

Fort Lauderdale Strikers GAME NOTES



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NASL Match 3

Date: Saturday, April 21, 2012

Kickoff: 8:30 PM EST

Venue: Heroes Stadium • San Antonio, TX

Webcast: www.strikers.com/live

Fort Lauderdale Strikers Roster

Head Coach: Daryl Shore

1	David Martin	GK	6-0	175	02/03/1988	Timnath, CO	Atlanta Silverbacks Reserves
2	Alfonso Motagalvan	M	5-11	170	02/11/1987	Santa Rosa, CA	Rochester Rhinos
3	Scott Lorenz	D	6-0	173	07/23/1987	Barrington, IL	Sporting Kansas City
5	Toni Stahl	D	6-3	180	05/11/1985	Tuusula, Finland	Philadelphia Union
6	Nickardo Blake	D	6-1	167	11/26/1989	Lauderhill, FL	UConn
7	Patrick Otte	M	5-8	170	10/22/1991	Thousand Oaks, CA	Ventura County Fusion
8	Pecka	M	5-7	152	05/02/1989	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Flamengo
9	Abe Thompson	F	6-0	180	01/12/1982	Fairfax Station, VA	Houston Dynamo
10	Walter Restrepo	M	5-8	169	06/21/1988	San Diego, CA	Boyaca Chico
11	Leopoldo Morales	F	5-9	135	03/06/1990	Livermore, CA	Tigres
12	Emilio Orozco	D	5-10	155	04/29/1992	Oxnard, CA	Tigres
13	Jack Stewart	D	6-2	190	05/23/1983	Torrance, CA	Minnesota Stars FC
14	Abel Gebor	M	5-9	170	08/27/1990	Lauderdale Lakes, FL	FTL Schulz Academy
15	Aly Hassan	F	6-3	184	05/15/1989	Weston, FL	Nova Southeastern
16	Lance Laing	D	6-0	185	02/28/1988	Trelawny, Jamaica	Village United
17	Conor Shanosky	D/M	6-4	185	12/13/1991	Sterling, VA	D.C. United
18	Yoximar Granado	M	5-7	160	03/31/1992	Cali, Colombia	CDEF Carlos Sarmiento Lora
19	Halili Nagime	F	5-10	157	03/15/1993	Resplendor, Brazil	Auckland City FC
20	Mark Anderson	M	5-10	167	02/13/1989	Durham, England	Barry University
21	Darnell King	F	5-8	155	09/23/1990	Tampa, FL	Florida Atlantic
22	Lionel Brown	GK	6-0	183	09/17/1987	Miramar, FL	UConn
23	Hosman Ramos	M	5-5	145	08/26/1989	Miami, FL	Blue Star Honduras
24	Matt Glaeser	GK	6-5	183	04/27/1985	Fredricksburg, VA	Pallo-Irot
25	Nicolas Clavijo	D/M	5-7	140	01/12/1989	San Diego, CA	Atletico de Atenas
26	Andy Herron	F	5-9	160	03/02/1978	Limon, Costa Rica	Limon

San Antonio Scorpions Roster

Head Coach: Tim Hankinson

00	Craig Hill	GK	14	Euan Purcell	F
1	Daryl Sattler	GK	19	Ryan Cochrane	D
2	Fabian Kling	M/D	21	Walter Ramirez	M
3	Dominic Papa	D	22	Wesley Knight	D/M
4	Matt Gold	M	23	Javier Saavedra	M
5	Karsten Smith	D	25	Pat Hannigan	GK
6	Kevin Harmse	M			
7	Luis Linhares	M			
8	Jeff Jennings	M/D			
9	Pablo Campos	F			
10	Hans Denissen	F/M			
11	Blake Wagner	D			
12	Greg Janicki	D			

NASL Standings

Team	W	D	L	PTS
Puerto Rico	2	1	0	7
Fort Lauderdale	1	1	0	4
Tampa Bay	1	1	1	4
Carolina	0	3	0	3
Atlanta	0	2	0	2
Minnesota	0	2	0	2
Edmonton	0	1	2	1
San Antonio	0	1	0	1

Pronunciation Guide

Nickardo Blake	Ni-CAR-doh Blake
Abel Gebor	Abe-L Geh-Bor
Matt Glaeser	Matt Glay-zer
Yoximar Granado	Jo-see-mar Gran-ah-doh
Aly Hassan	Ah-lee Hah-Sahn
Andy Herron	Andy Heh-Roan
Lance Laing	Lance Lang
Alfonso Motagalvan	Alfonso MOH-ta-Gall-vahn
Halili Nagime	Ha-Lee-Lee Nah-gee-mee
Emilio Orozco	Eh-mee-lee-oh Oh-Ross-Ko
Patrick Otte	Patrick Otter
Pecka	Peck-uh
Hosman Ramos	Ose-mahn Rah-mos
Walter Restrepo	Walter Res-treh-poh
Conor Shanosky	Conor Shun-Oss-kee
Toni Stahl	Toe-nee Stall

Players to Watch

#24 • GK • Matt Glaeser - The Strikers' goalkeeper will have his work cut out for him, as the Scorpions will be looking to score their first ever goal in league play. The 6'5" keeper has yet to allow a goal in 180 minutes this season, a new record for a start to the season for the Strikers.

#26 • F • Andy Herron - Andy Herron carried the good form he showed in preseason into the regular season with a goal on his debut. The former Costa Rican international is looking to break the club's all-time scoring record of 18, achieved by Brazilian legend Romário in 2006.

#5 • D • Toni Ståhl - The Strikers captain has seemingly been everywhere for Fort Lauderdale's defense, which has yet to allow a goal this season. His play in the center defensive position is always a key to the Strikers' earning results.

Schedule & Results

SAT APRIL 7	EDMONTON	W 1-0
SAT APRIL 14	MINNESOTA	D 0-0
SAT APRIL 21	@ SAN ANTONIO	8:30 PM
WED APRIL 25	PUERTO RICO	7:30 PM
SAT APRIL 28	@ TAMPA BAY	7:30 PM
WED MAY 2	@ CAROLINA	7:00 PM
SAT MAY 12	@ PUERTO RICO	7:30 PM
SAT MAY 19	MINNESOTA	7:30 PM
SAT MAY 26	ATLANTA	7:30 PM
SAT JUNE 2	TAMPA BAY	7:30 PM
SUN JUNE 10	@ EDMONTON	4:05 PM
SAT JUNE 16	EDMONTON	7:30 PM
SAT JUNE 23	@ MINNESOTA	8:30 PM
SAT JUNE 30	CAROLINA	7:30 PM
WED JULY 4	@ TAMPA BAY	6:30 PM
SAT JULY 7	@ CAROLINA	7:00 PM
SAT JULY 14	SAN ANTONIO	7:30 PM
WED JULY 18	@ MINNESOTA	8:30 PM
SAT JULY 21	@ SAN ANTONIO	8:30 PM
SAT JULY 28	ATLANTA	7:30 PM
SAT AUG 4	@ ATLANTA	7:30 PM
SAT AUG 11	CAROLINA	7:30 PM
SAT AUG 18	@ PUERTO RICO	7:30 PM
SAT AUG 25	SAN ANTONIO	7:30 PM
SAT SEPT 1	TAMPA BAY	7:30 PM
SAT SEPT 8	PUERTO RICO	7:30 PM
SAT SEPT 15	@ ATLANTA	7:30 PM
SUN SEPT 23	@ EDMONTON	4:05 PM

Quick Facts

- Strikers have set a franchise record for scoreless streak to start a season (180 minutes Previous record was 97 minutes).
- This is the Strikers first meeting with the expansion Scorpions
- The Strikers are 2-2-2 in road openers in franchise history (1.00 goals per game average in those matches)
- Aly Hassan will be eligible after serving a 1 game suspension for a red card in the season opener against FC Edmonton

Fort Lauderdale Strikers Projected Starting XI (4-3-1-2):

Matt Glaeser (GK)

Nickardo Blake (D), Jack Stewart (D), Toni Ståhl (D)(c), Scott Lorenz (D)

Polo Morales (M), Conor Shanosky (M), Pecka(M)

Walter Restrepo (M)

Andy Herron (F), Aly Hassan (F)

Fort Lauderdale Strikers Projected Subs:

David Martin (GK), Emilio Orozco (D), Abel Gebor (M), Mark Anderson (F), Darnell King (F), Abe Thompson (F)

Out:

- Alfonso Motagalvan misses the match with an MCL sprain. The defensive midfielder who joined the Strikers during the offseason from the Rochester Rhinos will be out until at least May.

Next Match • 4/25 vs. Puerto Rico Islanders

The Fort Lauderdale Strikers return home for a midweek match vs. the rival Puerto Rico Islanders before heading to Tampa Bay for a clash with the reborn Rowdies on the 28th. "La Tropa Naranja" sit atop the NASL table early in the year with a 2-1-0 record to start the season. These two clubs met in the 2011 NASL Semifinals, with the Strikers advancing by an aggregate score of 5-2 in the two-leg affair.

Islanders F Jonathan Faña and GK Richard Martin swept the NASL Offensive and Defensive Player of the week awards for Week 2 thanks to their efforts in the Islanders 4-0 win in San Antonio.