



# RENO 1868 FC

## 2019 MATCH NOTES



**RENO 1868 FC**  
(5-3-5) 20pts



**LA GALAXY II**  
(4-5-6) 18pts

**Match 14:** Saturday, June 15 | 7:15 p.m. PT | Greater Nevada Field | Reno, Nev.

Referee- Calin Radosav, Line 1- Michael A Kampmeier Line 2- Stephen McGonagle Fourth- Jamie Padilla

### MATCH INFORMATION VS LA (JUNE 15)

Live Video Stream..... Nevada Sports Net & ESPN+  
Series Record.....Reno leads 4-0-0  
Current Streak.....W4  
Last Reno win..... September 15, 2018 (1-0 at Reno)  
Last LA win..... N/A  
Reno home record .....3-0-3  
LA road record .....1-3-2

## USL CHAMPIONSHIP STANDINGS

### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Team	P	Record	Points	GD	Form
1. New Mexico United	15	6-2-7	25	+9	DWWDL
2. Phoenix Rising FC	13	6-2-5	23	+17	LWWWW
3. Portland Timbers 2	13	6-2-5	23	+8	LWDWD
4. El Paso Locomotive FC	13	6-2-5	23	+7	DWDWW
5. Fresno FC	13	5-2-6	21	+8	WWDLD
6. OKC Energy FC	15	5-4-6	21	0	LDWDD
7. Sacramento Republic FC	13	6-5-2	20	+1	WLLWW
<b>8. Reno 1868 FC</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5-3-5</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>+7</b>	<b>DWDWL</b>
9. Austin Bold FC	14	5-5-4	19	-1	DLLWD
10. Orange County SC	14	4-3-7	19	+3	DDDWD
<b>11. LA Galaxy II</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4-5-6</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-9</b>	<b>DDDDL</b>
12. Tulsa Roughnecks FC	14	4-5-5	17	-5	DDDLL
13. Rio Grande Valley FC	14	4-6-4	16	-2	LDWLL
14. Las Vegas Lights FC	14	4-6-4	16	-4	WLDLD
15. Real Monarchs SLC	13	4-6-3	15	-1	LDLLW
16. San Antonio FC	14	4-7-3	15	-4	DDLLW
17. Co. Springs Switchbacks FC	14	4-8-2	14	-7	LLLWW
18. Tacoma Defiance	16	2-11-3	9	-30	DDDLL

### SCHEDULE/RESULTS

#### MARCH

Sat. 9	Orange County SC	D, 2-2
Sat. 16	Austin Bold FC	W, 2-1
Sat. 23	@ Fresno FC	D, 1-1
Sat. 30	OKC Energy FC	D, 3-3

#### APRIL

Sat. 6	@ Real Monarchs SLC	L, 3-1
Sat. 13	@ Colorado Switchbacks FC	W, 0-2
Sat. 20	New Mexico United	W, 2-1
Sat. 27	@ El Paso Locomotive	L, 1-0

#### MAY

Wed. 4	Tulsa Roughnecks FC	D, 2-2
Sat. 11	@ Sacramento Republic FC	W, 1-4
Sat. 18	@ Tacoma Defiance	D, 1-1

#### JUNE

Sat. 1	Las Vegas Lights	W, 4-0
Sat. 8	@ San Antonio FC	L, 3-2
Sat. 15	LA Galaxy II	Greater Nevada Field
Tue. 18	Phoenix Rising FC	Greater Nevada Field
Wed. 26	@ Portland Timbers 2	Providence Park
Sat. 29	Sac. Republic FC	Greater Nevada Field

#### JULY

Wed. 3	Rio Grande Valley FC	Greater Nevada Field
Wed. 17	@ OKC Energy FC	Taft Stadium
Sat. 20	@ LA Galaxy II	Stubhub Center
Wed. 24	@ Orange County SC	OC Soccer Complex
Sat. 27	Co. Switchbacks FC	Greater Nevada Field

#### AUGUST

Sat. 3	@ Rio Grande Valley FC	H-E-B Park
Sat. 10	San Antonio FC	Greater Nevada Field
Fri. 16	@ Phoenix Rising FC	P.R. Soccer Complex
Sat. 31	Portland Timbers 2	Greater Nevada Field

#### SEPTEMBER

Sat. 7	Fresno FC	Greater Nevada Field
Tue. 10	Tacoma Defiance	Greater Nevada Field
Sun. 15	@ Austin Bold FC	Austin Bold FC Stadium
Fri. 20	@ New Mexico United	Isotopes Park
Sat. 28	Real Monarchs SLC	Greater Nevada Field

#### OCTOBER

Sat. 5	El Paso Locomotive	Greater Nevada Field
Sat. 12	@ Las Vegas Lights FC	Cashman Field
Sat. 19	@ Tulsa Roughnecks FC	ONEOK Field

Home games in **bold**  
All game times listed in PST

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# QUICK FACTS

## ABOUT RENO 1868 FC

Location ..... Reno, Nev.  
 Reno/Sparks Population ..... 425,417  
 Colors ..... Blue and Yellow  
 Stadium ..... Greater Nevada Field (9,013)  
 President ..... Eric Edelstein  
 General Manager ..... Doug Raftery  
 Front Office Phone ..... 775-334-7001  
 Ticket Office Phone ..... 775-334-7000  
 Website ..... Reno1868FC.com

## COACHING STAFF

Head Coach ..... Ian Russell  
 Alma Mater ..... Univ. of Washington '97  
 Record at Reno ..... 38-19-24 (Third year)  
 Playoff Record ..... 1-2 (Three appearances)  
 Assistant Coach ..... Casey Tate  
 Assistant Coach ..... Chris Malenab

## TEAM HISTORY

First season ..... 2017  
 2017 Record ..... 17-7-8  
 2018 Record ..... 16-7-11  
 All-Time Home Record ..... 21-8-11  
 All-Time Road Record ..... 18-11-13

## INJURY/SUSPENSION REPORT

N/A

## CLUB STREAKS (ALL-TIME)

Longest winning ..... **6** (8/5/17 - 9/9/17)  
 Current winning ..... N/A  
 Longest unbeaten ..... **16** (4/21/18 - 7/11/18)  
 Current unbeaten ..... N/A  
 Longest losing ..... **2** (4 times)  
 Current losing ..... **1** (6/8/19 - Present)  
 Longest winless ..... **6** (10/14/17 - 4/21/18)  
 Current winless ..... **1** (6/8/19 - Present)

## HOME SWEET HOME

Reno's opened up the season with a six-match undefeated streak at Greater Nevada Field. The team has three victories and three draws. Most recently, 1868 topped intra-state rival Las Vegas Lights FC 4-0 in a Silver State Cup match. The team will look to keep the home momentum, with four of their next five matches coming at Greater Nevada Field. Since the team's inaugural season in 2017, 1868 FC is 21-7-11 at home. The team's last home loss was August 25, 2018, and since then the Reno has gone 8-0-4. In their last 20 home matches, Reno's record is 12-2-6.

## GOOD HISTORY

Reno and LA have met four times before, with Reno winning all four. Reno 1868's goal differential of +14 [is its highest against any western conference opponent.] The differential includes Reno's dominant 9-0 victory in March of 2017. The offensive explosion, just the 15th match in 1868's inaugural season, still stands as the most goals in franchise history. LA has been shut out in two of the four matches, scoring just one goal apiece in the other two matches.

## BY THE NUMBERS

- #4** - Forward Brian Brown's USL rank in both goals scored (8) and assists (5). Brown is the only player in the top four of both lists
- 40** - Total shots on the season by Brown, second most in the USL.
- 81** - Crosses on the season by midfielder Seth Casiple, sixth in the USL.
- +7** - Reno's goal differential, tied for fourth in the western conference.
- 20** - Points on the season for Reno, good for eighth in the western conference. The total is five points back of conference-leading New Mexico United, and three points back of second-place Phoenix Rising FC. Phoenix comes to Reno on Tuesday.
- 8** - Matches this season in which Reno has outshot their opponent. Reno is 2-1-5 in those matches, and 3-2-0 when they do not.

## YOUNGSTER MAKING MOVES

15-year-old forward Cade Cowell notched his first USL goal last week in San Antonio. The youngster put the 1868 FC up 0-2 in the 16th minute after an errant pass by San Antonio in front of their own net. The goal came in Cowell's first start with 1868 FC.

## NATIONAL TEAM CALL-UP

1868 forward Brian Brown was recently called up to the Jamaican national team, and earned the start in last week's friendly victory over the United States. Brown netted a goal and an assist in his most recent game for Reno, the 4-0 drubbing of Las Vegas on June 1.

## 1868 WHEN...

Playing at <b>HOME</b>	3-0-3
Playing on the <b>ROAD</b>	2-3-2
Leading at halftime	2-1-1
Trailing at halftime	1-1-2
Tied at halftime	2-1-2

Reno scores first	3-1-3
Opponent scores first	2-2-2

Taking more shots	2-1-5
Opponent takes more shots	3-2-0
Total shots are even	0-0-0
Scoring 1 goal	0-1-2
Scoring 2 goals	3-1-2
Scoring 3+ goals	2-1-1

kicking off at/before 5 p.m.*	1-1-1
kicking off after 5 p.m.*	4-2-4

\*local time of competition

## Playing on...

Wednesday	0-0-1
Saturday	5-3-4

## Playing in the month of...

March	1-0-3
April	2-2-0
May	1-0-2
June	1-1-0
August	0-0-0
September	0-0-0
October	0-0-0

## 2019 STATISTICAL INFORMATION

### Individual Leaders

Goals .....	8.....	Brian Brown
Assists .....	5.....	Brian Brown
Shots .....	40.....	Brian Brown
SOG.....	17.....	Brian Brown
Saves .....	26.....	Matt Bersano

### Team Game Highs

Goals .....	4.....	Twice (5/11), (6/1)
Assists .....	4.....	@ Sacramento (5/11)
Shots .....	28.....	@ Tacoma Defiance (5/18)
SOG.....	9.....	@ Tacoma Defiance (5/18)

## Reno Set to Defend Home Pitch Against Los Angeles Galaxy II 1868 FC has started the year 3-0-3 at Greater Nevada Field

**Reno, Nev.** – After a road loss in San Antonio, Reno 1868 FC returns home to Greater Nevada Field this weekend to welcome LA Galaxy II to Northern Nevada. Reno leads the all-time series with LA 4-0-0, and has yet to lose a home match this season.

"The guys after a loss are practicing a bit testy, a little more physical," said head coach Ian Russell. "They're not sulking, they're not pouting, they're ready to go."

In San Antonio, Reno took a 2-1 lead into halftime thanks to goals from forwards Corey Herzog and Cade Cowell. The first goal, off Herzog's right foot, came just seven minutes into the match and raised his season total to six. In the 16th minute, fifteen-year-old Cowell pounced on an errant pass and fired the ball into the net for his first career USL Championship goal. The match was Cowell's first start with the team.

"We had a good chance to go up three, Raul Mendiola hit the crossbar," said Russell. "We had a good first half and felt good going into the second half."

LA is coming off of a 3-0 road loss to El Paso. The loss is their second straight scoreless match, and was their first defeat since a 3-0 loss to Fresno on May 12. The Galaxy II had tied their previous four matches.

On the season, Reno is 3-0-3 in the friendly confines of Greater Nevada field, and LA is 1-2-2 on the road. LA comes into Reno averaging fewer goals and shots per match than 1868 FC, and sports a -9 goal differential to Reno's +7.

"Typically they are a mix of some younger players along with the first team players that are coming down," said Russell. "Should be a good team coming."

Only two points separate the two teams in the USL Championship's Western Conference, as Los Angeles sits in the 11 spot with 18 points. Reno sits in eighth with 20 points on the season.

Saturday's action gets underway at 7:15 p.m. PT, with gates opening at 6:15 p.m. PT. The first 1,000 fans in attendance will receive an 1868 FC soccer ball, and the first fireworks show of the season will start after the match. Tickets are still available at [reno1868fc.com](http://reno1868fc.com) or the Greater Nevada Field ticket office.

## RENO 1868 FC PLAYERS ON THE USL TEAM OF THE WEEK

**Brian Brown** - Week 2 (POW)

**Duke Lacroix** - Week 7

**Corey Hertzog** - Week 9

**Corey Hertzog** - Week 10

**Seth Casiple** - Week 11

**Brian Brown** - Week 13

**Duke Lacroix** - Week 13

## HEAD-TO-HEAD

**LA**

**RENO**

### 2019 SHOT STATISTICS

Goals-Shots	22-193	26-214
Goals per game	1.47	2
Shot pct.	.114	.121
Shots on goal/attempts	63-193	71-214
Shots per game	12.9	16.5
Assists	15	21

### PENALTY KICKS

1-2

0-1

### PENALTIES

Yellow cards	28	18
Red cards	3	-

## WAYS TO ADDRESS THE CLUB

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# TECHNICAL STAFF



## IAN RUSSELL HEAD COACH

Russell played for the University of Washington and later started his professional career with the Seattle Sounders of the USL First Division in 1998 and 1999. Russell was drafted by the San Jose Earthquakes in 2000 and continued to play seven seasons in MLS. Six of those seasons came with the Earthquakes, where Russell helped the team win two MLS Cups in 2001 and 2003. In 2008, Russell returned to the Earthquakes as an assistant coach, a position he held for eight seasons. He helped lead the club to the postseason twice, while earning the Supporters' Shield for best regular season record (19-6-9) in 2012. Russell was also instrumental in the Quakes' international and collegiate scouting efforts, and briefly helped oversee the club's youth development as the academy's technical director. He served as the Earthquakes interim head coach for the final two games of the 2014 season and holds a U.S. Soccer Federation "A" coaching license.



## CASEY TATE ASSISTANT COACH

Tate joined the Reno 1868 FC staff in 2017 and served as an Assistant Coach under Head Coach Ian Russell for the inaugural season. He came to Reno 1868 from the University of Nevada where he spent 8 seasons as the Assistant Coach for the Wolf Pack Soccer program, being promoted to Head Coach Interim for the 2016 season. Tate helped lead the Pack to two postseason appearances and in 2016 posted the program's highest win total since its inaugural season in the Mountain West Conference. He has also been involved in the Reno/Tahoe youth soccer community for the past eight years and was the Director for several elite local clubs.



## CHRIS MALENAB ASSISTANT COACH

Malenab joined Reno 1868 FC in 2018 after spending four years as an assistant coach and video analyst at Sacramento Republic FC. During the 2014 inaugural season of the Sacramento Republic FC, Malenab served as an assistant coach to Predrag Radosavljević (Preki) during the club's championship campaign. From 2015 to 2017 Malenab served as video analyst for the Sacramento Republic FC under head coach Paul Buckle. Malenab started his coaching career coaching and serving as technical director at various youth clubs in the greater Sacramento area while coaching high school soccer. Along with his youth coaching experience, Malenab has served as an assistant coach at the college level, at Cosumnes River College (NJCAA), California State University Stanislaus (NCAA D-II) and San Joaquin Delta College (NJCAA).



## STEVE PATERA HEAD ATHLETIC TRAINER

### *Experience:*

#### **ATHLETIC TRAINER**

2011-12 Arizona Brewers

2013-14 Huntsville Stars AA

2015-16 Biloxi Shuckers AA

2017- Reno 1868 FC

#### **STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COORDINATOR**

2009-10 Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim





## ADAM PARR

### HEAD OF STRENGTH & CONDITIONING AND DATA ANALYTICS

Parr joins Reno 1868 FC with an extensive background in exercise science and strength and conditioning. He is currently pursuing a Master of High Performance Sport and holds a Bachelor's of Science degree in Kinesiology from San Diego State University, is recognized as a Certified Strength & Conditioning Specialist (CSCS), a Certified Sport Performance Coach (USAW), a Certified Functional Strength Coach (CFSC), a Certified Speed & Agility Coach (CSAC), a TRX-Qualified Trainer, and a member of the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA). Parr was a Strength and Conditioning Intern for Chivas from 2011-2012. He owns a private fitness facility in Beverly Hills called A Parr Fitness & Sport Performance.

## ROSTER

### #2 EMRAH KLIMENTA (D)



HEIGHT: 5'11"  
WEIGHT: 170 LBS  
DOB: 10/3/97

Klimenta, 28, signed with Reno 1868 FC early into the 2019 season. The defender joins Reno after a lengthy career with Sacramento Republic FC. Klimenta became Republic FC's all-time leader in minutes, appearances, and starts for the club. The defender had 102 total appearances, nine goals and five assists.

### #3 BENJAMIN GALINDO CRUZ (D)



HEIGHT: 6'2"  
WEIGHT: 187 LBS  
DOB: 3/10/99

Galindo Cruz, 19, joins Reno on loan from Chivas de Guadalajara. The forward made four appearances for the Mexican club in the 2018-2019 season and two in the previous season. He is the son of Benajmin Galindo who made 65 appearances and scored 28 goals for the Mexico national football team.

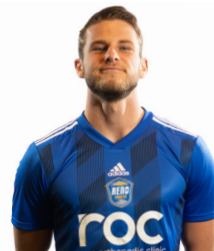
### #4 JIMMY OCKFORD (D)



HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 185 LBS  
DOB: 6/10/92

Ockford, 26, was selected by the Seattle Sounders in the second round of the 2014 MLS SuperDraft and spent his first professional season on loan with the New York Cosmos. He was signed by Reno 1868 FC in 2017 and led the club in minutes played (2,669) and scored four goals. Ockford helped Reno 1868 FC finish at the top of the league in goal differential (+36) and helped the club set the USL single-season goals record (75). He was signed to the San Jose Earthquakes for the 2018 season.

### #5 ZACH CARROLL (D)



HEIGHT: 6'4"  
WEIGHT: 185 LBS  
DOB: 3/16/94

Carroll, 24, returns to Reno 1868 FC after a standout 2018 season. The 6-foot-3 defender was the team captain for the 2018 season and had 30 appearances. He scored two goals and had two assists for the club. Carroll was named Reno's Defensive Player of the Year for 2018.

### #7 THOMMY THOMPSON (F)



HEIGHT: 5'7"  
WEIGHT: 159 LBS  
DOB: 8/15/95

Thompson, 23, was signed as San Jose's first Homegrown Player in 2014. The midfielder spent time with both the Earthquakes and Reno 1868 FC during the 2018 season. Thompson made six starts in 14 total appearances for the Earthquakes and made two starts for Reno 1868 FC.

### #6 THOMAS JANJIGIAN (D)



HEIGHT: 6'2"  
WEIGHT: 190 LBS  
DOB: 11/10/94

Janjigian, 24, returns for his third season with Reno 1868 FC. The 6-foot-4 defender made 20 appearances for the club in 2018 and four in 2017. He was called up to play for MLS affiliate San Jose Earthquakes in the 2017 U.S. Open Cup.

#### #8 WILL SEYMORE (M)



HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 180 LBS  
DOB: 2/29/92

Seymore, 24, returns to Reno 1868 FC after being loaned to the club from FC Cincinnati towards the end of the 2018 season. The midfielder made four starts and nine appearances for FC Cincinnati while recording one of the highest passing accuracies on the team (83 percent) and won half of his aerial duels. Before joining FC Cincinnati in 2017, Seymore played for Vancouver Whitecaps FC 2 for two years (2015-2017).

#### #9 DANNY MUSOVSKI (F)



HEIGHT: 6'0"  
WEIGHT: 159 LBS  
DOB: 11/30/95

Musovski, 23, was drafted by the San Jose Earthquakes in the second round of the 2018 MLS SuperDraft and then loaned to Reno 1868 FC for the 2018 season. The forward had five goals, 11 clearances and five interceptions in 17 game appearances last season.

#### #10 LINDO MFEKA (M)



HEIGHT: 5'5"  
WEIGHT: 155 LBS  
DOB: 3/30/94

Mfeka, 24, a returning midfielder for Reno 1868 FC helped score four goals in the 2018 season. The South American native, added three assists while boasting an 85 percent pass success rate in his 24 starts.

#### #11 DUKE LACROIX (D)



HEIGHT: 5'9"  
WEIGHT: 154 LBS  
DOB: 10/14/93

Lacroix, 25, a returning defender for Reno 1868 FC helped score one goal and five assists with an 82 percent pass success rate in the 2018 season. He added to his 2018 campaign with 35 clearances, 7 blocks, and 40 interceptions in 28 games.

#### #12 MATT BERSANO (GK)



HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 185 LBS  
DOB: 9/10/92

Bersano, 26, will spend time with Reno 1868 FC for the third season in a row. The Goalkeeper was signed to the San Jose Earthquakes in 2017 and spent back-to-back seasons with Reno. In 2017, he started 28 games and accumulated 2,520 minutes, making 73 saves and tallying nine clean sheets for Reno. In 2018, he made 11 starts for Reno and was selected to the USL Team of the Week in Week 30. He was named Reno 1868 FC's Goalkeeper of the Year in 2018.

#### #13 NATHAN AUNE (D)



HEIGHT: 6'4"  
WEIGHT: 185 LBS  
DOB: 10/27/96

Aune, 22, was drafted by the San Jose Earthquakes in the second round of the 2019 MLS SuperDraft. The defender was a four-year starter at Seattle University where he scored six goals and had one assist in his 80 appearances. His senior year he was named to the All-Western Athletic Conference First Team as well as the United Soccer Coaches All-West Region Second Team.

#### #14 ERIC CALVILLO (M)



HEIGHT: 5'7"  
WEIGHT: 138 LBS  
DOB: 9/10/92

Calvillo, 21, was signed to the San Jose Earthquakes for the 2018 season and spent time with both the San Jose Earthquakes and Reno 1868 FC in the 2018 season. He made 10 starts in 11 total appearances for Reno as well as two starts in three total appearances in MLS play. The midfielder scored one goal for Reno 1868 FC and was selected to the USL Team of the week during week 27 of the 2018 season.

#### #15 YOSIMAR HERNANDEZ (D)



HEIGHT: 5'9"  
WEIGHT: 150 LBS  
DOB: 09/14/97

Hernandez, 21, was signed to Reno at the beginning of the 2019 season. Hernandez was called up to the U.S U-15 National team in 2011. The defender spent four years on the UC Riverside Men's Soccer team and was one of six players in 2016 to see action in all of the team's 20 matches.

#### #16 BRENT RICHARDS (D)



HEIGHT: 5'10"  
WEIGHT: 167 LBS  
DOB: 5/20/90

Richards, 28, a returning defender for Reno 1868 FC boasted 122 clearances, 16 blocks, and 73 interceptions in the 2018 season. He added to a stellar defensive season with four assists and a 73 percent pass success rate in 33 games.

#### #17 AIDAN APODACA (F)



HEIGHT: 5'9"  
WEIGHT: 170 LBS  
DOB: 05/24/1996

Apodaca, 22, was signed to Reno 1868 FC at the beginning of the 2019 season. The forward was selected 55th overall in the 2018 MLS SuperDraft by the Philadelphia Union. He later signed with the club's USL affiliate, Bethlehem Steel FC, where he spent the 2018 season. He had 17 appearances for the club, scored two goals and had two assists.

#### #18 JT MARCINKOWSKI (GK)



HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 182  
DOB: 05/09/1997

Marcinkowski, 21, will spend time with Reno 1868 FC for the second season in a row. Signed to the San Jose Earthquakes as a Homegrown Player in 2017, the goalkeeper spent time with both the Earthquakes and Reno in 2018. Marcinkowski started five times for San Jose and 24 for Reno. Marcinkowski was selected to USL's Team of the Week in week two of the 2018 season and was named Reno 1868 FC's Rookie of the Year in 2018.

#### #19 KEVIN PARTIDA (M)



HEIGHT: 5'8"  
WEIGHT: 150 LBS  
DOB: 03/10/1995

Partida, 24, was selected 58th overall by the San Jose Earthquakes in the 2018 MLS Superdraft and was signed by Reno 1868 FC in March of that same year. The midfielder made nine starts in 10 appearances scoring one goal for Reno 1868 FC. He had four starts for the San Jose Earthquakes and was signed on a season-long loan to San Jose in June of 2018.

#### #20 MARKY HERNANDEZ (M)



HEIGHT: 5'5"  
WEIGHT: 145 LBS  
DOB: 08/07/1996

Hernandez, 22, was signed to Reno 1868 FC at the beginning of the 2019 season. The midfielder spent two years at Golden West Junior College and then played his junior and senior years at Cal State Fullerton. In his two seasons with the Titans he appeared in 40 games, had four goals, and four assists.

#### #21 COREY HERTZOG (F)



HEIGHT: 6'0"  
WEIGHT: 172 LBS  
DOB: 8/01/90

Hertzog, 28, was signed to Reno 1868 FC in 2019. The forward formerly played for Saint Louis FC and boasts 45 goals and 12 assists in the 120 career appearances of his USL career. In 2018, he recorded four goals and three assists in 26 appearances. He added to his career with 12 appearances in the MLS for the Vancouver Whitecaps where he recorded one goal and had one assist.

#### #22 SIAD HAJI (M)



HEIGHT: 5'8"  
WEIGHT: 150 LBS  
DOB: 12/1/99

Haji, 19, was selected by the San Jose Earthquakes with the number 2 overall pick in the first round of the 2019 MLS SuperDraft. Haji was signed to the club as a Generation Adidas player. The midfielder spent his freshman year of college at New England College where he had nine goals in 14 games. He then spent the 2017 and 2018 seasons at Virginia Commonwealth University where he notched two goals and eight assists in 17 appearances in 2017. The midfielder made 18 starts from 18 appearances scoring five

#### #23 SAM GLEADLE (M)



HEIGHT: 5'10"  
WEIGHT: 155 LBS  
DOB: 3/20/96

Gleadle, 22, returns to Reno 1868 FC after two non-USL appearances in the 2018 season. Before signing with Reno 1868 FC, Gleadle spent time with USL League 2 (formerly USL PDL) club Albuquerque Sol FC after graduating from the University of New Mexico, where he was four-year starter.



## #24 GILBERT FUENTES (M)



HEIGHT: 5'6"  
WEIGHT: 146 LBS  
DOB: 2/21/02

Fuentes, 17, signed as a homegrown player in 2018 for the San Jose Earthquakes. The young midfielder made his MLS debut on October 21st against the Colorado Rapids, going in as a substitute in the 89th minute. During the 2018 season, Fuentes made four appearances for Reno 1868 FC.

## #25 DAMION LEWIS (GK)



HEIGHT: 6' 5"  
WEIGHT: 177LBS  
DOB: 1/03/1995

Lewis, 23, signed to Reno at the beginning of the 2019 season. He joins Reno after playing two seasons at Chico State. In 2018 he made 61 saves for the program. Lewis saw First Team All-CCAA honors and was the conference's Defensive Player of the Year in 2017. Prior to his career at Chico State, the goalkeeper played two seasons in the Cal State Northridge program.

## #26 FRANCOIS AFFOLTER (D)



HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 168 LBS  
DOB: 3/13/91

Affolter, 28, joined the San Jose Earthquakes in 2017 after three seasons with FC Luzern of the Swiss Super League where he made 116 appearances. The native-born Swiss defender scored four goals and one assist to help Luzern to the semi finals in the Swiss Cup in 3 out of 4 years. Affolter has started 13 games for San Jose in 15 total appearances.

## #27 JACSON YUEILL (M)



HEIGHT: 5'10"  
WEIGHT: 159 LBS  
DOB: 3/19/97

Yuell, 22, was selected 6th overall by the San Jose Earthquakes in the first round of the 2017 MLS SuperDraft. Yuell was signed as a Generation Adidas player and played 13 games in his first year with San Jose. The midfielder also spent time with Reno 1868 FC where he appeared in six matches.

## #28 MARCOS LOPEZ (D)



HEIGHT: 5'9"  
WEIGHT: 148 LBS  
DOB: 11/23/99

Lopez, 19, signed with San Jose from Sporting Cristal Lima in Peru where he was a regular starter for the 2017-18 season. The Peruvian defender conceded seven less goals than any other team while adding five goals in 21 starts. Lopez was the youngest starter in all four group-stage matches for Peru at the 2017 South American U-20 Championship.

## #29 JACOB AKANYIRIGE (D)



HEIGHT: 5'11"  
WEIGHT: 174 LBS  
DOB: 12/31/01

Akanyirige, 17, was signed by the San Jose Earthquakes in 2018 as a homegrown player. The California-native defender was born in Pleasanton, CA and joined the Earthquakes U-15 squad. Akanyirige competed for the Earthquakes U-19 team in 2017-18 despite being age-eligible for the U-17 team. Akanyirige was the fourth homegrown player signing in San Jose's history.

## #30 AUSTIN GUERRERO (GK)



HEIGHT: 6'0"  
WEIGHT: 175 LBS  
DOB: 3/24/89

Guerrero, 29, signed with Reno 1868 FC at the beginning of the 2019 season. The goalkeeper was called up to the U.S. U-20 National Team Camp during the winter of 2008. The goalkeeper previously played for Portland Timbers U23s and then went on to play for multiple Liga MX clubs including Tigres UANL, Altamira FC, Puebla FC, and Liga Panamena de Futbol team FC Alianza. In 2018, Guerrero signed with USL team North Carolina FC where he appeared in one match.

## #33 PAUL MARIE (D)



HEIGHT: 5'8"  
WEIGHT: 146 LBS  
DOB: 3/24/95

Marie, 24, was selected 12th overall by the San Jose Earthquakes in the first round of the 2018 MLS SuperDraft. Marie spent time with Reno 1868 FC in 2018 where he made 16 starts in 18 appearances, scoring one goal and earning USL Team of the Week honors in week 18. Marie played in the Premier Development League for three seasons where he finished with 14 goals and four assists in 30 appearances.



#### #40 RAUL MENDIOLA (M)



Mendiola, 24, a new signing for the Reno 1868 FC formerly played for the LA Galaxy II and Las Vegas Lights. In the USL he recorded 18 goals and 17 assists in 85 appearances.

HEIGHT: 5'10"  
WEIGHT: 155 LBS  
DOB: 5/18/94

#### #84 SETH CASIPLE (M)



Casiple, 24, a returning midfielder for Reno 1868 FC scored four goals with three assists in the 2017 season. In his 28 appearances he recorded an 83 percent pass success rate.

HEIGHT: 5'9"  
WEIGHT: 165 LBS  
DOB: 8/23/93

#### #96 LUIS FELIPE (M)



Felipe, 23, signed with Reno 1868 FC in 2017 after he was called up to the U.S. U-20 National Team in January of 2014. In 2017, Felipe finished with five goals and three assists in 27 appearances. Felipe helped Reno 1868 FC tally a 17-7-8 record in their inaugural season, finish atop the league in goal differential (+36) and set the USL single-season goals scored (75). Felipe has recorded one assist in 13 appearances for San Jose.

HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 179 LBS  
DOB: 1/29/96

#### #97 SERGIO RIVAS (M)



Rivas, 21, was drafted 26th overall by the San Jose Earthquakes in the 2019 MLS SuperDraft. The midfielder spent four years at Seattle University where he made 85 appearances, scored 19 goals and notched 27 assists. Rivas also spent time with USL League Two club, Albuquerque Sol FC.

HEIGHT: 5'11"  
WEIGHT: 170 LBS  
DOB: 10/3/97

#### #99 BRIAN BROWN



Brown, 26, returns to Reno 1868 FC after a breakout 2018 season. The forward scored 17 goals which ranked top 5 in the USL. Combined with the three goals he scored in 2017, Brown became the all-time leading goal scorer for Reno.

HEIGHT: 5'11"  
WEIGHT: 165 LBS  
DOB: 12/29/92

#### #1 DOMINIK JAKUBEK (GK)



Jakubek joins the club after playing for Sacramento Republic FC from 2014-2016, making 47 total appearances for the club in USL Championship play.

HEIGHT: 6'1"  
WEIGHT: 195 LBS  
DOB: 9/01/79

# PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

- #1 Dominik Jukubek (Jah-koo-bek)
- #2 Emrah (Em-raw) Klimenta (Clih-men-tuh)
- #3 Benajmin Galindo (Guh-leen-doe) Cruz (Crews)
- #6 Thomas Janjigian (Jan-jig-e-an)
- #8 Will Seymore (See-more)
- #9 Danny Musovski (Muz-off-ski)
- #10 Lindo (Lin-dough) Mfeka (Ma-Feh-ka)
- #11 Duke LaCroix (La-Cwah)
- #21 Corey Hertzog (Hurts-og)
- #12 Matt Bersano (Bur-sahn-o)
- #13 Nathan Aune (Ah-nee)
- #15 Yosimar (Yo-see-mar) Hernandez
- #17 Aidan Apodaca (Ah-po-dah-kah)
- #18 JT Marcinkowski (Mar-sin-cow-ski)
- #22 Siad (Sigh-eed) Haji (Ha-jee)
- #23 Sam Gleadle (Glee-dull)
- #40 Raul Mendiola (Men-dee-oh-la)
- #84 Seth Casiple (Cuh-sip-plee)
- #97 Sergio Rivas (Ree-Vas)