



**Toyota Stadium (5,500) | April 22nd, 2017 | 8:30 PM ET**  
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**Charlotte Independence (0-1-2) vs. Saint Louis FC (3-1-1)**



The Charlotte Independence (0-1-2) travel to take on Saint Louis FC (3-1-1) this Saturday, April 22nd for the second away fixture of Charlotte's season. Kickoff is scheduled for 8:30 PM ET at Toyota Stadium in Fenton, Missouri.

The Independence are coming off a 1-1 draw to the Pittsburgh Riverhounds last Saturday night at Winthrop University. The Riverhounds jumped out to an early lead when forward **Kay Banjo** netted a 2nd minute goals on a tight angle. Minutes later, Independence midfielder **David Spies** was fouled in the 18-yard box resulting in a converted penalty kick for **Jorge Herrera**. The home point continued the Independence current streak of never being beaten by the Riverhounds.

With two games in hand, the Independence are at the bottom of the table on two points and the only USL Eastern Conference team without a win. The Independence now look to play five of their next seven games on the road, but hope to continue their 6-win, 7-draw experience from a year ago.

The Charlotte Independence and Saint Louis did not play one another in 2016 because of conference alignment, but Saint Louis holds a pair of wins over Charlotte in the all-time matchup between the clubs. The last meeting between the teams came on Saturday, September 12th 2015 at Saint Louis.

Saint Louis currently sits tied atop the table with ten point and three wins. Coming off a 4-0 away loss to FC Cincinnati, the Saint Louis side will look to revitalize their offense which features **Christian Volesky**, who is tied for fourth for league goals scored this season. The key stat in Saturday's game may be time of possession as both teams are top ten in passes completed.

## Statistical Snapshot

*2017 Stats	Charlotte	Saint Louis
<b>Leading Scorer(s)</b>	Jorge Herrera, Lewis Hilton (1)	Christian Volesky (3)
<b>Leading Assister(s)</b>	Alex Martinez (1)	Wesley Charpie (2)
<b>Goals Per Game</b>	0.66	1.60
<b>Saves Per Game</b>	2.66	4.00
<b>Goals Against Average</b>	1.33	1.80
<b>Shots Per Game</b>	8.66	6.20
<b>Shots on Target Per Game</b>	3.00	3.00

## Broadcast Information

Antenna TV Network (OTA channel 18.2) will broadcast all 24 Saturday evening Independence home and away games throughout the 2017 season.

### Local Providers of Antenna Network:

Spectrum (Time Warner Cable) - Channel 1261  
Over the Air – Channel 18.2  
Charter - Channel 199  
Comporium - Channel 117  
Fibrant (Salisbury, NC) - Channel 44  
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Skyline/Skybest - Channel 262  
Truvista - Channel 82

All games are streamed live on the USL's youtube channel, and on the USL.com's game center.

## **Game 3 Storylines**

### **Battle For The Ball**

In Saint Louis' five games thus far, the team has possessed the ball for more time in three games, ranks 5th in the USL in passes completed, and is averaging 56.74% possession per game. The Charlotte Independence have the second-highest passing accuracy percentage (84), has out-possessed their opponent in all three games, and is averaging 71.07% possession per game.

### **Finding Consistency**

Through the first three games of the season, the Independence have started three combinations of center back pairings; game one - Kalungi, Duckett | game two - Kalungi, Waechter | game three - Duckett, Waechter. Henry Kalungi has been hampered by a groin injury and Bilal Duckett was pulled from the season opener with an ankle injury. Coach Jeffries started the Kalungi-Duckett center back pairing for all but four games last season.

### **Road Warriors**

The next five of seven games for the Independence will be on the road. Three of the five games will be against teams that are currently in playoff position. The Independence boasted a 6-2-7 road record last season.

### **Unknown Opponent**

Saturday's game will be the third time the two teams have squared off in the history of the clubs. Saint Louis FC competed in the USL Western Conference last season, meaning the two teams would not appear on the other's schedule.

### **Rookie Regime**

In the first three games of the USL season, Charlotte started two rookies in midfielder, Callum Ross twice and defender, Luke Waechter three times. Ross helped Wingate University win the 2016 DII NCAA Men's National Championship and Waechter was named Conference USA Defender of the Year in 2016.

### **Colorado Connection**

This offseason, the Charlotte Independence renewed their affiliation with the MLS' Colorado Rapids. Current loaned Rapids players include; Goalkeeper Goalkeeper Cody Mizell and Defender Dennis Castillo.

### **Mile Marker 25**

The next win Independence Head Coach Mike Jeffries records will be his 25th regular season USL victory.

## **Injury Report**

Henry Kalungi (groin) - Questionable

Kyle Renfro (knee) - Out

## **Last Game's Starting XI**

Forwards: Yann Ekra

Midfielders: Alex Martinez, Jorge Herrera, David Spies, Lewis Hilton, Jun Marques Davidson

Defenders: Dennis Castillo, Bilal Duckett, Luke Waechter, Joel Johnson

Goalkeeper: Cody Mizell

## **Weekly Quotes**

Independence Head Coach Mike Jeffries

### **On tough road stretch upcoming...**

I do feel like the stretch we have has some very difficult venues and some teams that traditionally have had strong home campaigns. Yet, we've kind of come in from last year and taken more pride in our ability to get results and grind out results a little bit and get goals on the road. Hopefully we're able to continue that from last year.

### **On what has to happen for first clean sheet of the year....**

Cody has played well and it's hard to fault him on any of the goals. Organizationally, I thought there were times we could do better and we've gotten caught. If you look at the goals we've conceded, one is a set piece and the others are pretty good counter attack plays. We've got to be a little better when teams do counter and deal with the plays in the middle of the field and stopping the attack or slowing things down. If we can manage those types of things, I think we're in pretty good shape.

### **On three combinations of center back pairings for first three games....**

I think it's always difficult incorporating new people. Even preseason into the start of the season with various injuries, it does contribute. There's little doubt. It takes time for a defensive back four to become cohesive and get on the same page and to sort of know what each of the others are doing, without having to look and talk as much. That being said, I don't feel like we've given up a ton of chances and we've been in good shape defensively and we've done a good job. The key for us is making sure the whole group defends together and works together. When we do that, we're pretty good.

### **On facing Saint Louis....**

It's a different group than we played two seasons ago. They've turned over a lot from last year to this year. They're also different in how they play. They're going to be a little more possession oriented, a little more able to move the ball. They're going to be difficult in terms of their ability to press us and pressure us. Like many teams in the east, they're a talented squad. They're really good at getting numbers in the middle of the field, both when they have the ball and when they defend. We'll have to deal with that. We'll have to be organized and compressed in the middle to win a game that I think will be determined in the middle of the field - who's able to get a stamp on having the ball.

### **On parity within league games and Charlotte face a top opponent....**

It's so early in the season and we're all trying to find ourselves. Obviously, it's hugely beneficially for the teams that have gotten points out of early season games, which we haven't gotten as many as we want. We're three games in and still working to be better in a lot of different way. I think you saw from the weekend, Saint Louis going to Pittsburgh and winning a tight game and then losing by not necessarily a reflective scoreline, to Cincinnati. The east is going to be pretty competitive. I don't think there's a game that someone looks at and goes, 'This is impossible or this is easy.' Every week is going to be the same in terms of competitiveness. I don't think we look at Saint Louis and go, 'Wow, this is a game we have to sit in and say our prayers.' We feel we're able to compete with everybody in the group.

## Last Time They Met

The Charlotte Independence last faced Saint Louis FC on Saturday, September 12th 2015 at World Wide Technology Soccer Park in Fenton, Missouri. Saint Louis defeated Charlotte 2-0 off goals scored by James Musa and Jacob Bushue.

SCORING	1	2	FINAL
Charlotte Independence (10-7-10)	0	0	0
Saint Louis FC (7-11-9)	1	1	2

Box Score	Play by Play	Coach's View
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SCORING SUMMARY			
-- 1st --			
Saint Louis FC	28:45	Musa, James (2) (Gaul, Bryan)	shot from right side, rebound from 5 yar
-- 2nd --			
Saint Louis FC	53:42	Bushue, Jacob (1) (Doody, Patrick)	cross from left, header from 12 yards

Saint Louis FC						
#	PLAYER	POS	SH	SOG	G	A
0	Alec Kann *	gk	0	0	0	0
2	Richard Dixon *	d	0	0	0	0
3	Sam Fink *	d	0	0	0	0
5	Bryan Cieslulka		0	0	0	0
6	Parker Maher *	m	1	1	0	0
7	Jamiel Hardware *	f	0	0	0	0
8	Bryan Gaul *	m	2	0	0	1
9	Jermie Lynch *	f	2	0	0	0
10	Kentaro Takada		0	0	0	0
14	James Musa *	d	2	1	1	0
17	Jacob Bushue *	m	1	1	1	0
21	Chad Vandegriffe		0	0	0	0
22	Patrick Doody *	d	0	0	0	1
23	Jordan Roberts		2	0	0	0
24	Peter Kelly		0	0	0	0
27	Kingsley Bryce *	m	0	0	0	0
TOTALS			10	3	2	2
#	GOALIES	SOG	GA	SV	MIN	
0	Alec Kann (W, 7-11-9)	1	0	1	90:00	

Charlotte Independence						
#	PLAYER	POS	SH	SOG	G	A
2	Jerome, Mechack *	d	2	0	0	0
6	Ribeiro, Andrew		0	0	0	0
7	Metcalfe, Jack *	m	0	0	0	0
8	Calvert, Caleb		3	0	0	0
9	Finley, Ryan		1	0	0	0
10	Herrera, Jorge *	m	0	0	0	0
11	Thompson, Jack		0	0	0	0
12	Berner, John *	gk	0	0	0	0
14	Cox, Raphael *	d	0	0	0	0
15	Duckett, Bilal *	d	0	0	0	0
16	Jackson, Daniel *	m	0	0	0	0
17	Ati, Eric		0	0	0	0
20	Zahorski, Tomasz *	f	1	0	0	0
25	Kalungi, Henry *	d	0	0	0	0
36	Del Piccolo, Paolo *	m	1	1	0	0
57	Alvarez, Carlos *	m	0	0	0	0
TOTALS			9	1	0	0
#	GOALIES	SOG	GA	SV	MIN	
12	Berner, John (L, 10-7-10)	3	2	1	90:00	

### Charlotte's Records vs Saint Louis FC

All-Time Record: 0-0-2  
Home Record: 0-0-1  
Away Record: 0-0-1

## Charlotte Independence Head Coach



### Mike Jeffries

**Coaching Experience:** 24 years

**Independence:** 3rd Season

**Independence Record:** (27-19-20)

Jeffries was named the first Head Coach in Independence history on Dec. 5, 2014. In two seasons, he has led Charlotte to a USL playoff game, a 5th place regular season finish, and a Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup victory over the MLS side New England Revolution. Jeffries' squad missed the playoffs in the inaugural season by just one point.

Before making the move to the USL, Jeffries spent two seasons with the Des Moines Menace of the Premier Development League, where he had a combined regular-season record of 18-7-3. He was named the 2014 PDL Coach of the Year after guiding the Menace to the league's regular-season championship. The Menace collected its first postseason win in five years and built an 11-match unbeaten streak before falling in the PDL quarterfinals to eventual champion the Michigan Bucks. Jeffries also led the Menace to a combined 3-2 record in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup.

Jeffries, 54, is a former member of the U.S. Men's National Team and NCAA player of the year. Jeffries has ties to the game at the international and collegiate levels.

His first MLS gig was as an assistant to Bob Bradley during the Chicago Fire's first three seasons. The inaugural Fire team won the 1998 MLS Cup and U.S. Open Cup titles, repeating as Open Cup champion in 2000. Jeffries then served as head coach for the Dallas Burn (now FC Dallas) from 2001-03, reaching the MLS Playoffs in each of his first two seasons. He was nominated for MLS Coach of the Year in 2002. Jeffries spent the next four years coaching at the collegiate level, before returning to the Fire as an assistant coach from 2008-10, and as Director of Player Personnel from October 2010 through September 2011. He also served as a scout for the USMNT in the 2010 FIFA World Cup, assisting Bradley and his staff in South Africa.

The Bethesda, Md., native is a graduate of Duke University, where he earned the 1983 Hermann Trophy as a senior. Jeffries' junior season ended in an epic national title match, an eight-overtime 2-1 loss to Indiana. Between 1984-85, he earned three caps as a member of the USMNT. From 1984-88, Jeffries played professionally in the top U.S. indoor and outdoor leagues. In the final season of the original North American Soccer League he scored two goals in 10 matches for the 1984 Minnesota Strikers. Jeffries, the first pick of the 1983 Major Indoor Soccer League Draft, played for the reincarnated Minnesota Strikers from 1984-87 and for the Dallas Sidekicks in 1988 before a torn ACL ended his playing career.

The first stop in Jeffries' coaching career was with the New Orleans Riverboat Gamblers, a member of the former USL A-League. He served as an assistant coach from 1993-94 and as head coach from 1995-98.

### Coaching History

2014-	Charlotte Independence	Head Coach
2013-14	Des Moines Menace	Head Coach
2008-10	Chicago Fire	Assistant Coach
2006-07	Duke University	Assistant Coach
2005	University of the Incarnate Word	Head Coach
2004	Southern Methodist University	Assistant Coach
2001-03	Dallas Burn	Assistant Coach
1998-00	Chicago Fire	Assistant Coach
1995-98	New Orleans Riverboat Gamblers	Head Coach
1993-94	New Orleans Riverboat Gamblers	Assistant Coach

## Charlotte Independence Coaching Staff



**Troy Lesesne**  
Assistant Coach

Lesesne spent the 2014 season with the Vancouver Whitecaps, serving as an assistant coach and liaison with the Charleston Battery as part of their MLS/USL affiliation. The Battery finished the 2014 campaign fifth in the regular season standings, which clinched a playoff spot for the club. Prior to joining the Battery, Lesesne spent 10 years as an assistant coach at the College of Charleston (2005-14). During that time, he helped the program compile an 82-76-14 record, along with a Southern Conference regular season championship and second round NCAA Tournament appearance in 2010. He was named one of the top-20 assistant coaches in the nation by CollegeSoccerNews.com in 2011 and 2013, and also was selected to the inaugural NSCAA "Top 30 Under 30" coaches program in 2013. Lesesne holds both a USSF "A" coaching license and NSCAA Premier Diploma.

Following a successful collegiate career at the College of Charleston (2001-04), Lesesne was drafted by the Battery in 2005 and played professionally for two years before accepting his first coaching job. The West Columbia, S.C. native is married to Amanda Andrews Lesesne, who is a Charlotte native and grew up playing for the Charlotte Soccer Academy.



**Joel Tyson**  
Goalkeepers Coach

Assistant coach Joel Tyson begins his first season the Charlotte Independence. He comes to the team as the Goalkeepers coach for the University of Central Florida Golden Knights. Tyson brings seven years of coaching experience with stops at Wofford for four seasons and Hofstra University. The Irmo, South Carolina, native helped bring in a number of All-Southern Conference honorees including Connor Davis, Nestor Jaramillo, Matthew Aurednik, and Garrett Closs. Davis earned All-South Region selection. With Hofstra, he worked primarily with the goal keepers and assisted in all aspects of the program's day-to-day operations. In 2010, the team recorded nine shutouts with a 1.12 goals against average, while the Pride's goalkeepers blanked four opponents in his first campaign. For seven years, Tyson has served as the Director of Goalkeeping at the Ralph Lundy Soccer Academy. He also worked as the goalkeeper coach for the South Carolina Olympic Development Program (ODP), where he assisted Wofford head coach Ralph Polson. He has also worked independently with the goalkeepers for the Long Island Rough Riders of the Premier Development League (PDL). Tyson earned three soccer letters at Dutch Fork High School prior to attending Coker. He served as the goalkeeper coach at Dutch Fork for one season before joining the Hofstra program in 2009.

## 2017 USL Eastern Conference Table

Pos.	Team	Games Played	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts
1	Tampa Bay Rowdies	5	3	1	1	8	3	+5	10
2	Louisville City FC	4	3	1	0	6	2	+4	10
3	Saint Louis FC	5	3	1	1	8	9	-1	10
4	Charleston Battery	4	3	0	1	10	3	+7	9
5	FC Cincinnati	5	2	1	2	7	5	+2	7
6	New York Red Bulls II	5	2	1	2	9	8	+1	7
7	Harrisburg City Islanders	4	2	1	1	5	4	+1	7
8	Pittsburgh Riverhounds	5	1	2	2	7	8	-1	5
9	Orlando City B	6	1	2	3	7	10	-3	5
10	Rochester Rhinos	3	1	1	1	3	7	-4	4
11	Toronto FC II	4	1	1	2	2	7	-5	4
12	Bethlehem Steel FC	3	1	0	2	6	6	0	3
13	Ottawa Fury	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	3
14	Richmond Kickers	4	1	0	3	1	3	-2	3
15	Charlotte Independence	3	0	2	1	2	4	-2	2

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## 2017 Charlotte Independence Schedule and Results

Opponent	Venue	Date	Result
Charleston Battery	Transamerica Field	Saturday, April 1st	2-0 L
Orlando City B	Orlando City Stadium	Saturday, April 8th	1-1 D
Pittsburgh Riverhounds	Eagle Field	Saturday, April 15th	1-1 D
Saint Louis FC	Toyota Stadium	Saturday, April 22nd	
Rochester Rhinos	Capelli Sport Stadium	Saturday, April 29th	
New York Red Bulls II	Eagle Field	Thursday, May 11th	
Orlando City B	Orlando City Stadium	Saturday, May 27th	
Tampa Bay Rowdies	Eagle Field	Sunday, June 4th	
Louisville City FC	Louisville Slugger Field	Wednesday, June 7th	
FC Cincinnati	Nippert Stadium	Saturday, June 10th	
Harrisburg City Islanders	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, June 17th	
Richmond Kickers	City Stadium	Saturday, June 24th	
Rochester Rhinos	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, July 1st	
Pittsburgh Riverhounds	Highmark Stadium	Tuesday, July 4th	
Saint Louis FC	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, July 8th	
New York Red Bulls II	MSU Soccer Park	Saturday, July 15th	
Harrisburg City Islanders	FNB Field	Tuesday, July 18th	
Richmond Kickers	Sportsplex at Matthews	Wednesday, July 26th	
Bethlehem Steel FC	Goodman Stadium	Saturday, July 29th	
Louisville City FC	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, August 5th	
Toronto FC II	Ontario Soccer Centre	Wednesday, August 9th	
Ottawa Fury FC	TD Place Stadium	Saturday, August 12th	
Bethlehem Steel FC	Sportsplex at Matthews	Wednesday, August 16th	
Orlando City B	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, August 19th	
Toronto FC II	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, August 26th	
Richmond Kickers	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, Sept. 2nd	
Charleston Battery	MUSC Health Stadium	Saturday, Sept. 9th	
Ottawa Fury FC	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, Sept. 16th	
Tampa Bay Rowdies	Al Lang Stadium	Saturday, Sept. 23rd	
FC Cincinnati	Sportsplex at Matthews	Friday, Sept. 29th	
Louisville City FC	Louisville Slugger Field	Saturday, October 7th	
Charleston Battery	Sportsplex at Matthews	Saturday, October 14th	



### 2017 Charlotte Independence Numerical Roster

Number	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Nationality
1	Cody Mizell	GK	6'1	165	25	American
2	Zev Taublieb	M	5'7	145	23	American
3	Bilal Duckett	D	6'2	175	28	American
5	Callum Ross	M	6'2	175		English
6	Jun Marques-Davidson	M	6'1	185	33	Japanese
7	Yann Ekra	M/F	5'11	155	26	French
9	Casey Townsend	F	5'11	170	27	American
10	Jorge Herrera	M	5'9	150	36	Colombian
11	David Estrada	M	5'9	160	29	American
13	Austin Yearwood	D	6'0	170	22	American
14	Lewis Hilton	M	5'8	145	23	English
15	Luke Waechter	D	6'2	185		American
17	David Spies	M/F	5'9	160	22	German-American
18	Kyle Renfro	GK	6'1	185	25	American
19	Enzo Martinez	M	5'7	145	26	Uruguayan
21	Jared Odenbeck	D/M	6'2	175		American
22	Joel Johnson	D	5'11	174	24	Spanish
23	Alex Martinez	M	5'8	145	25	Uruguayan
25	Henry Kalungi	D	6'2	185	29	Ugandan
26	Dennis Castillo	D	5'10	160	23	Costa Rican
29	Jacob Bender	M	5'10	160		American
32	Jaime Sijaj	F	6'2	185	21	Spanish

## Player Bios



**BILAL DUCKETT**  
DEFENDER  
#3  
-Previous Clubs: Notre Dame, Rochester Rhinos, Vancouver FC, D.C. United  
-3rd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Atlanta, GA



**YANN EKRA**  
MIDFIELDER  
#7  
-Previous Clubs: Lyon, Hull City, Harrisburg City Islander, Panionios  
-2nd year w/ CLT



**JORGE HERRERA**  
FORWARD  
#10  
-Previous Clubs: Charlotte Eagles  
-3rd year w/ CLT  
-Bogota, Columbia



**HENRY KALUNGI**  
DEFENDER  
#25  
-Previous Clubs: Richmond Kickers, Winthrop University  
-3rd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Kampala, Uganda



**JOEL JOHNSON**  
DEFENDER  
#22  
-Previous Clubs: Liberian National Team, Valencia, Racing de Santander  
-2nd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Torrent, Spain



**AUSTIN YEARWOOD**  
DEFENDER  
#13  
-Previous Clubs: Charlotte Eagles, High Point University, Charlotte Soccer Academy  
-2nd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Charlotte, N.C.



**DAVID SPIES**  
FORWARD  
#17  
-Previous Clubs: FC Augsburg, FC Nurnberg  
-2nd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Herdecke, Germany



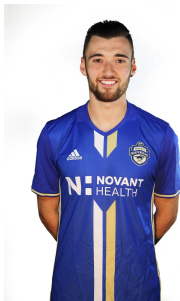
**DENNIS CASTILLO**  
DEFENDER  
#26 (Loan)  
-Previous Clubs: Colorado Rapids, VCU University  
-2nd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: San Jose, Costa Rica



**JACOB BENDER**  
MIDFIELDER  
#29  
-Previous Clubs: Messiah College  
-Rookie  
-Hometown: Baltimore, M.D.  
-D3 NCAA Player of the Year



**LEWIS HILTON**  
MIDFIELDER  
#14  
-Previous Clubs: Young Harris College, Ocala Stampede  
-2nd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Newquay, England



**CALLUM ROSS**  
MIDFIELDER  
#5  
-Previous Clubs: Wingate University  
-Rookie  
-Hometown: Newcastle, England  
-Won '16 D2 NCAA Soccer Championship



**JUN MARQUES DAVIDSON**  
MIDFIELDER  
#6  
-Previous Clubs: Carolina Railhawks, Vancouver Whitecaps  
-2nd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Tokyo, Japan



**ALEX MARTINEZ**  
MIDFIELDER  
#23  
-Previous Clubs: Sporting Kansas City, NC State  
-3rd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Montevideo, Spain



**ENZO MARTINEZ**  
FORWARD  
#19  
-Previous Clubs: Real Salt Lake, Carolina Railhawks  
-3rd year w/ CLT  
-Hometown: Montevideo



**JARED ODENBECK**  
MIDFIELDER  
#21  
-Previous Clubs: Wake Forest University, Charlotte Soccer Academy  
-Rookie  
-Hometown: Charlotte, N.C.



**LUKE WAECHTER**  
**DEFENDER**  
**#15**  
 -Previous Clubs:  
 UNC Charlotte  
 -Rookie  
 -Hometown: Evan,  
 G.A.  
 -'16 Conf. USA Def.  
 Player of the Year



**CASEY TOWNSEND**  
**FORWARD**  
**#9**  
 -Previous Clubs: FC  
 Cincinnati, TB  
 Rowdies, OKC  
 Energy, DC United,  
 Richmond Kickers  
 -1st year w/ CLT  
 -Hometown: Traverse  
 City, M.I.



**ZEV TAUBLIEB**  
**MIDFIELDER**  
**#2**  
 -Previous Clubs:  
 Wilmington  
 Hammerheads,  
 Sacramento  
 Republic  
 -1st year w/ CLT  
 -Hometown: New  
 York, N.Y.



**DAVID ESTRADA**  
**MIDFIELDER**  
**#11**  
 -Previous Clubs:  
 Seattle Sounders,  
 Sacramento Rep.,  
 OC Blues  
 -2nd year w/ CLT  
 -Hometown:  
 Morelia, Mexico



**CODY MIZELL**  
**KEEPER**  
**#1 (Loan)**  
 -Previous Clubs:  
 Colorado Rapids,  
 Clemson Univ'ity,  
 Atl. Silverbacks,  
 Knattspyrnufélagið  
 Fram (Iceland)  
 -2nd year w/ CLT  
 -Hometown:  
 Woodstock, G.A.



**KYLE RENFRO**  
**KEEPER**  
**#18**  
 -Previous Clubs:  
 Virginia Tech,  
 Charlotte Eagles,  
 Harrisburg City  
 Islanders  
 -2nd year w/ CLT  
 -Hometown:  
 Lynchburg, V.A.



**JAIME SIAJ**  
**FORWARD**  
**#32**  
 -Previous Clubs:  
 Charlotte Eagles,  
 Pfeiffer Univ., Real  
 Madrid Academy  
 -Rookie  
 -Hometown:  
 Madrid, Spain

## 2017 Individual Stats

Player Name	GP	Mins	G	A	Pts	Sh	SoG	F	PK	YC	RC
E. Martinez	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Herrera	3	164	1	0	2	2	2	5	1	1	0
D. Estrada	3	169	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
L. Hilton	3	211	1	0	2	1	1	3	0	0	0
J. Davidson	2	180	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
A. Martinez	3	270	0	1	1	6	2	4	0	0	0
H. Kalungi	2	180	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Y. Ekra	3	259	0	0	0	5	1	4	0	0	0
B. Duckett	2	166	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0
A. Yearwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Johnson	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0
D. Castillo	3	194	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0
L. Waechter	3	270	0	0	0	4	1	4	0	0	0
J. Odenbeck	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Ross	2	135	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	2	0
Z. Taublieb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Spies	3	101	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
C. Townsend	3	120	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
J. Bender	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Siaj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goal Keepers	GP	Mins	GA	SV	SF	SV%	GAA				
K. Renfro	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00				
C. Mizell	3	270	4	8	12	66.7%	1.33				

## 2016 Individual Stats

Player Name	GP	Mins	G	A	Pts	Sh	SoG	F	PK	YC	RC
E. Martinez	28	2073	9	5	23	70	26	32		6	0
B. Brown	27	2177	9	5	23	71	29	36		4	1
J. Herrera	30	1109	7	2	16	23	15	20		3	0
D. Estrada	30	2203	6	2	14	30	12	19		1	0
C. Calvert	21	1616	6	2	14	48	29	25		1	0
L. Hilton	27	1186	3	4	10	22	13	8		1	0
P. Slogic	27	2399	3	2	8	17	8	15		6	0
J. Davidson	29	2353	2	0	4	11	5	15		2	0
A. Martinez	14	604	1	1	3	14	5	9		3	0
N. Ochoa	14	102	1	0	2	5	2	2		0	0
A. Hassan	10	142	1	2	4	6	4	0		1	0
H. Kalungi	27	2279	0	0	0	4	1	12		3	0
Y. Ekra	20	1301	0	1	1	15	2	30		3	0
J. Metcalf	21	641	0	0	0	2	0	6		2	0
A. Bartlett	6	183	0	0	0	0	0	1		0	0
C. Hellmann	8	139	0	1	1	3	0	5		0	0
E. Appiah	2	24	0	0	0	0	0	1		0	0
B. Duckett	29	2577	0	2	2	4	2	19		6	0
A. Yearwood	3	98	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
J. Johnson	25	2097	0	1	1	11	3	21		4	0
A. Kryst	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Z. Pfeffer	16	546	0	0	0	16	6	8		1	0
D. Castillo	2	162	0	1	1	1	0	3		1	0
P. Clowes	15	492	0	0	0	3	0	5		2	0
J. Greenspan	6	288	0	0	0	1	1	2		1	0
Goal Keepers	GP	Mins	GA	SV	SV%	GAA					
J. Berner	20	1782	19	51	.729	0.96					
C. Mizell	10	900	10	35	.778	1.00					

## The Last Time...

	Team/Player	Date
Shutout For	@Richmond Kickers (GK John Berner)	Wed, Sep 14th, 2016
Shutout Against	Vs. Charleston Battery (GK Alex Tambakis)	Sat, Apr 1st, 2017
2 Goals Same Game For	Vs. Pittsburgh Riverhounds (David Estrada)	Sat, Sep 10th, 2016
3 Goals Same Game For	Never	N/A
2 Goals Same Game Against	@ Richmond Kickers (F, George Davis IV)	Sat, Apr 18th, 2015
3 Goals Same Game Against	@ Richmond Kickers (F, George Davis IV)	Sat, Apr 18th, 2015
Earliest Goal For	3:50, Vs. Orlando City B(D, Patrick Slogic)	Wed, Aug 17th, 2016
Earliest Goal Against	2:12, @ Richmond Kickers (Jason Yeisley)	Sun, June 7th, 2015
Own Goal For	Never	N/A
Own Goal Against	@ Louisville City FC	Sat, Sep 24, 2016
Lost by ≥2 Goals	Vs. Charleston Battery	Sat, Apr 1st, 2017
Lost by ≥3 Goals	@ North Carolina FC (US Open Cup)	Wed, June 1st, 2016
Lost by ≥4 Goals	@ North Carolina FC (US Open Cup)	Wed, June 1st, 2016
Won by ≥2 Goals	Vs. Pittsburgh Riverhounds	Sat, Sep 10th, 2016
Won by ≥3 Goals	Vs. Pittsburgh Riverhounds	Sat, Sep 10th, 2016
Won by ≥4 Goals	Vs. Pittsburgh Riverhounds	Sat, Sep 10th, 2016
Overtime Game	@ North Carolina FC (US Open Cup)	Wed, June 1st, 2016

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## Pronunciation Guide

**Assistant Coach Troy Lesesne:** La-SANE

- 1**     **Cody Mizell:** MY-zell
- 2**     **Zev Taublieb:** Ta-OUB-leeB
- 3**     **Bilal Duckett:** Bah-LAL
- 5**     **Callum Ross:** CAL-um
- 7**     **Yann Ekra:** ECK-rah
- 15**    **Luke Waechter:** Wek-TER
- 17**    **David Spies:** SpEEZ
- 22**    **Joel Johnson:** Joe-ELLE
- 25**    **Henry Kalungi:** Cah-LOON-gee (rhymes with bumblebee)
- 26**    **Dennis Castillo:** Ca-STEE-o
- 32**    **Jaime Siaj:** HI-may SEE-ähge

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