkeeper during August and September, which surpassed – by one minute – the run accumulated from late May to mid-July, during which Rimando contributed 511 minutes of spotless soccer.

RSL concluded the 2010 season with just 20 goals allowed in 30 games – smashing the previous record of 23 goals conceded in 30 games, a mark set by the 2007 Houston Dynamo. The average of just 0.67 goals allowed per game was by far the lowest GAA in team history (2009, 1.17 goals/game). The total of 15 shutouts (14 Rimando, 1 Reynish) far surpasses the all-time team season mark of 10 clean sheets, set during the MLS Cup-winning 2009 campaign. Rimando surpassed by three clean sheets his personal-best season total of 11 shutouts, set in 2005 with D.C. United, when he appeared between the pipes for all 2700 minutes of his team's 30 regular-season games.

The team's commitment to defense resulted in not one, but both regular centerbacks – Nat Borchers and Jamison Olave, the combination affectionately known as "Bor-Lave" – named to the 2010 MLS Best XI, while All-Star GK Nick Rimando was a finalist – and, ultimately, an unceremonious snub – for the League's annual Goalkeeper of the Year honor.

Also receiving year-end accolades around MLS was team MVP Javier Morales, finally receiving the richly-deserved league-wide recognition that had eluded him in 2008 and 2009 as the sublime playmaker joined Borchers and Olave on the Best XI selection. Also an All-Star, Morales was a two-time MLS Player of the Week, each following two-goal performances against San Jose and Columbus, earned Goal of the Week honors against Houston, and tallied the game-winning goal in the 80th minute of a mid-June game – albeit controversially – at home just prior to the FIFA World Cup 2010 South Africa over previously-undefeated Los Angeles.

Morales was the straw that stirred the potent drink that was the RSL attack, the team setting franchise records in wins (15), goals (45), scoring output (1.50/game), points (56), shutouts (15), road points (19) and road goal differential (+1). The prime beneficiary of Morales' mastery? The man who would win MLS Newcomer of the Year honors, Costa Rican striker Álvaro Saborío.

"Sabo" joined RSL late in the preseason on loan from Swiss club FC Sion after a dismal period at Bristol City in England. The former Saprissa star made an immediate impact for Jason Kreis' team, coming off the bench in the team's home opener against Seattle and tallying a stoppage-time equalizer to ensure that the sell-out crowd – many of whom had come to celebrate the pre-game raising of the MLS Cup 2009 championship banner and the players' ring ceremony – went home happy. That goal was the first of 18 in 32 MLS and CCL games for Saborio, who tallied five games with two or more goals and demonstrated a penchant for clutch scores, with two stoppage-time equalizers and two game-winning goals in the 85th minute or beyond.

Never was Real Salt Lake's "never stop fighting" attitude on display brighter than it was in the regular-season finale at Colorado in a game that would determine the winner of the 2010 Rocky Mountain Cup. RSL, seemingly exhausted by the 22,000 miles spent criss-crossing North America as part of CONCACAF Champions League Group Play, was down 0-2 to the rival Rapids in a game that had MLS Cup Playoff seeding and Supporters Shield implications for both teams.

In the 90th minute, Colorado 'keeper Matt Pickens took a little extra time clearing a back pass, allowing the "always hunting" Saborio to get his outstretched foot on the ball, which bounced off the ground behind Pickens and struck the Colorado crossbar. With a backtracking Pickens losing his balance searching to recover from the gaffe, Saborio, in true poacher fashion, slammed home the ball to cut the Colorado lead to just one goal in perhaps the most bizarre scoring play of the MLS season. Five minutes later, deep into stoppage time, Sabo converted a penalty kick for the equalizer, which ensured that RSL – despite its worst performance in months – would earn a point to tie Los Angeles in the Supporters Shield race entering the final day of the season and retain the valued Rocky Mountain Cup for the fourth consecutive season.



2010 SEASON IN REVIEW

Saborio also shone brightest in key moments during RSL's CONCACAF run, scoring six goals in five group games and leading the Claret-and-Cobalt to become the first-ever MLS team (and one of just 3 non-Mexican teams) to win a CONCACAF group, posting a 4-1-1 mark (with 13 points, one ahead of Mexican power Cruz Azul) and advancing to the Championship Stage. Real Salt Lake, which also saw Will Johnson, Fabian Espindola, Paulo Junior, Kyle Beckerman, Javier Morales, Jamison Olave and Collen Warner score CCL goals, was the 2nd highest-scoring team in the 2010/11 tournament, with 17 goals across six games (2.83 goals/game).



The team's CCL campaign will be remembered by MLS fans across the globe due to the team's rain-soaked tilt with Mexican power Cruz Azul. Hailed as an instant classic and a game for the ages, RSL trailed 0-1 in Mexico City before earning a 2-1 halftime lead and a 3-1 advantage in the 74th minute, courtesy of a Saborio brace and his set-up for Fabian Espindola. In devastating fashion on a pitch with massive amounts of standing water, Cruz Azul scored three goals in the final quarter-hour (75', 88', 89') amid the monsoon-like conditions to take the lead into stoppage time.

In yet another "never say die" moment for RSL, Canadian international Will Johnson slotted home a ball at 92+ to knot the game at 4-4, but Mexican international Christian Jimenez scored just seconds after the ensuing kickoff to deny RSL – and MLS – the first-ever American club victory on Mexican soil. From May 1 to Oct. 19, RSL amassed 64 points in 30 games played – the equivalent of an MLS season – in combined MLS and CCL play, a points haul equal to the 3rd-best run EVER by an MLS team (Los Angeles in 1997/98 and 2009/10 accrued 70 and 66 points over a 30-game period).

In 2010, RSL extended its Rio Tinto Stadium dominance (11-0-4 MLS, 3-0-0 CCL) to become just the second MLS team to post an undefeated home campaign (San Jose 2005). Entering 2011, the home unbeaten streak is at 25 MLS games and counting, 33 if you include Playoffs, CCL and international exhibitions. In MLS play, RSL has outscored league opponents 53-12, with 15 different scorers (Saborio and former striker Robbie Findley lead with nine goals each).



2010 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

REGULAR SEASON RECORD: 15-4-11, 56 pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	GOALS
3/27	at San Jose	W 3-0	10,589	1-0-0	T1	3	RSL: Morales (14,54) Espindola (27)
4/01	at Houston	L 1-2	18,197	1-1-0	T3	3	RSL: Morales (17); HOU: Davis (53,56)
4/10	Seattle	T 2-2	19,970	1-1-1	T2	4	RSL: Johnson (53) Saborio (90); SEA: Zakuan (11) Marshall (72)
4/17	at Los Angeles	L 1-2	20,344	1-2-1	T5	4	RSL: Beckerman (41); LA: Buddle (12,76)
4/24	at Columbus	L 0-1	14,322	1-3-1	7	4	CLB: Barros Schelotto (38)
5/01	Toronto FC	W 2-1	12,659	2-3-1	T6	7	RSL: Olave (14) Williams (42); TOR: De Rosario (88)
5/08	Philadelphia	W 3-0	14,224	3-3-1	T4	10	RSL: Beckerman (27) Olave (51) Saborio (70)
5/13	Houston	W 3-1	12,945	4-3-1	T2	13	RSL: Findley (3) Saborio (24,60); HOU: Mullan (72)
5/22	at Chivas USA	W 2-1	14,287	5-3-1	T2	16	RSL: Wingert (45) Espindola (89); CHV: Braun (80)
5/29	Kansas City	W 4-1	15,588	6-3-1	2	19	RSL: Espindola (31) Saborio (34) Russell (84) Grabavoy (90); KC: Wolff (42)
6/05	at D.C. United	T 0-0	15,328	6-3-2	2	20	
6/09	Los Angeles	W 1-0	19,513	7-3-2	2	23	RSL: Morales (80)
6/25	San Jose	T 0-0	16,216	7-3-3	2	24	
7/02	New England	W 5-0	19,101	8-3-3	2	27	RSL: Espindola (27) Olave (45) Saborio (52,57) Findley (85)
7/08	at Chicago	W 1-0	17,847	9-3-3	2	30	RSL: Findley (40)
7/17	at FC Dallas	L 0-2	11,170	9-4-3	2	30	DAL: Shea (69) Harris (76)
7/24	Chivas USA	T 1-1	19,469	9-4-4	2	31	RSL: Grabavoy (66); CHV: Padilla (70)
7/31	D.C. United	W 3-1	17,719	10-4-4	2	34	RSL: Saborio (13) Findley (79) Gonzalez (90)
8/07	at Kansas City	T 1-1	10,385	10-4-5	2	35	RSL: Findley (33); KC: Kamara (21)
8/11	at Philadelphia	T 1-1	16,128	10-4-6	2	36	RSL: Espindola (17); PHI: Mwanga (8)
8/14	Columbus	W 2-0	16,906	11-4-6	2	39	RSL: Morales (11,60)
8/28	at Toronto FC	T 0-0	21,047	11-4-7	2	40	
9/04	New York	W 1-0	19,115	12-4-7	2	43	RSL: Espindola (4)
9/09	at Seattle	T 0-0	36,078	12-4-8	T1	44	
9/18	Chicago	W 1-0	14,449	13-4-8	2	47	RSL: Saborio (45)
9/25	Colorado	T 1-1	18,317	13-4-9	2	48	RSL: Borchers (90); COL: Casey (36)
10/02	at New England	W 2-1	18,130	14-4-9	1	51	RSL: Borchers (68) Saborio (84); NE: Nyassi (82)
10/09	at New York	T 0-0	20,829	14-4-10	2	52	
10/16	FC Dallas	W 2-0	20,236	15-4-10	2	55	RSL: Grabavoy (59) Morales (90)
10/23	at Colorado	T 2-2	17,729	15-4-11	T1	56	RSL: Saborio (90,90); COL: Cummings (16) Casey (50)

REAL SALT LAKE 2010 MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS

WESTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINAL SERIES

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
10/30	at FC Dallas	L 1-2	11,003	(RSL trail 1-2 agg)	RSL: Espindola (5); DAL: Cunningham (44) Avila (88)
11/6	FC Dallas	T 1-1	19,324	(RSL losses 2-3 agg)	RSL: Findley (79); DAL: McCarty (17)

REAL SALT LAKE 2010 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (MLS PLAY-IN ROUNDS)

4/14	at San Jose	T 3-3	2,718	RSL wins 5-3 on PKs	RSL: Findley (7), Gonzalez (60), Borchers (118); SJ: Leitch (68), Alvarez (88), Morrow (103)
6/02	at D.C. United	L 1-2 (aet)	3,074	RSL eliminated in OT	RSL: Johnson (80); DC: Emilio (70) Najjar (103)

REAL SALT LAKE 2010 CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE RESULTS

8/18	Arabe Unido (PAN)	W 2-1	10,626	1-0-0 Late PK winner	RSL: Saborio (45, 94+); DAU: Cooper (13)
8/05	at Cruz Azul (MEX)	L 4-5	3,400	1-1-0 History denied	RSL: Saborio (23, 43) Espindola (64) Johnson (92+); CAZ: Orozco (5, 75, 88, 89) Gimenez (93+)
9/14	Toronto FC (CAN)	W 4-1	11,579	2-1-0 Dom. @home	RSL: Beckerman (21) Olave (40) Saborio (69) Paulo (80); TOR: Santos (8)
9/22	at Arabe Unido (PAN)	W 3-2	500	3-1-0 Huge away win	RSL: Johnson (10, 43) Espindola (36); DAU: Aguilar (2) Angulo (52)
9/29	at Toronto FC (CAN)	T 1-1	10,581	3-1-1 QF clincher	RSL: Morales (67); TOR: Peterson (20)
10/19	Cruz Azul (MEX)	W 3-1	20,463	4-1-1 Group clincher	RSL: Paulo Junior (43, 67) Warner (69); CAZ: Villatuz (71)

REAL SALT LAKE 2010 INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY RESULTS

5/15	Mexico U-21s	T 1-1	3,469	Reserve game action	RSL: Campos (57); MEX: Trejo (88)
6/19	Puntarenas FC (CRC)	W 2-0	9,420	CCL tune-up	RSL: Morales (41) Campos (55)

2010 RSL STATS-AT-A-GLANCE

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED:

3' - Findley, 5/13 v. HOU
4' - Espindola, 9/04 v. NY
11' - Morales, 8/14 v. CLB
13' - Saborio, 7/31 v. DC
14' - Morales, 3/27 @ SJ

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED:

2' - Aguilar, 9/22 @ DAU
8' - Mwanga, 8/11 @ PHI
8' - Santos, 9/15 v. TOR
11' - Zakuani, 4/10 v. SEA
12' - Buddle, 4/17 @ LA

RSL EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

Saborio, 4/10 v. SEA [94+]
Borchers, 9/25 v. COL [93+]
Saborio, 10/23 @ COL [95+]

OPP. EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

Braun, 5/22 @ CHV [80']
Nyassi, 10/02 @ NE [82']
Orozco, 8/25 @ CAZ [88']

2010 AWARD WINNERS

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week 1 - MF Javier Morales - His pair of stunning upper-90 seeking bombs, an assist on Espindola's insurance tally, and overall dominance of the middle of the park sparked RSL to a 3-0 win @ SJ in the 2010 season opener

Week 8 - FW Álvaro Saborio - Lashed a 24' low line drive to the near post to give RSL a 2-0 lead v. nemesis Houston, then added another in the 60' with a point-blank header off a succinct Javier Morales free kick

Week 20 - MF Javier Morales - The Argentine playmaker scored on two scintillating shots, first in the 11th minute from the corner of the penalty box to give RSL an early lead, then icing the game with a 60th minute free kick through the wall and again into the far side

RSL GAME WINNERS AFTER 75':

Saborio, 8/18 v. DAU [94']
Espindola, 5/22 @ CHV [89']
Morales, 6/09 v. LA [80']
Saborio, 10/02 @ NE [84']

OPP. GWG AFTER 75':

Buddle, 4/17 @ LA [76']
Gimenez, 8/25 @ CAZ [93+]

RSL MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Morales, 3/27 @ SJ [14', 54']
Saborio, 5/13 v. HOU [24', 60']
Saborio, 7/02 v. NE [52', 57']
Morales, 8/14 v. CLB [11', 60']
Saborio, 8/18 v. DAU [44', 92+]
Saborio, 8/25 v. CAZ [26', 43']
Johnson, 9/22 @ DAU [10', 43']
Paulo Jr., 10/19 v. CAZ [43', 67']
Saborio, 10/23 @ COL [90', 95+]

OPP. MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Davis, 4/01 @ HOU [53', 56']
Buddle, 4/17 @ LA [12', 76']

MLS GOAL OF THE WEEK

Week 2 - MF Javier Morales - The beneficiary of the ultimate "team" goal, Morales took a ball that had come to him off a Nick Rimando free kick, played it forward to new teammate Alvaro Saborio. The Costa Rican international slotted it to Captain Kyle Beckerman, who found an onrushing Morales in the box, with the Argentine playmaker beating Houston GK Pat Onstad to the far post

Week 17 - MF Ned Grabavoy - Coming off the bench in the 62nd minute for returning starter Kyle Beckerman, Grabavoy latched onto a cleared RSL corner kick and laced a left-footed volley from 20 yards out into the far upper corner to give RSL a 1-0 home lead

Week 25 - DF Nat Borchers - Crashing the box with literally seconds left in the game, down 0-1 to rival Colorado [his former team!] with a league-record 24-game home

2010 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
MLS Regular Season:	11-0-4 [31/7]	4-4-7 [14/13]	15-4-11 [45/20]	In Claret:	11-0-4 [31/7]	1-2-2 [3/4]	12-2-6 [34/11]
One-Goal Games:	4-0-0	3-3-0	6-3-0	In Gold:	N/A	0-0-2 [2/2]	0-0-2 [2/2]
				In White:	N/A [-/-]	3-2-3 [9/7]	3-2-3 [9/7]
vs. East:	8-0-0 [21/2]	2-1-5 [5/4]	10-1-5 [26/6]	On KUTV2/KUSG:	6-0-3 [16/4]	2-2-5 [8/9]	8-2-8 [24/13]
vs. West:	3-0-4 [10/5]	2-3-2 [9/9]	5-3-6 [19/14]	On ESPN2:	1-0-0 [3/1]	1-1-1 [2/2]	2-1-1 [5/3]
First 15 games:	6-0-2 [20/5]	3-3-1 [8/6]	9-3-3 [28/11]	On Teletuturu:	1-0-0 [1/0]	0-0-1 [0/0]	1-0-1 [1/0]
Last 15 games:	5-0-2 [11/2]	1-1-6 [6/7]	6-1-8 [17/9]	On FSC:	0-0-1 [1/1]	1-1-0 [4/2]	1-1-1 [5/3]
					1-0-3 [5/2]		
Before All-Star:	6-0-3 [21/6]	3-4-1 [8/8]	9-4-4 [29/14]	Opp. Local TV:	8-0-1 [23/4]	2-2-5 [8/9]	10-2-6 [30/13]
Since All-Star:	5-0-1 [10/1]	1-0-6 [6/5]	6-0-7 [16/6]				
Scoring First:	11-0-1	4-1-0	15-1-1	In March:	N/A [-/-]	1-0-0 [3/0]	1-0-0 [3/0]
Opp. Scoring First:	0-0-2	0-3-3	0-3-5	In April:	0-0-1 [2/2]	0-3-0 [2/5]	0-3-1 [4/7]
				In May:	4-0-0 [12/3]	1-0-0 [2/1]	5-0-0 [14/4]
Leading at Half:	9-0-0	3-1-0	12-1-0	In June:	1-0-1 [1/0]	0-0-1 [0/0]	1-0-2 [1/0]
Tied at Half:	2-0-2	1-2-6	3-2-8	In July:	2-0-1 [9/1]	1-1-0 [1/2]	3-1-1 [10/3]
Trailing at Half:	0-0-2	0-1-1	0-1-3	In August:	1-0-0 [2/0]	0-0-3 [2/2]	1-0-3 [4/2]
				In September:	2-0-1 [3/1]	0-0-1 [0/0]	2-0-2 [3/1]
Leading at 75':	10-0-0	4-0-0	14-0-0	In October:	1-0-0 [2/0]	1-0-2 [4/3]	2-0-2 [6/3]
Tied at 75':	1-0-2	0-1-6	1-1-8				
Trailing at 75':	0-0-2	0-3-1	0-3-3	MLS Regular Season:	11-0-4 [31/7]	4-4-7 [14/13]	15-4-10 [45/20]
Day Games:	2-0-0 [4/0]	0-0-1 [0/0]	2-0-1 [4/0]	U.S. Open Cup:	N/A [-/-]	0-1-1 [4/5]	0-1-1 [4/5]
Night Games:	9-0-4 [27/7]	4-4-6 [14/13]	13-4-10 [41/20]	CONCACAF CL:	3-0-0 [9/3]	1-1-1 [8/8]	4-1-1 [17/11]
				Friendlylies:	0-0-1 [1/1]	N/A [-/-]	0-0-1 [1/1]
On Grass:	11-0-4 [31/7]	3-4-6 [12/12]	14-4-10 [43/19]	Playoffs:	0-0-1 [1/1]	0-1-0 [1/2]	0-1-1 [2/3]
On Turf:	N/A	1-0-1 [2/1]	1-0-1 [2/1]	TOTALS	14-0-6 [42/12]	5-7-9 [27/28]	19-7-15 [68/40]



2010 RSL REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	FW	Alvaro Saborio	27	23	1988	12	4	51	22	30	30	21	0	3	0
11	MF	Javier Morales	26	25	2163	7	9	42	21	35	76	4	80	2	0
7	FW	Fabian Espindola	22	19	1514	6	2	39	15	26	22	29	1	5	0
10	FW	Robbie Findley	24	15	1355	5	4	33	14	5	23	22	0	0	0
20	MF	Ned Grabavoy	23	18	1562	3	1	10	6	19	28	1	1	4	0
4	DF	Jamison Olave	27	27	2413	3	0	15	5	30	16	2	0	8	0
5	MF	Kyle Beckerman	22	21	1830	2	3	17	4	25	15	0	1	4	0
6	DF	Nat Borchers	30	30	2673	2	0	10	4	22	13	1	0	4	0
77	MF	Andy Williams	30	20	1862	1	7	32	10	24	25	2	23	5	0
3	DF	Robbie Russell	22	21	1915	1	5	9	6	8	8	0	0	0	0
22	MF	Nelson Gonzalez	12	3	330	1	1	5	3	12	4	0	9	1	0
8	MF	Will Johnson	28	24	2184	1	1	40	12	23	25	6	18	3	0
17	DF	Chris Wingert	24	22	1985	1	0	9	2	26	15	1	0	4	0
2	DF	Tony Beltran	18	17	1493	0	1	3	1	12	12	1	0	1	0
19	FW	Pablo Campos	16	3	434	0	1	12	4	15	7	4	0	2	0
12	MF	Jean Alexandre	15	5	494	0	0	4	3	15	1	0	0	2	0
23	FW	Paulo Jr.	3	0	65	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
30	DF	Rauwshan McKenzie	4	2	224	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	1	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	27	27	2430	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
28	DF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
26	MF	Collen Warner	13	4	426	0	0	6	2	4	6	1	0	2	0
21	MF	Luis Gil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	DF	David Horst	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	GK	Tim Melia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
-	MF	Alex Nimo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team totals			30	30	2700	45	39	340	135	335	348	95	133	51	0
Opponent totals			30	30	2700	20	18	320	113	348	333	53	158	49	3

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Alvaro Saborio 5, Fabian Espindola 3, Javier Morales 3, Kyle Beckerman 1, Robbie Findley 1, Ned Grabavoy 1, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Javier Morales 3, Fabian Espindola 2, Robbie Findley 2, Robbie Russell 2, Kyle Beckerman 1, Tony Beltran 1, Ned Grabavoy 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Andy Williams 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Alvaro Saborio 2-2, Robbie Findley 1-2

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	27	27	2430	100	78	18	0.67	4	4	15	4	8	14
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	3	3	270	13	11	2	0.67	0	0	0	0	3	1
Team totals			30	30	2700	113	89	20	0.67	4	4	15	4	11	15
Opponent total			30	30	2700	135	85	45	1.50	3	4	4	15	11	7

2010 MLS CUP PLAYOFF STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
7	FW	Fabian Espindola	2	2	163	1	0	4	2	1	2	4	0	0	0
10	FW	Robbie Findley	2	0	47	1	0	4	2	1	1	1	1	0	0
77	MF	Andy Williams	2	2	158	0	2	4	1	2	3	0	6	1	0
6	DF	Nat Borchers	2	2	180	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	0
12	MF	Jean Alexandre	1	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	FW	Paulo Jr.	1	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	MF	Kyle Beckerman	2	2	180	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	0
2	DF	Tony Beltran	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
20	MF	Ned Grabavoy	2	2	163	0	0	2	1	3	1	0	0	1	0
8	MF	Will Johnson	2	1	112	0	0	3	2	0	4	0	4	0	0
11	MF	Javier Morales	1	1	69	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	1	1
4	DF	Jamison Olave	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
3	DF	Robbie Russell	2	2	146	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
15	FW	Alvaro Saborio	2	2	133	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
26	MF	Collen Warner	1	0	34	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
17	DF	Chris Wingert	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Team totals			2	2	180	2	3	22	10	25	26	6	12	5	1
Opponent totals			2	2	180	3	3	19	7	26	25	3	10	4	1

GAME-WINNING GOALS: None

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

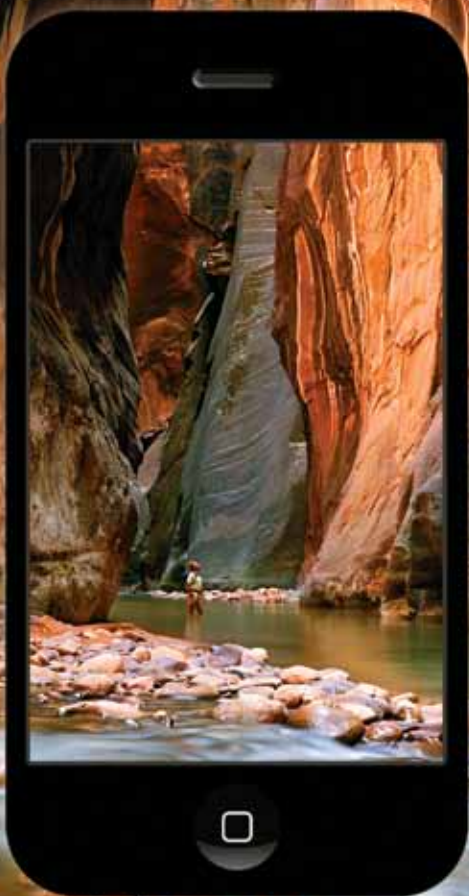
REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	2	2	180	7	4	3	1.50	0	0	0	1	1	0
Team totals			2	2	180	7	4	3	1.50	0	0	0	1	1	0
Opponent totals			2	2	180	10	8	2	1.00	0	0	1	0	1	0



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2010 U.S. OPEN CUP



RSL played two rounds of MLS qualifying for the 2010 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup but did not qualify for the 40-team tournament proper. Thus, RSL's 2010 USOC stats and results do not count in U.S. Soccer's official tournament records.

2010 REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP "PLAY-IN" RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Result	Venue	Goals
4/14	at San Jose Earthquakes	3-3 T (aet)	Buck Shaw Stadium	RSL: Findley (7'), Gonzalez (60'), Borchers (118')
		PKW 5-3	Santa Clara, Calif.	SJ: Leitch (68'), Alvarez (88'), Morrow (108')

Penalty Kicks: RSL - Johnson (goal), Beckerman (goal), Findley (goal), Russell (goal), Williams (goal)
 SJ - Alvarez (wide right), Gjertsen (goal), McDonald (goal), Sanchez (goal)

6/02	at D.C. United	1-2 L (aet)	RFK Stadium Washington, D.C.	RSL: Johnson (81') DC: Emilio (75'), Najar (107')
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2010 REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP STATS

#	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
6	DF Nat Borchers	2	2	240	1	0	0	0
10	FW Robbie Findley	1	1	120	1	0	0	0
22	MF Nelson Gonzalez	1	1	61	1	0	0	0
8	MF Will Johnson	2	2	240	1	0	0	0
3	DF Robbie Russell	2	1	209	0	1	0	0
12	MF Jean Alexandre	2	2	240	0	0	1	0
2	DF Tony Beltran	2	2	240	0	0	1	0
5	MF Kyle Beckerman	1	0	51	0	0	0	0
19	FW Pablo Campos	1	1	63	0	0	0	0
21	MF Luis Gil	1	0	29	0	0	0	0
20	MF Ned Grabavoy	1	1	63	0	0	0	0
7	FW Fabián Espíndola	2	0	97	0	0	0	0
30	DF Rauwshan McKenzie	2	2	240	0	0	0	0
15	FW Alvaro Saborío	2	1	137	0	0	0	0
26	MF Collen Warner	2	2	189	0	0	1	0
17	DF Chris Wingert	1	1	31	0	0	0	0
77	MF Andy Williams	1	0	59	0	0	0	0
11	MF Javier Morales	1	0	57	0	0	0	0
24	GK Kyle Reynish	2	2	240	0	0	0	0
	RSL totals	2	2	240	4	1	3	0
	Opponent totals	2	2	240	5	2	2	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: None

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None

PENALTY KICKS: Johnson 1-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24 GK Kyle Reynish	2	2	240	5	1.88	2	2	0	1	1	0
RSL Totals	2	2	240	5	1.88	2	2	0	1	1	0
Opponent totals	2	2	240	4	1.50	1	1	1	0	1	0



2009 SEASON IN REVIEW

Real Salt Lake entered the 2009 campaign with an unfamiliar aura: an unprecedented amount of roster stability, combined with heightened expectations due to 2008's Western Conference Final run. For a team that boasted just one player – fan favorite Andy Williams – from its inaugural team in 2005, the stability established by returning 12 of the 14 players who had appeared in the disappointing 0-1 home playoff loss to New York was most evident at the team's Rio Tinto Stadium home during 2009 (only Dema Kovalenko and Fabian Espindola were absent as the season kicked off, although Espindola returned in late May to the RSL fold).

The team's 9-1-5 mark – and 34-10 aggregate goal margin on its natural Rio Tinto Stadium pitch – resulted in the best home record in MLS in 2009. While tying a league record established by the 1998 Chicago Fire for home goal differential (+24), RSL also rewrote team record books with several historic moments – most notably the first-ever RSL hat trick in League play from FW Robbie Findley in the home opener against Columbus (April 2), four unanswered goals in the second half to erase a 0-2 halftime deficit in a 4-2, Pioneer Day win over FC Dallas (July 24), and a six-goal second-half outburst in a 6-0 rout of New England (April 25), one which featured goals by six different players.

The late-April win over the Revolution would be the team's last for nearly seven weeks, as all of May and early June represented a swoon that saw Real Salt Lake shut out four times in seven games, scoring just four goals (not including a 1-4 road loss in a U.S. Open Cup Qualifier at Seattle). Two of the goals came in a disappointing 2-2 home draw that saw RSL hold not one but two leads in second-half stoppage time. Catharsis came with a 2-0 road win at Los Angeles against the Galaxy in mid-June, in one of the most complete road performances of the season, if not the team's brief history.

The return of Espindola and a switch to a 4-3-3 formation, away from the trademark diamond midfield employed by Head Coach Jason Kreis since taking over the team shook things up throughout the rest of June all the way to late August, by whence RSL had dropped just two of 10 games, and won over several thousand of the Utah market's Hispanic fans with a dominating 1-0 win in an international friendly vs. Club America. Findley and Movsisyan combined to score 8 of the 14 RSL goals scored during that span, Movsisyan's red-hot June surely a factor in his decision depart Major League Soccer and sign a pre-contract with Danish club Randers FC on July 1, six months prior to the expiry of his MLS/RSL obligation.

The Real Salt Lake defense stepped up big during the late Summer emergence, with GK Nick Rimando tallying six shutouts in an 11-game span and the central pairing of team MVP Nat Borchers and Defender of the Year Jamison Olave controlling the rearguard. Only three times in that 11-game run did RSL allow more than one goal, albeit in three-goal road losses at Columbus and at New England. It was the home shutouts against Chivas and Houston in August that inspired hope for the team, as well as a gritty, 1-0 road win at Kansas City that saw newcomer Pablo Campos notch the game-winner, even with RSL playing the final 45+ minutes a man down due to a Ned Grabavoy red card.

However, the home domination demonstrated by Real Salt Lake during the 2008 and 2009 seasons – a mark of 19-3-11 in MLS play in Utah's thin air – contrasted sharply with the team's ongoing struggles on the road. On Labor Day Weekend, RSL had just six games remaining – three each in September and October, sandwiched around a bizarre 18-day break in early October – to seize the day and attempt to go one step further than it had in 2008. Kreis used the 18-day break as a "mini-Preseason" to put each player on the roster on notice that his job was up for grabs, and to install a renewed confidence in the locker room. A return to the 4-4-2 diamond and an electric 1-1 draw in an



international friendly with Mexican powerhouse Chivas de Guadalajara did just that, as RSL entered the final stretch with resolve to prove that the preseason hype was legitimate, and that the Claret-and-Cobalt belonged among Major League Soccer's elite.

The inability to win away from home in the late months – a heart-breaker at Houston, a devastatingly embarrassing performance at last-place FC Dallas and a loss in perhaps the team's best road form at Toronto – kept RSL from competing for the West's top spot, instead leaving the Utah squad fighting for its postseason lives through the final days of the season, right up until the final weekend. With the now-traditional season-finance showdown against Rocky Mountain Cup rival Colorado determining the playoff fate of at least one of the teams for the third consecutive year, it was Real Salt Lake once again stepping it up with a dominant 3-0 triumph at home, sparked by two Findley goals and a Yura Movsisyan dagger that helped RSL control what it could of its playoff destiny. The results of two other concurrent matches – and three others in total – on the final Saturday of 2009 conspired to Jason Kreis' team clinching an unlikely spot in the MLS Cup Playoffs for a second straight season.

"The one thing that sticks out in my mind more than anything is how we managed to stay together and really keep believing when everybody else didn't believe in us anymore," said All-Star midfielder Will Johnson.

As the eighth overall seed, but the fifth-place finisher in the Western Conference, Real Salt Lake provided fodder for the critics with its sub-.500 regular season record of 11-12-7. Crossing over into the Eastern Conference playoff bracket, RSL hoped to duplicate the run of the Red Bulls that stung the Utahns just a year prior. It was déjà vu all over again in the first round against the defending champion Columbus Crew, as a late goal in the first leg at home, this time by Robbie Findley, pushed RSL out to a 1-0 series lead. Real Salt Lake straightened out its road form at just the right time, a shock 3-2 win in the second leg propelling the visitors on to the East Final at Chicago the following week. After a hard-fought and scoreless 120 minutes of regulation and overtime at Toyota Park, RSL goalkeeper Nick Rimando would step to the forefront, saving three of the Fire's seven penalty kick attempts, the last of which set up Ned Grabavoy's conversion that gave the Utah club a 5-4 PK win and the fifth-year club its first-ever MLS Cup appearance.



2009 SEASON IN REVIEW

Through the struggles on the road and inconsistent stretches of play, however, RSL players and coaches never relinquished their belief they could put it all together when it came time to do so. Real coach Jason Kreis said his team never felt like the underdog at any point in the season.

"I guess that's the image that was portrayed and a lot of people feel that way about us," Kreis said. "But, inside the locker room, we were never a Cinderella team. Inside the locker room, we've been favorites all along. This feels a little better because we've really been down to the depths of despair. To see a result like that: hard-fought, well-deserved, on the road – everything that went into that game is gratifying."



With two "designated players" in Schelotto and Blanco vanquished, RSL and its "Team is the Star" philosophy were once again thrust into the "underdog" role against David Beckham, Landon Donovan and the star-laden Los Angeles Galaxy. Carrying its momentum into Seattle's Qwest Field just five days before Thanksgiving, 2009. Despite having never won a road game on artificial turf in its history (entering MLS Cup, RSL was 0-8-3 all-time on road turf, having been outscored 6-21), RSL was confident, just a step away from claiming the Philip F. Anschutz trophy. RSL had beaten the Galaxy on the road and earned a draw with them at home. Because of that, the team liked its chances – especially since the group was once again an underdog going into the championship match.

"We had nothing to lose, so that was the mentality we had going in there," Findley said. "All the pressure was on the Galaxy. We went in and did the same thing we've done for the past month – play our game and just focus on ourselves, really."

Drama played out early in the title match, as RSL engine Javier Morales suffered a hard tackle from Beckham in the 14th minute, and was removed minutes later in favor of grizzled MLS and U.S. National Team veteran Clint Mathis. The first 45 minutes in Seattle were labeled by many in the RSL family as the worst half played in the 2009 season, RSL fortunate not to be facing more than a one-goal deficit, thanks to Beckham and Donovan setting up Mike Magee's 41st minute goal against the run of play. Adding insult to injury, one of the team's midfield engines, Will Johnson, was removed at halftime due to illness, replaced by one of the heroes from the week before, Ned Grabavoy. Early in the second half, with Beckerman, Grabavoy, Mathis and Andy Williams controlling the midfield, RSL equalized as the team's 2009 Golden Boot winner Robbie Findley would score the last of his 15 combined regular and

postseason goals. The 1-1 scoreline remained through regulation and overtime, setting up the second consecutive week of penalty kick drama. Rimando would stand tall once again, forcing a miss out of Landon Donovan and making more two saves, and the seventh round would again be kind to Real Salt Lake, as defender Robbie Russell's low kick inside the left post would sneak in, giving the "Claret-and-Cobalt" the first title in team history – and the State of Utah its first major-league professional sports title since the 1971 ABA Utah Stars, a span of nearly 40 years.

Seeing the joy in the faces of his teammates was a priceless moment for Russell because they had earned the top prize in MLS by traveling a long, hard road.

"Maybe it makes it sweeter," Russell said. "I don't know how it would feel like any other way. Getting a championship is always great. But we had to fight a little bit harder for it and it makes it that much more worthwhile."

Just two days later, on the steps of the Utah State Capitol during a ceremony with Governor Gary Herbert and several other dignitaries, Real Salt Lake founder Dave Checketts challenged Jason Kreis and the team to win the title again in 2010, delivering on the promise of a budding MLS dynasty.

"We're just starting to scratch the surface of this team," RSL Captain Kyle Beckerman said. "This is a big moment for our team and I think this is going to help us a lot to move forward and really get better and really make Salt Lake a team that is always consistently good."



2009 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

REGULAR SEASON RECORD: 11-12-7, 40 pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	GOALS
03/28	at Seattle	L 0-2	28,642	0-1-0	T7	0	SEA: Jaqua [17] Montero [77]
04/02	Columbus	W 4-1	11,806	1-1-0	T3	3	RSL: Findley [2, 29, 62] Beckerman [67]; CLB: Garey [22]
04/11	D.C. United	W 2-1	11,793	2-1-0	4	6	RSL: Olave [40] Morales [80]; DC: Emilio [38]
04/18	at New York	L 0-2	8,508	2-2-0	4	6	NY: Kandji [2] Angel [57]
04/25	New England	W 6-0	14,051	3-2-0	3	9	RSL: Olave [53] Mathis [55] Movsisyan [70] Escalada [81] Williams [85] Findley [89]
05/02	at Colorado	L 0-2	9,045	3-3-0	4	9	COL: LaBrocca [11] Kimura [60]
05/06	Los Angeles	T 2-2	16,155	3-3-1	4	10	RSL: Findley [34] Johnson [90]; LA: Donovan [90] Magee [90]
05/09	at Chivas USA	L 0-1	13,421	3-4-1	5	10	CHV: Nagamura [54]
05/16	Kansas City	L 0-2	19,340	3-5-1	5	10	KC: Wolff [20, 67]
05/23	at D.C. United	T 0-0	16,089	3-5-2	T5	11	
05/30	at San Jose	L 1-2	10,153	3-6-2	6	11	RSL: Findley [80]; SJ: Glen [52] Alvarez [63]
06/06	Colorado	T 1-1	19,546	3-6-3	6	12	RSL: Movsisyan [79]; COL: Cummings [88]
06/13	at Los Angeles	W 2-0	19,718	4-6-3	T5	15	RSL: Movsisyan [13] Borchers [52]
06/20	at Houston	T 1-1	17,151	4-6-4	5	16	RSL: Espindola [28]; HOU: Ching [89]
06/27	Toronto FC	W 3-0	18,188	5-6-4	5	19	RSL: Movsisyan [21] Beckerman [44] Mathis [78]
07/03	San Jose	T 1-1	17,478	5-6-5	5	20	RSL: own goal [90]; SJ: Alvarez [63]
07/18	at Columbus	L 1-3	12,922	5-7-5	6	20	RSL: Cox [76]; CLB: Lenhart [22] Garey [31, 53]
07/24	FC Dallas	W 4-2	18,822	6-7-5	6	23	RSL: Movsisyan [55, 90] Findley [62] own goal [88]; DAL: Cunningham [13] van den Bergh [21]
08/01	at Chicago	L 0-1	14,534	6-8-5	6	23	CHI: Nyarko [76]
08/08	Seattle	W 1-0	14,193	7-8-5	6	26	RSL: Findley [62]
08/15	Houston	T 0-0	16,972	7-8-6	6	27	
08/23	at New England	L 1-3	10,552	7-9-6	6	27	RSL: own goal [85]; NE: Dube [9, 29, 66]
08/26	Chivas USA	W 4-0	14,747	8-9-6	T5	30	RSL: Campos [43] Espindola [75] Findley [85, 89]
08/29	at Kansas City	W 1-0	9,924	9-9-6	T4	33	RSL: Campos [18]
09/12	Chicago	T 1-1	17,615	9-9-7	5	34	RSL: Olave [72]; CHI: Rolfe [43]
09/19	at Houston	L 2-3	18,133	9-10-7	6	34	RSL: Beckerman [27] Movsisyan [60]; HOU: Ching [2] Cameron [5] Davis [81]
09/26	at FC Dallas	L 0-3	8,623	9-11-7	6	34	DAL: Cunningham [5, 87] Ferreira [10]
10/14	New York	W 2-0	16,247	10-11-7	6	37	RSL: Williams [80] Espindola [90]
10/17	at Toronto FC	L 0-1	20,384	10-12-7	7	37	TOR: Brennan [47]
10/24	Colorado	W 3-0	18,675	11-12-7	T5	40	RSL: Findley [15, 33] Movsisyan [85]

REAL SALT LAKE 2009 MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS

EASTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINAL SERIES

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
10/31	Columbus	W 1-0	11,499	(RSL 1-0 agg. lead)	RSL: Findley [88]
11/05	at Columbus	W 3-2	10,109	(RSL wins 4-2 on agg.)	RSL: Morales [37] Findley [45] Williams [74]; CLB: Barros Schelotto [19, 35]

EASTERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

11/14	at Chicago	T 0-0 (OT)	21,723	(RSL advances 5-4 in PKs)
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11/22	at Los Angeles	T 1-1 (OT)	46,011	(RSL wins 5-4 in PKs) RSL: Findley [64]; LA: Magee [41]
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REAL SALT LAKE 2009 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (MLS PLAY-IN ROUNDS)

04/28	at Seattle	L 1-4	3,890	Play-In Round #1	RSL: Johnson [32]; SEA: Le Toux [24, 55], Nyassi [26], King [53]
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REAL SALT LAKE 2009 INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY RESULTS

07/11	Club America (MEX)	W 1-0	17,212	XanGo Cup 2009	RSL: Morales [54]
10/07	Guadalajara (MEX)	T 1-1	16,646		RSL: Espindola [16]; GUA: Esparza [52]

2009 RSL STATS-AT-A-GLANCE

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED:

2' - Findley; 4/02 v. CLB
13' - Movsisyan; 6/13 @ LA

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED:

72' - Kandji, NY; 04/18 @ NY
2' - Ching, HOU; 09/19 @ HOU

RSL EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

91+ - Leitch (OG); 7/03 v. SJ

OPP. EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

91+ - Donovan, LA; 5/06 v. LA
94+ - Magee, LA; 5/06 v. LA
88' - Cummings, COL; 6/6 v. COL
89' - Ching, HOU; 6/20 @ HOU

RSL GAME-WINNERS AFTER 75':

80' - Morales, 4/11 v. DC
80' - Williams, 10/14 v. NY

OPPOSITION GWG AFTER 75':

76' - Nyarko, CHI; 8/01 @ CHI
81' - Davis, HOU; 09/19 @ HOU

RSL MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Findley, 4/02 v. CLB (2', 29', 62')
Movsisyan, 7/24 v. DAL (55', 93+)
Findley, 8/26 v. CHV (85', 90')
Findley, 10/24 v. COL (15', 33')

OPP. MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Wolff, 5/16 v. KC (20', 67')
Garey, 7/18 @ CLB (31', 52')
Dube, 8/23 @ NE (9', 29', 66')
Cunningham, 9/26 @ DAL (5', 87')

RSL MULTI-ASSIST GAMES:

Mathis, 4/02 v. CLB (62', 67')
Findley, 4/11 v. DC (41', 80')
Morales, 4/25 v. NE (53', 55')
Campos, 9/19 @ HOU (27', 60')
Findley, 10/14 v. NY (80', 90')
Williams, 10/24 v. COL (15', 33')

OPP. MULTI-ASSIST GAMES:

Alonso, 3/28 @ SEA (17', 77')
Davis, 9/19 @ HOU (2', 5')
Van den Bergh, 9/26 @ DAL (5', 10')

RSL HAT TRICKS:

Findley, 4/02 v. CLB (2', 29', 62')

OPP. HAT TRICKS:

Dube, 8/23 @ NE (9', 29', 66')

OWN GOALS FOR RSL:

Leitch, 7/03 v. SJ (91+)
Torres, 7/24 v. DAL (88')
Barnes, 8/23 @ NE (85')

RSL RED CARDS RECEIVED:

Olave - 41'; 5/02 @ COL
Russell - 82'; 6/06 v. COL
Olave - 58'; 6/20 @ HOU
Espindola - 77'; 7/03 v. SJ
Kreis - 73'; 7/24 v. DAL
Mathis - 47+; 8/15 v. HOU
Grabavoy - 42'; 8/29 @ KC
Olave - 32'; 9/19 @ HOU

OPP. RED CARDS RECEIVED:

Hall, NY - 66'; 4/18 @ NY
Lewis, LA - 65'; 6/13 @ LA
Moor, DAL - 95+; 7/24 v. DAL
Hainault, HOU - 36'; 8/15 v. HOU
Ching, HOU - 82'; 9/19 @ HOU

2009 AWARD WINNERS

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week 6 - MF Javier Morales

2A in RSL's 6-0 win over NE

Week 19 - FW Yura Movsisyan

2 goals/5 shots/3 SOG all in 2nd half of RSL's 4-2 comeback win v. DAL

Week 24 - FW Pablo Campos

Scored GWG's against both CHV and KC in first two starts in RSL uniform

Week 32 - FW Robbie Findley

Brace v. COL secures RSL's passage to playoffs

MLS GOAL OF THE WEEK

Week 6 - F Clint Mathis

Blistering left-footed full volley from top of box starts rout vs. NE in 6-0 win

MLS SAVE OF THE WEEK

Week 19 - GK Nick Rimando

Diving PK stop on Cunningham kept match even in 77' of eventual 4-2 comeback win

2009 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
Overall MLS:	9-1-5 (34/11)	2-11-2 (9/24)	11-12-7 (43/35)	On Grass:	9-1-5 (34/11)	2-7-2 (8/16)	11-8-7 (42/27)
One-Goal Games:	2-0-0	1-4-0	2-4-0	On Turf:	n/a	0-4-0 (1/8)	0-4-0 (1/8)
vs. East:	5-1-1 (18/5)	1-5-1 (3/10)	6-6-2 (21/15)	In Red:	8-1-4 (29/10)	1-3-0 (3/7)	9-4-4 (32/17)
vs. West:	4-0-4 (16/6)	1-6-1 (6/14)	5-6-5 (22/20)	In White:	1-0-1 (5/1)	1-8-2 (6/17)	2-8-3 (11/18)
First 15 games:	4-1-2 (18/7)	1-5-2 (4/10)	5-6-4 (22/17)	On KUTV2:	5-1-2 (19/8)	2-11-2 (9/24)	7-12-4 (28/32)
Last 15 games:	5-0-3 (16/4)	1-6-0 (5/14)	6-6-3 (21/18)	On ESPN2:	2-0-0 (6/1)	n/a	2-0-0 (6/1)
Before All-Star:	5-1-3 (23/10)	1-6-2 (5/13)	6-7-5 (28/23)	On Telefutara:	n/a	n/a	n/a
Since All-Star:	4-0-2 (11/1)	1-5-0 (4/11)	5-5-2 (15/12)	On FSC:	1-0-3 (5/2)	n/a	1-0-3 (5/2)
Scoring First:	7-0-2	2-0-1	9-0-3	Opp. Local TV:	4-1-0 (14/2)	2-10-2 (9/23)	6-11-2 (23/25)
Opp. Scoring First:	2-1-2	0-11-0	2-12-2	In March:	n/a	0-1-0 (0/2)	0-1-0 (0/2)
Leading at Half:	4-0-1	2-0-1	6-0-2	In April:	3-0-0 (12/2)	0-1-0 (0/2)	3-1-0 (12/4)
Tied at Half:	4-0-3	0-4-1	4-4-4	In May:	0-1-1 (2/4)	0-3-1 (1/5)	0-4-2 (3/9)
Trailing at Half:	1-1-1	0-7-0	1-8-1	In June:	1-0-1 (4/1)	1-0-1 (3/1)	2-0-2 (7/2)
Leading at 75':	6-0-1	2-0-1	8-0-2	In July:	1-0-1 (5/3)	0-1-0 (1/3)	1-1-1 (6/6)
Tied at 75':	3-0-3	0-2-1	3-2-4	In August:	2-0-1 (5/0)	1-2-0 (2/4)	3-2-1 (7/4)
Trailing at 75':	0-1-1	0-9-0	0-10-1	In September:	0-0-1 (1/1)	0-2-0 (2/6)	0-2-1 (3/7)
Day Games:	1-0-0 (2/1)	0-1-0 (0/1)	1-1-0 (2/2)	In October:	2-0-0 (5/0)	0-1-0 (0/1)	2-0-0 (5/1)
Night Games:	8-1-5 (32/10)	2-10-2 (9/23)	10-11-7 (41/33)	Overall MLS:	9-1-5 (34/11)	2-11-2 (9/24)	11-12-7 (43/35)
				U.S. Open Cup:	n/a	0-1-0 (1/4)	0-1-0 (1/4)
				Friendlies:	1-0-0 (1/0)	n/a	1-0-0 (1/0)
				TOTALS	10-1-5 (35/11)	2-12-2 (10/28)	12-13-7 (45/39)



2009 RSL REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
10	F	Robbie Findley	27	18	1751	12	4	60	26	9	18	15	0	2	0
14	F	Yura Movsisyan	26	19	1731	8	2	64	29	22	24	10	2	3	0
19	F	Pablo Campos (TOT)	25	14	1011	4	5	21	16	29	20	7	0	3	0
19	F	Pablo Campos (RSL)	11	5	400	2	3	10	8	11	3	2	0	1	0
16	F	Fabian Espindola	22	17	1511	3	3	45	20	37	20	21	0	3	1
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	25	25	2218	3	2	39	17	42	22	3	4	10	0
4	D	Jamison Olave	25	24	2039	3	0	12	8	34	15	1	0	6	3
84	M	Clint Mathis	28	24	1926	2	7	31	11	23	10	1	17	5	1
77	M	Andy Williams	23	7	780	2	6	19	9	12	13	1	11	3	0
11	M	Javier Morales	26	24	2076	1	5	36	16	30	55	2	113	6	0
8	M	Will Johnson	26	26	2305	1	3	48	22	26	28	2	8	8	0
6	D	Nat Borchers	30	30	2679	1	0	12	6	26	10	1	0	5	0
23	M	Raphael Cox	6	2	208	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
22	F	Luis Miguel Escalada	5	1	126	1	0	4	2	2	0	5	0	0	0
17	D	Chris Wingert	30	27	2432	0	3	9	2	31	22	0	3	3	0
20	M	Ned Grabavoy	20	8	765	0	2	7	2	8	11	0	0	1	1
3	D-M	Robbie Russell	19	18	1552	0	2	15	3	21	7	0	0	5	1
18	GK	Nick Rimando	26	26	2285	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0
12	M	Jean Alexandre	4	0	99	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
2	D	Tony Beltran	23	21	1860	0	0	7	2	28	13	0	0	7	0
21	M-F	Rachid El Khalifi	4	3	178	0	0	2	0	3	4	0	2	0	0
33	D	David Horst	2	1	86	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0
13	D	Ian Joy	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
25	F	Tino Nunez	3	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	GK	Chris Seitz	4	4	360	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
22	M-F	Nelson Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Own-goals received						3									
Team totals			30	30	2700	43	43	423	184	370	308	64	160	69	8
Opponent totals			30	30	2700	35	36	311	130	308	370	54	148	60	5

* = Played with other teams in 2009. Only Real Salt Lake statistics listed here.

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 3, Pablo Campos 2, Yura Movsisyan 2, Javier Morales 1, Jamison Olave 1, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 2, Fabian Espindola 2, Robbie Findley 2, Andy Williams 2, Will Johnson 1, Clint Mathis 1, Javier Morales 1, Nick Rimando 1, Robbie Russell 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Robbie Findley 1-1, Will Johnson 1-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	26	26	2285	108	73	29	1.14	0	2	10	10	6	9
1	GK	Chris Seitz	4	4	360	20	13	5	1.25	1	1	1	2	1	1
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	0	55	2	1	1	1.64	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team totals			30	30	2700	130	87	35	1.17	1	3	11	12	7	10
Opponent totals			30	30	2700	184	137	43	1.43	2	2	12	11	7	10

2009 MLS CUP PLAYOFF STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
10	F	Robbie Findley	4	4	420	3	1	12	6	6	4	10	0	0	0
11	M	Javier Morales	4	4	299	1	1	4	1	6	3	0	5	1	0
77	M	Andy Williams	4	4	368	1	0	5	3	6	7	1	3	0	0
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	4	4	420	0	1	4	2	9	6	1	1	2	0
14	F	Yura Movsisyan	4	2	198	0	1	8	2	6	2	1	0	0	0
12	M	Jean Alexandre	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	D	Tony Beltran	1	1	79	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	D	Nat Borchers	4	4	420	0	0	2	1	4	1	0	0	0	0
16	F	Fabian Espindola	4	2	222	0	0	4	1	9	3	4	0	0	0
20	M	Ned Grabavoy	2	0	76	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
8	M	Will Johnson	4	4	345	0	0	1	0	5	4	1	1	2	0
84	M	Clint Mathis	4	0	172	0	0	6	1	2	3	0	1	0	0
4	D	Jamison Olave	4	4	420	0	0	3	1	8	7	0	0	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	4	4	420	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	D-M	Robbie Russell	4	3	340	0	0	1	1	5	1	0	0	0	0
17	D	Chris Wingert	4	4	420	0	0	2	0	10	2	0	1	1	0
Team totals			4	4	420	5	4	55	19	76	51	18	12	7	0
Opponent totals			4	4	420	3	3	54	21	51	76	8	23	7	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 1, Andy Williams 1
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Javier Morales 1, Yura Movsisyan 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Robbie Findley 1-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	4	4	420	21	18	3	0.64	0	0	2	0	2	2
Team totals			4	4	420	21	18	3	0.64	0	0	2	0	2	2
Opponent totals			4	4	420	19	14	5	1.07	1	1	0	2	2	1





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2009 U.S. OPEN CUP



RSL played one round of MLS qualifying for the 2009 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup but did not qualify for the 40-team tournament proper. Thus, RSL's 2009 USOC stats and results do not count in U.S. Soccer's official tournament records.

REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP "PLAY-IN" RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	GOALS	VENUE
4/28	at Seattle Sounders FC	1-4 L	RSL: Johnson (32) SEA: Le Toux (24-pen, 55), Nyassi (26), King (53)	Starfire Sports Complex - Tukwila, Wash.

2009 REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP STATS

#	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
8	MF Will Johnson	1	1	71	1	0	0	0
12	MF Jean Alexandre	1	0	24	0	0	0	0
5	MF Kyle Beckerman	1	1	66	0	0	0	0
2	DF Tony Beltran	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
6	DF Nat Borchers	1	0	45	0	0	0	0
23	MF Raphael Cox	1	0	19	0	0	0	0
22	FW Luis Miguel Escalada	1	1	57	0	0	0	0
10	FW Robbie Findley	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
20	MF Ned Grabavoy	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
33	DF David Horst	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
14	FW Yura Movsisyan	1	0	33	0	0	0	0
4	DF Jamison Olave	1	1	45	0	0	1	0
3	DF Robbie Russell	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
1	GK Chris Seitz	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
77	MF Andy Williams	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
	RSL totals	1	1	90	1	0	1	0
	Opponent totals	1	1	90	4	5	2	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: None

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None

PENALTY KICKS: None

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
1 GK Chris Seitz	1	1	90	4	4.00	1	1	0	1	0	0
RSL Totals	1	1	90	4	4.00	1	1	0	1	0	0
Opponent totals	1	1	90	1	1.00	0	0	1	0	0	0



2008 SEASON IN REVIEW

Real Salt Lake entered the 2009 campaign with an unfamiliar aura: an unprecedented amount of roster stability, combined with heightened expectations due to 2008's Western Conference Final run. For a team that boasted just one player – fan favorite Andy Williams – from its inaugural team in 2005, the stability established by returning 12 of the 14 players who had appeared in the disappointing 0-1 home playoff loss to New York was most evident at the team's Rio Tinto Stadium home during 2009 (only Dema Kovalenko and Fabian Espindola were absent as the season kicked off, although Espindola returned in late May to the RSL fold).

The team's 9-1-5 mark – and 34-10 aggregate goal margin on its natural Rio Tinto Stadium pitch – resulted in the best home record in MLS in 2009. While tying a league record established by the 1998 Chicago Fire for home goal differential (+24), RSL also rewrote team record books with several historic moments – most notably the first-ever RSL hat trick in League play from FW Robbie Findley in the home opener against Columbus (April 2), four unanswered goals in the second half to erase a 0-2 halftime deficit in a 4-2, Pioneer Day win over FC Dallas (July 24), and a six-goal second-half outburst in a 6-0 rout of New England (April 25), one which featured goals by six different players.

The late-April win over the Revolution would be the team's last for nearly seven weeks, as all of May and early June represented a swoon that saw Real Salt Lake shut out four times in seven games, scoring just four goals (not including a 1-4 road loss in a U.S. Open Cup Qualifier at Seattle). Two of the goals came in a disappointing 2-2 home draw that saw RSL hold not one but two leads in second-half stoppage time. Catharsis came with a 2-0 road win at Los Angeles against the Galaxy in mid-June, in one of the most complete road performances of the season, if not the team's brief history.

The return of Espindola and a switch to a 4-3-3 formation, away from the trademark diamond midfield employed by Head Coach Jason Kreis since taking over the team shook things up throughout the rest of June all the way to late August, by whence RSL had dropped just two of 10 games, and won over several thousand of the Utah market's Hispanic fans with a dominating 1-0 win in an international friendly vs. Club America. Findley and Movsisyan combined to score 8 of the 14 RSL goals scored during that span, Movsisyan's red-hot June surely a factor in his decision depart Major League Soccer and sign a pre-contract with Danish club Randers FC on July 1, six months prior to the expiry of his MLS/RSL obligation.

The Real Salt Lake defense stepped up big during the late Summer emergence, with GK Nick Rimando tallying six shutouts in an 11-game span and the central pairing of team MVP Nat Borchers and Defender of the Year Jamison Olave controlling the rearguard. Only three times in that 11-game run did RSL allow more than one goal, albeit in three-goal road losses at Columbus and at New England. It was the home shutouts against Chivas and Houston in August that inspired hope for the team, as well as a gritty, 1-0 road win at Kansas City that saw newcomer Pablo Campos notch the game-winner, even with RSL playing the final 45+ minutes a man down due to a Ned Grabavoy red card.

However, the home domination demonstrated by Real Salt Lake during the 2008 and 2009 seasons – a mark of 19-3-11 in MLS play in Utah's thin air – contrasted sharply with the team's ongoing struggles on the road. On Labor Day Weekend, RSL had just six games remaining – three each in September and October, sandwiched around a bizarre 18-day break in early October – to seize the day and attempt to go one step further than it had in 2008. Kreis used the 18-day break as a "mini-Preseason" to put each player on the roster on notice that his job was up for grabs, and to install a renewed confidence in the locker room. A return to the 4-4-2 diamond and an electric 1-1 draw in an



international friendly with Mexican powerhouse Chivas de Guadalajara did just that, as RSL entered the final stretch with resolve to prove that the preseason hype was legitimate, and that the Claret-and-Cobalt belonged among Major League Soccer's elite.

The inability to win away from home in the late months – a heart-breaker at Houston, a devastatingly embarrassing performance at last-place FC Dallas and a loss in perhaps the team's best road form at Toronto – kept RSL from competing for the West's top spot, instead leaving the Utah squad fighting for its postseason lives through the final days of the season, right up until the final weekend. With the now-traditional season-finale showdown against Rocky Mountain Cup rival Colorado determining the playoff fate of at last one of the teams for the third consecutive year, it was Real Salt Lake once again stepping it up with a dominant 3-0 triumph at home, sparked by two Findley goals and a Yura Movsisyan dagger that helped RSL control what it could of its playoff destiny. The results of two other concurrent matches – and three others in total – on the final Saturday of 2009 conspired to Jason Kreis' team clinching an unlikely spot in the MLS Cup Playoffs for a second straight season.

"The one thing that sticks out in my mind more than anything is how we managed to stay together and really keep believing when everybody else didn't believe in us anymore," said All-Star midfielder Will Johnson.

As the eighth overall seed, but the fifth-place finisher in the Western Conference, Real Salt Lake provided fodder for the critics with its sub-.500 regular season record of 11-12-7. Crossing over into the Eastern Conference playoff bracket, RSL hoped to duplicate the run of the Red Bulls that stung the Utahns just a year prior. It was déjà vu all over again in the first round against the defending champion Columbus Crew, as a late goal in the first leg at home, this time by Robbie Findley, pushed RSL out to a 1-0 series lead. Real Salt Lake straightened out its road form at just the right time, a shock 3-2 win in the second leg propelling the visitors on to the East Final at Chicago the following week. After a hard-fought and scoreless 120 minutes of regulation and overtime at Toyota Park, RSL goalkeeper Nick Rimando would step to the forefront, saving three of the Fire's seven penalty kick attempts, the last of which set up Ned Grabavoy's conversion that gave the Utah club a 5-4 PK win and the fifth-year club its first-ever MLS Cup appearance.



2008 SEASON IN REVIEW

The 2008 season will forever be remembered as a year of firsts for Real Salt Lake, the tipping point in the team's evolution, when the roster turnover and inconsistency of the organization's first three campaigns dissipated, replaced by a competitive core with purpose, drive and ambition. In the span of a few months, RSL went from Major League Soccer's basement to the precipice of an MLS Cup title, the lone remaining Western Conference team in the league's final four.

Head Coach Jason Kreis guided his squad into its postseason debut in a year that also saw the club ascend atop the Western Conference for the first time in club history, holding the top spot mid-Summer for three weeks, and never dropping below a tie for third place after the first week of June. In somewhat traditional RSL fashion, the team was slow out of the gates in April and May, with 17 new faces learning how to play together with losses in five of the first 10 games. However, interspersed were a pair of 4-0 home wins over MLS sides D.C. United and San Jose Earthquakes (in a U.S. Open Cup play-in game) that saw Captain Kyle Beckerman tally four of the eight goals, while the strike trio of Yura Movsisyan, Robbie Findley and Fabian Espindola showed the attacking prowess which would blossom later in the season.



RSL's dramatic, come-from-behind road victory over San Jose on 9/27 sparked a 7-game unbeaten run that saw the squad through to the 2008 Western Conference Final. It was the strongest run of form in franchise history, coinciding with the most crucial stretch of games the club has ever seen.

RSL rebounded in the middle third of the year to catapult itself to unprecedented heights in the standings, going undefeated in eight of 10 games in June and July. Despite suffering scoring droughts that would have doomed the team in the past, a rock-solid defense led by GK Nick Rimando, central defenders Nat Borchers and Jamison Olave and the versatile Chris Wingert allowed less than a goal per game in that span, including six shutouts. The staunch defense allowed RSL to gain 16 points in 10 games despite averaging exactly one goal per game of its own, moving atop the Western Conference for the first time ever on July 12, and moving above .500 for the first time - EVER - on July 28.

Kreis and General Manager Garth Lagerwey utilized the midsummer break to add depth and experience from Europe to the roster, plugging in key pieces during the league's international transfer window. In that time, RSL added the versatility of 2005 star Clint Mathis, Canadian-American midfielder Will Johnson and utility man Robbie Russell, all three playing key roles in the team's postseason run. Johnson instantly earned a starting role, playing every minute of the latter half of the season, even tallying MLS Goal of the Year honors for his pivoting long-range blast at Rio

Tinto Stadium against Dallas. Mathis and Russell gradually moved into the first XI as well, possessing high degrees of work rate and meshing well with the existing core of the team.

Kreis credited Lagerwey's knack for finding the best players available, as the RSL technical staff logged hundreds of thousands of frequent-flier miles, crossing the globe and scouting not only domestic players, but also visiting England, Scotland, Argentina, Peru, Ecuador, Costa Rica, Germany, Norway, Trinidad and Mexico in search of the right pieces to the puzzle. Many of the players themselves hoped for good things when they joined RSL at midseason. What they experienced as the season wound down exceeded even their fondest expectations.

Real Salt Lake's 2008 Team MVP, playmaker Javier Morales, emerged as a dark-horse candidate for league MVP honors, gaining a national reputation as the key to the team's success. His combination of clutch goals and assists during the year's closing stretch authored RSL's attacking prowess, which saw the club lead MLS in both shots and shots on goal.

The final third of the 2008 campaign also became the Armenian-American Movsisyan's time to shine, scoring seven goals in the final 11 games, several in dramatic fashion. Yura locked down a starting spot and responded with a torrid goal-scoring pace, leading RSL to capture points in seven of the final 10 games of the season, dramatically pushing the team into the postseason with a 90th-minute equalizer against Rocky Mountain Cup rival Colorado. That final road draw against the Rapids was emblematic of the team's late-season road success, where it won or tied four of its final five games away from home. The fulcrum of Real Salt Lake's growth and emergence was its come-from-behind, 3-2 win at San Jose, a triumph in late September which set off an seven-game unbeaten streak that ended with a dominating, yet disappointing, 1-0 loss to New York in the Western Conference Final. Clearly, the signature moment of Real Salt Lake's fourth season was the move from its rented Rice-Eccles Stadium home - where the team dropped just one game all year on the artificial turf - to its permanent Rio Tinto Stadium venue, a breathtaking, state-of-the-art facility which envelops the fans and makes them part of the action.

Once RSL reached the MLS Cup Playoffs, the team was not content to simply sit back and call it a season. The Utah side upset expansion partner Chivas USA and earned a surprise berth into the Western Conference Championship - as the host. Beckerman said that the team's unexpected success was an appropriate reward to a cadre of loyal fans that have continued to support RSL even in bleaker moments.

The bitter 1-0 loss at home to the Red Bulls in the West final has RSL wanting more going into the 2009 season. And while the team is focused on rising to even further heights, it will be hard to eclipse what happened in this historic "coming-of-age" season - simply because how quickly the team rose after enduring mediocrity for so long.



DF Chris Wingert and his RSL teammates hoisted the Rocky Mountain Cup in heart stopping fashion for the second straight season. Not only did Yura Movsisyan's 90th minute strike earn the 1-1 draw and Cup victory for the Utah side, it booked the squad's spot in the MLS Cup Playoffs and eliminated the Rapids from contention.



2008 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

2008 REGULAR SEASON RESULTS • FINAL RECORD: 10-10-10, 40 pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	GOALS
03/29	Chicago	T 1-1	20,272	0-0-1	2	1	RSL: own goal [71]; CHI: Blanco [90]
04/05	@ Chivas USA	L 1-3	17,251	0-1-1	T4	1	RSL: Deuchar [57]; CHV: Kljestan [32], Harris [55], Eskandarian [90]
04/12	D.C. United	W 4-0	13,193	1-1-1	T3	4	RSL: Beckerman [12, 77], Espindola [19], Findley [87]
04/19	@ Toronto FC	L 0-1	20,219	1-2-1	T3	4	TOR: Robert [31]
04/26	@ D.C. United	L 1-4	23,269	1-3-1	T4	4	RSL: Talley [77]; DC: Moreno [31, 52], Quaranta [67], Gallardo [80]
05/03	Los Angeles	T 2-2	25,571	1-3-2	T4	5	RSL: Espindola [6], Deuchar [18]; LA: Beckham [36, 40]
05/10	FC Dallas	W 2-1	12,173	2-3-2	T3	8	RSL: Morales [28], Beckerman [73]; DAL: Cooper [56]
05/15	@ Colorado	L 0-2	11,414	2-4-2	T3	8	COL: Cummings [65], C. Gomez [83]
05/24	@ FC Dallas	L 1-2	8,960	2-5-2	6	8	RSL: Espindola [69]; DAL: Odoro [82, 90]
05/31	San Jose	W 3-1	15,977	3-5-2	6	11	RSL: Findley [48], Morales [60], Kovalenko [73]; SJ: Cunliffe [84]
06/07	Kansas City	T 0-0	11,327	3-5-3	6	12	
06/14	@ Chivas USA	W 1-0	10,573	4-5-3	T3	15	RSL: Findley [34]
06/18	San Jose	T 0-0	10,333	4-5-4	T3	16	
06/21	New England	W 2-1	11,965	5-5-4	2	19	RSL: own goal [11], Nuñez [60]; NE: Cristman [8]
06/28	@ Kansas City	L 0-1	10,385	5-6-4	T2	19	KC: own goal [89]
07/03	Houston	T 0-0	17,898	5-6-5	T2	20	
07/12	Columbus	W 2-0	12,378	6-6-5	1	23	RSL: Morales [4], Findley [78]
07/19	@ Chicago	T 0-0	19,578	6-6-6	1	24	
07/28	Toronto FC	W 2-1	12,319	7-6-6	1	27	RSL: Olave [63], Findley [87]; TOR: Guevara [84]
08/16	@ Houston	L 3-4	13,579	7-7-6	2	27	RSL: Movsisyan [3], Morales [25], Deuchar [80]; HOU: Mullan [16], Ching [29], Clark [35], Jaqua [42]
08/23	@ Columbus	L 0-3	12,448	7-8-6	2	27	CLB: Marshall [15], Barros Schelotto [25], Evans [55]
08/29	Colorado	W 2-0	15,257	8-8-6	2	30	RSL: Espindola [23, 59]
09/06	@ Los Angeles	T 2-2	27,000	8-8-7	2	31	RSL: Movsisyan [21], Johnson [52]; LA: Jordan [9], Buddle [69]
09/13	@ New York	L 1-2	11,692	8-9-7	2	31	RSL: Movsisyan [38]; NY: Angel [49], van den Bergh [64]
09/20	Chivas USA	L 0-1	26,391	8-10-7	T3	31	CHV: Eskandarian [72]
09/27	@ San Jose	W 3-2	10,059	9-10-7	T3	34	RSL: Movsisyan [3, 49], Morales [59]; SJ: Huckerby [23, 47]
10/04	@ New England	T 2-2	18,893	9-10-8	3	35	RSL: Morales [13], Williams [73]; NE: Ralston [77], Twellman [79]
10/09	New York	T 1-1	20,008	9-10-9	3	36	RSL: Olave [42]; NY: van den Bergh [31]
10/18	FC Dallas	W 3-1	17,628	10-10-9	3	39	RSL: Movsisyan [35], Johnson [53], Findley [86]; DAL: Saragosa [7]
10/25	@ Colorado	T 1-1	16,047	10-10-10	3	40	RSL: Movsisyan [90]; COL: Casey [19]

REAL SALT LAKE 2008 MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS

WESTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINAL SERIES

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
11/01	Chivas USA	W 1-0	14,719	(RSL 1-0 agg. lead)	RSL: Movsisyan [90]
11/08	@ Chivas USA	T 2-2	19,265	(RSL 3-2 agg. win)	RSL: Kovalenko [39], Morales [77]; CHV: Kljestan [30], Braun [83]

WESTERN CONFERENCE FINAL

11/15	New York Red Bulls	L 0-1	20,008	NY heads to MLS Cup	NY: van den Bergh [28]
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REAL SALT LAKE 2008 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (MLS PLAY-IN ROUNDS)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
04/30	San Jose Earthquakes	W 4-0	10,761	Play-In Round #1	RSL: Beckerman [21, 33], Movsisyan [33], Williams [90]
05/27	@ Columbus Crew	L 0-2	4,816	Play-In Round #2	CLB: Lenhart [26], Rogers [53]

REAL SALT LAKE 2008 INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
07/09	Santos Laguna (MEX)	L 1-4	12,333	XanGo Cup 2008	RSL: Nimo [69]; SAN: own goal [13], Peralta [34], Torres [74], Hernandez [84]
07/23	Dep. Saprissa (CRC)	L 1-2	12,211		RSL: Wingert [90]; SAP: Gomez [58], Alonso [62]
09/03	UANL Tigres (MEX)	W 1-0	10,319		RSL: Movsisyan [18]

2008 RSL STATS-AT-A-GLANCE

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED:

3' – Movsisyan; 8/16 @ HOU

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED:

7' – Saragosa, FCD; 10/18 v. FCD

RSL EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

90' – Movsisyan; 10/15 @ COL

OPP. EQUALIZERS AFTER 75':

92+ – Blanco, CHI; 3/29 v. CHI
84' – Guevara, TOR; 7/28 v. TOR
83' – Braun, CHV; 11/8 @ CHV
83' – Oduro, FCD; 5/24 @ FCD
79' – Twellman, NE; 10/04 @ NE

RSL GAME-WINNERS AFTER 75':

87' – Findley, TOR; 7/28 v. TOR
90' – Movsisyan; 11/1 v. CHV

OPPOSITION GWG AFTER 75':

91+ – Oduro, FCD; 5/24 @ FCD
89' – OG (Beltran); 6/28 @ KC

RSL MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Beckerman; 4/12 v. DC [12', 78']
Espindola; 8/29 v. COL [23', 59']
Movsisyan; 9/27 @ SJ [3', 49']

OPP. MULTI-GOAL GAMES:

Moreno, DC; 4/26 @ DC [31', 52']
Beckham, LA; 5/03 v. LA [36', 40']
Oduro, FCD; 5/24 @ FCD [83', 91+']
Huckerby, SJ; 9/27 @ SJ [23', 47']

RSL MULTI-ASSIST GAMES:

Kovalenko; 4/12 v. DC [12', 19']
Morales; 5/03 v. LA [6', 18']
Findley; 8/16 @ HOU [3', 80']
Morales; 8/29 v. COL [23', 59']
Morales; 10/18 v. FCD [35', 86']

OPP. MULTI-ASSIST GAMES:

F. Mendoza, CHV; 4/05 @ CHV [32', 55']
Moreno, DC; 4/26 @ DC [67', 80']
Davis, HOU; 8/16 @ HOU [16', 42']
Schelotto, CLB; 8/23 @ CLB [15', 55']

RSL HAT TRICKS:

N/A

OPP. HAT TRICKS:

N/A

OWN GOALS FOR RSL:

71' – Soumare, CHI; 3/29 v. CHI
11' – Heaps, NE; 6/21 v. NE

OWN GOALS AGAINST RSL:

89' – Beltran; 6/28 @ KC

RSL RED CARDS RECEIVED:

Joy, 5/24 @ FCD [38']
Wingert, 7/03 v. HOU [90']
Williams, 10/04 @ NE [92+']

OPP. RED CARDS RECEIVED:

Rhine, FCD; 5/24 @ FCD [47+']
Hernandez, SJ; 6/18 v. SJ [44']
Brown, CHI; 7/19 v. CHI [76'] – Bench
Pietravallo, NY; 10/09 v. NY [83']
Saragosa, FCD; 10/18 v. FCD [30']
Richetti, FCD; 10/18 v. FCD [90']

2008 AWARD WINNERS

2008 RSL YEAR-END AWARDS

RSL Team MVP:

MF Javier Morales

Budweiser Golden Boot:

FW Yura Movsisyan

Defensive Player of the Year:

DF Nat Borchers

Humanitarian of the Year:

DF Nat Borchers

MLS PLAYER OF THE MONTH

July – GK Nick Rimando
2-0-2, 3 shutouts, 1 GA in 4 GP

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week 10 – FW Robbie Findley
1G, GWA on 5/31 v. SJ

Week 23 – FW Fabian Espindola
2G on 8/29 v. COL

MLS SIERRA MIST GOAL OF THE WEEK

Week 10 – FW Robbie Findley
5/31 v. SJ, 48' – wicked one-hopper
sneaks just inside left post from 25 yards

Week 23 – FW Fabian Espindola
8/29 v. COL, 59' – exquisite chip from an
acute angle over onrushing 'keeper

Week 28 – MF Andy Williams
10/04 @ NE – First-time blast into far
upper 90 is week's easy winner

2008 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
Regular Season:	8-1-6 (24/10)	2-9-4 (16/29)	10-10-10 (40/39)
Playoffs:	1-1-0 (1/1)	0-0-1 (2/2)	1-1-1 (3/3)
1-Goal Games:	3-1-0	2-5-0	5-6-0
v. East:	4-0-3 (12/4)	0-5-2 (4/13)	4-5-5 (16/17)
v. West:	4-1-3 (12/6)	2-4-2 (12/16)	6-5-5 (24/22)
First 15 games:	4-0-4 (14/6)	1-6-0 (4/13)	5-6-4 (18/19)
Last 15 games:	4-1-2 (10/4)	1-3-4 (12/16)	5-4-6 (22/20)
Before All-Star:	5-0-5 (16/6)	1-6-1 (4/13)	6-6-6 (20/19)
Since All-Star:	3-1-1 (8/4)	1-3-3 (12/16)	4-4-4 (20/20)
Scoring First:	6-0-2	2-3-1	8-3-3
Opp. Scoring First:	2-1-1	0-6-2	2-7-3
Leading at Half:	4-0-0	1-1-1	5-1-1
Tied at Half:	4-1-6	1-3-2	5-4-8
Trailing at Half:	N/A	0-5-1	0-5-1
Leading at 75':	8-0-1	2-1-1	10-1-2
Tied at 75':	0-0-5	0-1-2	0-1-7
Trailing at 75':	0-1-0	0-7-1	0-8-1
Day Games:	0-0-1 (1/1)	0-1-0 (0/1)	0-1-1 (1/2)
Night Games:	8-1-5 (23/9)	2-8-4 (16/28)	10-9-9 (39/37)
On Grass:	1-0-1 (4/2)	2-7-3 (13/24)	3-7-4 (17/26)
On Turf:	7-1-5 (20/8)	0-2-1 (3/5)	7-3-6 (23/13)
In Red:	8-1-6 (24/10)	0-1-0 (1/2)	8-2-6 (25/12)
In White:	N/A	2-8-4 (15/27)	2-8-4 (15/27)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
On KSL:	0-0-1 (2/2)	1-7-3 (11/21)	1-7-4 (13/23)
On ABC/ESPN2:	0-0-2 (1/1)	0-1-0 (0/2)	0-1-2 (1/3)
On Telefutera:	N/A	N/A	N/A
On HDNet:	1-0-0 (2/0)	1-1-1 (5/6)	2-1-1 (7/6)
On FSC:	2-0-0 (6/2)	N/A	2-0-0 (6/2)
Opp. Local/Reg. TV:	5-1-4 (15/7)	2-8-3 (15/26)	7-9-7 (30/33)
In March:	0-0-1 (1/1)	N/A	0-0-1 (1/1)
In April:	1-0-0 (4/0)	0-3-0 (2/8)	1-3-0 (6/8)
In May:	2-0-1 (7/4)	0-2-0 (1/4)	2-2-1 (8/8)
In June:	1-0-2 (2/1)	1-1-0 (1/1)	2-1-2 (3/2)
In July:	2-0-1 (4/1)	0-0-1 (0/0)	2-0-2 (4/1)
In August:	1-0-0 (2/0)	0-2-0 (3/7)	1-2-0 (5/7)
In September:	0-1-0 (0/1)	1-1-1 (6/6)	1-2-1 (6/7)
In October:	1-0-1 (4/2)	0-0-2 (3/3)	1-0-3 (7/5)
In November:	1-1-0 (1/1)	0-0-1 (2/2)	1-1-0 (3/3)
Overall MLS:	8-1-6 (24/10)	2-9-4 (16/29)	10-10-10 (40/39)
MLS Cup Playoffs:	1-1-0 (1/1)	0-0-1 (2/2)	1-1-1 (3/3)
U.S. Open Cup:	1-0-0 (4/0)	0-1-0 (0/2)	1-1-0 (4/2)
Friendlys:	1-2-0 (3/6)	N/A	1-2-0 (3/6)
Reserve Division:	5-1-0 (24/11)	2-2-2 (7/13)	7-3-2 (31/24)
TOTALS	16-5-6 (56/28)	4-12-7 (25/46)	20-17-13 (81/74)



2008 RSL REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
14	F	Yura Movsisyan	22	13	1229	7	1	69	33	11	20	13	0	0	0
11	M	Javier Morales	29	29	2511	6	15	48	23	49	59	5	112	3	0
10	F	Robbie Findley	29	15	1493	6	5	44	18	16	27	13	0	2	0
9	F	Fabian Espindola	12	8	642	5	0	25	17	11	10	6	0	1	0
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	30	30	2683	3	2	45	22	38	45	4	0	5	0
16	F	Kenny Deuchar	29	18	1557	3	2	41	18	29	30	18	0	4	0
8	M	Will Johnson	9	9	810	2	0	17	10	10	13	0	0	2	0
4	D	Jamison Olave	23	23	2006	2	0	10	4	33	17	0	0	9	0
77	M	Andy Williams	26	16	1602	1	3	41	10	28	23	3	27	0	1
21	M	Dema Kovalenko	22	19	1668	1	2	25	5	30	23	1	2	7	0
25	F	Tino Nuñez	9	2	263	1	0	6	3	10	3	2	0	0	0
3	M	*Carey Talley	4	3	307	1	0	1	1	4	3	0	0	1	0
17	D	Chris Wingert	29	29	2589	0	3	10	5	23	14	0	2	4	1
2	D	Tony Beltran	15	10	936	0	1	4	0	11	10	0	0	1	0
6	D	Nat Borchers	29	29	2610	0	1	13	1	24	10	0	0	4	0
8	M	Matias Cordoba	7	2	173	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	1	0	0
15	M	Kenny Cutler	11	5	454	0	0	3	1	4	1	0	0	1	0
33	D	David Horst	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
13	D	Ian Joy	19	18	1377	0	0	3	1	26	8	1	0	4	1
28	D	Dustin Kirby	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	D	Matias Mantilla	7	6	554	0	0	3	1	8	1	0	0	0	0
84	M-F	Clint Mathis	11	6	590	0	0	12	3	7	1	0	4	2	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	30	30	2700	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0
3	D-M	Robbie Russell	11	7	683	0	0	6	2	6	3	1	0	1	0
12	M	Nathan Sturgis	3	2	118	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0
20	M	Nikolas Besagno	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	M	Alex Nimo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	M	Kevin Reiman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	GK	Chris Seitz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	M	Brennan Tennelle	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Own-goals received				2									
		RSL TOTALS	30	30	2700	40	35	429	178	388	355	67	148	52	3
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>2700</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>348</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>355</i>	<i>388</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>146</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>6</i>

* = Played with other teams in 2008. Only Real Salt Lake statistics listed here.

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Javier Morales 3, Kyle Beckerman 2, Robbie Findley 2, Fabian Espindola 1, Will Johnson 1, Tino Nuñez 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Javier Morales 2, Andy Williams 2, Kyle Beckerman 1, Robbie Findley 1, Dema Kovalenko 1, Chris Wingert 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Dema Kovalenko 1-1, Javier Morales 0-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	30	30	2700	140	96	39	1.30	4	4	10	10	10	8
		RSL TOTALS	30	30	2700	140	96	39	1.30	4	4	10	10	10	8
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>2700</i>	<i>178</i>	<i>130</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>1.33</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>

2008 MLS CUP PLAYOFF STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
11	M	Javier Morales	3	3	267	1	2	8	2	9	8	0	10	0	0
21	M	Demetri Kovalenko	2	2	149	1	0	3	2	4	1	0	0	1	0
14	F	Yura Movsisyan	3	3	259	1	0	12	6	10	2	2	0	0	0
3	D-M	Robbie Russell	3	2	207	0	2	3	1	4	4	0	0	0	0
10	F	Robbie Findley	3	0	72	0	1	5	2	2	4	0	0	0	0
5	M	Kyle Beckerman	3	3	270	0	0	5	2	1	2	0	0	1	0
6	D	Nat Borchers	3	3	270	0	0	4	1	3	4	0	0	1	0
16	F	Kenny Deuchar	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	F	Fabian Espindola	2	0	9	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
8	M	Will Johnson	3	3	270	0	0	7	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
13	D	Ian Joy	1	1	63	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
84	M-F	Clint Mathis	3	3	251	0	0	9	4	3	2	0	1	1	0
4	D	Jamison Olave	3	3	246	0	0	1	0	0	4	2	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
77	M	Andy Williams	3	1	96	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	0
17	D	Chris Wingert	3	3	270	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
RSL TOTALS			3	3	270	3	5	61	23	45	38	4	12	5	0
<i>Opponent Totals</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Yura Movsisyan 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Javier Morales 1, Robbie Russell 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	3	3	270	13	9	3	1.00	1	1	1	1	1	1
RSL TOTALS			3	3	270	13	9	3	1.00	1	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Opponent Totals</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>

FW Yura Movsisyan emerged as a future star in the second half of 2008. The 21-year-old striker set a torrid pace, scoring 8 goals in a 12 game stretch, highlighted by 90th minute strikes in back-to-back weeks against Colorado and Chivas USA to propel the franchise to heights not seen before.



2008 U.S. OPEN CUP



RSL played two rounds of MLS qualifying for the 2008 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup but did not qualify for the 40-team tournament proper. Thus, RSL's 2008 USOC stats and results do not count in U.S. Soccer's official tournament records.

REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP "PLAY-IN" RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	GOALS	VENUE
4/30	San Jose Earthquakes	4-0 W	RSL: Beckerman (21, 33), Movsisyan (33), Williams (90)	Rice-Eccles Stadium – Salt Lake City, Utah
5/27	at Columbus Crew	0-2 L	CLB: Lenhart (26), Rogers (53)	Columbus Crew Stadium – Columbus, Ohio

2008 REAL SALT LAKE U.S. OPEN CUP STATS

#	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
5	MF Kyle Beckerman	2	2	135	2	0	0	0
77	MF Andy Williams	2	1	135	1	1	0	0
14	FW Yura Movsisyan	1	1	75	1	0	0	0
8	MF Matias Cordoba	2	2	131	0	1	0	0
27	DF Matias Mantilla	2	2	180	0	1	0	0
25	FW Tino Nunez	2	1	85	0	1	0	0
2	DF Tony Beltran	2	1	119	0	0	0	0
15	MF Kenny Cutler	2	2	135	0	0	0	0
9	FW Fabian Espindola	1	0	20	0	0	1	0
10	FW Robbie Findley	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
33	DF David Horst	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
13	DF Ian Joy	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
28	DF Dustin Kirby	2	1	87	0	0	0	0
21	MF Dema Kovalenko	2	1	94	0	0	0	1
11	MF Javier Morales	2	0	49	0	0	0	0
4	DF Jamison Olave	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
18	GK Nick Rimando	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
1	GK Chris Seitz	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
17	DF Chris Wingert	1	1	64	0	0	0	0
	RSL TOTALS	2	2	180	4	4	1	1
	Opponent Totals	2	2	180	2	1	5	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Kyle Beckerman 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Matias Mantilla 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
1 GK Chris Seitz	1	1	90	0	0.00	0	0	1	0	0	1
18 GK Nick Rimando	1	1	90	2	2.00	0	0	0	1	0	0
RSL TOTALS	2	2	180	2	1.00	0	0	1	1	0	1
Opponent Totals	2	2	180	4	2.00	0	0	1	1	0	1

REAL SALT LAKE RESERVE SCHEDULE/RESULTS (7-3-2, 23 pts., 2nd in West, 3rd overall)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	VENUE
4/06	@ Chivas USA Reserves	1-1 T	The Home Depot Center (Track & Field Stadium) – Carson, Calif.
5/04	LA Galaxy Reserves	5-2 W	Quinn's Junction – Park City, Utah
5/11	FC Dallas Reserves	3-5 L	Quinn's Junction – Park City, Utah
6/01	S.J. Earthquakes Reserves	4-0 W	Quinn's Junction – Park City, Utah
7/04	Houston Dynamo Reserves	5-3 W	Quinn's Junction – Park City, Utah
8/06	@ FC Dallas Reserves	3-2 W	Pizza Hut Park – Frisco, Texas
8/17	@ Houston Dynamo Reserves	1-4 L	Robertson Stadium (University of Houston) – Houston, Texas
8/30	Colorado Rapids Reserves	4-0 W	Quinn's Junction – Park City, Utah
9/21	Chivas USA Reserves	3-1 W	Quinn's Junction – Park City, Utah
9/28	@ S.J. Earthquakes Reserves	0-5 L	Stanton Field /Santa Clara Univ. – Santa Clara, Calif.
10/15	@ LA Galaxy Reserves	0-0 T	The Home Depot Center (Track & Field Stadium) – Carson, Calif.
10/26	@ Colorado Rapids Reserves	2-1 W	Dick's Sporting Goods Park – Commerce City, Colo.

2008 REAL SALT LAKE RESERVES STATS [G]- Guest player

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
14	FW	Yura Movsisyan	6	6	433	8	3	0	0
8	MF	Matias Cordoba	4	4	360	5	3	0	0
25	FW	Tino Nuñez	12	7	802	5	2	0	0
16	FW	Kenny Deuchar	4	3	292	3	0	2	0
10	FW	Robbie Findley	5	4	342	2	1	0	0
26	MF	Kevin Reiman	11	10	879	1	3	2	0
--	FW	[G] Adam Acosta	9	4	560	1	2	0	0
28	DF	Dustin Kirby	12	11	1002	1	2	1	0
2	DF	Tony Beltran	6	5	465	1	1	1	0
15	MF	Kenny Cutler	11	9	863	1	0	0	0
9	FW	Fabian Espindola	3	3	193	1	0	1	0
84	MF	Clint Mathis	3	3	186	1	0	0	0
29	MF	Brennan Tennelle	11	10	715	1	0	3	0
7	MF	Alex Nimo	10	10	790	0	4	2	0
33	DF	David Horst	11	10	921	0	1	1	0
--	DF	[G] Ever Alverado	1	0	11	0	0	0	0
--	FW	[G] Xavier Balc	1	0	29	0	0	0	0
20	DF	Nik Besagno	5	3	360	0	0	0	0
--	DF	[G] Richard Bindrup	2	1	119	0	0	0	0
6	DF	Nat Borchers	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
--	MF	[G] Zack DeFrancis	3	0	31	0	0	0	0
--	MF	[G] Brad Earl	1	1	61	0	0	0	0
--	DF	[G] Shintaro Harada	1	0	45	0	0	0	0
--	DF	[G] M. Johnson	1	0	8	0	0	0	0
--	MF	[G] Steve Jolley	1	0	27	0	0	0	0
13	DF	Ian Joy	2	2	90	0	0	0	0
15	MF	Dema Kovalenko	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
27	DF	Matias Mantilla	3	3	211	0	0	0	0
--	DF	[G] Steve McMurdie	2	0	26	0	0	0	0
4	DF	Jamison Olave	2	2	169	0	0	1	0
--	DF	[G] Hector Rancon	1	0	7	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	1	0	5	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	9	3	378	0	0	0	0
3	DF	Robbie Russell	3	3	225	0	0	0	0
1	GK	Chris Seitz	10	9	702	0	0	0	0
12	MF	Nathan Sturgis	4	3	260	0	0	0	0
--	DF	[G] D. Van Wagenen	1	0	39	0	0	0	0
--	DF	[G] Yomby William	2	1	114	0	0	0	0
77	MF	Andy Williams	1	1	70	0	0	0	0
RSL TOTALS			12	12	1080	31	22	14	0
<i>Opponent Totals</i>			<i>12</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1080</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Tony Beltran 1, Matias Cordoba 1, Kenny Cutler 1, Kenny Deuchar 1, Dustin Kirby 1, Clint Mathis 1, Yura Movsisyan 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Alex Nimo 2, Tony Beltran 1, Dustin Kirby 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Matias Cordoba 3-3, Yura Movsisyan 1-1

OWN GOAL: Nik Besagno 1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	9	3	378	4	0.95	0	0	6	1	1	1
1	GK	Chris Seitz	10	9	702	20	2.56	1	1	1	2	1	1
RSL TOTALS			12	12	1080	24	2.00	1	1	7	3	2	3
<i>Opponent Totals</i>			<i>12</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1080</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>2.58</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>



2007 SEASON IN REVIEW

As is the case for every team, a large dose of optimism and expectation welcomed Real Salt Lake as the 2007 campaign approached, with the club bringing back a veteran nucleus and adding a few high-profile additions to a side that saw its late-season playoff charge the year prior fall just three points short. And the reasons for such optimism were valid, as the squad was returning a healthy and rejuvenated Eddie Pope, defending MLS Golden Boot winner Jeff Cunningham, MLS all-time leading scorer Jason Kreis, veteran flanker Chris Klein and playmaker Andy Williams while also adding a veteran goalkeeper in Nick Rimando and the electrifying Freddy Adu.

As Real Salt Lake prepared to open its season at Rice-Eccles Stadium for the first time, it appeared the new plan under head coach John Ellinger would come together quicker than expected with the squad holding a late lead against FC Dallas. But a breakdown in stoppage time would result in the game's equalizer for the Hoops – and a draw that felt like a loss for the home side. That the breakdown was only beginning, as a scoreless draw at home the next weekend against Columbus would be followed by a 4-0 road loss at Chivas USA. After suffering a bitter 2-0 defeat at home to archrival Colorado on April 30th, the changing of the guard would be swift and surprising, as three days later General Manager Steve Pastorino resigned, Ellinger was re-assigned to a Technical Director role, and Kreis hung up his boots so that he could take over the head coaching reigns.

Kreis' sideline tenure started in entertaining fashion just two days later, as late goals by Cunningham and Chris Brown helped RSL garner a point out of a 3-3 home draw against the New York Red Bulls. A month-long, four-game road trip would coincide with the first of many major personnel moves, an exchange of strikers on May 22nd that sent Cunningham to Toronto FC and brought Alecko Eskandarian to Salt Lake City. June would see a bittersweet announcement from Pope, as the defender announced prior to the team's



Jason Kreis became the second head coach in Real Salt Lake history on May 3, 2007, when RSL Owner Dave Checketts selected the team's first-ever player and the League's all-time leading scorer to seize the reins of Utah's Division I professional soccer team. The Duke University product was the eleventh ex-MLS player (not including interim stints) to take over a League side.

June 14th contest against FC Dallas that the 2007 campaign would be the last in his legendary MLS career. A heartbreaking 1-0 loss in that contest and a 3-2 defeat against Los Angeles would follow, with a daunting home clash against a top-of-the-table D.C. United side on tap next. But before that match another trade was on the horizon on June 21st, when RSL acquired a pair of up-and-comers from the LA Galaxy, Robbie Findley and Nathan Sturgis coming to Utah in exchange for Klein. The move paid dividends immediately as two days later Findley tallied twice in his Real Salt Lake debut, the goals lifting RSL to a stunning 2-1 upset that gave the squad its first three-point result and stopped United's seven-game unbeaten streak in the process.

July was full of ups and downs for Real Salt Lake, as the club dropped its four League matches during the month but showed well against a pair of international opponents in its XanGo Cup 2007 double bill over the Pioneer Day weekend. The 2-0 win over Everton FC and 1-1 draw against Boca Juniors also allowed the chance for Kreis to work in two of his latest acquisitions from the Rapids, defender Chris Wingert and midfielder Kyle Beckerman, the latter picked up in a trade that sent Mehdi Ballouchy to Colorado. Real Salt Lake would see one more player depart late in the month, as Adu transferred to Portuguese power Benfica, leaving RSL after just 11 appearances with the club.

The in-season roster makeover appeared to be taking shape as August hit, as Real Salt Lake won three out of five contests beginning with a surprising 1-0 victory on Aug. 4th over a Houston Dynamo side that had gone undefeated in 11 straight contests. A 3-1 home triumph over Kansas City on Aug. 29th and the squad's first road win of the campaign at the Galaxy three days later began a 4-4-3 finish to RSL's year, with the high note coming on the last day of the season on Oct. 20 at Colorado. Real Salt Lake's 1-0 win over the Rapids on Sept. 22nd would even up the Rocky Mountain Cup series at 1-1-1, and late into their season finale at Dick's Sporting Goods Park it looked like the sides would share the spoils out of a scoreless draw. But it was again Findley coming to the rescue, as his 87th minute tally gave the visitors a lead that Rimando would preserve with a highlight-reel save in stoppage time, giving RSL a 1-0 triumph that sent Pope into retirement on a well-deserved winning note. The result not only eliminated RSL's archrival from postseason competition, but gave the Utah side its first Rocky Mountain Cup series victory, a well-earned reward for a team that endured a roller coaster ride of a 2007 season.

2007 STATS AT-A-GLANCE

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED

1' – Mantilla (Hartman), 8/29 v. KC
(40 secs., fastest goal in RSL history)

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED

1' – Galindo (Rimando), 4/21 @ CHV
(28 secs., fastest GA in RSL history)

EQUALIZERS AFTER 75'

94+ – Ruiz, FCD; 4/07 v. FCD
92+ – C. Brown, RSL; 5/05 v. NY
79 – Donovan, LA; 9/19 v. LA
86 – Morales, RSL; 9/19 v. LA
80 – Angel, NY; 9/29 @ NY

RSL GAME-WINNERS AFTER 75'

Findley – 84'; 8/04 v. HOU
Findley – 87'; 10/20 @ COL

OPPOSING GWG AFTER 75'

Gbandi – 82', FCD; 5/20 @ FCD
Odure – 93+', FCD; 6/14 v. FCD
Samuel – 79', TOR; 7/04 v. TOR
Schelotto – 76', CLB; 7/07 @ CLB
Larentowicz – 82', NER; 7/28 v. NER

MULTI-GOAL GAMES FOR

Cunningham (2); 4/07 v. FCD
Brown (2); 6/17 @ LA
Findley (2); 6/23 v. DC

MULTI-GOAL GAMES ALLOWED

Galindo (2); 4/21 @ CHV
Jaqua (3); 9/08 @ HOU
Cunliffe (2); 10/06 v. CHV

HAT TRICKS FOR:

None

HAT TRICKS ALLOWED

Jaqua; 9/08 @ HOU

OWN GOALS FOR

15' – Mastroeni, 5/10 @ COL

OWN GOALS AGAINST

4' – Stewart, 5/10 @ COL

RED CARDS

82' – Kotschau, 6/02 @ NE
92+ – Eskandarian, 7/07 @ CLB
67' – Williams, 7/28 v. NE
35' – Espindola, 9/15 @ TFC
77' – Movsisyan, 10/15 v. HOU

OPPONENT'S RED CARDS

77' – Roberts, LA; 9/01 @ LA
73' – Robinson, HOU; 10/15 v. HOU

2007 RSL AWARD WINNERS

2007 RSL YEAR-END AWARDS

RSL TEAM MVP

GK Nick Rimando

BUDWEISER GOLDEN BOOT

FW Robbie Findley

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

DF Eddie Pope

HUMANITARIAN OF THE YEAR

MF Carey Talley

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

WEEK 1 – Jeff Cunningham

2 goals in 2-2 T v. FCD

MLS SIERRA MIST GOAL OF THE WEEK

WEEK 5 – Chris Brown

Upper left 90 rocket v. NY equalizes match in 91st min.

MLS SIERRA MIST GOAL OF THE WEEK

WEEK 18 – Robbie Findley

Breakaway goal in 84th min. gives RSL 1-0 W v. HOU

2007 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
Overall MLS:	4-7-4 (18/22)	2-8-5 (13/23)	6-15-9 (31/45)	Day Games:	0-0-2 (2/2)	0-2-2 (3/5)	0-2-4 (5/7)
U.S. Open Cup	1-0-0 (2/1)	0-1-0 (1/2)	1-1-0 (3/3)	Night Games:	4-7-2 (16/20)	2-6-3 (10/18)	6-13-5 (26/38)
Int'l Friendly	3-0-1 (7/1)	n/a	3-0-1 (7/1)	On Grass:	1-1-0 (2/2)	2-8-3 (12/21)	3-9-3 (14/23)
Reserve	4-1-0 (13/5)	1-5-0 (5/11)	5-6-0 (18/16)	On Turf:	3-6-4 (16/19)	0-0-2 (2/2)	3-6-6 (18/21)
TOTALS	12-8-5 (40/29)	3-14-5 (19/36)	15-22-10 (59/65)	In Red:	4-7-3 (15/19)	0-0-1 (2/2)	4-7-4 (17/21)
One-Goal Games:	3-5-0 (8/10)	2-6-0 (10/14)	5-11-0 (18/24)	In White:	0-0-1 (3/3)	2-8-4 (11/21)	2-8-5 (14/24)
v. East:	2-3-2 (10/11)	0-3-4 (3/7)	2-6-6 (13/18)	On KSL:	0-1-2 (5/6)	0-2-0 (0/3)	0-3-2 (5/9)
v. West:	2-4-2 (8/11)	2-5-1 (10/16)	4-9-3 (18/27)	On FSN-Utah:	0-2-0 (0/3)	1-4-1 (4/10)	1-6-1 (4/13)
First 15 games:	1-3-3 (8/11)	0-5-3 (4/13)	1-8-6 (12/24)	On ABC/ESPN:	0-1-0 (0/1)	0-0-1 (1/1)	0-1-1 (1/2)
Last 15 games:	3-4-1 (10/11)	2-3-2 (9/10)	5-7-3 (19/21)	On Telefutara:	n/a	0-0-1 (0/0)	0-0-1 (0/0)
Before All-Star:	1-3-3 (8/11)	0-5-3 (4/13)	1-8-6 (12/24)	On HDNet:	0-1-2 (7/8)	1-1-1 (5/5)	1-2-3 (12/13)
Since All-Star:	3-4-1 (10/11)	2-3-2 (9/10)	5-7-3 (19/21)	On FSC:	2-1-0 (4/3)	0-0-1 (2/2)	2-1-1 (6/5)
Scoring First:	4-0-1	0-0-1	4-0-2	Opp. Local TV:	2-1-2 (6/5)	0-1-0 (1/2)	2-2-2 (7/7)
Opp. Scoring First:	0-7-2	2-8-1	2-15-3	In April:	0-1-2 (2/4)	0-1-0 (0/4)	0-2-2 (2/8)
Leading at Half:	3-0-0	0-0-1	3-0-1	In May:	0-0-1 (3/3)	0-1-2 (2/3)	0-1-3 (5/6)
Tied at Half:	1-4-3	1-2-4	2-6-7	In June:	1-1-0 (2/2)	0-1-1 (2/3)	1-2-1 (4/5)
Trailing at Half:	0-3-1	1-6-0	1-9-1	In July:	0-2-0 (2/4)	0-2-0 (0/3)	0-4-0 (2/7)
Leading at 75':	3-0-2	1-0-1	4-0-3	In August:	2-1-0 (4/3)	0-1-0 (0/1)	2-2-0 (4/4)
Tied at 75':	1-3-1	1-2-4	2-5-5	In September:	1-0-1 (3/2)	1-2-2 (8/9)	2-2-3 (11/11)
Trailing at 75':	0-4-1	0-6-0	0-10-1	In October:	0-2-0 (2/4)	1-0-0 (1/0)	1-2-0 (3/4)



2007 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

FINAL RECORD: 6-15-9, 27 pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	GOALS
04/07	FC Dallas	T 2-2	18,678	0-0-1	T3	1	RSL: Cunningham [29, 51]; DAL: Cooper [19], Ruiz [94+]
04/14	Columbus	T 0-0	16,157	0-0-2	5	2	None
04/21	@ Chivas USA	L 0-4	11,253	0-1-2	5	2	CHV: Galindo [1, 9], Razov [43], Taylor [89]
04/30	Colorado	L 0-2	14,173	0-2-2	6	2	COL: Brown [71], Beckerman [75]
05/05	New York	T 3-3	14,789	0-2-3	6	3	RSL: Klein [61], Cunningham [90], C. Brown [91+]; NY: Richards [12], Mathis [28, 83]
05/10	@ Colorado	T 1-1	13,458	0-2-4	T5	4	RSL: own goal [15]; COL: own goal [4]
05/20	@ FC Dallas	L 1-2	16,576	0-3-4	6	4	RSL: Adu [68]; DAL: Alvarez [26], C. Gbandi [82]
05/27	@ Chicago	T 0-0	12,996	0-3-5	T5	5	
06/02	@ New England	T 0-0	16,864	0-3-6	T5	6	None
06/14	FC Dallas	L 0-1	16,278	0-4-6	T5	6	DAL: Odure [93+]
06/17	@ Los Angeles	L 2-3	19,225	0-5-6	6	6	RSL: C. Brown [6, 73]; LA: Jaqua [3], Buddle [25], Jones [65]
06/23	D.C. United	W 2-1	16,319	1-5-6	T5	9	RSL: Findley [41, 50]; DC: Emilio [87]
07/04	Toronto FC	L 1-2	20,751	1-6-6	6	9	RSL: Eskandarian [45]; TOR: Cunningham [19], Samuel [79]
07/07	@ Columbus	L 0-2	14,203	1-7-6	6	9	CLB: Barros Schelotto [76], Gaven [80]
07/14	@ Kansas City	L 0-1	11,766	1-8-6	6	9	KC: Johnson [19]
07/28	New England	L 1-2	13,193	1-9-6	6	9	RSL: Talley [72]; NE: Noonan [38], Larentowicz [82]
08/04	Houston	W 1-0	13,003	2-9-6	6	12	RSL: Findley [84]
08/18	Chicago	L 0-2	18,913	2-10-6	6	12	CHI: Blanco [43], Wanchope [78]
08/26	@ Chivas USA	L 0-1	11,217	2-11-6	6	12	CHV: Marsch [31]
08/29	Kansas City	W 3-1	11,721	3-11-6	5	15	RSL: Mantilla [11], Espíndola [42], Williams [85]; KC: Johnson [69]
09/01	@ Los Angeles	W 2-1	27,000	4-11-6	5	18	RSL: Findley [67], Pope [71]; LA: Gordon [6]
09/08	@ Houston	L 3-4	16,104	4-12-6	5	18	RSL: Espíndola [18], Talley [69], K. Brown [82]; HOU: Jaqua [6, 48, 57], Robinson [28]
09/12	@ D.C. United	L 1-2	14,655	4-13-6	5	18	RSL: Beckerman [32]; DC: Emilio [16], Gomez [73]
09/15	@ Toronto FC	T 0-0	20,098	4-13-7	5	19	
09/19	Los Angeles	T 2-2	24,633	4-13-8	5	20	RSL: Talley [56], Morales [86]; LA: Donovan [79], Glinton [85]
09/22	Colorado	W 1-0	14,089	5-13-8	5	23	RSL: K. Brown [30]
09/29	@ New York	T 2-2	15,855	5-13-9	T5	24	RSL: C. Brown [22], Beckerman [75]; NY: Doe [49], Angel [80]
10/06	Chivas USA	L 2-3	12,111	5-14-9	6	24	RSL: C. Brown [52], Findley [63]; CHV: Cunliffe [22, 54], Nagamura [58]
10/15	Houston	L 0-1	14,587	5-15-9	6	24	HOU: Holden [66]
10/20	@ Colorado	W 1-0	14,777	6-15-9	6	27	RSL: Findley [87]

REAL SALT LAKE 2007 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (MLS PLAY-IN ROUNDS)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
04/18	Kansas City Wizards	W 2-1	8,147	Play-In Round #1	RSL: Cunningham [12], Williams [109]; KC: Victorine [88]
05/23	@ Colorado Rapids	L 1-2	N/A	Play-In Round #1	RSL: Klein [64]; COL: Peterson [48, 93+]

REAL SALT LAKE 2007 INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
04/18	Fiji National Team	W 3-0	8,147		RSL: Brown [32, 55], Tejada [38]
06/07	China National Team	W 1-0	11,119		RSL: Eskandarian [81]
07/21	Everton FC (ENG)	W 2-0	12,221	XanGo Cup 2007	RSL: Talley [28], Findley [29]
07/24	Boca Juniors (ARG)	T 1-1	16,378	XanGo Cup 2007	RSL: Adu [48+]; CABJ: [Boselli 67]

2007 REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
55	FW	Robbie Findley (TOT)	25	14	1353	8	0	31	16	15	27	14	0	0	0
	FW	Robbie Findley (RSL)	16	11	974	6	0	20	11	7	17	10	0	0	0
8	M/F	Chris Brown	22	12	1084	5	0	23	13	9	12	4	1	0	0
33	FW	Yura Movsisyan (TOT)	23	9	993	5	0	42	13	25	24	4	1	1	1
	FW	Yura Movsisyan (RSL)	5	4	327	0	0	10	3	14	10	4	0	1	1
5	MF	Kyle Beckerman (TOT)	28	27	2430	3	3	52	19	39	41	2	10	9	0
	MF	Kyle Beckerman (RSL)	15	14	1305	2	1	33	11	20	22	2	10	4	0
3	MF	Carey Talley	26	25	2195	3	1	28	9	38	38	2	0	6	0
90	FW	*Jeff Cunningham	7	7	602	3	0	11	7	3	7	10	0	1	0
11	FW	A. Eskandarian (TOT)	23	23	1913	2	3	58	30	46	50	16	26	9	1
	FW	A. Eskandarian (RSL)	17	17	1428	1	3	47	21	32	39	16	24	6	1
9	FW	Fabian Espindola	12	8	602	2	2	13	9	7	16	7	3	3	1
4	FW	Kyle Brown	8	3	286	2	0	7	4	6	1	3	0	0	0
77	MF	Andy Williams	24	12	1277	1	3	19	9	29	32	3	11	1	1
11	MF	Freddy Adu	11	10	899	1	2	24	12	11	25	6	22	1	0
10	MF	Javier Morales	7	5	369	1	2	6	3	8	9	1	15	2	0
17	MF	*Chris Klein	11	11	990	1	1	22	10	8	6	4	1	1	0
27	DF	Matias Mantilla	10	9	828	1	0	2	2	13	5	0	0	6	0
23	DF	Eddie Pope	27	27	2248	1	0	5	1	24	27	0	0	2	0
17	DF	Chris Wingert (TOT)	22	16	1590	0	2	4	3	26	17	0	16	4	0
	DF	Chris Wingert (RSL)	16	12	1144	0	2	3	2	18	15	0	16	3	0
7	M/F	Atiba Harris	21	13	1259	0	1	8	4	45	22	8	0	5	0
16	M/D	Chris Lantos	14	8	811	0	1	3	1	11	5	0	5	3	0
13	DF	Jack Stewart	13	12	1006	0	1	2	0	5	9	1	0	1	0
10	MF	*Mehdi Ballouchy	14	14	1239	0	0	23	6	30	29	3	40	5	0
20	MF	Nikolas Besagno	2	1	88	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
15	MF	Kenny Cutler	2	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	DF	Willis Forko	12	12	990	0	0	0	0	7	4	2	0	2	0
25	D/M	Jean-Martial Kipre	18	16	1427	0	0	7	2	24	14	2	0	4	0
28	DF	Dustin Kirby	1	1	79	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
6	DF	Ritchie Kotschau	20	18	1664	0	0	3	0	19	10	1	0	3	1
9	MF	Jason Kreis	4	4	358	0	0	11	4	6	9	0	0	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	27	27	2430	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
1	GK	Chris Seitz	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	MF	Nathan Sturgis (TOT)	14	13	1146	0	0	8	1	13	15	0	0	2	0
	MF	Nathan Sturgis (RSL)	5	5	373	0	0	5	0	7	8	0	0	1	0
18	FW	Luis Tejada	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
2	DF	Daniel Torres	10	9	825	0	0	4	2	7	7	0	0	1	0
22	FW	Jamie Watson	9	0	190	0	0	6	2	3	3	0	1	0	0
14	MF	Steven Curfman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	MF	Christian Jimenez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Own-goals received				1									
		RSL totals	30	30	2700	31	20	345	148	412	428	90	149	63	5
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>2700</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>403</i>	<i>205</i>	<i>428</i>	<i>412</i>	<i>103</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>2</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 3, Eddie Pope 1, Fabian Espindola 1, Kyle Brown 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Alecko Eskandarian 2, Carey Talley 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Carey Talley 2-2, Alecko Eskandarian 1-2, Jeff Cunningham 1-1, Freddy Adu 1-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	27	27	2430	191	146	37	1.37	4	6	6	13	8	7
1	GK	Chris Seitz	3	3	270	14	6	8	2.67	0	0	0	2	1	0
		RSL totals	30	30	2700	205	152	45	1.50	4	6	6	15	9	7
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>2700</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.03</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>12</i>

* = Played with other teams in 2007. Only Real Salt Lake statistics listed here.



2007 U.S. OPEN CUP PLAY-IN STATS



RSL played two rounds of MLS qualifying for the 2007 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup but did not qualify for the 40-team tournament proper. Thus, RSL's 2007 USOC stats and results do not count in U.S. Soccer's official tournament records.

REAL SALT LAKE 2007 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS (MLS PLAY-IN ROUNDS)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
04/18	Kansas City Wizards	W 2-1	8,147	Play-In Round #1	RSL: Cunningham (12), Williams (109); KC: Victorine (88)
05/23	@ Colorado Rapids	L 1-2	N/A	Play-In Round #1	RSL: Klein (64); COL: Peterson (48, 93+)

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
Jeff Cunningham	1	1	120	1	1	1	0
Chris Klein	2	2	139	1	0	0	0
Andy Williams	2	0	97	1	0	1	0
Mehdi Ballouchy	2	2	175	0	1	0	0
Freddy Adu	2	2	165	0	0	0	0
Nik Besagno	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
Chris Brown	2	1	70	0	0	0	0
Kenny Cutler	1	1	119	0	0	0	0
Willis Forko	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Atiba Harris	1	1	90	0	0	1	0
Duke Hashimoto	2	0	56	0	0	0	0
Jean-Martial Kipré	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
Chris Lantos	2	1	148	0	0	1	0
Eddie Pope	2	2	114	0	0	0	0
Chris Seitz	2	2	210	0	0	0	0
Jack Stewart	2	1	156	0	0	0	0
Carey Talley	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Daniel Torres	2	2	210	0	0	1	0
Jamie Watson	1	0	19	0	0	0	0
RSL Totals	2	2	210	3	2	5	0
Opponent Totals	2	2	210	3	1	6	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Jeff Cunningham 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jeff Cunningham 1/1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
Chris Seitz	2	2	210	3	1.29	0	0	1	1	0	0
RSL Totals	2	2	210	3	1.29	0	0	1	1	0	0
Opponent Totals	2	2	210	3	1.29	1	1	1	1	0	0

2007 RSL RESERVE STATISTICS

REAL SALT LAKE RESERVE SCHEDULE/RESULTS (5-6-0, 15 pts.)

Day	Date	Opponent	Venue	Result
Sunday	April 22	at Chivas USA	The Home Depot Center	1-2 L
Tuesday	May 1	Colorado Rapids	Quinn's Junction	1-2 L
Monday	May 21	at FC Dallas	Pizza Hut Park	0-1 L
Sunday	July 29	New England Revolution	Quinn's Junction	3-2 W
Sunday	Aug. 5	Houston Dynamo	Quinn's Junction	4-1 W
Sunday	Aug. 19	Chicago Fire	Quinn's Junction	4-0 W
Sunday	Sept. 2	at Los Angeles Galaxy	The Home Depot Center	2-4 L
Sunday	Sept. 9	at Houston Dynamo	Robertson Stadium	1-0 W
Sunday	Sept. 16	at Toronto FC	BMO Field	0-1 L
*Saturday	Sept. 29	at New York Red Bulls	Giant's Stadium	1-3 L
Sunday	Oct. 7	Chivas USA	Quinn's Junction	2-1 W
Sunday	Oct. 21	at Colorado Rapids	Dick's Sporting Goods Park	DNP

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E *
22	MF	Jamie Watson	11	10	644	4	2	1	0
4	FW	Kyle Brown	10	10	709	4	0	1	0
16	DF	Chris Lancos	8	8	703	3	0	3	0
77	MF	Andy Williams	3	3	180	2	1	0	0
8	FW	Chris Brown	3	3	254	2	0	0	0
21	MF	Christian Jimenez	10	7	675	1	3	2	1
13	DF	Jack Stewart	7	7	630	1	0	1	0
15	MF	Kenny Cutler	7	4	431	0	1	0	0
55	FW	Robbie Findley	3	2	136	0	1	0	0
5	MF	Duke Hashimoto	3	2	181	0	1	0	0
28	DF	Dustin Kirby	11	8	819	0	1	0	0
33	FW	Yura Movsisyan	1	1	45	0	1	0	0
18	FW	Luis Tejada	1	0	30	0	1	1	0
20	DF	Nikolas Besagno	6	6	495	0	0	1	0
14	DF	Steven Curfman	10	5	511	0	0	0	0
9	FW	Fabian Espindola	2	2	134	0	0	0	0
19	DF	Willis Forko	5	5	450	0	0	0	0
7	FW	Atiba Harris	7	6	550	0	0	3	2
25	DF	Jean-Martial Kipre	1	1	62	0	0	0	0
--	DF	Richie Kotschau	1	0	33	0	0	0	0
27	DF	Matías Mantilla	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
10	MF	Javier Morales	1	1	50	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	9	3	408	0	0	0	0
6	GK	Nick Rimando	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
26	FW	Jeff Rowland	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
1	GK	Chris Seitz	7	7	502	0	0	0	0
12	MF	Nathan Sturgis	2	2	151	0	0	0	0
17	DF	Chris Wingert	3	3	208	0	0	0	0
RSL TOTALS			11	11	990	19	12	17	3
<i>Opponent Totals</i>			<i>11</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>990</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>3</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Jamie Watson 2, Jack Stewart 1, Chris Lancos 1, Adam Acosta 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Andy Williams 1, Jaime Watson 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jamie Watson 2/2

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	9	3	398	4	0.90	0	0	2	1	0	1
6	GK	Nick Rimando	1	1	90	2	2.00	0	0	0	1	0	0
1	GK	Chris Seitz	7	7	502	11	1.97	0	0	3	4	0	1
RSL TOTALS			11	11	990	17	1.55	0	0	5	6	0	2
<i>Opponent Totals</i>			<i>11</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>990</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1.73</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>

* Stats include active roster players only.



2006 SEASON IN REVIEW

Led by forward Jeff Cunningham, last-minute heroics permeated the team's existence in 2006. Despite its slow start out of the gates, going 0-5-1 prior to losing Eddie Pope and Douglas Sequeira to World Cup duty, RSL was the lone team with more than one second-half comeback (four wins), as former Head Coach John Ellinger's squad led MLS with 15 of its 45 goals – exactly one-third – in the final 15 minutes of games, a testament to the team's cardiac personality.

Season highlights included the team's first-ever road win, a 3-0 victory at Los Angeles against the Galaxy in The Home Depot Center, sparking a 3-0-1 run during the month of May that also saw Cunningham score in a team-record four consecutive games. Real later went on a 6-2-1 run in late July and the month of August, the most successful surge in team history, one which included several highlights, including: the squad's first-ever come-from-behind win on the road, a 2-1 thriller at Columbus featuring a 72nd-minute Chris Klein equalizer and a 90th-minute Carey Talley game-winner; the record-setting four goals scored in a 4-1 win at Colorado just 3 days prior to Real Madrid's visit; a 3-1 win at New England highlighted by Cunningham's twisting 50-yard dribbling exhibition through eight Revolution defenders; and a scintillating 3-3 draw at Kansas City which saw three lead changes and Jason Kreis' 108th and ultimately final career goal.

Cunningham scored 16 goals in 2006 to lead MLS, capturing the Golden Boot, adding 11 assists and honored with an MLS Best XI selection. Real Salt Lake's emotional leader in 2006 was Carey Talley, the unequivocal "heart and soul" of RSL, the tenacious tackler and relentless motivator whose highlight-reel goal from 35 yards out in July against rival Chivas nearly won MLS Goal of the Year honors. Goalkeeper Scott Garlick notched career win #100, only the third 'keeper in MLS history to attain that threshold, in a season in which he started 31 games, a team record, and his 10 wins, 9 ties and 2,745 minutes also setting the club standard.

In the second half of RSL's second season, the team dropped just four of its final 16 games, turning the corner from an expansion team struggling to find its way to one which finished just two points shy of a Western Conference playoff berth. As the third-highest scoring team in MLS in 2006, RSL entered 2007 with high hopes and a "playoffs or bust" attitude.



2006 STATS AT-A-GLANCE

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED

6'—Kreiss, 4/29 v. LA

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED

2'—Razov (Garlick), 7/26 v. CHV

EQUALIZERS AFTER 75'

Kreiss—89'; 4/15 v. NY
Ballouchy—78'; 5/20 v. KC
Kreiss—88'; 5/27 v. COL
Barrett—80'; 6/28 @ CHI
Suarez—90'; 7/26 v. CHV
Cunningham—90'; 7/29 v. DC
Klein—75'; 8/16 @ CLB
Kreiss—81'; 9/30 @ KC
Soto—89'; 10/15 @ CHV

GAME-WINNERS AFTER 75'

DeRosario—84'; 4/22 @ HOU
Cunningham—80'; 5/20 v. KC
Moreno—83'; 6/17 @ HOU
Barrett—85'; 6/28 @ CHI
Thompson—90'; 7/22 v. DAL
Cunningham—92+; 7/29 v. DC
Talley—90'; 8/16 @ CLB

MULTI-GOAL GAMES FOR

Cunningham (2); 5/13 @ LA
Cunningham (2); 6/3 v. CHI
Cunningham (2); 7/29 v. DC
Cunningham (2); 8/9 @ COL
Harris (2); 9/30 @ KC

MULTI-GOAL GAMES ALLOWED

Razov (2); 4/2 @ CHV
Buddle (3); 8/26 @ NY
Ruiz (2); 9/16 @ DAL

HAT TRICKS ALLOWED

Buddle; 8/26 @ NY

OWN GOALS FOR

69'—Robinson, 6/3 v. CHI

RED CARDS

87'—Kreiss, 4/29 v. LA
82'—Dunseth, 5/27 v. COL
8'—Stewart, 8/26 @ NY
33'—Talley, 9/16 v. DAL

OPPONENT'S RED CARDS

77'—Roberts, LA; 9/01 @ LA
73'—Robinson, HOU; 10/15 v. HOU

2006 RSL AWARD WINNERS

2006 RSL YEAR-END AWARDS

RSL TEAM MVP

FW Jeff Cunningham

BUDWEISER GOLDEN BOOT

FW Jeff Cunningham

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

MF Carey Talley

HUMANITARIAN OF THE YEAR

DF Seth Tremblay

MLS PLAYER OF THE MONTH

August—Jeff Cunningham
4g, 4a [2 GWG/2 GWA]

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

WEEK 7—Jeff Cunningham
2 goals in 3-0 W @ LA

WEEK 10—Jeff Cunningham
2 goals in 3-1 @ v. CHI

WEEK 18—Jeff Cunningham—
3 goals v. CHV, DC

WEEK 20—Jeff Cunningham
2g, 1a in 4-1 W @ COL

WEEK 21—Chris Klein
1 goal in 2-1 W @ CLB

SIERRA MIST GOAL OF THE WEEK

WEEK 2—Chris Klein
free kick @ DAL—4/8

WEEK 3—Jason Kreiss
diving header v. NY—4/15

WEEK 10—Jeff Cunningham
chip shot v. CHI—6/3

WEEK 18—Carey Talley
40-yard blast v. CHV—7/26

WEEK 21—Chris Klein
low liner @ CLB—8/16

WEEK 30—Jafet Soto
89' scissor kick @ CHV—10/15

2006 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
Overall MLS:	6-4-6 [23/19]	4-9-3 [22/30]	10-13-9 [45/49]	On Grass:	n/a	4-8-3 [22/24]	4-8-3 [22/24]
One-Goal Games:	4-4-0 [10/10]	1-6-0 [7/12]	5-10-0 [17/22]	On Turf:	3-6-4 [16/19]	0-0-2 [2/2]	6-5-6 [23/25]
v. East:	3-1-2 [8/5]	2-2-2 [10/14]	5-3-4 [18/19]	In Red:	6-4-6 [23/19]	3-4-0 [10/17]	9-8-6 [33/36]
v. West:	3-3-4 [15/14]	2-7-1 [12/16]	5-10-5 [27/30]	In White:	n/a	1-5-3 [12/13]	1-5-3 [12/13]
First 16 games:	2-2-4 [10/9]	1-7-0 [7/14]	3-9-4 [17/23]	On KSL:	n/a	0-5-2 [7/16]	0-5-2 [7/16]
Last 16 games:	4-2-2 [13/10]	3-2-3 [15/16]	7-4-5 [28/26]	On FSN-Utah:	0-0-1 [1/1]	2-3-1 [9/8]	2-3-2 [10/9]
Before All-Star:	3-3-5 [15/14]	2-7-0 [10/15]	5-10-5 [25/29]	On ABC/ESPN:	0-1-1 [4/5]	n/a	0-1-1 [4/5]
Since All-Star:	3-1-1 [8/5]	2-2-3 [12/15]	5-3-4 [20/20]	On HDNet:	2-0-0 [6/3]	n/a	2-0-0 [6/3]
Scoring First:	3-1-0	3-3-0	6-4-0	On FSC:	0-1-0 [3/2]	1-0-0 [2/1]	1-1-0 [5/3]
Opp. Scoring First:	3-2-3	1-6-4	4-8-7	Opp. Local TV:	2-1-2 [6/5]	0-1-0 [1/2]	2-2-2 [7/7]
Leading at Half:	1-0-0	3-1-1	4-1-1	ENG crew only:	1-0-1 [1/0]	n/a	1-0-1 [0/1]
Tied at Half:	2-3-4	0-4-0	2-7-4	In April:	0-1-1 [3/4]	0-3-0 [2/8]	0-4-1 [5/11]
Trailing at Half:	3-1-2	1-4-2	4-5-4	In May:	1-1-1 [4/4]	1-0-0 [3/0]	2-1-1 [7/4]
Leading at 75':	4-0-1	3-0-0	7-0-1	In June:	1-0-1 [3/1]	0-3-0 [2/5]	1-3-1 [5/6]
Tied at 75':	0-1-4	1-2-1	1-3-5	In July:	1-1-2 [3/4]	1-1-0 [3/3]	2-2-2 [8/8]
Trailing at 75':	2-3-1	0-7-2	2-10-3	In August:	2-0-0 [4/1]	2-1-0 [6/8]	4-1-0 [10/9]
Day Games:	0-1-1 [4/5]	0-0-1 [1/1]	0-1-2 [5/6]	In September:	1-1-0 [3/3]	0-1-2 [5/6]	1-2-2 [8/9]
Night Games:	6-3-5 [19/14]	4-9-2 [21/29]	10-12-7 [40/43]	In October:	0-0-1 [1/1]	0-1-1 [1/1]	0-0-2 [2/2]
				Overall MLS:	6-4-6 [23/19]	4-9-3 [22/30]	10-13-9 [45/49]
				U.S. Open Cup	1-1-0 [2/2]	n/a	1-1-0 [2/2]
				Int'l Friendly	0-2-0 [1/5]	n/a	0-2-0 [1/5]
				Reserve Matches	4-1-1 [14/9]	2-2-2 [10/10]	6-3-3 [24/19]



2006 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

FINAL RECORD: 10-13-9, 39 Pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	NOTES:
04/02	@ Chivas USA	L 0-3	20,739	0-1-0	T4	0	CHV: Razov (21,65) Ju. Garcia (25)
04/08	@ FC Dallas	L 1-2	14,712	0-2-0	6	0	RSL: Klein (36); DAL: Cooper (43) Wilson (57)
04/15	New York	T 1-1	16,132	0-2-1	6	1	RSL: Kreis (89); NY: Guevara (77)
04/22	@ Houston	L 1-2	16,904	0-3-1	6	1	RSL: Cunningham (57); HOU: Waibel (60) De Rosario (84)
04/29	Los Angeles	L 2-3	16,427	0-4-1	6	1	RSL: Kreis (6) Harris (74); LA: Donovan (11) Jones (26) Gomez (60)
05/06	Columbus	L 0-1	15,804	0-5-1	6	1	CLB: Garey (70)
05/13	@ Los Angeles	W 3-0	19,127	1-5-1	T5	4	RSL: Harris (17) Cunningham (72,87)
05/20	Kansas City	W 2-1	16,222	2-5-1	T4	7	RSL: Ballouchy (78) Cunningham (80); KC: Pore (27)
05/27	Colorado	T 2-2	13,016	2-5-2	4	8	RSL: Cunningham (73) Kreis (88); COL: Kirovski (33) Wasson (84)
06/03	Chicago	W 3-1	14,752	3-5-2	4	11	RSL: Cunningham (57,77) own goal (69); CHI: Plotkin (62)
06/09	@ Colorado	L 0-1	12,920	3-6-2	5	11	COL: Hernandez (16)
06/17	@ Houston	L 1-2	13,824	3-7-2	5	11	RSL: Kreis (88); HOU: Mullan (36) Moreno (83)
06/24	New England	T 0-0	12,587	3-7-3	5	12	
06/28	@ Chicago	L 1-2	10,914	3-8-3	5	12	RSL: Kreis (25); CHI: Barrett (80,85)
07/04	Chivas USA	T 0-0	20,752	3-8-4	6	13	
07/08	@ Los Angeles	L 0-2	16,369	3-9-4	6	13	LA: Gomez (47) Gardner (50)
07/14	@ New England	W 3-1	11,089	4-9-4	6	16	RSL: Klein (16) Cunningham (52) Kreis (55); NE: Twellman (57)
07/22	FC Dallas	L 0-1	20,227	4-10-4	6	16	DAL: Thompson (90)
07/26	Chivas USA	T 3-3	13,056	4-10-5	6	17	RSL: Cunningham (33) Talley (55) Williams (74); CHV: Razov (2) Bornstein (59) Suarez (90)
07/29	D.C. United	W 2-1	20,027	5-10-5	T5	20	RSL: Cunningham (90,90); DC: Moreno (36)
08/09	@ Colorado	W 4-1	10,614	6-10-5	T	23	RSL: Cunningham (25,76) Klein (63) Brown (90); COL: Martins (84)
08/16	@ Columbus	W 2-1	14,618	7-10-5	5	26	RSL: Klein (75) Talley (90); CLB: Rozental (23)
08/19	Houston	W 3-1	14,091	8-10-5	5	29	RSL: Klein (45) Sequeira (64) Cunningham (82); HOU: Serieux (72)
08/26	@ New York	L 0-6	11,682	8-11-5	T5	29	NY: Buddle (54,61,72) Cita (77) Dunivant (79) Wolyniec (86)
08/30	Los Angeles	W 1-0	14,451	9-11-5	T4	32	RSL: Cunningham (60)
09/02	Colorado	L 0-1	17,343	9-12-5	T5	32	COL: Hernandez (48)
09/09	@ D.C. United	T 1-1	19,812	9-12-6	5	33	RSL: Klein (65); DC: Adu (45)
09/16	FC Dallas	W 3-2	14,453	10-12-6	5	36	RSL: Williams (13) Klein (62) Kreis (72); DAL: Ruiz (4,45)
09/23	@ FC Dallas	L 1-2	17,975	10-13-6	5	36	RSL: Cunningham (48); DAL: Ruiz (9) Cooper (14)
09/30	@ Kansas City	T 3-3	15,038	10-13-7	5	37	RSL: Harris (35,44) Kreis (81); KC: Wolff (6) Sealy (54) Burciaga (63)
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08/02	Colorado Rapids	L 0-1	4,546	Fourth Round	COL: Peterson (61)

REAL SALT LAKE 2006 INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY RESULTS

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07/18	Monarcas Morelia (MEX)	L 1-3	10,715		RSL: Acosta (91+); MOR: Marquez (40, 57, 75)
08/12	Real Madrid (SPA)	L 0-2	45,511	XanGo Cup 2006	MAD: Van Nistelrooy (45), Robinho (64)

2006 REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
74	FW	Jeff Cunningham	31	26	2404	16	11	83	45	25	49	35	0	6	0
9	FW	Jason Kreis	30	27	2434	8	5	56	22	29	28	21	0	3	1
17	MF	Chris Klein	32	32	2842	7	8	70	27	18	25	17	75	0	0
13	FW	Atiba Harris	22	12	1146	4	1	24	15	47	36	24	0	8	1
3	M/D	Carey Talley	30	30	2618	2	8	19	6	53	50	3	0	7	1
7	M/F	Andy Williams	29	21	1943	2	6	37	14	31	52	8	40	5	0
10	MF	Mehdi Ballouchy	32	26	2162	2	2	19	5	52	46	4	9	4	0
11	DF	Chris Brown	9	3	297	1	0	1	1	4	1	0	0	0	0
27	MF	Douglas Sequeira	18	13	1246	1	0	16	4	29	14	3	0	3	1
25	MF	Jafet Soto	8	1	192	1	0	2	2	1	3	2	1	0	0
16	DF	Willis Forko	26	26	2254	0	1	0	0	19	30	1	0	2	0
2	DF	Nelson Akwari	18	14	1308	0	0	4	1	17	7	0	0	2	0
20	MF	Nikolas Besagno	4	2	283	0	0	0	0	7	5	0	0	1	0
15	MF	Kenny Cutler	15	11	918	0	0	5	1	11	3	0	0	2	0
1	GK	Scott Garlick	31	31	2745	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	0
21	MF	Christian Jimenez	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	F/M*	Ryan Johnson	7	1	154	0	0	1	1	3	5	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Jay Nolly	2	1	135	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
19	DF	Kevin Novak	26	25	2029	0	0	3	1	25	16	1	0	3	0
23	DF	Eddie Pope	22	22	1926	0	0	5	1	20	15	1	0	4	0
31	DF	Jack Stewart (TOT)	17	13	1126	0	0	5	1	19	3	0	0	2	1
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5	DF	Daniel Torres	16	16	1363	0	0	1	0	14	11	0	0	1	0
22	FW	Jamie Watson	10	0	104	0	0	4	1	2	6	3	0	1	0
8	F/M	Joey Worthen	3	0	29	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
28	FW	Adam Acosta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	M/F	Brian Gil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	GK	Chase Harrison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	FW	Duke Hashimoto (TOT)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FW	Duke Hashimoto (RSL)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	DF	Cameron Knowles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Own-goals received				1									
		RSL TOTALS	32	32	2880	45	42	355	147	422	416	123	125	59	5
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>2880</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>383</i>	<i>171</i>	<i>424</i>	<i>417</i>	<i>114</i>	<i>142</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>2</i>

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RSL TOTALS			32	32	2880	171	115	49	1.53	1	2	10	13	9	4
Opponent Totals			32	32	2880	147	97	45	1.41	5	6	13	10	9	9

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2006 U.S. OPEN CUP PLAY-IN STATS

FINAL RECORD: 10-13-9, 39 Pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	NOTES:
04/02	@ Chivas USA	L 0-3	20,739	0-1-0	T4	0	CHV: Razov (21,65) Ju. Garcia (25)
04/08	@ FC Dallas	L 1-2	14,712	0-2-0	6	0	RSL: Klein (36); DAL: Cooper (43) Wilson (57)
04/15	New York	T 1-1	16,132	0-2-1	6	1	RSL: Kreis (89); NY: Guevara (77)
04/22	@ Houston	L 1-2	16,904	0-3-1	6	1	RSL: Cunningham (57); HOU: Waibel (60) De Rosario (84)
04/29	Los Angeles	L 2-3	16,427	0-4-1	6	1	RSL: Kreis (6) Harris (74); LA: Donovan (11) Jones (26) Gomez (60)
05/06	Columbus	L 0-1	15,804	0-5-1	6	1	CLB: Garey (70)
05/13	@ Los Angeles	W 3-0	19,127	1-5-1	T5	4	RSL: Harris (17) Cunningham (72,87)
05/20	Kansas City	W 2-1	16,222	2-5-1	T4	7	RSL: Ballouchy (78) Cunningham (80); KC: Pore (27)
05/27	Colorado	T 2-2	13,016	2-5-2	4	8	RSL: Cunningham (73) Kreis (88); COL: Kirovski (33) Wasson (84)
06/03	Chicago	W 3-1	14,752	3-5-2	4	11	RSL: Cunningham (57,77) own goal (69); CHI: Plotkin (62)
06/09	@ Colorado	L 0-1	12,920	3-6-2	5	11	COL: Hernandez (16)
06/17	@ Houston	L 1-2	13,824	3-7-2	5	11	RSL: Kreis (88); HOU: Mullan (36) Moreno (83)
06/24	New England	T 0-0	12,587	3-7-3	5	12	
06/28	@ Chicago	L 1-2	10,914	3-8-3	5	12	RSL: Kreis (25); CHI: Barrett (80,85)
07/04	Chivas USA	T 0-0	20,752	3-8-4	6	13	
07/08	@ Los Angeles	L 0-2	16,369	3-9-4	6	13	LA: Gomez (47) Gardner (50)
07/14	@ New England	W 3-1	11,089	4-9-4	6	16	RSL: Klein (16) Cunningham (52) Kreis (55); NE: Twellman (57)
07/22	FC Dallas	L 0-1	20,227	4-10-4	6	16	DAL: Thompson (90)
07/26	Chivas USA	T 3-3	13,056	4-10-5	6	17	RSL: Cunningham (33) Talley (55) Williams (74); CHV: Razov (2) Bornstein (59) Suarez (90)
07/29	D.C. United	W 2-1	20,027	5-10-5	T5	20	RSL: Cunningham (90,90); DC: Moreno (36)
08/09	@ Colorado	W 4-1	10,614	6-10-5	T	23	RSL: Cunningham (25,76) Klein (63) Brown (90); COL: Martins (84)
08/16	@ Columbus	W 2-1	14,618	7-10-5	5	26	RSL: Klein (75) Talley (90); CLB: Rozental (23)
08/19	Houston	W 3-1	14,091	8-10-5	5	29	RSL: Klein (45) Sequeira (64) Cunningham (82); HOU: Serieux (72)
08/26	@ New York	L 0-6	11,682	8-11-5	T5	29	NY: Buddle (54,61,72) Cita (77) Dunivant (79) Wolyniec (86)
08/30	Los Angeles	W 1-0	14,451	9-11-5	T4	32	RSL: Cunningham (60)
09/02	Colorado	L 0-1	17,343	9-12-5	T5	32	COL: Hernandez (48)
09/09	@ D.C. United	T 1-1	19,812	9-12-6	5	33	RSL: Klein (65); DC: Adu (45)
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28	FW	Adam Acosta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	M/F	Brian Gil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	GK	Chase Harrison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	FW	Duke Hashimoto (TOT)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FW	Duke Hashimoto (RSL)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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2005 SEASON IN REVIEW

Real Salt Lake's inaugural campaign offers several highlight-reel moments, most notably the diving Brian Dunseth header in the 81st minute against regional rival Colorado. The emotional victory, in front of 25,000-plus at Rice-Eccles Stadium and a live, national ESPN2 audience, imitated Dunseth's goal celebration, figuratively planting the RSL flag in the ground and establishing Major League Soccer in Utah.

In expansion terms, RSL burst out of the gates with a 3-3-2 record, with three defensive clean sheets and 11 points good for third place in the Western Conference. Future head coach Jason Kreis, the team's captain, scored the organization's inaugural goal at Los Angeles before a sell-out crowd of 27,000, one week after the squad drew 0-0 vs. New York at Giants Stadium, the game marred by a Nor'easter that rendered the ball hardly controllable on the turf. Kreis also recorded the team's first-ever multi-goal game with a "brace" in the 2-2 draw against San Jose.

However, for the next two months from mid-May to mid-July, Real Salt Lake struggled mightily, recording a 0-9-2 mark during a stretch that saw a record 556-minute scoring drought, as well as the team's first-ever own goals, dubiously recorded in back-to-back games.

The winless streak came to a crashing halt during a Pioneer Day spectacular with a 3-0 win against FC Dallas. Former Burn defender Dunseth tallied the team's earliest goal in history in the game's 3rd minute, while Jordan Cila and Clint Mathis also scored in the first 30 minutes. RSL followed that game up with a fiery, 2-1 win at home against expansion brethren Chivas, a game which saw double red cards just 18 minutes in, Andy Williams scoring Major League Soccer's 5,000th goal early in the second half and captain Kreis providing the 74th-minute game-winning goal.

Kreis again provided the metaphorical fireworks just four days later, becoming the first MLS player in the league's 10-year history to score 100 career goals, as his blistering volley from 22 yards out blazed past Kansas City goalkeeper Bo Oshoniyi and into the upper corner. That was the high point of the 2005 campaign, as the historic goal came in the midst of a 0-11-1 run after the August 6 Chivas win, RSL not tasting victory again until the season-ending "Chupacabra" exhibition game vs. Chivas at Rice-Eccles on Oct. 28, as both expansion teams watched the MLS Cup Playoffs from home.

Despite the expansion blues, hope sprang eternal as the season closed down, with the announcement on October 12, 2005, by Real Salt Lake Owner Dave Checketts and Sandy City Mayor Tom Dolan, joined by Utah State Legislators John Valentine, Greg Curtis and Curt Bramble, announced that a plot of land on State Street in Sandy between 9000 and 9400 South, one which had lain fallow for nearly 40 years, would be the site of the new RSL Stadium.



2005 expansion brethren, CD Chivas USA, quickly became a Western Conference nemesis.

2005 STATS AT-A-GLANCE

QUICKEST GOAL SCORED

3' - Dunseth, 7/23 v. DAL

QUICKEST GOAL ALLOWED

2' - Chung [Countess], 6/18 @ SJ

EQUALIZERS AFTER 75'

Kreis - 89'; 4/15 v. NY

Moreno - 82'; 4/30 v. SJ

Kreis - 90'; 7/4 v. NY

GAME-WINNERS AFTER 75'

Dunseth - 81'; 4/16 v. COL

Smith - 76'; 9/3 v. NE

Noel - 87'; 10/12 v. COL

MULTI-GOAL GAMES FOR

Kreis [2]; 4/30 v. SJ

MULTI-GOAL GAMES ALLOWED

Donovan [2]; 4/9 @ LA

Sealy [2]; 7/16 @ KC

Victorine [2]; 8/13 v. KC

Moreno [2]; 8/31 @ DC

Mina [2]; 9/18 @ DAL

Buddle [2]; 9/24 @ CLB

HAT TRICKS ALLOWED

n/a

OWN GOALS FOR

n/a

OWN GOALS AGAINST

4' - Kamler, 7/9 @ CHV

18' - Countess, 7/16 @ KC

76' - Dunseth, 8/10 @ NE

RED CARDS

73' - Pope, 4/23 @ DAL

46+ - Dunseth, 7/4 v. NY

18' - Mathis, 8/6 v. CHV

94+ - Watson, 8/13 v. KC

79' - Cutler, 8/31 @ DC

91+ - Williams, 9/3 v. NE

OPPONENT'S RED CARDS

92+ - Loera, 5/18 @ CHV

77' - Glen, 5/21 @ CLB

21' - Arias, 8/6 v. CHV

2005 RSL AWARD WINNERS

2005 RSL YEAR-END AWARDS

RSL TEAM MVP

MF Andy Williams

BUDWEISER GOLDEN BOOT

MF Jason Kreis

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

DF Eddie Pope

HUMANITARIAN OF THE YEAR

MF Brian Kamler

MLS SIERRA MIST GOAL OF THE WEEK

Week 15—Clint Mathis

free kick @ Chivas in off left post

Week 17—Clint Mathis

low liner v. Dallas for Pioneer Day win

Week 20—Jason Kreis

Full volley v. KC give Kreis #100

Week 27—Clint Mathis

side volley @ Colorado

2005 CATEGORICAL WON-LOSS (GF/GA)

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
Overall MLS:	5-8-3 (19/24)	0-14-2 (11/41)	5-22-5 (30/65)	On Grass:	0-2-0 (0/5)	0-13-2 (11/41)	0-15-2 (11/46)
One-Goal Games:	3-4-0 (8/10)	0-5-0 (4/8)	3-9-0 (12/18)	On Turf:	5-6-3 (19/19)	0-1-0 (0/0)	5-7-3 (19/19)
v. East:	0-5-1 (6/15)	0-5-1 (4/17)	0-10-2 (10/32)	In Red:	5-8-3 (19/24)	0-4-0 (1/9)	5-12-3 (20/33)
v. West:	5-3-2 (13/9)	0-9-1 (7/24)	5-12-3 (20/33)	In White:	n/a	0-10-2 (10/32)	0-10-2 (10/32)
First 16 games:	3-2-3 (10/11)	0-7-1 (2/16)	3-9-4 (12/27)	On KSL:	n/a	0-3-2 (6/9)	0-3-2 (6/9)
Last 16 games:	2-6-2 (9/13)	0-7-1 (9/25)	2-13-1 (18/38)	On FSN-Utah:	0-1-0 (0/3)	0-8-0 (3/21)	0-9-0 (3/24)
Before All-Star:	4-2-3 (13/8)	0-9-1 (5/24)	4-11-4 (18/32)	On ABC/ESPN:	2-0-0 (3/1)	0-1-0 (1/2)	2-1-0 (4/3)
Since All-Star:	1-6-0 (6/18)	0-5-1 (6/17)	1-11-1 (12/35)	On HDNet:	0-2-0 (1/3)	0-3-0 (1/9)	0-5-0 (2/12)
Scoring First:	3-0-1	0-2-0	3-2-1	No Local TV:	1-3-0 (6-7)	n/a	1-3-0 (6/7)
Opp. Scoring First:	2-8-2	0-12-1	2-20-3	In April:	1-0-1 (3/2)	0-2-1 (1/6)	1-2-2 (4/8)
Leading at Half:	2-1-0	n/a	2-1-0	In May:	2-1-0 (4/4)	0-2-0 (0/3)	2-3-0 (4/7)
Tied at Half:	1-2-1	0-4-1	1-6-2	In June:	0-1-1 (1/3)	0-3-0 (1/7)	0-4-1 (2/10)
Trailing at Half:	2-5-2	0-10-1	2-15-3	In July:	1-0-1 (5/2)	0-2-0 (3/8)	1-2-1 (8/10)
Leading at 75':	4-1-0	n/a	4-1-0	In August:	1-2-0 (4/6)	0-2-0 (2/9)	1-4-0 (6/15)
Tied at 75':	1-2-1	0-1-2	1-3-3	In September:	0-2-0 (1/3)	0-2-0 (1/4)	0-4-0 (2/7)
Trailing at 75':	0-5-2	0-13-0	0-18-2	In October:	0-2-0 (1/4)	0-1-1 (3/4)	0-3-1 (4/8)
Day Games:	2-1-0 (3/4)	0-1-0 (1/2)	2-1-0 (4/3)	Overall MLS:	5-8-3 (19/24)	0-14-2 (11/41)	5-22-5 (30/65)
Night Games:	3-7-3 (16/20)	0-13-2 (10/39)	3-21-5 (26/62)	U.S. Open Cup	n/a	0-1-0 (4/6)	0-1-0 (4/6)
				Int'l Friendly	1-0-1 (4/3)	n/a	1-0-1 (4/3)
				Reserve Matches	2-2-2 (14/13)	2-4-0 (15/21)	4-6-2 (29/34)



2005 RSL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

FINAL RECORD: 5-22-5, 20 pts.

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	NOTES:
04/02	@ MetroStars	T 0-0	12,657	0-0-1	T2	1	
04/09	@ Los Angeles	L 1-3	27,000	0-1-1	T4	1	RSL: Kreis [29]; LA: Donovan [9,44] Jones [72]
04/16	Colorado	W 1-0	25,287	1-1-1	T2	4	RSL: Dunseth [81]
04/23	@ FC Dallas	L 0-3	9,134	1-2-1	T4	4	DAL: Mulrooney [4] Johnson [35] Ruiz [63]
04/30	San Jose	T 2-2	16,254	1-2-2	4	5	RSL: Kreis [21,34]; SJ: Ching [11] Moreno [82]
05/07	@ Chivas USA	L 0-1	10,893	1-3-2	4	5	CHV: Cuadros [39]
05/14	Los Angeles	W 2-1	18,621	2-3-2	4	8	RSL: Pope [49] Kreis [65]; LA: Kirovski [39]
05/18	Chivas USA	W 2-0	12,581	3-3-2	3	11	RSL: Williams [37] Trembly [39]
05/21	@ Columbus	L 0-2	10,575	3-4-2	3	11	CLB: Hejduk [14,37]
05/28	Chicago	L 0-3	17,861	3-5-2	4	11	CHI: Armas [5] Caballero [53] Barrett [84]
06/04	FC Dallas	L 0-2	40,589	3-6-2	4	11	DAL: O'Brien [22] Thompson [58]
06/11	@ Los Angeles	L 0-1	23,544	3-7-2	4	11	LA: Donovan [52]
06/18	@ San Jose	L 0-3	9,630	3-8-2	5	11	SJ: Chung [2] Gray [13] Barrett [35]
06/22	Los Angeles	T 1-1	15,112	3-8-3	5	12	RSL: Watson [56]; LA: da Conceicao [17]
06/26	@ Chicago	L 1-3	8,114	3-9-3	5	12	RSL: Kreis [62]; CHI: Thiago [53] Rolfe [69] Herron [88]
07/04	MetroStars	T 2-2	20,121	3-9-4	5	13	RSL: Trembly [78] Kreis [90]; MET: Razov [44] Magee [48]
07/09	@ Chivas USA	L 1-5	8,214	3-10-4	5	13	RSL: Mathis [23]; CHV: own goal [4] Cuadros [16] Martinez [53] Taylor [55] Romo [83]
07/16	@ Kansas City	L 2-3	16,816	3-11-4	5	13	RSL: Brown [10] Cila [44]; KC: Sealy [8,27] own goal [18]
07/23	FC Dallas	W 3-0	20,218	4-11-4	5	16	RSL: Dunseth [3] Cila [25] Mathis [30]
08/06	Chivas USA	W 2-1	14,163	5-11-4	5	19	RSL: Williams [49] Kreis [74]; CHV: Torres [27]
08/10	@ New England	L 1-4	8,066	5-12-4	5	19	RSL: Kreis [31]; NE: Dempsey [12] Twellman [16] own goal [76] Smith [90]
08/13	Kansas City	L 2-4	12,305	5-13-4	5	19	RSL: Cila [63] Kreis [72]; KC: Victorine [8,86] Sealy [52] Klein [56]
08/20	San Jose	L 0-1	15,127	5-14-4	5	19	SJ: Chung [41]
08/31	@ D.C. United	L 1-5	11,455	5-15-4	5	19	RSL: Tarley [51]; DC: Moreno [14,78] Adu [45] Gomez [63] Walker [86]
09/03	New England	L 0-1	17,876	5-16-4	5	19	NE: Smith [76]
09/18	@ FC Dallas	L 1-2	11,681	5-17-4	5	19	RSL: Watson [54]; DAL: Mina [17,52]
09/21	Colorado	L 0-2	6,736	5-18-4	5	19	COL: Peguero [49] Ben Dayan [87]
09/24	Columbus	L 1-2	14,352	5-19-4	5	19	RSL: Williams [86]; CLB: Buddle [8,45]
10/01	@ Colorado	L 1-2	14,063	5-20-4	5	19	RSL: Mathis [14]; COL: Ben Dayan [39] Cunningham [86]
10/05	D.C. United	L 1-3	14,306	5-21-4	5	19	RSL: Williams [78]; DC: Boswell [29] Adu [50] Gomez [52]
10/08	@ San Jose	T 2-2	19,407	5-21-5	5	20	RSL: Novak [64] Williams [73]; SJ: De Rosario [38] Nash [44]
10/12	Colorado	L 0-1	13,813	5-22-5	5	20	COL: Noel [87]

REAL SALT LAKE 2005 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
07/13	Minnesota (USL1)	L 4-6	2,218	Third Round	RSL: Kreis [9, 50, 70], Watson [38]; MIN: Tarley [16, 66], Menyongar [17], Paye [89, 107], Schmidt [96]

REAL SALT LAKE 2005 INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
06/08	Universidad Catolica (CHI)		W 3-2	8,044	RSL: Cutler [73], Selolwane [77], Akwari [88]; UC: Lara [23], Cortes [33]
08/24	Harbour View FC (JAM)	T 1-1	6,240		RSL: Akwari [64]; HBV: Palmer [56]

2005 REGULAR SEASON STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E	CP
9	FW	Jason Kreis	24	24	2160	9	4	65	31	33	35	23	3	6	0	27
7	FW	Andy Williams	26	26	2102	5	3	46	18	41	79	8	73	5	1	23
10	M/F	Clint Mathis	27	27	2123	3	4	45	17	26	28	8	31	7	1	31
6	F/M	Jordan Cila	12	8	646	3	1	6	4	10	9	4	1	1	0	5
22	FW	Jamie Watson	19	6	818	2	1	16	10	19	37	11	3	1	1	5
13	DF	Brian Dunseth	24	24	2011	2	0	8	5	34	22	3	0	3	1	15
24	M/D	Seth Trembly	22	11	1176	2	0	25	13	38	31	0	0	8	0	35
11	M/F	Chris Brown	29	25	2125	1	1	30	10	13	16	4	1	0	0	0
14	FW	Melvin Tarley	9	9	729	1	1	22	12	9	6	18	0	0	0	0
27	MF	Kevin Novak	3	2	221	1	0	4	2	4	4	1	0	0	0	0
23	DF	Eddie Pope	20	20	1756	1	0	8	4	20	15	0	0	0	1	0
12	MF	Leslie Fitzpatrick	18	6	716	0	2	8	6	11	13	0	6	0	0	0
15	M/D	Robert Scarlett	9	8	720	0	2	8	3	7	5	3	5	0	0	0
25	DF	Gustavo Cabrera	4	4	360	0	1	0	0	6	4	0	0	2	0	10
19	MF	Luke Kreamalmeyer	6	2	249	0	1	6	2	0	7	0	3	0	0	0
3	DF	Rusty Pierce	15	15	1200	0	1	3	1	20	24	0	1	3	0	14
99	FW	Dante Washington (TOT)	9	2	282	0	1	7	3	3	7	2	0	0	0	0
	FW	Dante Washington (RSL)	9	2	282	0	1	7	3	3	7	2	0	0	0	0
2	DF	Nelson Akwari	23	21	1887	0	0	3	1	22	14	1	0	5	0	25
16	DF	Matt Behncke	8	7	587	0	0	6	2	12	5	0	0	0	0	0
20	MF	Nikolas Besagno	2	1	69	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	5
4	MF	Paul Broome (TOT)	14	11	1001	0	0	1	0	14	18	2	0	4	0	17
	MF	Paul Broome (RSL)	11	10	917	0	0	1	0	13	15	1	0	4	0	17
1	GK	DJ Countess	27	27	2422	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	4
17	MF	Kenny Cutler	19	19	1699	0	0	5	2	21	4	0	0	5	1	25
8	MF	Adolfo Gregorio	6	4	359	0	0	4	2	5	7	1	4	0	0	0
5	MF	Brian Kamler	28	24	2028	0	0	11	3	22	38	0	0	3	0	15
32	DF	Cameron Knowles	4	3	346	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	5
31	DF	Michael Lookingland	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Jay Nolly	5	5	450	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	5
15	MF	Leighton O'Brien	6	1	236	0	0	2	1	2	3	0	4	1	0	5
4	D/M	Marlon Rojas	7	6	507	0	0	0	0	8	5	1	0	1	0	5
14	FW	Dipsy Selolwane	8	4	401	0	0	10	4	10	9	0	0	0	0	0
8	DF	Evan Whitfield	5	0	135	0	0	2	1	3	5	1	0	1	0	5
21	DF	Sergio Flores	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		RSL Totals	32	32	2880	30	23	352	157	423	458	90	135	60	6	281
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>2880</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>443</i>	<i>216</i>	<i>466</i>	<i>412</i>	<i>124</i>	<i>174</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>213</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Jason Kreis 2, Brian Dunseth 2, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Clint Mathis 3, Chris Brown 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jason Kreis 3-3, Andy Williams 1-1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
5	MF	Brian Kamler	1	0	8	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	GK	DJ Countess	27	27	2422	170	112	54	2.01	3	3	4	19	4	4
18	GK	Jay Nolly	5	5	450	46	34	11	2.20	1	1	1	3	1	0
		RSL Totals	32	32	2880	216	146	65	2.03	4	4	5	22	5	4
		<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>2880</i>	<i>157</i>	<i>117</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>0.94</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>12</i>



2005 U.S. OPEN CUP PLAY-IN STATS



REAL SALT LAKE 2006 LAMAR HUNT U.S. OPEN CUP RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	NOTE	GOALS
07/13	Minnesota (USL1)	L 4-6	2,218	Third Round	RSL: Kreis (9, 50, 70), Watson (38); MIN: Tarley (16, 66), Menyongar (17), Paye (89, 107), Schmidt (96)

FINAL RECORD: (0-1-0)

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
Jason Kreis	1	1	120	3	0	1	0
Jamie Watson	1	1	84	1	0	0	0
Chris Brown	1	1	74	0	1	0	0
Seth Trembly	1	120	0	1	1	0	0
Nelson Akwari	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Jordan Cila	1	0	17	0	0	0	0
Kenny Cutler	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Brian Dunseth	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Tiger Fitzpatrick	1	1	45	0	0	0	0
Brian Kamler	1	1	103	0	0	0	0
Luke Kreamalmeyer	1	0	75	0	0	0	0
Clint Mathis	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Jay Nolly	1	1	120	0	0	0	0
Dipsy Selolwane	1	0	36	0	0	1	0
Dante Washington	1	0	46	0	0	0	0
RSL Totals	1	1	120	4	2	3	0
<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: None

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jason Kreis 1/1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
Jay Nolly	1	1	120	6	4.50	0	0	0	1	0	0
RSL Totals	1	1	120	6	4.50	0	0	0	1	0	0
<i>Opponent Totals</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3.00</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>



Jason Kreis tallied RSL's first and only hat trick from 2005-08 in a 4-6 overtime U.S. Open Cup loss at Minnesota.

2005 RSL RESERVE STATISTICS

REAL SALT LAKE RESERVE SCHEDULE/RESULTS (4-6-2, 14 pts.)

Day	Date	Opponent	Venue	Result
Sunday	April 10	at Los Angeles Galaxy	The Home Depot Center	2-4 L
Saturday	April 16	Colorado Rapids	Rice-Eccles Stadium	2-2 T
Sunday	May 15	Los Angeles Galaxy	Trailside Park	1-3 L
Sunday	May 22	at Columbus Crew	Crew Training Facility	2-5 L
Sunday	June 5	FC Dallas	Trailside Park	2-3 L
Sunday	June 19	at San Jose Earthquakes	Valley Christian High School	1-3 L
Sunday	July 10	at Chivas USA	The Home Depot Center	5-2 W
Sunday	Aug. 21	San Jose Earthquakes	Trailside Park	2-1 W
Sunday	Sept. 4	New England Revolution	Trailside Park	2-2 T
Sunday	Sept. 18	at FC Dallas	Pizza Hut Park	4-2 W
Sunday	Sept. 25	Columbus Crew	Trailside Park	5-2 W
Sunday	Oct. 2	at Colorado Rapids	Rapids Training Facility	1-5 L

POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
FW	Dante Washington	8	6	552	8	1	1	0
FW	Jamie Watson	11	8	739	4	1	2	0
MF	Luke Kreamalmeyer	10	9	753	3	2	1	0
FW	Jordan Cila	10	9	770	2	2	1	0
M/F	Adam Acosta (G)	9	3	346	2	1	0	0
DF	Michael Lookingland	11	8	753	2	1	0	0
DF	Matt Behncke	5	4	373	2	0	0	0
MF	Leighton O'Brien	5	5	450	1	2	0	0
MF	Kenny Cutler	6	6	495	1	0	0	0
DF	Cameron Knowles	10	10	810	1	0	1	0
M/F	Clint Mathis	1	1	45	1	0	0	0
DF	Seth Trembly	6	5	379	1	0	1	0
DF	Nelson Akwari	5	3	297	0	1	0	0
MF	Leslie Fitzpatrick	8	7	625	0	1	0	0
GK	Clint Baumstark(G)	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
M/F	Chris Brown	3	0	144	0	0	0	0
DF	Gustavo Cabrera	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
GK	D.J. Countess	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
MF	Will Cummins (G)	1	0	32	0	0	0	0
DF	Brian Dunseth	2	2	152	0	0	0	0
MF	Adolfo Gregorio	3	3	225	0	0	0	0
DF	Sergio Flores	12	9	859	0	0	1	0
DF	Brian Kamler	3	1	95	0	0	0	0
GK	Jay Nolly	8	8	704	0	0	0	0
MF	Kevin Novak	11	8	821	0	0	1	0
GK	Chad Sackett (G)	3	1	106	0	0	1	0
M/F	Dipsy Selolwane	3	3	261	0	0	0	0
M/F	Andy Williams	1	1	74	0	0	0	0
RSL TOTALS		12	12	1080	29	11	10	0

(G)—Guest Player

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Michael Lookingland 1, Adam Acosta 1, Luke Kreamalmeyer 1, Dante Washington 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Leslie Fitzpatrick 1, Jamie Watson 1, Luke Kreamalmeyer 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jamie Watson 1/1

OWN GOALS: Cameron Knowles 1

REAL SALT LAKE INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
GK	D.J. Countess	1	1	90	1	1.00	0	0	1	0	0	0
GK	Noah Palmer	1	1	90	2	2.00	0	0	0	0	1	0
GK	Jay Nolly	8	8	704	21	2.68	0	0	3	4	1	0
GK	Clint Baumstark	1	1	90	3	3.00	0	0	0	1	0	0
GK	Chad Sackett	3	1	106	7	5.94	0	0	0	1	0	0
RSL TOTALS		12	12	1080	34	2.83	0	0	4	6	2	0







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STRUCTURE: The 19 MLS teams are divided into two conferences:

Eastern Conference – Chicago Fire, Columbus Crew, D.C. United, Houston Dynamo, Sporting Kansas City, Montreal Impact, New England Revolution, New York Red Bulls, Philadelphia Union, Toronto FC.

Western Conference – Chivas USA, Colorado Rapids, FC Dallas, LA Galaxy, Portland Timbers, Real Salt Lake, San Jose Earthquakes, Seattle Sounders FC, Vancouver Whitecaps FC.

SCHEDULE: Each team plays a 34-game regular season schedule; 17 home games, 17 away games.

Western Conference – 24 in-conference + 10 out-of-conference games:

- Western Conference teams will play each West opponent three times (24 games):
 - o West teams will play four conference opponents twice at home and once away
 - o They will play the other four conference opponents once at home and twice away.
 - o The home and away games will be reversed in 2013.
- Western Conference teams will play each East opponent once each (10 games):
 - o Five of these will be at home and five will be away.
 - o The East opponents each team faces at home and away will be reversed in 2013.

Eastern Conference – 25 in-conference + 9 out-of-conference games:

- Eastern Conference teams will play 25 games against other East teams:
 - o East teams will play seven conference opponents three times each (21 games) and
 - o Two conference opponents twice each (four games).
 - Eastern Conference teams will play each West opponent once each (9 games):
 - o Some will play four at home and five away while others will play five at home and four away.
- The West opponents each team faces at home and away will be reversed in 2013.

POINT SYSTEM: Teams will receive three points for a win, one point for a tie and zero points for a loss.

REFEREES: All referees in MLS are either USSF (United States Soccer Federation) or CSA (Canadian Soccer Association) National Referees. All MLS games played in the US will be assigned by USSF and all games played in Canada will be assigned by CSA.

GAME CLOCK: The official game time for all Major League Soccer games will be managed on the field by the referee. If necessary, the referee may also allot extra time (a.k.a. "stoppage time") at the end of each period (first half, second half, and if applicable, first overtime period and second overtime period during playoff matches) to allow for injuries, time-wasting or other disturbances.

The stadium clock will display the time from 0:00 to 45:00 and from 45:00 to 90:00 (plus stoppage time where applicable in each half). For statistical purposes, the minutes for goals, substitutions, yellow cards, etc., will be listed from the first minute until the 90th minute. A goal scored at 15 minutes 10 seconds will be listed as having been scored in the 16th minute. Events occurring during stoppage time will follow the international norm by being demarcated with a "+" sign and the extra minutes. For example, a goal scored three minutes into first half stoppage time will be officially identified as happening at "48+".

GAME DAY ROSTERS: Each team can nominate 18 players for a game day roster. Teams are allowed three substitutions per game.

COMPETITION RULES AND REGULATIONS

CAUTIONS AND SUSPENSIONS: A player will be suspended for one game upon receiving his fifth yellow card – regardless of the nature of the infraction that resulted in his being awarded a yellow card. A second suspension of one game would result after the awarding of an additional three cards, as would a third suspension after the awarding of card number eleven. With the “Good Behavior” incentive, it is possible for a player to have a caution expunged. If a player goes three games without receiving a yellow card, after an initial warning, the player will have one yellow card expunged. A player may take advantage of the “Good Behavior” incentive only once throughout the season.

MLS CUP PLAYOFFS: FORMAT

WHO QUALIFIES: Ten teams, the top five in points from each conference at the end of the regular season, qualify for the 2012 MLS Cup Playoffs.

The fourth and fifth place teams in each conference will play a single knockout game, the winner of which will advance to the Conference Semifinals and face the first place team in the conference.

The four Conference Semifinals will be decided by two-game aggregate series, with the lower seed hosting the first leg and the higher seed hosting the second leg. If the aggregate score is tied after 180 minutes of play, two 15-minute extra time periods will be played in their entirety, followed by penalty kicks, if necessary.

The two Conference Championships will be decided by a two-game aggregate series, with the lower seed hosting the first leg and the higher seed hosting the second leg. If the aggregate score is tied after 180 minutes of play, two 15-minute extra time periods will be played in their entirety, followed by penalty kicks, if necessary.

MLS Cup will be a single championship match hosted by the higher seed. If the score is tied after 90 minutes of play, two 15-minute extra time periods will be played in their entirety, followed by penalty kicks, if necessary.

TEAM-STANDINGS TIE-BREAKING PROCEDURES

The team awarded the highest position in the MLS standings will be the team with the greatest number of points (three points for a win, one point for a tie, zero points for a loss). In the event that two teams finish the regular season with an equal number of points, the following system will be used to break the tie:

1. The highest position shall be awarded to the team with the better win/loss record in current regular season games against all other teams equal in points. (head-to-head competition)
2. If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position shall be awarded to the team with the greater goal difference against all other teams during the regular season. (goal differential)
3. If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position shall be awarded to the team scoring the greatest number of total goals against all other teams during the regular season. (total goals)
4. If the teams are still equal in the standings, the procedures described in this section shall be applied only to games played on the road by each team against all other teams during the regular season. (road 1-3)
5. If the teams are still equal in the standings, the procedures described in this section shall be applied only to games played at home by each team against all other teams during the regular season. (home 1-3)
6. If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position shall be awarded to the team with the fewest team disciplinary points in the League Fair Play table during the regular season.
7. If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position in the standings shall be determined by the toss of a coin.
8. The first tiebreaker in a three-way tie is also head-to-head, but it is determined via points-per-game versus the other two teams. If two teams are tied in points-per-game head-to-head, the next tie breaker is goal difference.

NOTE: If two teams remain tied after another teams with the same number of points advances during any step, the tie breaker reverts to step 1 of the two-team format.





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ALL-TIME REG. SEASON RESULTS V. CHIVAS USA

Real Salt Lake record: 7-9-4

5/07/2005	RSL 0 at CHV 1	L	The Home Depot Center
5/18/2005	RSL 2 vs CHV 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/09/2005	RSL 1 at CHV 5	L	The Home Depot Center
8/06/2005	RSL 2 vs CHV 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium

4/02/2006	RSL 0 at CHV 3	L	The Home Depot Center
7/04/2006	RSL 0 vs CHV 0	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/26/2006	RSL 3 vs CHV 3	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
10/15/2006	RSL 1 at CHV 1	T	The Home Depot Center

4/21/2007	RSL 0 at CHV 4	L	The Home Depot Center
8/26/2007	RSL 0 at CHV 1	L	The Home Depot Center
10/06/2007	RSL 2 vs CHV 3	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium

4/05/2008	RSL 1 at CHV 3	L	The Home Depot Center
6/14/2008	RSL 1 at CHV 0	W	The Home Depot Center
9/20/2008	RSL 0 vs CHV 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium

5/09/2009	RSL 0 at CHV 1	L	The Home Depot Center
8/26/2009	RSL 4 vs CHV 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium

5/22/2010	RSL 2 at CHV 1	W	The Home Depot Center
7/24/2010	RSL 1 vs CHV 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium

5/07/2011	RSL 1 vs CHV 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/27/2011	RSL 1 at CHV 0	W	The Home Depot Center

SERIES LEADERS VS. CHIVAS USA

	Real Salt Lake	Chivas USA
Goals	4 Robbie Findley	4 Ante Razov
Assists	3 Kyle Beckerman	6 Sacha Kljestan
Shots	40 Andy Williams	31 Ante Razov
Shots on Goal	13 Andy Williams	13 Ante Razov
Fouls Committed	21 Andy Williams	23 Sacha Kljestan
Fouls Suffered	30 Andy Williams	16 Kljestan/Marsch
Wins	5 Nick Rimando	7 Brad Guzan
Losses	4 Nick Rimando	3 Dan Kennedy
Shutouts	4 Nick Rimando	4 Brad Guzan
Saves	33 Nick Rimando	32 Brad Guzan
Goals Allowed	11 Nick Rimando	9 Brad Guzan

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. CHIVAS USA

2008 Western Conference Semifinal Series (RSL wins 3-2 on aggregate)

11/01/2008	RSL 1 vs CHV 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
11/08/2008	RSL 2 at CHV 2	T	The Home Depot Center

2012 SCHEDULE VS. CHIVAS USA

3/24/12	RSL vs CHV7:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
6/16/12	RSL at CHV8:30 pm MT / ABC4	The Home Depot Center
9/29/12	RSL at CHV8:30 pm MT / CW30	The Home Depot Center

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. CHIVAS USA

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
77	MID	Andy Williams	18	12	1088	3	2	40	13	21	30	2	15	1	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	9	6	486	2	2	11	7	5	9	8	0	2	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	12	5	554	2	0	10	5	5	9	0	0	0	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	4	352	1	1	14	4	5	8	10	0	1	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	12	10	927	1	1	4	2	12	12	0	2	1	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	6	540	1	0	13	6	6	6	2	5	1	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	19	19	1585	0	4	22	6	27	33	0	2	5	0
10	MID	Arturo Alvarez	15	11	905	0	3	35	16	6	16	0	19	1	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	7	7	585	0	2	16	6	5	13	1	21	1	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	13	13	1104	0	1	3	0	13	9	1	0	1	1
12	MID	Jean Alexandre	1	0	66	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	4	4	360	0	0	2	1	4	2	0	0	1	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	1	85	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
22	MID	Nelson Gonzalez	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	8	8	720	0	0	2	1	6	6	0	0	3	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	12	12	1080	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	0	58	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
19	D/M	Blake Wagner	5	5	401	0	0	1	0	7	7	1	0	0	0
Team totals			20	20	1800	22	23	263	103	223	271	68	66	30	2
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>235</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>272</i>	<i>221</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>4</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Pablo Campos 1, Fabian Espindola 1, Robbie Findley 1, Will Johnson 1, Jason Kreis 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 2, Nat Borchers 1, Chris Brown 1, Fabian Espindola 1, Javier Morales 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Collen Warner 1, Andy Williams 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jason Kreis 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	12	12	1080	51	38	11	0.92	0	0	7	4	1	6
Team totals			20	20	1800	100	69	29	1.45	2	2	7	9	4	6
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>103</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>7</i>





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REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. COLORADO

Real Salt Lake record: 7-8-7

4/16/2005	RSL 1 vs COL 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/21/2005	RSL 0 at COL 2	L	Invesco Field at Mile High
10/01/2005	RSL 1 at COL 2	L	Invesco Field at Mile High
10/12/2005	RSL 0 vs COL 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/27/2006	RSL 2 vs COL 2	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/09/2006	RSL 0 at COL 1	L	Invesco Field at Mile High
8/09/2006	RSL 4 at COL 1	W	Invesco Field at Mile High
9/02/2006	RSL 0 vs COL 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
4/30/2007	RSL 0 vs COL 2	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/10/2007	RSL 1 at COL 1	T	Dick's Sporting Goods Park
9/22/2007	RSL 1 vs COL 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
10/19/2007	RSL 1 vs COL 0	W	Dick's Sporting Goods Park
5/15/2008	RSL 0 at COL 2	L	Dick's Sporting Goods Park
8/29/2008	RSL 2 vs COL 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
10/25/2008	RSL 1 at COL 1	T	Dick's Sporting Goods Park
5/02/2009	RSL 0 at COL 2	L	Dick's Sporting Goods Park
6/06/2009	RSL 1 vs COL 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/24/2009	RSL 3 vs COL 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/25/2010	RSL 1 vs COL 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/23/2010	RSL 2 at COL 2	T	Dick's Sporting Goods Park
4/13/2011	RSL 1 vs COL 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/14/2011	RSL 0 at COL 0	T	Dick's Sporting Goods Park

SERIES LEADERS VS. COLORADO

	Real Salt Lake	Colorado Rapids
Goals	3 4 players tied	3 Casey/Cummings
Assists	4 Andy Williams	3 Terry Cooke
Shots	20 Yura Movsisyan	25 Omar Cummings
Shots on Goal	14 Fabian Espindola	10 Omar Cummings
Fouls Committed	17 Jamison Olave	19 Pablo Mastroeni
Fouls Suffered	21 Andy Williams	15 Conor Casey
Wins	5 Nick Rimando	3 Joe Cannon
Losses	2 3 players tied	2 3 players tied
Shutouts	6 Nick Rimando	3 Joe Cannon
Saves	44 Nick Rimando	24 Bouna Coundoul
Goals Allowed	8 Nick Rimando	6 Bouna Coundoul

2012 SCHEDULE VS. COLORADO

4/07/12	RSL vs COL 7:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
7/21/12	RSL vs COL 8:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/04/12	RSL at COL 7:00 pm MT / ABC4	Dick's Sporting Goods Park

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. COLORADO

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	9	8	661	3	2	19	14	12	14	9	0	3	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	14	9	872	2	2	6	4	5	12	3	5	1	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	3	277	2	0	6	4	6	1	7	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	10	10	900	1	0	6	1	12	9	0	0	2	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	8	7	617	1	0	11	3	4	4	2	1	1	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	8	7	646	0	3	8	2	11	17	2	25	2	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	2	0	50	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	25	25	2215	0	1	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0
14	MID	Yordany Alvarez	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	10	9	844	0	0	8	1	11	11	0	3	3	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	5	466	0	0	2	1	4	3	1	0	0	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	1	89	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	8	8	671	0	0	3	0	17	9	0	0	2	1
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	2	1	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	16	12	1126	0	0	3	2	20	13	0	2	4	0
Team totals			22	22	1980	22	18	240	97	266	258	76	101	42	4
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>22</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>1980</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>263</i>	<i>103</i>	<i>262</i>	<i>263</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>1</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Fabian Espindola 2, Robbie Findley 2, Kyle Brown 1, Brian Dunseth 1, Chris Klein 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Andy Williams 2, Jeff Cunningham 1, Fabian Espindola 1, Clint Mathis 1, Javier Morales 1, Paulo Jr. 1, Carey Talley 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jeff Cunningham 2-2, Alvaro Saborio 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	25	25	2215	119	100	18	0.73	2	2	13	5	7	12
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	2	1	145	6	4	2	1.24	0	0	0	0	1	0
Team totals			22	22	1980	103	77	22	1.00	1	1	7	8	7	7
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>22</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>1980</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>





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FC DALLAS STADIUM

MLS Capacity 20,500
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Field Dimensions 117 x 74 yards (Bermuda grass)
Largest MLS Attendance 22,531 (5/18/08 v. LA)

PRACTICE FACILITY

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KEY PERSONNEL



Schellas Hyndman
Head Coach



#10 David Ferreira
Midfield/Forward



#1 Kevin Hartman
Goalkeeper



#20 Brek Shea
Midfielder

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. FC DALLAS

Real Salt Lake record: 7-11-2

4/23/2005	RSL 0 at DAL 2	L	Cotton Bowl
6/04/2005	RSL 0 vs DAL 2	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/23/2005	RSL 3 vs DAL 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/13/2005	RSL 1 at DAL 2	L	Pizza Hut Park
4/08/2006	RSL 1 at DAL 2	L	Pizza Hut Park
7/22/2006	RSL 0 vs DAL 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/16/2006	RSL 3 vs DAL 2	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/23/2006	RSL 1 at DAL 2	L	Pizza Hut Park
4/07/2007	RSL 2 vs DAL 2	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/20/2007	RSL 1 at DAL 2	L	Pizza Hut Park
6/14/2007	RSL 0 vs DAL 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/10/2008	RSL 2 vs DAL 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/24/2008	RSL 1 at DAL 2	L	Pizza Hut Park
10/18/2008	RSL 3 vs DAL 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
7/24/2009	RSL 4 vs DAL 2	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/26/2009	RSL 0 at DAL 3	L	Pizza Hut Park
7/17/2010	RSL 0 at DAL 2	L	Pizza Hut Park
10/16/2010	RSL 2 vs DAL 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
5/22/11	RSL 0 at DAL 0	T	Pizza Hut Park
7/09/11	RSL 2 vs DAL 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. FC DALLAS

	Real Salt Lake	FC Dallas
Goals	3 Cunningham/Movsisyan	5 Carlos Ruiz
Assists	6 Andy Williams	3 Ruiz/Thompson
Shots	18 Andy Williams	27 Kenny Cooper
Shots on Goal	10 Jason Kreis	14 Arturo Alvarez
Fouls Committed	18 Andy Williams	19 Simo Valakari
Fouls Suffered	21 Andy Williams	23 Carlos Ruiz
Wins	5 Nick Rimando	6 Dario Sala
Losses	5 Nick Rimando	4 Dario Sala
Shutouts	3 Nick Rimando	3 Dario Sala
Saves	48 Nick Rimando	30 Dario Sala
Goals Allowed	16 Nick Rimando	13 Dario Sala

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. DALLAS

2010 Western Conf. Semifinal Series (RSL loses 2-3 on aggregate)
 10/30/2010 RSL 1 at DAL 2 L Pizza Hut Park
 11/06/2010 RSL 1 vs DAL 1 T Rio Tinto Stadium

2012 SCHEDULE VS. FC DALLAS

4/25/12 RSL at DAL 6:30 pm MT / CW30 FC Dallas Stadium
 5/26/12 RSL vs DAL 7:00 pm MT / CW30 Rio Tinto Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. FC DALLAS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
11	MID	Javier Morales	7	7	568	2	4	13	6	13	16	1	31	0	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	26	23	2104	2	2	42	19	52	32	2	5	7	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	7	4	427	2	0	12	6	11	6	11	0	2	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	7	7	592	1	2	15	7	2	5	0	1	2	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	14	12	991	1	1	10	4	17	27	1	5	2	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	19	19	1710	1	0	8	3	17	7	1	0	2	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	24	24	2186	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	14	12	1116	0	2	1	0	20	6	0	0	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	5	530	0	0	1	0	5	8	0	0	0	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	1	90	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	8	8	656	0	0	6	1	7	4	1	0	2	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	3	296	0	0	4	1	6	6	5	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Team totals			20	20	1800	26	23	211	91	275	276	68	105	38	4
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>278</i>	<i>121</i>	<i>279</i>	<i>271</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>101</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>4</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Kyle Beckerman 1, Brian Dunseth 1, Ned Grabavoy 1, Will Johnson 1, Jason Kreis 1, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 1, Atiba Harris 1, Chris Klein 1, Clint Mathis 1, Javier Morales 1, Robbie Russell 1, Andy Williams 1, Chris Wingert 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Freddy Adu 1-1, Robbie Findley 1-1

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	24	24	2186	141	101	37	1.52	4	5	10	10	4	5
TEAM TOTALS			20	20	1800	121	86	30	1.50	1	2	7	11	2	4
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>1.30</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>7</i>



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STADIUM INFORMATION



THE HOME DEPOT CENTER

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Largest MLS attendance 30,281 (MLS Cup 2011)
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KEY PERSONNEL



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Head Coach



#23 David Beckham
Midfielder



#10 Landon Donovan
Midfielder



Robbie Keane
Forward

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. LOS ANGELES

Real Salt Lake record: 7-7-5

4/09/2005	RSL 1 at LA 3	L	The Home Depot Center
5/14/2005	RSL 2 vs LA 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/11/2005	RSL 0 at LA 1	L	The Home Depot Center
6/22/2005	RSL 1 vs LA 1	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
4/29/2006	RSL 2 vs LA 3	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/13/2006	RSL 3 at LA 0	W	The Home Depot Center
7/08/2006	RSL 0 at LA 2	L	The Home Depot Center
8/30/2006	RSL 1 vs LA 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/17/2007	RSL 2 at LA 3	L	The Home Depot Center
9/01/2007	RSL 2 at LA 1	W	The Home Depot Center
9/19/2007	RSL 2 vs LA 2	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/03/2008	RSL 2 vs LA 2	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/06/2008	RSL 2 at LA 2	T	The Home Depot Center
5/06/2009	RSL 2 vs LA 2	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
6/13/2009	RSL 2 at LA 0	W	The Home Depot Center
4/17/2010	RSL 1 at LA 2	L	The Home Depot Center
6/09/2010	RSL 1 vs LA 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
3/26/2011	RSL 4 vs LA 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/01/2011	RSL 1 at LA 2	L	The Home Depot Center

SERIES LEADERS VS. LOS ANGELES

	Real Salt Lake	Los Angeles Galaxy
Goals	4 Javier Morales	6 Landon Donovan
Assists	4 Javier Morales	7 Landon Donovan
Shots	15 3 players tied	26 Edson Buddle
Shots on Goal	10 Andy Williams	12 Edson Buddle
Fouls Committed	23 Andy Williams	20 Ugo Ihemelu
Fouls Suffered	22 Andy Williams	18 Landon Donovan
Wins	4 Nick Rimando	3 Kevin Hartman
Losses	3 Nick Rimando	3 Kevin Hartman
Shutouts	2 Garlick/Rimando	2 Kevin Hartman
Saves	35 Nick Rimando	20 Kevin Hartman
Goals Allowed	15 Nick Rimando	8 Kevin Hartman

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. GALAXY

MLS Cup 2009 (RSL wins 5-4 in penalty kicks)

11/22/2009 RSL 1 vs LA 1 T Qwest Field

2011 MLS Western Conference Championship

11/06/2011 RSL 1 at LA 3 L The Home Depot Center

2012 SCHEDULE VS. LOS ANGELES

3/10/12	RSL at LA 8:30 pm MT / ABC4	The Home Depot Center
6/20/12	RSL vs LA 7:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/06/12	RSL at LA 7:00 pm MT / NBCSN	The Home Depot Center

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. LOS ANGELES

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
11	MID	Javier Morales	8	7	599	4	4	10	6	8	22	1	32	2	0
77	MID	Andy Williams	25	21	1789	3	10	33	16	35	43	5	37	4	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	28	25	2252	2	1	35	17	42	29	0	3	3	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	9	8	562	2	1	15	6	13	6	11	1	1	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	8	6	557	2	0	14	6	7	8	0	0	2	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	2	1	102	1	1	4	2	3	2	3	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	19	18	1617	1	0	6	4	21	13	2	0	3	1
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	9	7	611	1	0	9	4	5	10	0	1	1	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	14	11	1046	0	2	4	2	12	7	0	3	1	0
14	MID	Yordany Alvarez	1	1	74	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	5	431	0	0	2	0	2	4	0	0	0	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	0	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	7	7	630	0	0	6	2	4	6	2	0	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	20	20	1829	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	3	3	261	0	0	2	0	8	2	4	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0
Team totals			19	19	1710	31	27	223	100	257	245	80	99	38	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>19</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1710</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>226</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>246</i>	<i>253</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>2</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Javier Morales 2, Jeff Cunningham 1, Atiba Harris 1, Jason Kreis 1, Yura Movsisyan 1, Eddie Pope 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Chris Klein 1, Clint Mathis 2, Carey Talley 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Javier Morales 1-1, Carey Talley 1-1, Andy Williams 0-1, Will Johnson 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	20	20	1829	108	72	33	1.62	3	4	7	8	5	4
Team totals			19	19	1710	100	70	28	1.47	2	3	7	7	5	4
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>19</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1710</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.63</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>





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STADIUM INFORMATION



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Midfielder



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#1 Troy Perkins
Goalkeeper

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. PORTLAND

Real Salt Lake record: 0-1-1

4/30/2011 RSL 0 at POR 1 L JELD-WEN Field
10/22/2011 RSL 1 vs POR 1 T Rio Tinto Stadium

2012 SCHEDULE VS. PORTLAND

3/31/12 RSL at POR 8:00 pm MT / ABC4 JELD-WEN Field
7/07/12 RSL vs POR 7:00 pm MT / CW30 Rio Tinto Stadium
9/22/12 RSL vs POR 6:00 pm MT / NBCSN Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. PORTLAND

	Real Salt Lake	Portland Timbers
Goals	1 Alvaro Saborio	1 Cooper/Danso
Assists	1 Fabian Espindola	1 3 players tied
Shots	6 Alvaro Saborio	4 3 players tied
Shots on Goal	1 4 players tied	2 Kenny Cooper
Fouls Committed	6 Yordany Alvarez	7 Diego Chara
Fouls Suffered	6 Javier Morales	3 3 players tied
Wins	0	1 Troy Perkins
Losses	1 Nick Rimando	0
Shutouts	0	1 Troy Perkins
Saves	4 Nick Rimando	3 Troy Perkins
Goals Allowed	2 Nick Rimando	1 Troy Perkins

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. PORTLAND

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	2	2	180	1	0	6	1	2	1	3	0	1	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	1	1	90	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
14	MID	Yordany Alvarez	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	1	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	1	1	90	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	1	1	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	2	2	180	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	1	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	2	1	135	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	2	2	180	0	0	4	1	2	6	0	9	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	2	2	180	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0
Team totals			2	2	180	1	1	22	4	22	25	4	11	3	0
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: None

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	2	2	180	6	4	2	1.00	0	1	0	1	1	0
Team totals			2	2	180	6	4	2	1.00	0	1	0	1	1	0
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0.50</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>



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STADIUM INFORMATION



BUCK SHAW STADIUM

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MLS Capacity 10,525
Field Dimensions 115 x 74 yards (natural grass)
Largest MLS Attendance 10,872 (6/25/11 v. LA)

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Goalkeeper



#12 Ramiro Corrales
Defender



#8 Chris Wondolowski
Forward

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. SAN JOSE

Real Salt Lake record: 5-3-5

4/30/2005	RSL 2 vs SJ 2	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/18/2005	RSL 0 at SJ 3	L	Spartan Stadium
8/20/2005	RSL 0 vs SJ 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
10/08/2005	RSL 2 at SJ 2	T	Spartan Stadium
5/31/2008	RSL 3 vs SJ 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/18/2008	RSL 0 vs SJ 0	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/27/2008	RSL 3 at SJ 2	W	Buck Shaw Stadium
5/30/2009	RSL 1 at SJ 2	L	Buck Shaw Stadium
7/04/2009	RSL 1 vs SJ 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
3/27/2010	RSL 3 at SJ 0	W	Buck Shaw Stadium
6/25/2010	RSL 0 vs SJ 0	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
3/19/2011	RSL 1 at SJ 0	W	Buck Shaw Stadium
7/23/2011	RSL 4 vs SJ 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. SAN JOSE

	Real Salt Lake	S.J. Earthquakes
Goals	4 Javier Morales	2 3 players tied
Assists	5 Javier Morales	3 Cerritos/De Rosario
Shots	15 Findley/Morales	13 Ryan Johnson
Shots on Goal	9 Findley/Morales	7 Ryan Johnson
Fouls Committed	13 Andy Williams	10 Eddie Robinson
Fouls Suffered	17 Andy Williams	12 Alejandro Moreno
Wins	5 Nick Rimando	2 Pat Onstad
Losses	1 3 players tied	3 Joe Cannon
Shutouts	5 Nick Rimando	2 Pat Onstad
Saves	33 Nick Rimando	27 Joe Cannon
Goals Allowed	6 Nick Rimando	11 Joe Cannon

2012 SCHEDULE VS. SAN JOSE

4/21/12	RSL at SJ 8:30 pm MT / CW30	Buck Shaw Stadium
6/23/12	RSL vs SJ 7:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
7/14/12	RSL at SJ 8:30 pm MT / ABC4	Buck Shaw Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. SAN JOSE

UNF POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E	
11	MID	Javier Morales	8	8	695	4	5	15	9	11	12	1	35	1	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	19	17	1516	2	5	20	10	26	14	3	3	4	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	3	252	2	1	12	5	3	3	0	0	0	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	7	7	495	1	1	13	6	6	7	0	1	1	1
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	8	7	648	1	0	4	1	7	6	0	0	2	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	10	8	640	0	2	8	2	13	14	0	2	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	5	5	432	0	1	1	0	6	7	0	0	0	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	20	20	1783	0	0	8	0	25	12	1	0	2	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	0	6	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	6	533	0	0	10	2	6	10	1	2	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	21	21	1910	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	12	11	979	0	0	6	2	16	6	1	1	2	0
	Team totals	13	13	1170	20	16	183	77	174	166	35	68	22	1	
	Opponent totals	13	13	1170	14	17	148	71	166	174	32	54	31	3	

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Javier Morales 3, Kyle Beckerman 1, Alvaro Saborio 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Robbie Findley 2, Fabian Espindola 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Dema Kovalenko 1-1, Jason Kreis 1-1, Alvaro Saborio 1-1, Javier Morales 0-1

UNF POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO	
18	GK	Nick Rimando	21	21	1910	109	86	21	0.99	2	2	10	4	7	7
		Team totals	13	13	1170	71	56	14	1.08	0	0	5	3	5	5
		Opponent totals	13	13	1170	77	55	20	1.54	3	4	3	5	5	4





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#17 Fredy Montero
Forward



#10 Mauro Rosales
Midfielder

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. SEATTLE

Real Salt Lake record: 2-2-2

3/28/2009	RSL 0 at SEA 2	L	Qwest Field
8/08/2009	RSL 1 vs SEA 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
4/10/2010	RSL 2 vs SEA 2	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/09/2010	RSL 0 at SEA 0	T	Qwest Field
5/28/2011	RSL 1 vs SEA 2	L	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/10/2011	RSL 2 at SEA 1	W	CenturyLink Field

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. SOUNDERS

2011 Western Conference Semifinal Series (RSL wins 3-2 on aggregate)

10/29/2011	RSL 3 vs SEA 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
11/02/2011	RSL 0 at SEA 2	L	CenturyLink Field

SERIES LEADERS VS. SEATTLE

	Real Salt Lake	Seattle Sounders
Goals	2 Alvaro Saborio	2 Fredy Montero
Assists	1 4 players tied	2 Alonso/Montero
Shots	10 Will Johnson	18 Fredy Montero
Shots on Goal	7 Will Johnson	4 Alonso/Montero
Fouls Committed	9 Tony Beltran	7 Alonso/Jaqua
Fouls Suffered	8 Johnson/Morales	15 Fredy Montero
Wins	2 Nick Rimando	2 Kasey Keller
Losses	2 Nick Rimando	2 Kasey Keller
Shutouts	1 Reynish/Rimando	2 Kasey Keller
Saves	9 Nick Rimando	20 Kasey Keller
Goals Allowed	7 Nick Rimando	6 Kasey Keller

2012 SCHEDULE VS. SEATTLE

5/12/12	RSL at SEA 8:00 pm MT / ABC4	CenturyLink Field
7/04/12	RSL vs SEA 8:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/17/12	RSL at SEA TBD / CW30	CenturyLink Field

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. SEATTLE

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	3	2	170	2	0	7	2	3	4	1	0	1	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	5	475	1	0	10	7	5	8	1	7	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	5	5	450	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	6	6	540	0	0	4	0	8	5	0	2	2	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	5	5	388	0	0	1	0	9	2	0	0	1	1
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	6	6	540	0	0	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	4	4	348	0	0	5	2	5	5	6	1	0	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	1	48	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	3	2	157	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	4	4	309	0	0	2	1	7	8	0	18	1	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	5	5	418	0	0	4	1	7	4	0	0	1	1
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	2	1	135	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	5	4	388	0	0	1	0	7	4	0	0	0	2
Team totals			6	6	540	6	4	64	25	79	64	13	42	11	2
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>540</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>1</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 1, Alvaro Saborio 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Nick Rimando 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Robbie Findley 0-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	2	2	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
18	GK	Nick Rimando	5	5	450	17	9	7	1.40	0	1	2	2	1	1
Team totals			6	6	540	19	11	7	1.17	0	1	2	2	2	2
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>540</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>



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MLS Capacity 21,000
Field Dimensions:
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Forward

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. VANCOUVER

Real Salt Lake record: 1-1-0

6/04/2011	RSL 2 vs VAN 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/06/2011	RSL 0 at VAN 3	L	BC Place Stadium

2012 SCHEDULE VS. VANCOUVER

7/27/12	RSL vs VAN7:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/11/12	RSL at VAN5:00 pm MT / ABC4	BC Place Stadium
10/27/12	RSL vs VAN7:00 pm MT / CW30	Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. VANCOUVER

	Real Salt Lake	Vancouver Whitecaps
Goals	1 Alexandre/Espindola	2 Camilo
Assists	1 Alexandre/Beckerman	1 Cannon/Salgado
Shots	6 Fabian Espindola	6 Camilo
Shots on Goal	3 Fabian Espindola	4 Camilo
Fouls Committed	6 Collen Warner	6 Gershon Koffie
Fouls Suffered	5 3 players tied	10 Gershon Koffie
Wins	1 Nick Rimando	1 Joe Cannon
Losses	1 Nick Rimando	1 Joe Cannon
Shutouts	1 Nick Rimando	1 Joe Cannon
Saves	6 Nick Rimando	8 Joe Cannon
Goals Allowed	3 Nick Rimando	2 Joe Cannon

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. VANCOUVER

UNF POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
7	FWD Fabian Espindola	1	1	90	1	0	6	3	1	3	2	0	0	0
5	MID Kyle Beckerman	1	1	90	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
23	FWD Paulo Jr.	1	1	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	FWD Cody Arnoux	1	0	45	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
2	DEF Tony Beltran	1	1	90	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0
6	DEF Nat Borchers	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
21	MID Luis Gil	2	1	99	0	0	1	1	0	3	2	0	0	0
20	MID Ned Grabavoy	2	2	170	0	0	3	1	5	5	1	0	1	0
11	MID Javier Morales	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0
4	DEF Jamison Olave	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0
18	GK Nick Rimando	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	DEF Chris Schuler	2	2	149	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
17	DEF Chris Wingert	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
	Team totals	2	2	180	2	2	30	10	34	30	9	9	4	1
	<i>Opponent totals</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Jean Alexandre 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

UNF POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK Nick Rimando	2	2	180	9	6	3	1.50	2	2	1	1	0	1
	Team totals	2	2	180	9	6	3	1.50	2	2	1	1	0	1
	<i>Opponent totals</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>





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REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. CHICAGO

Real Salt Lake record: 3-6-5

5/28/2005	RSL 0 vs CHI 3	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/26/2005	RSL 1 at CHI 3	L	Soldier Field
6/03/2006	RSL 3 vs CHI 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/28/2006	RSL 1 at CHI 2	L	Toyota Park
5/27/2007	RSL 0 at CHI 0	T	Toyota Park
8/18/2007	RSL 0 vs CHI 2	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
3/29/2008	RSL 1 vs CHI 1	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/19/2008	RSL 0 vs CHI 0	T	Toyota Park
8/01/2009	RSL 0 at CHI 1	L	Toyota Park
9/12/2009	RSL 1 vs CHI 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
7/08/2010	RSL 1 at CHI 0	W	Toyota Park
9/18/2010	RSL 1 vs CHI 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
6/22/2011	RSL 0 at CHI 0	T	Toyota Park
9/28/2011	RSL 0 vs CHI 3	L	Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. CHICAGO

	Real Salt Lake	Chicago Fire
Goals	2 Cunningham/Kreis3	Barrett/Pappa
Assists	1 4 players tied	3 Ivan Guerrero
Shots	20 Fabian Espindola17	Chris Rotfe
Shots on Goal	8 Fabian Espindola 9	Marco Pappa
Fouls Committed	12 Andy Williams	17 Gonzalo Segares
Fouls Suffered	12 Andy Williams	15 Logan Pause
Wins	2 Nick Rimando	3 Zach Thornton
Losses	3 Nick Rimando	1 3 players tied
Shutouts	5 Nick Rimando	2 3 players tied
Saves	31 Nick Rimando	19 Jon Busch
Goals Allowed	8 Nick Rimando	5 Zach Thornton

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. FIRE

2009 Eastern Conference Final (RSL advances 5-4 on penalty kicks)
11/14/2009 RSL 0 at CHI 0 T (aet) Toyota Park

2012 SCHEDULE VS. CHICAGO

5/09/12 RSL at CHI 6:30 pm MT / CW30 Toyota Park

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. CHICAGO

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	7	7	630	1	0	5	2	5	1	2	0	1	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	3	3	237	1	0	7	3	2	3	2	0	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	13	11	913	0	3	13	4	12	6	1	4	0	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	19	17	1434	0	2	29	12	25	26	3	1	4	1
14	MID	Yordany Alvarez	1	0	75	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	0	14	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	4	367	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	16	16	1450	0	0	2	0	14	11	0	0	1	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	7	5	400	0	0	20	8	11	8	4	0	2	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	1	98	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	6	534	0	0	9	1	6	9	0	2	2	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	6	4	418	0	0	4	2	11	6	0	11	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	29	29	2640	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	16	14	1245	0	0	5	2	20	8	1	3	0	0
Team totals			14	14	1260	9	4	173	60	178	141	27	43	28	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>166</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>142</i>	<i>176</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 1, Alvaro Saborio 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Robbie Findley 1-1, Alvaro Saborio 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	29	29	2640	135	96	36	1.23	4	7	11	9	9	10
Team totals			14	14	1260	66	48	17	1.21	0	0	3	6	5	5
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>7</i>



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Assistant Athletic Trainer..... Phil Watson
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Director, Team Operations Tucker Walther
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VISITING TEAM HOTEL

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STADIUM INFORMATION



COLUMBUS CREW STADIUM

One Black & Gold Blvd.; Columbus, Ohio 43211
Capacity 20,145
Field Size..... 115 yards x 75 yards (natural grass)
Largest MLS Attendance..... 24,741 (5/15/99 v. NE)
Press Box Phone 614-447-4289

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Crew Training Center at Obetz
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KEY PERSONNEL



Robert Warzycha
Head Coach



#12 Eddie Gaven
Midfielder



#14 Chad Marshall
Defender



#10 Milovan Mirosevic
Forward/Midfielder

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. COLUMBUS

Real Salt Lake record: 4-9-1

5/21/2005	RSL 0 at CLB 2	L	Columbus Crew Stadium
9/24/2005	RSL 1 vs CLB 2	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/06/2006	RSL 0 vs CLB 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
8/16/2006	RSL 2 at CLB 1	W	Columbus Crew Stadium
4/14/2007	RSL 0 vs CLB 0	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/07/2007	RSL 0 at CLB 2	L	Columbus Crew Stadium
7/12/2008	RSL 2 vs CLB 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
8/23/2008	RSL 0 at CLB 3	L	Columbus Crew Stadium
4/02/2009	RSL 4 vs CLB 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
7/18/2009	RSL 1 at CLB 3	L	Columbus Crew Stadium
4/24/2010	RSL 0 at CLB 1	L	Columbus Crew Stadium
8/14/2010	RSL 2 vs CLB 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
6/08/2011	RSL 1 at CLB 2	L	Columbus Crew Stadium
7/30/2011	RSL 0 vs CLB 2	L	Rio Tinto Stadium

2012 SCHEDULE VS. COLUMBUS

6/30/12 RSL at CLB 6:00 pm MT / CW30 Columbus Crew Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. COLUMBUS

	Real Salt Lake	Columbus Crew
Goals	4 Robbie Findley	4 Jason Garey
Assists	2 Clint Mathis	2 4 players tied
Shots	18 Andy Williams	19 Eddie Gaven
Shots on Goal	6 Jeff Cunningham	7 Jason Garey
Fouls Committed	14 Olave/Williams	16 Danny O'Rourke
Fouls Suffered	19 Andy Williams	19 Guillermo Barros Schelotto
Wins	3 Nick Rimando	5 William Hesmer
Losses	6 Nick Rimando	3 William Hesmer
Shutouts	3 Nick Rimando	3 William Hesmer
Saves	29 Nick Rimando	23 William Hesmer
Goals Allowed	14 Nick Rimando	10 William Hesmer

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. CREW

2009 Eastern Conference Semifinal Series [RSL wins 4-2 on aggregate]

10/31/2009	RSL 1 vs CLB 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
11/05/2009	RSL 3 at CLB 2	W	Columbus Crew Stadium

CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE RESULTS VS. COLUMBUS

2010/11 CCL Quarterfinals [RSL wins 4-1 on aggregate]

2/22/2011	RSL 0 at CLB 0	T	Columbus Crew Stadium
3/01/2011	RSL 4 vs CLB 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. COLUMBUS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
11	MID	Javier Morales	6	5	446	3	0	7	3	7	11	1	19	0	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	15	13	1208	2	1	15	5	24	16	1	8	6	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	7	7	630	1	0	2	2	14	2	0	0	1	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	5	4	358	0	1	10	3	7	6	7	1	1	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	11	10	862	0	1	6	3	12	5	0	3	1	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	6	6	540	0	1	1	0	7	3	0	2	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	6	482	0	0	2	1	8	6	1	0	2	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	13	13	1171	0	0	6	0	14	10	0	0	5	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	0	51	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	5	4	405	0	0	9	3	6	6	2	2	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	24	24	2180	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	1	1	90	0	0	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	2	2	180	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Team totals			14	14	1260	13	10	202	69	170	160	37	72	29	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>160</i>	<i>170</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Javier Morales 2, Robbie Findley 1, Carey Talley 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Jeff Cunningham 1, Fabian Espindola 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	24	24	2180	117	76	34	1.40	5	6	6	13	5	6
Team totals			14	14	1260	64	40	20	1.43	5	5	4	9	1	3
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>





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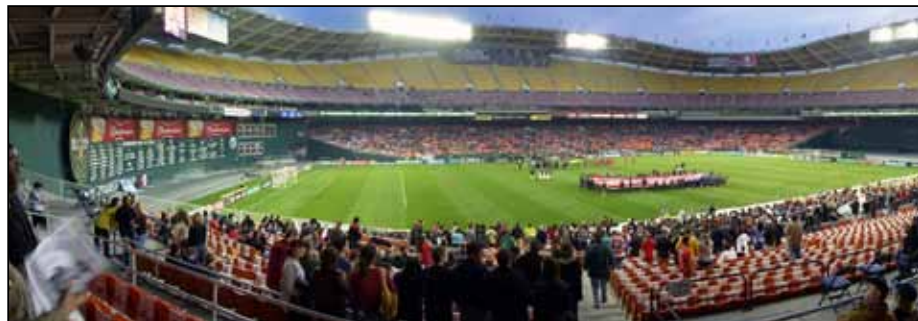
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Head Coach..... Ben Olsen
Assistant Coach..... Chad Ashton
Assistant Coach..... Pat Onstad
Assistant Coach..... Sonny Silooy
Team Administrator..... Francisco Tobar
Head Athletic Trainer Brian Goodstein
Assistant Athletic Trainer/Assistant Strength Coach
..... Pete Calabrese
Equipment Manager..... David Brauzer
Assistant Equipment Manager..... Tim Hall
Physical Therapist Gabriel Manoel

STADIUM INFORMATION



RFK STADIUM

2400 East Capitol St. SE, Washington, D.C. 20003
MLS Capacity 19,647
Field dimensions 110 x 72 (natural grass)
Largest MLS attendance ... 57,431 (MLS Cup 1997, DC v
COL)

TEAM MEDICAL INFORMATION

Orthopedic James Gilbert
Dentist..... Emilio Canal
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Midfielder



#14 Andy Najar
Midfielder



#13 Chris Pontius
Midfielder/Forward

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. D.C. UNITED

Real Salt Lake record: 5-5-4

8/31/2005	RSL 1 at DC 5	L	RFK Stadium
10/05/2005	RSL 1 vs DC 3	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/29/2006	RSL 2 vs DC 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/09/2006	RSL 1 at DC 1	T	RFK Stadium
6/23/2007	RSL 2 vs DC 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/12/2007	RSL 1 at DC 2	L	RFK Stadium
4/12/2008	RSL 4 vs DC 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
4/26/2008	RSL 1 at DC 4	L	RFK Stadium
4/11/2009	RSL 2 vs DC 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
5/23/2009	RSL 0 at DC 0	T	RFK Stadium
6/05/2010	RSL 0 at DC 0	T	RFK Stadium
7/31/2010	RSL 3 vs DC 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
6/18/2011	RSL 1 vs DC 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/24/2011	RSL 1 at DC 4	L	RFK Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. D.C. UNITED

	Real Salt Lake	D.C. United
Goals	4 Robbie Findley	5 Jaime Moreno
Assists	4 Robbie Findley	3 Gomez/Fred
Shots	13 Beckerman/Williams	17 Christian Gomez
Shots on Goal	7 Alecko Eskandarian	14 Jaime Moreno
Fouls Committed	13 Andy Williams	15 Ben Olsen
Fouls Suffered	27 Javier Morales	14 Freddy Adu
Wins	4 Nick Rimando	2 Troy Perkins
Losses	3 Nick Rimando	2 Troy Perkins
Shutouts	4 Nick Rimando	1 Perkins/Wicks
Saves	37 Nick Rimando	18 Troy Perkins
Goals Allowed	13 Nick Rimando	7 Troy Perkins

2012 SCHEDULE VS. D.C. UNITED

9/01/11 RSL vs DC 7:00 pm MT / CW30 Rio Tinto Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. D.C. UNITED

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	22	20	1805	5	2	30	15	38	17	1	3	6	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	4	4	315	2	0	8	4	3	7	0	0	0	0
15	FWD	Álvaro Saborio	3	2	181	2	0	5	3	2	1	3	0	0	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	7	7	582	1	1	10	6	6	27	1	30	1	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	6	6	540	1	0	6	2	12	4	0	0	1	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	1	90	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	4	353	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	13	13	1163	0	1	7	4	11	2	0	0	2	1
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	14	9	866	0	1	6	1	12	13	0	2	1	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	4	412	0	1	11	2	4	3	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	17	17	1552	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	15	11	1079	0	1	4	1	17	11	0	2	4	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	0	28	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team totals			14	14	1260	20	22	173	76	163	194	30	67	24	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>154</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>194</i>	<i>162</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Kyle Beckerman 1, Jeff Cunningham 1, Robbie Findley 1, Jamison Olave 1, Alvaro Saborio 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Alecko Eskandarian, Dema Kovalenko 1, Will Johnson 1, Robbie Findley 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jeff Cunningham 2-2, Fabian Espindola 1-1, Andy Williams 1-1, Alecko Eskandarian 0-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	17	17	1552	95	71	22	1.28	3	5	9	4	4	5
Team totals			14	14	1260	79	55	23	1.64	4	5	5	5	4	4
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>1.43</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>





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Assistant CoachesWade Barrett, Steve Ralston
Goalkeepers CoachTim Hanley
Director, Soccer Operations.....Nick Kowba
Equipment Manager.....Michael Porter

TEAM MEDICAL INFORMATION

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Assistant Athletic TrainerShane Caron
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Official HospitalThe Methodist Hospital System

STADIUM INFORMATION



BBVA COMPASS STADIUM

2200 Texas Avenue; Houston, TX 77003

MLS Capacity22,000

Field Dimensions.....115 x 75 yards (natural grass)

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Dominic Kinnear
Head Coach



#11 Brad Davis
Midfielder



#20 Geoff Cameron
Midfielder



#1 Tally Hall
Goalkeeper

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. HOUSTON

Real Salt Lake record: 3-8-5

4/22/2006	RSL 1 at HOU 2	L	Robertson Stadium
6/17/2006	RSL 1 at HOU 2	L	Robertson Stadium
8/19/2006	RSL 3 vs HOU 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
10/07/2006	RSL 1 vs HOU 1	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
8/04/2007	RSL 1 vs HOU 0	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/08/2007	RSL 3 at HOU 4	L	Robertson Stadium
10/15/2007	RSL 0 vs HOU 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/03/2008	RSL 0 vs HOU 0	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
8/16/2008	RSL 3 at HOU 4	L	Robertson Stadium
6/20/2009	RSL 1 at HOU 1	T	Robertson Stadium
8/15/2009	RSL 0 vs HOU 0	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/19/2009	RSL 2 at HOU 3	L	Robertson Stadium
4/01/2010	RSL 1 at HOU 2	L	Robertson Stadium
5/13/2010	RSL 3 vs HOU 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
5/14/2011	RSL 0 vs HOU 0	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/20/2011	RSL 2 at HOU 3	L	Robertson Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. HOUSTON

	Real Salt Lake	Houston Dynamo
Goals	3 Fabian Espindola	4 Ching/Jaqua
Assists	4 Javier Morales	9 Brad Davis
Shots	17 Kyle Beckerman	21 Brad Davis
Shots on Goal	11 Kyle Beckerman	13 Brad Davis
Fouls Committed	19 Beckerman/Williams	28 Brian Mullan
Fouls Suffered	19 Andy Williams	28 Brad Davis
Wins	2 Nick Rimando	7 Pat Onstad
Losses	6 Nick Rimando	3 Pat Onstad
Shutouts	4 Nick Rimando	3 Pat Onstad
Saves	39 Nick Rimando	40 Pat Onstad
Goals Allowed	19 Nick Rimando	20 Pat Onstad

2012 SCHEDULE VS HOUSTON

9/06/12 RSL at HOU 6:30 pm MT / CW30 BBVA Compass Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. HOUSTON

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	8	6	481	3	1	9	3	6	9	5	2	2	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	8	7	675	2	4	7	4	15	14	1	26	2	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	18	17	1575	2	2	21	13	26	11	1	3	4	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	4	319	2	1	12	5	8	5	2	0	1	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	1	1	90	1	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	7	5	457	0	1	4	1	5	7	0	1	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	14	11	1047	0	1	7	3	17	7	0	6	4	1
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	4	3	292	0	0	2	1	5	3	0	0	2	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	9	9	810	0	0	2	0	6	5	0	0	3	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	6	520	0	0	6	4	6	9	1	1	1	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	7	7	540	0	0	3	1	18	5	0	0	4	2
18	GK	Nick Rimando	12	12	1080	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team totals			16	16	1440	22	21	175	70	232	206	31	67	38	5
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>16</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>1440</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>172</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>209</i>	<i>230</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>3</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Douglas Sequeira 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Jeff Cunningham 1, Javier Morales 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jason Kreis 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	12	12	1080	60	39	1.58	2	3	2	6	4	4
Team totals			16	16	1440	84	55	25	1.56	2	4	3	8	5
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>16</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>1440</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>1.38</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>



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Equipment Manager Mike Flaherty
Head Groundskeeper Justin Bland

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Chiropractors Brian Holdeman, David Black
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Team Dentist Jason Ciminieri
Team Ophthalmologist Brandon Hunter
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STADIUM INFORMATION



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One Sporting Way; Kansas City, KS 66111
MLS Capacity 18,467
Field Dimensions 120 x 75 yards (natural grass)
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Largest MLS Attendance at LSP20,839 (11/6/11 vs HOU)
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Forward



#9 Teal Bunbury
Forward



#1 Jimmy Nielsen
Goalkeeper

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. KANSAS CITY

Real Salt Lake record: 5-6-3

7/16/2005	RSL 2 at KC 3	L	Arrowhead Stadium
8/13/2005	RSL 2 vs KC 4	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
5/20/2006	RSL 2 vs KC 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/30/2006	RSL 3 at KC 3	T	Arrowhead Stadium
7/14/2007	RSL 0 at KC 1	L	Arrowhead Stadium
8/29/2007	RSL 3 vs KC 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/07/2008	RSL 0 vs KC 0	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/28/2008	RSL 0 at KC 1	L	CommunityAmerica Ballpark
5/16/2009	RSL 0 vs KC 2	L	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/29/2009	RSL 1 at KC 0	W	CommunityAmerica Ballpark
5/29/2010	RSL 4 vs KC 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/07/2010	RSL 1 at KC 1	T	CommunityAmerica Ballpark
8/03/2011	RSL 0 at KC 2	L	Livestrong Sporting Park
9/17/2011	RSL 1 vs KC 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. KANSAS CITY

	Real Salt Lake	Sporting Kansas City
Goals	2 4 players tied	4 Sealy/Wolff
Assists	2 4 players tied	5 Arnaud/Wolff
Shots	16 Kyle Beckerman	27 Davy Arnaud
Shots on Goal	8 Kyle Beckerman	9 3 players tied
Fouls Committed	12 Beckerman/Harris	20 Davy Arnaud
Fouls Suffered	12 Javier Morales	32 Davy Arnaud
Wins	3 Nick Rimando	3 Kevin Hartman
Losses	3 Nick Rimando	2 Hartman/Nielsen
Shutouts	2 Nick Rimando	4 Kevin Hartman
Saves	29 Nick Rimando	31 Kevin Hartman
Goals Allowed	7 Countess/Rimando	9 Bo Oshoniyi

2012 SCHEDULE VS KANSAS CITY

4/14/12 RSL at KC 6:30 pm MT / ABC4 Livestrong Sporting Park

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. KANSAS CITY

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	23	17	1647	2	2	30	13	31	30	3	3	5	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	7	4	422	2	0	13	6	10	6	5	0	1	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	18	18	1630	1	1	4	1	16	5	1	0	4	1
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	4	359	1	1	13	4	7	8	7	0	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	10	7	599	1	0	9	3	9	14	0	1	3	1
11	MID	Javier Morales	6	6	495	0	1	13	5	8	12	1	14	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	4	4	338	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	1	84	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	6	5	462	0	0	6	2	5	7	0	0	2	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	7	7	630	0	0	0	0	11	6	0	0	2	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	22	22	2004	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	3	2	0	0	1	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	16	12	1057	0	0	1	0	16	12	0	1	4	0
Team totals			14	14	1260	19	16	162	70	208	164	43	43	29	2
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>190</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>164</i>	<i>208</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>2</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Nat Borchers 1, Pablo Campos 1, Jeff Cunningham 1, Fabian Espindola 1, Alvaro Saborio 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Alecko Eskandarian 1, Kyle Beckerman 1, Jason Kreis 1, Robbie Russell 1, Andy Williams 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	22	22	2004	112	88	24	1.08	1	1	8	8	6	5
Team totals			14	14	1260	76	55	20	1.43	0	0	5	6	3	3
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>





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Goalkeeper



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Major League Soccer is bolstering its Canadian credentials in 2012 with the addition of the Montreal Impact as the League's 19th team. After showing tremendous growth and support in recent years both on the field and in the stands, the Impact is carrying over its identity and history as it makes the jump from the second tier of North American soccer to MLS, joining fellow north-of-the-border sides Toronto FC and Vancouver Whitecaps FC in the league.

Following years of discussions on a possible move to the MLS ranks, Impact Owner Joey Saputo and MLS Commissioner Don Garber officially announced Montreal as the League's newest expansion team on May 7, 2010. The Impact was founded in 1993 by the Saputo family and quickly became a regular contender in the various editions of what is now the second tier of North American soccer – the American Professional Soccer League (1993–1996), the A-League (1997–98, 2000–03), the USL First Division (2004–2009), the USSF D-2 Pro League (2010) and the NASL (2011).

The Impact front office and sideline will include plenty of MLS experience, as the club hired 14-year league staple Jesse Marsch as its head coach and Matt Jordan, who played eight MLS campaigns before ending his career with four seasons in Montreal, as its Director of Soccer Operations. The Impact's Technical Staff will be headed by Sporting Director Nick De Santis, a Montreal native and club legend who is second in team annals with 219 appearances.



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GILLETTE STADIUM

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Field Dimensions..... 106 x 75 yards
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REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. NEW ENGLAND

Real Salt Lake record: 6-4-4

8/10/2005	RSL 1 at NE 4	L	Gillette Stadium
9/03/2005	RSL 0 vs NE 1	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/24/2006	RSL 0 vs NE 0	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
7/14/2006	RSL 3 at NE 1	W	Gillette Stadium
6/02/2007	RSL 0 at NE 0	T	Gillette Stadium
7/28/2007	RSL 1 vs NE 2	L	Rice-Eccles Stadium
6/21/2008	RSL 2 vs NE 1	W	Rice-Eccles Stadium
10/04/2008	RSL 2 at NE 2	T	Gillette Stadium
4/25/2009	RSL 6 vs NE 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
8/23/2009	RSL 1 at NE 3	L	Gillette Stadium
7/02/2010	RSL 5 vs NE 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/02/2010	RSL 2 at NE 1	W	Gillette Stadium
4/09/11	RSL 2 at NE 0	W	Gillette Stadium
7/04/11	RSL 3 vs NE 3	T	Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. NEW ENGLAND

	Real Salt Lake	New England Rev.
Goals	4 Alvaro Saborio	3 Dube/Twellman
Assists	7 Javier Morales	3 Jay Heaps
Shots	24 Andy Williams	22 Taylor Twellman
Shots on Goal	10 Andy Williams	10 Taylor Twellman
Fouls Committed	15 Andy Williams	17 Shalrie Joseph
Fouls Suffered	19 Andy Williams	19 Jose Cancela
Wins	4 Nick Rimando	4 Matt Reis
Losses	2 Countess/Rimando	4 Matt Reis
Shutouts	3 Nick Rimando	3 Matt Reis
Saves	40 Nick Rimando	48 Matt Reis
Goals Allowed	12 Nick Rimando	20 Matt Reis

2012 SCHEDULE VS NEW ENGLAND

5/05/12 RSL vs NE 7:00 pm MT / CW30 Rio Tinto Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. NEW ENGLAND

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	FWD	Álvaro Saborio	3	3	266	4	1	8	4	8	10	1	0	1	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	20	16	1453	2	2	24	11	37	18	2	7	3	1
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	5	5	450	2	1	8	7	3	1	0	0	0	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	4	3	223	2	0	9	5	5	3	5	0	2	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	6	6	422	1	7	9	5	9	10	1	24	2	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	15	9	872	1	3	10	3	16	16	0	11	3	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	7	7	597	1	1	12	5	10	7	0	5	2	1
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	1	90	1	0	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	14	14	1183	1	0	3	3	15	3	0	0	1	1
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	2	1	171	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	26	26	2360	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	5	451	0	0	4	1	3	3	0	0	0	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	1	74	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	12	10	961	0	0	6	1	22	13	0	2	4	0
Team totals			14	14	1260	28	20	200	91	204	165	37	71	27	6
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>167</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>167</i>	<i>204</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>3</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Jeff Cunningham 1, Fabian Espindola 1, Tino Nuñez 1, Jamison Olave 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Chris Schuler 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Javier Morales 2, Robbie Russell 1, Collen Warner

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Álvaro Saborio 1-1, Carey Talley 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	2	2	0	0.00	0	0	1	0	0	1
18	GK	Nick Rimando	26	26	2360	153	115	34	1.30	2	2	12	9	5	8
Team totals			14	14	1260	70	50	18	1.29	1	1	6	4	4	5
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>2.00</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>



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STADIUM INFORMATION



RED BULL ARENA

600 Cape May Street; Harrison, NJ 07029
MLS Capacity 25,000
Field Dimensions 120 x 75 yards (natural grass)
Largest Attendance in club history
..... 66,237 (8/18/07 vs. LA at Giants Stadium)
Largest Attendance at Red Bull Arena
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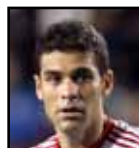
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Forward



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Midfielder



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Defender/Midfielder

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. NEW YORK

Real Salt Lake record: 4-3-7

4/02/2005	RSL 0 at MET 0	T	Giants Stadium
7/04/2005	RSL 2 vs MET 2	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
4/15/2006	RSL 1 vs NY 1	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
8/26/2006	RSL 0 at NY 6	L	Giants Stadium
5/05/2007	RSL 3 vs NY 3	T	Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/29/2007	RSL 2 at NY 2	T	Giants Stadium
9/13/2008	RSL 1 at NY 2	L	Giants Stadium
10/09/2008	RSL 1 vs NY 1	T	Rio Tinto Stadium
4/18/2009	RSL 0 at NY 2	L	Giants Stadium
10/14/2009	RSL 2 vs NY 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/04/2010	RSL 1 vs NY 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
10/09/2010	RSL 0 at NY 0	T	Red Bull Arena
8/06/2011	RSL 3 vs NY 0	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/21/2011	RSL 3 at NY 1	W	Red Bull Arena

SERIES LEADERS VS. NEW YORK

	Real Salt Lake	New York Red Bulls
Goals	4 Fabian Espindola	3 Angel/Buddle
Assists	3 Beckerman/Findley	2 players tied
Shots	22 Andy Williams	26 Juan Pablo Angel
Shots on Goal	11 Yura Movsisyan	14 Juan Pablo Angel
Fouls Committed	11 Javier Morales	11 Kandji/Mendes
Fouls Suffered	27 Andy Williams	12 Dane Richards
Wins	4 Nick Rimando	2 Jon Conway
Losses	2 Nick Rimando	2 Frank Rost
Shutouts	4 Nick Rimando	1 4 players tied
Saves	28 Nick Rimando	17 Jon Conway
Goals Allowed	8 Nick Rimando	5 Frank Rost

MLS CUP PLAYOFF RESULTS VS. NEW YORK

2008 Western Conference Championship
11/15/2008 RSL 0 vs NY 1 L Rio Tinto Stadium

2012 SCHEDULE VS NEW YORK

3/17/12 RSL vs NY 8:00 pm MT / ABC4 Rio Tinto Stadium

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. NEW YORK

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	5	4	349	4	1	12	8	10	5	9	0	1	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	13	13	1170	2	1	12	3	7	4	0	0	0	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	3	3	263	2	0	4	2	6	6	4	0	0	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	19	17	1500	1	5	20	5	27	29	0	7	2	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	1	80	1	0	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	6	6	540	1	0	2	1	6	5	1	0	2	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	15	14	1245	0	2	9	1	11	7	2	0	2	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	8	7	644	0	1	9	6	9	8	0	1	3	1
11	MID	Javier Morales	6	6	532	0	1	15	6	11	21	2	25	1	0
14	MID	Yordany Alvarez	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	0	22	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	2	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	12	8	663	0	0	9	3	7	12	1	11	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	28	28	2517	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Team totals			14	14	1260	19	17	175	78	154	196	53	70	19	2
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>172</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>197</i>	<i>154</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>2</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Fabian Espindola 2, Nat Borchers 1, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 2, Robbie Findley 1, Will Johnson 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Jeff Cunningham 1-1, Jason Kreis 1-1, Alvaro Saborio 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	28	28	2517	147	91	36	1.29	5	7	13	11	4	8
Team totals			14	14	1260	78	51	20	1.43	1	1	4	3	7	5
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1260</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>



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STADIUM INFORMATION



PPL PARK

One Stadium Drive, Chester, PA 19013
MLS Capacity 18,500
Field Dimensions 120 x 75 yards (natural grass)
Largest MLS Attendance .. 19,178 (Union vs. Toronto FC,
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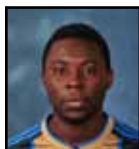
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Peter Nowak
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#4 Danny Califf
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REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. PHILADELPHIA

Real Salt Lake record: 2-0-2

5/08/2010 RSL 3 vs PHI 0 W Rio Tinto Stadium
8/11/2010 RSL 1 at PHI 1 T PPL Park

6/11/2011 RSL 1 at PHI 1 T PPL Park
9/03/2011 RSL 2 vs PHI 1 W Rio Tinto Stadium

2012 SCHEDULE VS PHILADELPHIA

8/24/12 RSL at PHI 5:30 pm MT / NBCSN PPL Park

SERIES LEADERS VS. PHILADELPHIA

	Real Salt Lake	Philadelphia Union
Goals	2 Beckerman/Espindola	3 players tied
Assists	1 5 players tied	4 players tied
Shots	11 Fabian Espindola	9 Sebastien Le Toux
Shots on Goal	7 Fabian Espindola	3 Le Toux/Nakazawa
Fouls Committed	6 Alexandre/Beckerman	5 Kyle Nakazawa
Fouls Suffered	9 Andy Williams	6 Fred/Mwanga
Wins	2 Nick Rimando	0
Losses	0	1 Mondragon/Seitz
Shutouts	1 Nick Rimando	0
Saves	9 Kyle Reynish	6 Chris Seitz
Goals Allowed	2 Kyle Reynish	4 Chris Seitz

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. PHILADELPHIA

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	3	3	270	2	1	3	2	6	3	0	8	1	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	3	3	270	2	0	11	7	2	2	2	0	0	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	3	3	253	1	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	1	1	90	1	0	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	1	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	1	66	0	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	2	2	180	0	1	4	1	0	8	1	4	0	0
27	FWD	Cody Arnoux	1	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	4	3	303	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	3	3	270	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	0	2	0
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	2	173	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	2	1	107	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	2	1	116	0	0	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	3	3	270	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
Team totals			4	4	360	7	5	47	19	44	44	5	15	10	0
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>360</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Kyle Beckerman 1, Chris Schuler 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	3	3	270	12	9	2	0.67	0	0	2	0	1	1
24	GK	Kyle Reynish	1	1	90	7	6	1	1.00	0	0	0	0	1	0
Team totals			4	4	360	19	15	3	0.75	0	0	2	0	2	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>360</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>1.75</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>0</i>





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STADIUM INFORMATION



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170 Princes' Blvd; Toronto, ON M6K 3C3
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Field Dimensions..... 105 x 69 meters (74 x 115 yards)
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REGULAR SEASON RESULTS VS. TORONTO

Real Salt Lake record: 4-4-2

7/04/2007 RSL 1 vs TOR 2 L Rice-Eccles Stadium
9/15/2007 RSL 0 at TOR 0 T BMO Field

4/19/2008 RSL 0 at TOR 1 L BMO Field
7/28/2008 RSL 2 vs TOR 1 W Rice-Eccles Stadium

6/27/2009 RSL 3 vs TOR 0 W Rio Tinto Stadium
10/17/2009 RSL 0 at TOR 1 L BMO Field

5/01/2010 RSL 2 vs TOR 1 W Rio Tinto Stadium
8/28/2010 RSL 0 at TOR 0 T BMO Field

6/25/2011 RSL 3 vs TOR 1 W Rio Tinto Stadium
8/13/2011 RSL 0 at TOR 1 L BMO Field

2012 SCHEDULE VS TORONTO

4/28/12 RSL vs TOR 7:00 pm MT / CW30 Rio Tinto Stadium

SERIES LEADERS VS. TORONTO

	Real Salt Lake	Toronto FC
Goals	2 Olave/Saborio	1 8 players tied
Assists	2 Beckerman/Russell	1 4 players tied
Shots	17 Kyle Beckerman	8 Collin Samuel
Shots on Goal	8 Yura Movsisyan	5 Brennan/Samuel
Fouls Committed	11 Beckerman/Espindola	14 Carl Robinson
Fouls Suffered	17 Javier Morales	9 Danny Dichio
Wins	4 Nick Rimando	1 4 players tied
Losses	4 Nick Rimando	3 Stefan Frei
Shutouts	3 Nick Rimando	1 5 players tied
Saves	34 Nick Rimando	20 Stefan Frei
Goals Allowed	8 Nick Rimando	8 Stefan Frei

CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE RESULTS VS. TORONTO

2010/11 CCL Group Stage			
9/14/2010	RSL 4 vs TOR 1	W	Rio Tinto Stadium
9/29/2010	RSL 1 at TOR 1	T	BMO Field

CURRENT RSL PLAYERS ALL-TIME STATISTICS v. TORONTO

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
15	FWD	Alvaro Saborio	4	4	323	2	1	11	5	4	8	6	0	1	0
4	DEF	Jamison Olave	5	5	450	2	0	4	2	6	1	0	0	3	0
5	MID	Kyle Beckerman	10	10	899	1	2	19	6	13	9	0	6	1	0
6	DEF	Nat Borchers	8	8	720	1	0	4	3	3	4	0	0	0	0
20	MID	Ned Grabavoy	7	7	562	0	2	4	3	5	9	2	0	0	0
2	DEF	Tony Beltran	6	5	487	0	1	0	0	4	5	0	0	1	0
11	MID	Javier Morales	6	6	482	0	1	7	5	7	17	1	29	1	0
17	DEF	Chris Wingert	9	8	677	0	1	5	2	5	2	0	0	1	0
23	FWD	Paulo Jr.	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	FWD	Fabian Espindola	5	5	388	0	0	10	4	11	3	5	0	0	1
21	MID	Luis Gil	2	2	180	0	0	4	1	4	2	0	1	0	0
8	MID	Will Johnson	5	4	381	0	0	8	6	6	4	1	11	2	0
18	GK	Nick Rimando	10	10	900	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	DEF	Chris Schuler	1	1	90	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Team totals			10	10	900	11	11	130	62	110	119	28	66	18	1
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>10</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>104</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>0</i>

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Robbie Findley 1, Yura Movsisyan 1, Alvaro Saborio 1, Andy Williams 1

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Kyle Beckerman 1, Tony Beltran 1, Robbie Russell 1

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Alecko Eskandarian 1-1

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHT	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	GK	Nick Rimando	10	10	900	46	34	8	0.80	2	2	4	4	2	3
Team totals			10	10	900	46	34	8	0.80	2	2	4	4	2	3
<i>Opponent totals</i>			<i>10</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>







THE RSL IDENTITY



Real Salt Lake (pronounced RAY-äl) kicks off season number eight in MLS, continuing to wear Claret Red, Cobalt Blue and Real Gold uniforms with a classic shield logo that incorporates an iconic crown, suggestive of the majestic heritage and international spirit of soccer teams around the globe. In recognition of the team's MLS Cup 2009 victory, RSL has added the customary "star" above the interlocking RSL "jersey" shield.

Back for the 6th season in 2012 is the presence of the Utah-based XANGO logo emblazoned across the front of the team's adidas/MLS game jerseys, following the European professional soccer model. Headquartered in Lehi, Utah, XanGo is the recognized creator and international market leader of nutritional supplements from the mango-steen, a prized fruit from Southeast Asia.

The landmark Real Salt Lake / XanGo jersey-front partnership was unveiled on November 17, 2006, the first of its kind in major-league U.S. professional team sports. Since XanGo branded the RSL kit, more than a half-dozen MLS teams have recruited sponsors to follow suit. In June of 2009, RSL and XanGo announced a four-year extension of the jersey-front partnership and increased involvement for XanGo and its brand across RSL-related properties and at various Rio Tinto Stadium events through the end of the 2013 season.

"It is a wonderful milestone for RSL to be the first MLS franchise to secure a jersey-front sponsor," said Real Salt Lake owner Dave Checketts at the 2006 XanGo Revolution introduction, witnessed by nearly 10,000 attendees. "XanGo is a strong supporter of professional soccer in Utah and the growth of our franchise nationally and globally. XanGo's aggressive vision and innovative commitment to become the first company to sponsor a professional U.S. team sports jersey meshes well with the RSL spirit and mission. Jersey-front partners across the globe are intimately linked with the team identity and brand, representing a very personal relationship between the two organizations. XanGo's healthy lifestyle brand energy is an ideal fit, and the entire RSL organization is proud to bring the XanGo name to our field of play."

Real Salt Lake's name, colors and identity were originally introduced on October 9, 2004, with the team's unique nomenclature inspired by Mr. Checketts' admiration of FIFA "Club of the Century" Real Madrid, as well as his desire for the Utah MLS club to own a name immediately recognizable by its soccer connotation. The name "Real" – Spanish for "royal" – demonstrates RSL's globally-conscious vision and aspiration, emblematic of the organization's passion and respect for soccer's heritage, and reflective of the lofty aspirations for competitive excellence and crowning achievements in the community.

"The days of 'traditional mascot names' are numbered, and not only in soccer," said a very prescient Mr. Checketts on that historic day. "The name, colors and shield of Real Salt Lake represent soccer's spirit as a unifying sport, as well as the state of Utah's rapidly expanding diversity."

The color palette conveys the team's desire to embrace all cultures and present international distinction. Claret Red represents the passion and excitement that soccer generates among the Utah populace; Cobalt Blue embodies the state's mountains, lakes and natural beauty, while the accent of Real Gold is inspired by the golden significance of crowns and royalty throughout history.

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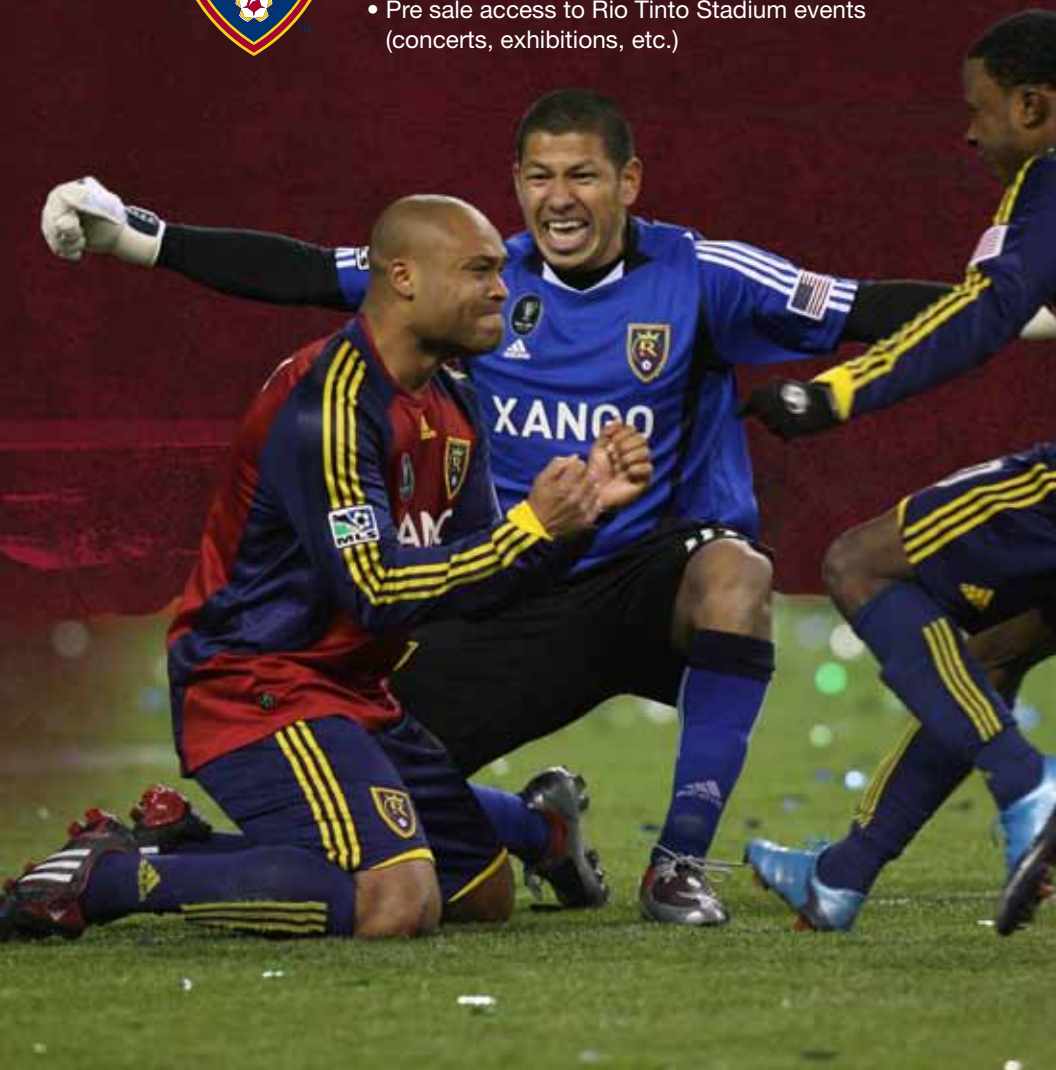
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Coaching Staff At Grande Sports Academy

The Grande Sports Academy coaching staff embraces the unique Real Salt Lake philosophy of training and is recognized nationally and internationally for their professional playing and coaching experience. They have all played and coached at the highest levels, international, national teams, MLS, and collegiate. Their commitment and dedication is to youth development, training, and coaching. The success of the Real Salt Lake – Arizona Academy is a testimony to their ability to transform talented soccer players in to outstanding competitive players.



Martin Vasquez

Head Coach / Director of Soccer

Martin Vasquez brings a wealth of professional playing and coaching experience to Grande Sports Academy, Home of Real Salt Lake- Arizona Academy (RSL-AZ). His coaching experience has recently been elevated when chosen to serve as assistant coach for the US Men's National Team, having been hand-selected by newly appointed US Men's National Team Head Coach, Jurgen Klinsmann.

Prior to Grande Sports Academy, Vasquez served as Head Coach for Major League Soccer's Chivas USA for the 2009-2010 season. His transitional year at Chivas USA saw quality contributions by Justin Braun and Blair Gavin, and nice acquisitions of Paulo Nagamura and Rodolfo Espinoza.

Before his position as the Head Coach for Chivas USA, Vasquez had the role of Assistant Coach under Jurgen Klinsmann for powerhouse Bayern Munich for the 2008-2009 Bundesliga season. Vasquez began his coaching duties at Chivas USA in 2005, the year Chivas USA joined Major League Soccer. Vasquez served as an Assistant Coach until 2008. He initiated his Major League Soccer coaching career with the Los Angeles Galaxy in 2004, as they finished second in the Western Conference.

Vasquez has a storied professional playing career in which he played for both the Mexican and United States National teams—the first player to have represented both countries. He played for two teams in Major League Soccer—the San Jose Clash and Tampa Bay Mutiny—and was part of Major League Soccer's birth as a professional league. He was a standout role player with the Tampa Bay Mutiny for two years and named to the MLS All-Star Team in 1996.





Freddy Juarez

Assistant Coach / Residential Administrator

Freddy Juarez enters his second season as Assistant Coach and Residential Advisor for Grande Sports Academy, Home of Real Salt Lake- Arizona Academy (RSL-AZ). Juarez's efforts on and off the field were vital in the successful inaugural season for the RSL-AZ teams. The U16 team finished third at Nationals and the U18 team completed their season in the top 16 in the United States.

Prior to his arrival at Grande Sports Academy, Juarez served as Coaching Director for New Mexico Striker FC from 1998-2010. He coached nine teams to the New Mexico State Championships, and his efforts resulted in 35 players who earned college scholarships. Juarez has developed seven players to the US Youth National teams, along with countless others who were selected for the Regional Team. He has three former players who play professionally, most notably Edgar Castillo, who currently plays for Club America—Mexico's biggest soccer club. Juarez also coached New Mexico's ODP teams from 2003-2010, building a reputation as one of the most successful for Region IV.

Juarez began his professional playing career with the El Paso Patriots in 1998, where he clocked over 12,000 minutes and started every game until 2004. Juarez contributed to El Paso's successful run for four postseason appearances and earned Defensive Player of the Year twice.

After the 2004 season, Juarez was picked up by division rival Minnesota Thunder. He started every game for three years and helped lead the club to two postseason appearances, along with one quarterfinal and semifinal in the US Open Cup. Juarez was also called into camp for the US Men's National Team in 2005. Juarez was versatile and adapted well on many playing surfaces and conditions, including playing indoor soccer for the NPSL Wichita Wings. He was a member of the US Men's Futsal National Team for the Pan American Games in Brazil in 2007.

John Galas

Director of Goalkeeping



John Galas enters his first full-time season as Director of Goalkeeping at Grande Sports Academy, Home of Real Salt Lake-Arizona Academy (RSL-AZ). He joined the team part-time in 2010-2011, and his coaching was essential in the successful inaugural season for the RSL-AZ teams. The U16 team finished third at Nationals, and the U18 team completed their season in the top 16 in the United States with his help. All three goalkeeping seniors received college scholarship offers, and one – Lalo Fernandez – just returned from playing professionally for Peñarol, one of the top clubs in Uruguay, to sign with RSL-AZ parent club, Real Salt Lake, learning from Jeff Cassar, Nick Rimando and Kyle Reynish.

Prior to Grande Sports Academy, Galas served as Associate Head Coach for the University of Arizona Wildcats from 2007-2009. His primary on-field responsibility was working with the University of Arizona's goalkeepers, while assisting with the continued development in all facets of the program.

Before joining University of Arizona, Galas had a dual role as Director of Soccer Operations and Assistant Coach at the Portland Timbers for the seasons of 2006-2007. Galas's responsibilities included opponent scouting, video coordination and analysis. He coached numerous players who played or are currently playing in Major League Soccer, including Josh Saunders, Terry Boss and Nate Jaqua, Ty Harden, and Mike Chabala.

Galas served as the Head Coach for the U18 team for the Oregon United for 2005-2006, and prior to that as the Assistant Coach for the University of Oregon from 2003-2005. While in Oregon, Galas trained numerous All-Conference and All American players across the nation. Galas's successful collegiate career began with the Florida State Seminoles in 2000, where he helped guide them to three consecutive NCAA postseason appearances—including a pair of trips to the round of 16 and first-ever ACC Tournament Championship Match. Florida State went 42-23-6 in three seasons with Galas.



RSL-ARIZONA ACADEMY

The crowning jewel of Real Salt Lake's Youth Development endeavors is the Real Salt Lake-Arizona Academy, the United States' first soccer residency program affiliated with a Major League Soccer club. Based out of the state-of-the-art, \$20 million Grande Sports World training facility in Casa Grande, Arizona, the goal of the RSL-Arizona Academy is straightforward – to teach the next generation of potential Real Salt Lake players how to train and play “the RSL way” while providing them with a quality education both on and off the field.

In 2010, the RSL-Arizona Academy was invited to participate in the nationwide US Soccer Development Academy, whose philosophy is to increase the focus of training for the nation's top players and lessen the total of games played in favor of more quality competition. The RSL-Arizona Academy's U-15/16 and U-17/18 squads shot out of the gates during their first season of USSDA play, as both teams finished towards the top of the highly-competitive Southern California Division and qualified for the USSDA's postseason tournament, with the U-16 side eventually finishing third in the country. Even more impressive than the teams' results was the validation of the RSL-Arizona Academy's overall philosophy on the field, as the program was one of only two teams in the 78-club system to receive the highest rating for style of play from US Soccer.

The RSL-Arizona Academy's reputation grew even stronger in July 2011 with the addition of Martin Vasquez as the Director of Soccer Operations, as the former United States and Mexican National Team performer and current U.S. Men's National Team assistant coach now oversees all on-the-field aspects for the burgeoning program. With Vasquez's intimate knowledge of Major League Soccer both as a player and coach, the RSL-Arizona Academy will continue to revolutionize the way youth development is looked at in MLS circles, leading a coaching staff committed to teaching the core values of the Real Salt Lake system and providing continuous access to professional training methods and the most outstanding soccer training facility in the country at Grande Sports World.

The RSL-Arizona Academy's tight-knit relationship with Real Salt Lake has already begun to bear fruit for the Utah outfit, as the professional side signed a pair of former Academy members, midfielder Nico Muñoz (Sept. 2011) and goalkeeper Lalo Fernandez (Feb. 2012), to Homegrown Player contracts. In addition, Real Salt Lake called upon six RSL-Arizona Academy players to participate in MLS Reserve League action in 2011, and utilized the services of another half-dozen players to bolster training sessions during the squad's spring training trips to Arizona across February of 2012.

However, it has been the RSL-Arizona youngsters that have received the biggest benefits from the close partnership with Real Salt Lake, as the year-round relationship has included frequent direction from and contact with the RSL first team coaching staff and its players, providing inspiration unique to the program. In addition, every member of the first senior class to graduate from the RSL-Arizona Academy in 2011 was offered a collegiate scholarship, providing opportunities for the young men that pass through to continue to develop on the field and in the classroom. With Grande Sports World hosting more and more Major League Soccer clubs during the league's preseason every year, the increased exposure for the RSL-Arizona participants will allow them to soak up incredible amounts of knowledge on what it takes to be a professional athlete, giving a glimpse of what the next steps outside of Casa Grande may entail. Do you know the next Real Salt Lake prospect? Learn more information on the RSL-Arizona Academy full-time residential program and opportunities on how to join the system at Grande Sports World by visiting the new GrandeSportsAcademy.com website or the “Academy” section of RealSaltLake.com.



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RIO TINTO STADIUM MEDIA OPERATIONS



RIO TINTO STADIUM MEDIA PHOTO GUIDELINES

(Gameday information assumes a 7:00 p.m. MT event start)

Information Services

www.RioTintoStadium.com—All of the latest information on various sports, entertainment and community events happening in the Heart of the Wasatch. Visit for tickets, parking and all facility information.

www.RealSaltLake.com—The most comprehensive source for Real Salt Lake game and practice schedules, player bios, game summaries, press releases, community promotions and corporate partner information.

www.RSLtotheCore.com—Exclusive behind-the-scenes photos, video, breaking news and information, as well as off-the-field content for fans and media.

E-Mail Release List—All of Real Salt Lake and Rio Tinto Stadium's announcements are sent via e-mail. To be placed on either list, please contact one or both of RSLcommunications@RealSaltLake.com or RioTintoStadium@RealSaltLake.com.

Media Interviews

Members of the media requesting an interview with Real Salt Lake or Rio Tinto Stadium players, coaches or administrators should make arrangements with the RSL/Rio Tinto Stadium Public Affairs office:

- Trey Fitz-Gerald—Director: (801) 856-8877 (cell)
- John Koluder—Asst. Director: (801) 918-5050 (cell)

Photography Requests

Real Salt Lake and Rio Tinto Stadium maintain a limited number of head and shoulder portraits of players, coaches and officers, as well as venue images. For action shots, please contact Melissa Majchrzak at (612) 205-4706 or at lissa363@yahoo.com. Getty Images serves as the Official Photographer for Major League Soccer. Media outlets can also download high-resolution photos at www.Gettyimages.com.

Transportation / Parking

All parking for **working media** will be located in Rio Tinto Stadium's West Lot, with passes distributed by RSL Media Relations. On event days, **no one** will gain access to this lot without a permit. Parking in this lot is extremely **limited**, and requests must be submitted **one week** prior to the event via RSLcommunications@RealSaltLake.com; cash lots are available near the stadium. **All Live TV Trucks Should Park In Their Designated Space Inside The South Loading Dock Area.**

Gameday Credentials Application / Pick-up

Credential applications for the 2010 Real Salt Lake season at Rio Tinto Stadium are available **online** at www.RealSaltLake.iwebreg.com. **Individual game** credential requests must be submitted via RSLcommunications@RealSaltLake.com ONE WEEK prior to event in order to ensure proper handling.

Beginning at 5:00 p.m. on each gameday, all Real Salt Lake media credentials will be available for pickup at the Media Services Will Call Window (West side box office).

Print, Radio, TV press and photographers should take one of two main West side elevators or the stairs to the Stadium's **fourth** floor. Photographers and field access ENG crew members are **required** to check-out photo bibs beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the Main Level **Media Room** on the ground floor. Bibs should be returned following game at the same location.

Event Seating / Access To Press Box

All media will access the Rio Tinto Stadium Press Box using the West Side Main Elevator bank and/or West Stairs. Seating charts will be posted in various locations directing media members to their assigned seats and booths. All credentialed members of the written press **Working On Deadline** will be assigned a seat in the Press Box; as per Real Salt Lake policy, RSVPs are **required**

for those desiring a seat in the Press Box 48 hours in advance of event. Auxiliary press seating will be located atop sections 23 and 24 in the NW corner for those NOT filing on deadline.

Pre-Game Media Access Policy

NO pre-game player interviews will be granted **without** a prior appointment via RSL Communications. Photo marshals and representatives from RSL Communications will sweep the field one hour prior to the game, removing those individuals without a photo bib or field access credentials. At this time, print media will also be advised to matriculate to the fourth floor Press Box or the auxiliary press area. Prior to the anthem, team photos and kickoff, photographers and ENG crews will be escorted behind the midfield touchline for pre-game ceremonies and player introductions.

Field Photographers

Prior to 1st & 2nd half kickoffs, photographers and ENG crews must decide from behind which goal they wish to shoot. If photographers or ENG crews wish to switch sides of the field, they can do so **ONLY** after the players exit the field at halftime from behind the east side fieldboards – **No West-side Access Allowed At Any Time.** Photographers and ENG crews will go to their selected endline spots immediately after team pictures & coin toss as instructed by the photo marshals. During the match, photographers have restricted freedom of movement. Because space around the perimeter of the field is limited, absolutely **NO** photographers will be allowed along the West sideline – including the bench area – during the match, nor is use of the players' field tunnel permitted **AT ANY TIME.**

ENG Crew Shooting Guidelines

ENG cameras are allowed to shoot game action from the field level, or from the EAST side camera baskets on the second level of Rio Tinto Stadium. By acceptance of RSL/Rio Tinto Stadium/MLS accreditation, ENG crews agree to abide by the accepted industry standards of film/video use for images they may obtain from the rights holder (i.e., use within a 72-hour window as part of regularly scheduled news or sports programming). No other rights are granted for any other broadcast or video applications.

Post-Game Media Access Procedures

On-field Post-Game Interviews Will Be Allowed with RSL team members for all local affiliates.

At approximately 9:10 p.m. MT, RSL **Head Coach Jason Kreis** will enter the Main Level Media Room. Following Coach Kreis' post-game interview session, the team locker rooms are accessible. All media members with a **BLUE** pass will have **Locker Room** access at the conclusion of Coach Jason Kreis' press conference. Access to locker rooms is through the main elevator bank.

Internet Access / Telephones

A secure, high-speed wireless network will be operational on both the 4th floor Press Level and the 1st floor Main Level media room at Rio Tinto Stadium during RSL events in order to assist media members in their filing and informational needs. Network name & passwords will be posted throughout all media areas.

Post-game Quotes

RSL Communications will send representatives into each locker room after the game to collect quotes from players and coaches. A post-game quote sheet will be distributed following the game on the fourth floor press level, and via e-mail.

Referee Pool Reporter

A pool reporter is assigned by the home team PR Director to represent the media with any necessary inquiries of the game officials. The MLS pool reporter must be identified and have his/her identity posted in the official's locker room 30 minutes prior to kickoff.



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2PM-6PM

2012 RIO TINTO STADIUM TICKETING GRID



REAL SALT LAKE

MARCH

SAT 10	@ LOS ANGELES GALAXY	8:30 PM	ABC4
SAT 17	NEW YORK RED BULLS	8:00 PM	ABC4
SAT 24	CD CHIVAS USA	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 31	@ PORTLAND TIMBERS	8:00 PM	ABC4

APRIL

WED 4	MONTREAL IMPACT	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 7	COLORADO RAPIDS	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 14	@ SPORTING KANSAS CITY	6:30 PM	ABC4
SAT 21	@ SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES	8:30 PM	CW30
WED 25	@ FC DALLAS	6:30 PM	CW30
SAT 28	TORONTO FC	7:00 PM	CW30

MAY

SAT 5	NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION	7:00 PM	CW30
WED 9	@ CHICAGO FIRE	6:30 PM	CW30
SAT 12	@ SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	8:00 PM	ABC4
SAT 26	FC DALLAS	7:00 PM	CW30

JUNE

SAT 16	@ CD CHIVAS USA	8:30 PM	ABC4
WED 20	LOS ANGELES GALAXY	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 23	SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 30	@ COLUMBUS CREW	6:00 PM	CW30

2012 SCHEDULE



JULY

WED 4	SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	8:00 PM	CW30
SAT 7	PORTLAND TIMBERS	7:00 PM	CW30
SAT 14	@ SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES	8:30 PM	ABC4
SAT 21	COLORADO RAPIDS	8:00 PM	CW30
FRI 27	VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC	7:00 PM	CW30

AUGUST

SAT 4	@ COLORADO RAPIDS	7:00 PM	ABC4
SAT 11	@ VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC	5:00 PM	ABC4
SAT 18	FC DALLAS	7:00 PM	ABC4
FRI 24	@ PHILADELPHIA UNION	5:30 PM	NBC NET

SEPTEMBER

SAT 1	D.C. UNITED	7:00 PM	CW30
THU 6	@ HOUSTON DYNAMO	6:30 PM	CW30
SAT 22	PORTLAND TIMBERS	6:00 PM	NBC NET
SAT 29	@ CD CHIVAS USA	8:30 PM	CW30

OCTOBER

SAT 6	@ LOS ANGELES GALAXY	7:00 PM	NBC NET
WED 17	@ SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	TBD	TBD
SAT 27	VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC	7:00 PM	CW30

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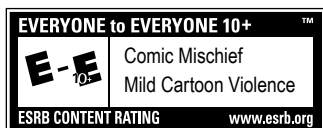


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