



FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS vs MINNESOTA UNITED FC

Saturday, September 26, 2015 7:30 p.m. EDT kickoff

Lockhart Stadium; Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

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STRIKERS vs UNITED SERIES

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Color code: Green = Win, Yellow = Tie, Red = Loss

Denotes postseason

Last Meeting: June 13, 2015; 3-2 W at NSC Stadium

Series History (W-T-L): 5-5-9 (21 GF / 31 GA; -10 GD) In Fort Lauderdale: 2-3-1 (7 GF / 11 GA; -4 GD) In Minnesota: 3-2-6 (14 GF / 20 GA; -6 GD)

QUICK STRIKES

Location: Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Founded: 1977 / 2011 Colors: Red and Gold

League: North American Soccer League
Primary Owners: Paulo Cesso, Rafael Bertani,
Ricardo Geromel, Ronaldo

CEO: Sean Guerin
General Manager: Caio Zanardi
Head Coach: Günter Kronsteiner
Stadium: Lockhart Stadium

Capacity: 17,417

OFFICIALS

Referee: Mathieu Bordeau Assistant Referees: Brian Poeschel Jose Da Silva

Fourth Official: Matthew Jozaitis

2015 NASL FALL SEASON STANDINGS

Pos.	Team	PLD	W	D	L	GF	GA	+/-	PTS
1	Ottawa Fury FC	14	9	4	1	26	11	15	31
2	Minnesota United FC	14	7	5	2	27	18	9	26
3	New York Cosmos	14	6	5	3	19	17	2	23
4	FC Edmonton	14	6	4	4	19	12	7	22
5	Atlanta Silverbacks	13	6	3	5	19	18	1	21
6	FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	13	5	5	3	24	16	8	20
7	Tampa Bay Rowdies	13	4	2	7	15	21	-6	14
8	San Antonio Scorpions	13	3	4	6	20	24	-4	13
9	Carolina RailHawks	14	3	3	8	20	29	-9	12
10	Indy Eleven	14	3	3	8	14	27	-13	12
11	Jacksonville Armada FC	13	3	2	8	10	20	-10	11

SOCIAL MEDIA

Fort Lauderdale Strikers (FTL)

Website: <u>Strikers.com</u>

Facebook: Facebook.com/FTLStrikers

Twitter: @FTLStrikers
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Minnesota United FC (MNU)

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@MNUnitedFC



2015 NASL COMBINED STANDINGS

Pos.	Team	PLD	W	D	L	GF	GA	+/-	PTS
1	New York Cosmos	24	11	10	3	37	26	11	43
2	Ottawa Fury FC	24	11	9	4	31	19	12	42
3	Minnesota United FC	24	10	10	4	42	31	11	40
4	Tampa Bay Rowdies	23	9	6	8	30	30	0	33
5	FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	23	8	7	8	36	29	7	31
6	FC Edmonton	24	8	7	9	35	34	1	31
7	Atlanta Silverbacks	24	7	8	9	26	31	-5	29
8	Carolina RailHawks	24	6	8	10	35	39	-4	26
9	San Antonio Scorpions	23	6	7	10	31	39	-8	25
10	Indy Eleven	24	6	7	11	27	39	-12	25
11	Jacksonville Armada FC	23	6	5	12	25	38	-13	23

2015 NASL SPRING SEASON STANDINGS

Pos.	Team	PLD	W	D	L	GF	GA	+/-	PTS
1	New York Cosmos	10	5	5	0	18	9	9	20
2	Tampa Bay Rowdies	10	5	4	1	15	9	6	19
3	Carolina RailHawks	10	3	5	2	15	10	5	14
4	Minnesota United FC	10	3	5	2	15	13	2	14
5	Indy Eleven	10	3	4	3	13	12	1	13
6	Jacksonville Armada FC	10	3	3	4	15	18	-3	12
7	San Antonio Scorpions	10	3	3	4	11	15	-4	12
8	FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	10	3	2	5	12	13	-1	11
9	Ottawa Fury FC	10	2	5	3	5	8	-3	11
10	FC Edmonton	10	2	3	5	16	22	-6	9
11	Atlanta Silverbacks	10	1	5	4	7	13	-6	8

STRIKERS SPRING SEASON FORM GUIDE

4-4	4-11	4-19	4-25	5-2	5-16	5-23	5-30	6-6	6-13
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NYC	JAX	FCE	ОТТ	ATL	TBR	CAR	SAS	IND	MNU
0 - 1 L	2 - 1 W	2 - 3 L	3-1 W	0-0 T	0-1 L	0-1 L	1-1 T	1-2 L	3-2 W

2015 NASL STAT LEADERS

Goals	Assists
Stefano Pinho, FTL12	Georgi Hristov, TBR9
Omar Cummings, SAS10	Tiyi Shipalane, CAR8
Christian Ramirez, MNU9	Billy Forbes, SAS7
Nacho Novo, CAR8	Lance Laing, FCE7
Tomi Ameobi, FCE7	Sinisa Ubiparipovic, OTT7
Maicon Santos TBR7	Jamie Chavez, ATL7
Lance Laing, FCE7	Kalif Alhassan, MNU5
Leo Fernandes, NYC7	Kevin Venegas, MNU5
Rafael Castillo, SAS7	
Pedro Mendes, ATL7	





STRIKERS STORYLINES

NO LOVE LOST

Minnesota United FC have it out for Fort Lauderdale after the Red & Gold prevailed on penalty kicks after a thrilling 1-1 draw to reach the 2014 Championship Final at the expense of the Loons. Before the semifinal, United won the previous six meetings against Fort Lauderdale. The sides have met once since the semifinal, in the final match of the 2015 Spring Season. Under interim head coach Iván Guerrero, Fort Lauderdale claimed a 3-2 road victory. Saturday's match is the 20th meeting in the NASL Modern Era (including three postseason encounters). The clubs will meet once more in 2015, on October 10 in Minnesota, in what could prove to be a pivotal match as both sides contest a spot in The Championship.

NO LONGER STREAKING

Saturday's 2-0 loss to Ottawa Fury FC ended three different unbeaten streaks for Fort Lauderdale. Notably, the defeat ended a six game unbeaten streak (4-2-0 WLT) in the league that dated back to a 3-3 draw with the New York Cosmos on August 8. Fort Lauderdale's undefeated home record under coach Günter Kronsteiner in 2015 (3-3-0) also came to an end. After five previous meetings, it was also the first time in series history that Ottawa got the better of Fort Lauderdale.

WITHOUT A PC

The Red & Gold will be without the inspirational PC for the first time this season after his red card in Saturday's 2-0 defeat to Ottawa. His ejection resulted from yellow cards in the 64th and 72nd minutes of the match. Along with Frankie Sanfilippo, PC has started and played all 24 competitive fixtures for the Strikers in 2015 (23 league, one Open Cup).

HAITIAN SENSATION

James Marcelin was named to the North American Soccer League (NASL) Team of the Week for a third time in 2015 after his performances in Week 12 against Jacksonville Armada FC (Sept. 16) and Ottawa Fury FC (Sept. 19). The Haitian international midfielder scored the second goal in a 2-0 win versus Jacksonville last Wednesday and followed up with a spirited performance in Fort Lauderdale's 2-0 defeat to Ottawa on Saturday. A tough-tackling, holding midfielder by trade, Marcelin has added a more polished attacking side to his game in 2015, chipping in with two goals and three assists in 14 competitive matches (league and Open Cup).

GRAYE AREA

The club has played to a 4-2-1 (W-T-L) record since Jordan Graye first stepped in at center back on August 8. First filling in for the then-suspended Karsten Smith, Graye has cemented his spot at the back. Graye's status for the match vs United is unclear after he suffered a broken nose in the Striker's 2-0 defeat to Ottawa on September 19. Graye made just one previous appearance prior to the streak, a start at right back in the Strikers' 1-0 defeat to the Rowdies on May 16.

MUSICAL LINEUPS

For the first time in 2015, the Strikers fielded the same starting XI in consecutive matches when the side that defeated Jacksonville Armada FC on Wednesday night suited up against the Ottawa Fury on Saturday. The Red & Gold will be forced to make at least one change for the match against Minnesota, as PC is serving a one-match suspension. Jordan Graye is doubtful after suffering a broken nose in the loss to Fury FC.

THREE-ENFORCEMENTS

Fort Lauderdale's three signings during the NASL Fall Season are paying dividends. The team has played to a 5-2-3 (W-T-L) record since midfielder Gabriel Rodrigues dos Santos debuted in the starting lineup on July 25. Meanwhile, the team is 4-2-1 since Hendry Thomas joined the XI on August 8, and 3-1-1 since Jonathan Borrajo debuted on August 23.

CHASING THE GOLDEN BOOT

With more than two thirds of the 2015 NASL season complete, Stefano has the inside track to the Golden Boot, awarded annually to the NASL's top scorer. Despite failing to find the back of the net in his last three matches, Stefano has 12 goals on the season, leading San Antonio forward Omar Cummings by two. Stefano's dozen goals have come in 21 games played and 19 starts.

BRAZILIANS = VICTORY

In each of Fort Lauderdale's eight NASL wins this year, a player from Brazil has scored. The Brazilians that have entered the scoring column (in order of their first goal with the Strikers): Léo Moura; PC; Marlon Freitas; Stefano; Bruno. Additionally, Gabriel found the net in a draw.





STRIKERS STORYLINES (Continued)

ON OUR BEST BEHAVIOR

Fort Lauderdale has committed the fewest fouls of any of the 11 NASL teams. With just 221 fouls in 23 league matches, the Strikers have 51 fewer fouls than the next closest team, Minnesota United FC, who has committed 272 fouls in 24 NASL contests. Fort Lauderdale has been issued the fewest yellow cards, 30, which is four fewer than Atlanta. Conversely, Fort Lauderdale has received six red cards, tied for fourth most most in the NASL with the Carolina RailHawks. San Antonio has received the most reds with nine on the season, while the league's top three teams Minnesota United FC, Ottawa Fury FC and the New York Cosmos have received just one red card each in 2015.

CLOSING IN ON 50

Miami native Shawn Chin made his 48th appearance for the Strikers in the 2-0 defeat to Ottawa. He is currently 10th on the Strikers appearance leader chart in the modern era. Chin has played the second most games of active players (Guerrero has 71).

NEXT UP: SAN ANTONIO SCORPIONS

The Fort Lauderdale Strikers head to the Alamo City for a meeting with the San Antonio Scorpions at Toyota Field on Saturday, October 3. Kickoff is set for 8:30 p.m. ET (7:30 local). The sides played to a 1-1 draw in San Antonio on May 30, with Stefano Pinho scoring his first goal of a current league-leading 12.

WHO JOINED, WHEN

March 19, 2012 F Aly Alberto Hassan GK Lionel Brown
January 24, 2013 D Iván Guerrero
January 31 M Manny Gonzalez
April 1 D Stephane Guillaume
February. 6, 2014 M Shawn Chin
April 10 M Josh Travagli
July 7 M James Marcelin

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July 10 GK David Meves
July 31 M Walter Ramirez

December 4 M Chin is the first player to re-sign for 2015

January 9, 2015
 January 15
 D Jonathan Borrajo, trade with San Antonio Scorpions
 GK Meves, M Gonzalez, M Ramirez, and F Hassan re-sign

January 19 Head Coach Marcelo Neveleff

January 23
 January 26
 January 27
 January 27
 January 29
 M Dani Sánchez

February 3
 D Frankie Sanfilippo, M Evans Frimpong

February 10
February 11
February 11
February 12
February 13
March 3
Fose Angulo
Jordan Graye
Guerrero re-signs
Fabian Kling
M Marcelin returns

March 17 M Marlon Freitas, F Stefano Pinho (both on loan from Fluminense), and D Victor Giro "PC" (on loan from

Corinthians

March 18
 M Léo Moura joins from Flamengo

March 26March 30D Guillaume re-signsM Christian Blandon

April 3 GK Brown, M Travagli re-sign; D Daniel Navarro joins

April 23
 M PC signs permanent deal

May 13
 F Bruno Nunes

May 29 GK Josh Ford on loan from Orlando City

June 30 Head Coach Gunter Kronsteiner, Assistant Coach Raoul Voss, Goalkeepers Coach Ricardo Lopes

July 8 GK Ford on loan from Orlando City
July 23 M Gabriel Rodrigues dos Santos

Aug 7
 Aug 21
 M Hendry Thomas
 D Jonathan Borrajo





PROJECTED STARTING LINEUP

Fort Lauderdale Strikers (4-2-3-1)

GK Josh Ford Jonathan Borrajo 2 RB 42 CB James Marcelin 7 CB Frankie Sanfilippo (C) 6 LB Walter Ramirez 23 DM Manny Gonzalez DM 26 **Hendry Thomas** RW 10 Gabriel 5 AM Marlon Freitas LW Shawn Chin 17 CF 29 Stefano

INJURY REPORT

OUT: D Fabian Kling (back); GK Joe Nasco (broken fibula)

QUESTIONABLE: D Jordan Graye (broken nose); D Iván Guerrero (hamstring); D Daniel Navarro (groin)

SUSPENDED: M PC

LAST MATCH Saturday, September 19 Lockhart Stadium
NASL Fall Match 13 Fort Lauderdale Strikers 0 - 2 Ottawa Fury FC

Strikers Starting XI (4-2-3-1): Ford; Borrajo, Graye (Angulo 60), Sanfilippo, PC; Thomas, Marcelin; Gabriel (Chin 67), Freitas (Sánchez 77'), Ramirez;

Stefano

Unused Subs: Brown, Smith, Gonzalez, Bruno

Scoring

FTL- None

OTT- Hassan (Ubiparipovic) 52'; Ubiparipovic (Heinemann) 81'

Recap: The Fort Lauderdale Strikers six game unbeaten streak came to an end Saturday night in a 2-0 loss to the North American Soccer League (NASL) Fall Season leaders Ottawa Fury FC in front of 3,773 fans at Lockhart Stadium. Second-half strikes doomed Fort Lauderdale after a stout Fury defense blanked the hosts for the entire 90 minutes. The Strikers played a man short for the final 18 minutes of the match after PC was shown a second yellow card. While the Strikers had the better of possession in the first half, they were unable to capitalize. "I told them (players), if we can't score in the first half against this team, then it's going to be very tough for us," said Strikers Head Coach Günter Kronsteiner. "This is one of the best teams in the league right now." It was the third match for the Strikers in one week, and fatigue played a part in the second stanza of the loss. For the first time this year Fort Lauderdale fielded the same starting XI in consecutive matches. "For us, tiredness was an issue," Kronsteiner added. "Two games in one week is not really easy." Former Strikers forward Aly Alberto Hassan opened the scoring in the 52nd minute before Sinisa Ubiparipovic, who assisted on the opener, added an insurance goal for the visitors nine minutes from time. Goalkeeper Josh Ford kept the result at a minimum as he made a couple of good saves down the stretch as Fort Lauderdale threw numbers forward in search of a goal. The loss was the first for the Strikers in six matches against Ottawa. The sides played to a scoreless tie last Saturday. Fort Lauderdale slips to fifth place in the Combined Standings, with 31 points and an 8-7-8 (W-T-L) record. The Strikers will be at home for their third straight match next Saturday night against Minnesota United FC.

NEXT MATCH Saturday, October 3 - 7:30 p.m. EDT Lockhart Stadium
NASL Fall Match 15 Fort Lauderdale Strikers at San Antonio Scorpions



2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

NASL SPRING SEASON (All times Eastern)

APRIL		Strik	ers score listed first	Strikers Goalscorers (Assist)
	4	NEW YORK COSMOS	0-1 L	-
	11	JACKSONVILLE ARMADA FC	2-1 W	Moura (penalty); PC (Chin)
	19	at FC Edmonton	2-3 L	Sánchez (Freitas); Moura (unassisted)
	25	at Ottawa Fury FC	3-1 W	Angulo; Freitas (Stefano); Angulo
MAY		•		, , ,
	2	ATLANTA SILVERBACKS	0-0 T	-
	16	at Tampa Bay Rowdies	0-1 L	-
	23	CAROLINA RAILHAWKS	0-1 L	-
	30	at San Antonio Scorpions	1-1 T	Stefano (Marcelin)
JUNE				
	6	INDY ELEVEN	1-2 L	Stefano (Sánchez)
	13	at Minnesota United FC	3-2 W	Stefano (Marcelin); Angulo (Moura); Stefano
NASL	FALL S	SEASON		
JULY				
	8	at Carolina RailHawks	1-1 T	Stefano (PC)
	11	FC EDMONTON	1-1 T	Ramirez (penalty)
	18	ATLANTA SILVERBACKS	2-2 T	Freitas (PC); Ramirez (penalty)
	25	at Tampa Bay Rowdies	3-1 W	PC (Freitas); Bruno (Frimpong); Stefano (Bruno)
AUGUS				
	2	at New York Cosmos	0-2 L	- -
	5	at Atlanta Silverbacks	1-2 L	Ramirez
	8	NEW YORK COSMOS	3-3 T	Gabriel (penalty); Ramirez (penalty); Ramirez
	15	TAMPA BAY ROWDIES	2-1 W	Stefano (Gabriel); Marcelin
	23	at FC Edmonton	2-0 W	Stefano (penalty); Stefano (Chin)
	29	INDY ELEVEN	7-1 W	Stefano; PC (penalty); Freitas; Freitas (Thomas); Stefano; Stefano (Freitas); PC (Stefano)
SEPTE	MRFR			Stelano (Freitas), FC (Stelano)
OLI IL	12	at Ottawa Fury FC	0-0 T	
	16	JACKSONVILLE ARMADA FC	2-0 W	Freitas (Stefano); Marcelin (Sánchez)
	19	OTTAWA FURY FC	0-2 L	-
	26	MINNESOTA UNITED FC	7:30 p.m.	
ОСТОВ				
	3	at San Antonio Scorpions	8:30 p.m.	
	10	at Minnesota United FC	8:00 p.m.	
	17	CAROLINA RAILHAWKS	7:30 p.m.	
	21	SAN ANTONIO SCORPIONS	7:30 p.m.	
	24	at Indy Eleven	7:30 p.m.	
NOVEN	IBER	-	•	
	1	at Jacksonville Armada FC	4:00 p.m.	
ΙΔΜΛ	B HIIVI.	ΓU.S. OPEN CUP		
MAY	27	at Charleston Battery	2-3 L	Bruno (Sánchez); Sánchez (Marcelin)
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INTER	RNATIO	NAL FRIENDLIES		
JUNE	20	at Ponte Preta	0-4 L	
JULY	1	BOCA JUNIORS	0-3 L	





MINNESOTA UNITED FC ROSTER

#	Pos	First	Ht	Wt	D.O.B	Age	Pronunciation
1	GK	Mitchell Hildebrandt	6'1"	190	11/12/88	26	hill-DUH-brant
2	D	Justin Davis	6'0"	174	5/6/1988	26	
3	D	Cristiano Dias	6'2"	185	5/25/1986	28	kris-tee-AH-noh DEE-ess
4	D/M	Aaron Pitchkolan	6'2"	185	3/14/1983	32	pitch-KOH-len
5	D	Tiago Calvano	6'2"	180	5/19/1981	33	CHEE-ah-go
6	D	Brent Kallman	6'2"	190	10/4/1990	24	KAHL-man
7	D	Kevin Venegas	5'8"	150	7/29/1989	25	veh-NAY-gus
8	М	Ibson de Silva	5'8"	167	11/7/1983	31	EEB-son
9	F	Pablo Campos	6'3"	201	1/29/1983	32	pah-BLOH CAHM-pose
11	М	Kalif Alhassan	5'8"	161	10/15/1990	24	kah-LEEF ALL-ha-sahn
13	M	Jamie Watson	5'9"	154	4/10/1986	29	
14	D	Brian Kallman	6'0"	185	4/23/1984	30	KAHL-man
16	D	Tyler Polak	5'8"	150	5/13/92	22	POE-lock
17	M	Yago Silva	5'8"	150	4/28/94	21	Yah-go
18	М	Daniel Mendes	5'7"	152	1/18/1981	34	
19	М	Alejandro Vela	5'8"	159	3/28/1984	31	all-eh-HANDRO VEY-lah
20	М	Andrei Gotsmanov	5'8"	164	5/6/1986	29	Ahn-dre GOTs-man-off
21	F	Christian Ramirez	6'2"	187	4/4/1991	24	
23	М	Greg Jordan	6'0"	165	4/5/1990	25	
24	GK	Andrew Fontein	6'1"	190	3/3/1990	25	Fawn-TAYN
29	М	JC Banks	5'8"	160	8/24/1989	25	
33	GK	Sammy Ndjock	6'1"	190	2/25/1990	25	UN-jock
77	М	Juliano Vicentini	5'9"	154	8/26/81	33	JOO-lee-ah-no vee-sen-TCHEE-nee
99	M	Geison Moura	5'10"	163	7/16/1986	28	JAY-son MORE-uh





FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS ROSTER

Alphabetical

No.	Pos.	Name	Pronunciation	DoB (Age)	Ht. / Wt.	Hometown / Born (noted if different)
19	F	Jose Angulo	Ho-say Ann-goo-lo	1-13-88 (27)	5'11" - 180	Paterson, NJ / Colombia
20	M	Christian Blandon	Blan - dunn	10-2-92 (22)	6'0" - 170	Miami, FL / Colombia
2	D	Jonathan Borrajo	Borr - ah - ho	6-2-87 (28)	5'8"- 165	Clifton, New Jersey
22	GK	Lionel Brown		9-17-87 (28)	6'0" - 180	Margate, FL / Jamaica
17	M	Shawn Chin		5-11-89 (26)	5'7" - 150	Miami, FL
1	GK	Josh Ford		11-6-87 (27)	6'0" - 175	Liverpool, NY
5	M	Marlon Freitas	Free-tus	3-27-95 (20)	6'1" - 170	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
8	M	Evans Frimpong		8-8-89 (26)	5'7" - 140	Accra, Ghana
6	M	PC	Pee-see	3-10-94 (21)	5'8" - 155	São Paulo, Brazil
10	M	Gabriel		6-5-81 (34)	5'7" - 150	São Paulo, Brazil
23	M	Manny Gonzalez		6-3-90 (25)	5'6" - 150	Pompano, FL / Colombia
14	D	Jordan Graye		6-15-87 (28)	6'1" - 190	Washington D.C.
12	D	Iván Guerrero	E-vahn Guh-rare-o	11-30-77 (37)	5'7" - 150	Comayagua, Honduras
27	D	Fabian Kling	Fab-e-on	7-24-87 (28)	6'1" - 190	Augsburg, Germany
42	M	James Marcelin	Mar-suh-leen	6-13-86 (29)	6'2" - 175	Saint-Marc, Haiti
24	GK	David Meves	May-vis	7-20-90 (25)	6'2" - 200	Arlington Heights, IL
38	GK	Joe Nasco		6-18-84 (31)	6'3" - 210	Kissimmee, FL
25	D	Daniel Navarro	Nuh-var-o	8-22-91 (24)	6'1" - 180	Curitiba, Brazil / U.S.A.
90	F	Bruno Nunes	Noo - ness	7-8-90 (25)	6'1" - 190	Petrolina, Brazil
29	F	Stefano Pinho	Ste-fuh-no Peen-yo	1-12-91 (24)	6'0" - 170	Minas Gerais, Brazil
21	M	Walter Ramirez		11-7-83 (31)	5'9" - 150	La Ceiba, Honduras
11	M	Dani Sánchez		11-10-84 (30)	5'7" - 155	Málaga, Spain
7	D	Frankie Sanfilippo	San - fuh - lip - poh	9-8-81 (34)	5'8" - 165	San Diego, CA
3	D	Karsten Smith		11-13-88 (26)	6'3" - 185	Huntington Station, NY
26	М	Hendry Thomas	Hen - dree	2-23-85 (30)	5'11 - 175	La Ceiba, Honduras
16	M	Josh Travagli	Truh - vog - le	6-8-95 (20)	5'11" - 155	Ferrara, Italy

Numerical

1	GK	Josh Ford	12	D	Iván Guerrero	24	GK	David Meves
2	D	Jonathan Borrajo	14	D	Jordan Graye	25	D	Daniel Navarro
3	D	Karsten Smith	16	M	Josh Travagli	26	M	Hendry Thomas
5	M	Marlon Freitas	17	M	Shawn Chin	27	D	Fabian Kling
6	M	PC	19	F	Jose Angulo	29	F	Stefano Pinho
7	D	Frankie Sanfilippo	20	M	Christian Blandon	38	GK	Joe Nasco
8	M	Evans Frimpong	21	M	Walter Ramirez	42	M	James Marcelin
10	M	Gabriel	22	GK	Lionel Brown	90	F	Bruno Nunes
11	M	Dani Sánchez	23	М	Manny Gonzalez			

COACHING STAFF / TEAM INFORMATION

Günter Kronsteiner Head Coach
Raoul Voss Assistant Coach
Gustavo Alencar Assistant Coach
Ricardo Lopes Goalkeepers Coach

Typical Formation	4-2-3-1	Roster Nationalities (by country of birth)	
Roster Size	26	USA	9
Goalkeepers	4	Brazil	5
Defenders	7	Colombia	3
Midfielders	12	Honduras	3
Forwards	3	Haiti, Jamaica, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Spain	1

MEDIA CONTACTS



2015 NASL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

No.	Name	Mins.	GP	GS	G	Α	Y	R
1	Josh Ford	1,350	15	15	0	0	0	0
2	Jonathan Borrajo	450	5	5	0	0	0	0
3	Karsten Smith	720	8	8	0	0	1	1
5	Marlon Freitas	1,877	23	21	5	3	2	0
6	PC	2,013	23	23	4	2	5	1
7	Frankie Sanfilippo	2,065	23	23	0	0	1	0
8	Evans Frimpong	295	12	2	0	1	0	0
10	Léo Moura	796	9	9	2	1	2	0
10	Gabriel	776	10	10	1	1	2	0
11	Dani Sánchez	934	20	10	1	2	2	0
12	Iván Guerrero	1,565	18	18	0	0	0	0
13	Ryan Adeleye	93	2	2	0	0	1	0
14	Jordan Graye	690	8	8	0	0	0	0
15	Aly Alberto Hassan	112	4	1	0	0	1	0
16	Josh Travagli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Shawn Chin	985	18	11	0	2	1	0
18	Stephane Guillaume	32	1	0	0	0	0	0
19	Jose Angulo	581	14	5	3	0	1	1
20	Christian Blandon	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
21	Walter Ramirez	1,284	19	15	5	0	2	0
22	Lionel Brown	258	3	2	0	0	0	0
23	Manny Gonzalez	477	8	5	0	0	0	0
24	David Meves	450	5	5	0	0	0	0
25	Daniel Navarro	111	5	1	0	0	0	0
26	Hendry Thomas	611	7	7	0	1	2	0
27	Fabian Kling	1,223	14	14	0	0	2	0
29	Stefano Pinho	1,713	21	19	12	3	3	2
38	Joe Nasco	12	1	1	0	0	0	0
42	James Marcelin	1,131	13	12	2	2	2	1
90	Bruno Nunes	155	7	1	1	1	0	0

2015 INDIVIDUAL NASL STAT LEADERS*

Appearances	Minutes	Goals	Assists
Frankie Sanfilippo23	Frankie Sanfilippo2,065	Stefano Pinho12	Marlon Freitas3
PC23	PC2,013	Walter Ramirez5	Stefano Pinho2
Marlon Freitas23	Marlon Freitas1,877	Marlon Freitas5	PC2
Stefano Pinho21	Stefano Pinho1,713	PC4	James Marcelin2
Dani Sánchez20	Iván Guerrero1,565	Jose Angulo3	Shawn Chin2
			Dani Sánchez2

^{*} Includes NASL regular season and postseason (does not include Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup)

2014 INDIVIDUAL NASL STAT LEADERS

Appearances	Minutes	Goals	Assists
Iván Guerrero29	Iván Guerrero2,626	Fafà Picault12	Shawn Chin5
Shawn Chin28	Darnell King2,460	Mark Anderson6	Darnell King4
Darnell King27	Mark Anderson2,180	Martin Nuñez6	Mark Anderson3
Mark Anderson27	Rafael Alves2,135	Shawn Chin3	Iván Guerrero3
Rafael Alves24	Stefan Antonijevic2,120	Aly Alberto Hassan3	Fafà Picault2
Stefan Antonijevic24			Martin Nuñez2
Fafà Picault24			Marius Ebbers2

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2015 U.S. OPEN CUP INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

No.	Name	Mins.	GP	GS	G	Α	Υ	YY	R
6	PC	90	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
7	Frankie Sanfilippo	90	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
10	Léo Moura	90	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
11	Dani Sánchez	90	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
17	Shawn Chin	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Jose Angulo	33	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	Walter Ramirez	72	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
23	Manny Gonzalez	90	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
24	David Meves	90	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
25	Daniel Navarro	90	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
27	Fabian Kling	90	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
42	James Marcelin	90	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
90	Bruno Nunes	57	1	1	1	0	0	0	0

2015 INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS*

Appearances	Minutes	Goals	Assists
Frankie Sanfilippo24	Frankie Sanfilippo2,155	Stefano Pinho12	Marlon Freitas3
PC24	PC2,103	Walter Ramirez5	James Marcelin3
Marlon Freitas23	Marlon Freitas1,877	Marlon Freitas5	Dani Sánchez3
Stefano Pinho21	Stefano Pinho1,713	PC4	Stefano Pinho3
Dani Sánchez21	Iván Guerrero1,565	Jose Angulo3	Shawn Chin2
Walter Ramirez20	Walter Ramirez1,356	(Four players)2	PC2
	Josh Ford1,350	(One player)1	(Four players)1

^{*} Includes NASL regular season and Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup

STRIKERS NASL GOAL BREAKDOWN

	Go	Goals	Goals against		
Minute	Home	Away	Total	Minute	Total
0-15	3	1	4	0-15	1
16-30	4	2	6	16-30	5
31-45+	2	2	4	31-45+	5
46-60	3	2	5	46-60	5
61-75	3	2	5	61-75	5
76-90+	5	7	12	76-90+	8
Total	20	16	36	Total	29



STRIKERS INDIVIDUAL ALL-TIME STAT LEADERS*

Appearances		Goals	
1 - Darnell King (2012-14)	80	1 - Mark Anderson (2012-14)	22
2 - Toni Ståhl (2011-13)	73	2 - Martin Nuñez (2011, 13-14)	16
3 - Pecka (2011-14)	72	T3 - Stefano Pinho (2015-)	12
4 - Iván Guerrero (2013 -)	71	T3 - Aly Alberto Hassan (2012-15)	12
5 - Matt Glaeser (2011-13)	70	T3 - Fafà Picault (2014)	12
6 - Martin Nuñez (2011, 13-14)	69	T3 - Abe Thompson (2011-12)	12
7 - Mark Anderson (2012-14)	68	T7 - Walter Restrepo (2011-13)	11
8 - Walter Restrepo (2011-13)	56	T7 - Brian Shriver (2011)	11
9 - Aly Alberto Hassan (2012 -15)	51	9 - Andy Herron (2012-13)	8
10 - Shawn Chin (2014 -)	48	T10 - Darnell King (2012-14)	6
		T10 - Eduardo Coudet (2011)	6
		T10 - Walter Ramirez (2014-)	6

Current Strikers players in bold

2015 HONORS

NASL Player of the Month	Stefano Pinho (August)
NASL Player of the Week	PC (Spring, Week 2); Stefano Pinho (Fall, Week 8, 9)
	Léo Moura (Spring, Week 2); PC (Spring, Week 2; Fall, Week 4, 9); Marlon Freitas (Spring, Week 4; eek 4); Frankie Sanfilippo (Spring, Week 5; Fall, Week 4, 11); Stefano Pinho (Spring, Week 9, 11; Fall, 11); James Marcelin (Spring, Week 11; Fall, Week 7, 12); Walter Ramirez (Fall, Week 6); Jordan
NASL Play of the Week	PC (Spring, Week 2); Lionel Brown (Spring, Week 9); Stefano Pinho (Fall, Week 7, 9)

2015 NASL RECORD WHEN...

	W-T-L
Overall	8-7-8
Home	4-4-4
Road	4-3-4
Strikers Score First	.8-3-1
Opponent Scores First	.0-2-6
Leading at Half	6-1-0
Tied at Half	1-6-5
Trailing at Half	.1-0-2
Strikers Score No Goals	.0-2-5
Strikers Score 1 Goal	0-3-2
Strikers Score 2 Goals	.4-0-1
Strikers Score 3+ Goals	4-1-0
Opp. Score No Goals	.2-2-0
Opp. Score 1 Goal	.5-3-3
Opp. Score 2 Goals	.1-0-4
Opp. Score 3+ Goals	.0-1-1
On Weekends	.7-6-7
On Weekdays	.1-1-1
Primary Kit	.3-4-5
Secondary Kit	.5-3-3

^{*} Includes NASL regular season, postseason, and Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup since 2011



GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

	GK	D	D	D	D	М	М	М	М	M/F	F
1 NYC*	Meves	Chin	Sanfilippo		Guerrero			Freitas	PC		Stefano
2 JAX*	Meves	Chin	Sanfilippo		Guerrero		Marcelin		PC	Stefano	Sánchez
3 at FCE*	Meves	Chin	Sanfilippo		Guerrero		Freitas	PC	Ramirez		Sánchez
4 at OTT*	Nasco	Chin	Sanfilippo		Guerrero		Freitas	Gonzalez		Angulo	Sánchez
5 ATL*	Meves	Chin	Sanfilippo	Ū	Guerrero	Moura	Freitas	Gonzalez	PC	Angulo	Sánchez
6 at TBR*	Meves	Graye	Sanfilippo	Kling	Guerrero	Sánchez	Freitas	Gonzalez	PC	Angulo	Stefano
7 CAR	Brown	Sanfilippo	Adeleye	Kling	PC	Freitas	Marcelin	Frimpong	Moura	Ramirez	Stefano
8 at SAS	Brown	Moura	Sanfilippo	Kling	Guerrero	Marcelin	Freitas	Chin	Sánchez	PC	Stefano
9 IND	Ford	Moura	Sanfilippo	Kling	Guerrero	Marcelin	Freitas	Chin	Sánchez	PC	Stefano
10 at MNU*	Ford	Moura	Sanfilippo	Kling	Ramirez	Marcelin	Chin	Frimpong	PC	Sánchez	Stefano
11 at CAR	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Kling	Smith	Guerrero	Freitas	PC	Chin	Sánchez	Ramirez	Stefano
12 FCE	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Kling	Smith	Guerrero	Freitas	Gonzalez	Sánchez	PC	Ramirez	Stefano
13 ATL	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Kling	Smith	Guerrero	Freitas	Gonzalez	Chin	PC	Ramirez	Stefano
14 at TBR	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Kling	Smith	Guerrero	Freitas	Marcelin		PC	Ramirez	Stefano
15 at NYC	Ford	Sanfilipp	U	Smith	Guerrero		Marcelin		Gabriel	Ramirez	Stefano
16 at ATL*	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Kling	Smith	Guerrero	Gabriel	Marcelin	PC	Ramirez	Angulo	Stefano
17 NYC	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Graye	Kling	Guerrero	Freitas	Thomas	Gabriel	PC	Ramirez	Bruno
18 TBR	Ford	Sanfilipp	o Graye	Marcelin	Guerrero	Freitas	Thomas	Gabriel	PC	Ramirez	
19 at FCE	Ford	Borrajo	Graye	Sanfilippo	Guerrero	Freitas	Thomas	Gabriel	PC	Ramirez	Stefano
20 IND	Ford	Borrajo	Graye	Sanfilippo	Guerrero	Marcelin	Thomas	Gabriel	Freitas	PC	Stefano
21 at OTT	Ford	Borrajo	Graye	Sanfilippo	PC	Chin	Thomas	Gabriel	Freitas	Ramirez	Stefano
22 JAX	Ford	Borrajo	Graye	Sanfilippo	PC	Marcelin	Thomas	Gabriel	Freitas	Ramirez	Stefano
23 OTT	Ford	Borrajo	Graye	Sanfilippo	PC	Marcelin	Thomas	Gabriel	Freitas	Ramirez	Stefano
24 MNU											
25 at SAS											
26 at MNU											
27 CAR											
28 SAS											
29 at IND											
30 at JAX											
USOC CHA*	Meves	Sanfilippo	Navarro	Kling	PC	Gonzalez	Marcelin	Sánchez	z Moura	Ramirez	Bruno

Note: All matches played in 4-2-3-1 formation. Matches with an * were played in a 4-4-2.

FALL SEASON FORM GUIDE

7-8	7-11	7-18	7-25	8-2	8-5	8-8	8-15	8-23	8-29
Α	н	Н	A	A	A	н	Н	Α	Н
CAR	FCE	ATL	TBR	NYC	ATL	NYC	TBR	FCE	IND
1 - 1 T	1-1 T	2-2 T	3-1 W	0-2 L	1-2 L	3-3 T	2-1 W	2-0 W	7-1 W

9-12	9-16	9-19	9-26	10-3	10-10	10-17	10-21	10-24	11-1
Α	Н	н	Н	Α	Α	н	Н	Α	Α
ОТТ	JAX	ОТТ	MNU	SAS	MNU	CAR	SAS	IND	JAX
0 - 0 T	2-0 W	0-2 L							



MATCH NOTE

BOX SCORES

0-1 L Strikers vs. New York Cosmos

Spring Match 1 Sat, April 4, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL - None

NYC - Fernandes (Restrepo) 58'

Lineup (4-4-2) - Meves; Chin (Frimpong 76'), Sanfilippo, Smith, Guerrero; Moura (C), Adeleye (Marcelin 14'), Freitas, PC; Stefano, Hassan (Sánchez 59')

Subs not used - Nasco, Graye, Ramirez, Gonzalez

Strikers vs. Jacksonville Armada FC 2 - 1 W

Sat, April 11, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium Spring Match 2

Scorina

FTL -Moura (penalty kick) 45'; PC (Chin) 65'

JAX - Hoyos (Scaglia) 49'

Lineup (4-4-2): Meves; Chin, Sanfilippo, Smith, Guerrero; Moura (C) (Ramirez 76), Marcelin, Freitas (Angulo 63), PC; Stefano, Sánchez (Navarro 90)

Subs not used - Nasco, Frimpong, Graye, Hassan

Strikers at FC Edmonton 2 - 3 L

Spring Match 3 Sun, April 25, 2015 at Clark Field

Scorina

FCE - Jones (Nyassi) 7'; Nyassi 75'; Ameobi (Laing) 80'

FTL - Sánchez (Freitas) 20'; Moura 62'

Lineup (4-4-2): Meves; Chin (Hassan 72'), Sanfilippo, Navarro, Guerrero; Moura (C), Freitas, PC, Ramirez (Guillaume 58'); Angulo, Sánchez (Frimpong 89)

Subs not used - Nasco, Graye, Blandon, Gonzalez

Strikers at Ottawa Fury FC 3 - 1 W

Sat, April 25, 2015 at TD Place Spring Match 4

Scoring

OTT - Alves (Ubiparipovic) 78'

FTL - Angulo 41'; Freitas (Stefano) 64'; Angulo 90+

Lineup (4-4-2): Nasco (Brown 12'); Chin Sanfilippo, Kling, Guerrero; Moura (C), Freitas, Gonzalez, PC (Navarro 84'); Angulo, Sánchez

(Stefano 62')

Subs not used - Frimpong, Hassan, Guillaume, Ramirez

Strikers vs. Atlanta Silverbacks

Spring Match 5 Sat, May 2, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL - None

ATL - None

Lineup (4-4-2) - Meves; Chin (Stefano 57'), Sanfilippo, Kling, Guerrero; Moura (C), Freitas, Gonzalez, PC; Angulo (Frimpong 73'),

Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Graye, Hassan, Ramirez, Marcelin

Strikers at Tampa Bay Rowdies 0 - 1 L Spring Match 6 Sat, May 16,2015 at Al Lang Stadium

Scorina

TBR - Hernandez 55'

FTL - None

Lineup (4-4-2): Meves; Graye, Sanfilippo (C), Kling, Guerrero (Ramirez 73'); Sánchez (Hassan 73'), Freitas, Gonzalez, PC;

Angulo (Chin 55'), Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Frimpong, Adeleye, Marcelin

Strikers vs Carolina RailHawks

0 - 1 L

0 - 0 T

Spring Match 7 Sat, May 23, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scorina

FTL - None

CAR - Shipalane (Novo) 44'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Brown; Sanfilippo, Adeleye (Angulo 79'), Kling, PC; Freitas, Marcelin; Frimpong (Chin 54'), Moura (C), Ramirez

(Sánchez 54'); Stefano

Subs not used - Meves, Guerrero, Gonzalez, Navarro

Strikers at Charleston Battery 2 - 3 L

U.S. Open Cup Wed, May 27, 2015 at Blackbaud Stadium

Scoring

CHA - Garbanzo (Boyd) 40'; Prince (Kelly) 77'; Kelly (Garbanzo) 80

FTL - Bruno (Sánchez) 6'; Sánchez (Marcelin) 40'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Meves; Sanfilippo, Navarro, Kling, PC; Marcelin, Gonzalez; Sánchez, Moura (C) Ramirez (Chin 72'); Bruno (Angulo

Subs not used - Guerrero, Guillaume



BOX SCORES (Continued)

Strikers at San Antonio Scorpions 1 - 1 T

Spring Match 8 Sat , May 30, 2015 at Toyota Field

Scoring

SAN - Nane (Cummings) 21' **FTL** - Stefano (Marcelin) 43'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Brown; Moura (C), Sanfilippo, Kling, Guerrero (Ramirez 77'); Marcelin, Freitas; Chin (Bruno 87'), Sánchez, PC; Stefano (Angulo 77')

Subs not used - Ford, Adeleye, Gonzalez, Navarro

Strikers vs. Indy Eleven 1 - 2 L

Spring Match 9 Sat, June 6, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL - Stefano (Sánchez) 23'

IND - Pineda (Mares) 44'; Pineda 90+4'

Lineup (4-2-3-1) - Ford; Moura (C), Sanfilippo, Kling, Guerrero; Marcelin, Freitas (Hassan 72'); Chin, Sánchez, PC; Stefano (Angulo 67')

Subs not used - Brown, Frimpong, Graye, Gonzalez, Navarro

Strikers at Minnesota United FC 3 - 2 W

Spring Match 10 Sat, June 13, 2015 at NSC Stadium

Scoring

MIN- Ibarra (penalty kick) 18'; Pitchkolan (Venegas) 38' **FTL**- Stefano (Marcelin) 3'; Angulo (Moura) 79'; Stefano 81'

Lineup (4-4-2): Ford; Moura (C), Sanfilippo,Kling, Ramirez; Marcelin, Chin (Angulo 59'), Frimpong (Navarro 90+), PC; Sánchez (Freitas 61'), Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Guerrero, Hassan, Gonzalez

Strikers at. Carolina RailHawks 1 - 1 T
Fall Match 1 Wed, July 8, 2015 at WakeMed Soccer Park

Scoring

CAR- Hlavaty (Bracalello) 53' **FTL-** Stefano (PC) 77'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Ford; Sanfilippo, Kling, Smith, Guerrero (C); Freitas, PC; Chin (Frimpong 54'), Sánchez (Gonzalez 69'), Ramirez; Stefano (Blandon 90')

Subs not used - Brown, Navarro

Strikers vs FC Edmonton

1-1 T

Fall Match 2 Sat, July 11, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL- Ramirez (penalty kick) 68' FCE- Ford (own goal) 86'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Ford; Sanfilippo, Kling, Smith, Guerrero (C); Freitas, Gonzalez (Navarro 78'); Sánchez (Chin 58'), PC, Ramirez (Frimpong 87'); Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Graye, Blandon

Strikers vs Atlanta Silverback 2 - 2 T

Fall Match 3 Sat, July 18, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL- Freitas (PC) 55'; Ramirez (penalty kick) 90' ATL- Chavez (Mensing) 64'; Mendes (Burgos) 76'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Ford; Sanfilippo, Kling, Smith, Guerrero (C); Freitas, Gonzalez (Angulo 68'); Chin (Frimpong 66'), PC, Ramirez: Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Sánchez, Graye, Blandon

Strikers at Tampa Bay Rowdies 3 - 1 W

Fall Match 4 Sat, July 25, 2015 at Al Lang Stadium

Scoring

TBR - Santos (Adu) 92'

FTL - PC (Freitas) 16'; Bruno (Frimpong) 79'; Stefano (Bruno) 94'

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Ford; Sanfilippo, Kling, Smith, Guerrero (C); Freitas, Marcelin; Gabriel (Bruno 63'), PC (Frimpong 71'), Ramirez (Sánchez 85'); Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Graye, Angulo, Gonzalez

Strikers at New York Cosmos 0 - 2 L

Fall Match 5 Sun, August 2, 2015 at Shuart Stadium

Scoring

NYC- Freeman (Ayoze) 27'; Fernandes (Raul) 43'

FTL - None

Lineup (4-2-3-1): Ford; Sanfilippo (Sánchez 85'), Kling, Smith, Guerrero (C); Freitas, Marcelin (Angulo 65'); PC, Gabriel, Ramirez (Frimpong 77'); Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Graye, Gonzalez, Bruno



MATCH NOTE

BOX SCORES (Continued)

1 - 2 L Strikers at Atlanta Silverbacks

Fall Match 6 Wed, August 5, 2015 at Silverbacks Park

Scoring

ATL - Pedro Mendes (Chavez) 41'; Pedro Mendes 66'

FTL - Ramirez 49'

Lineup (4-4-2): Ford; Sanfilippo, Kling, Smith, Guerrero; Gabriel, Marcelin, PC, Ramirez (Freitas 65'); Angulo (Bruno 69'), Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Frimpong, Sanchez, Graye, Gonzalez

Strikers vs Indy Eleven 7-1 W

Fall Match 10 Sat, August 30, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL- Stefano 2'; PC (penalty kick) 7'; Freitas 20'; Freitas (Thomas)

67'; Stefano 77'; Stefano (Freitas) 81'; PC (Stefano) 85'

IND - Richards 16'

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford; Borrajo, Graye, Sanfilippo, Guerrero (C) (Ramirez 65'); Marcelin, Thomas (Gonzalez 71'); Gabriel (Chin 76'),

Freitas, PC; Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Smith, Sanchez, Angulo

Strikers vs. New York Cosmos

Fall Match 7 Sat, August 8, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL- Gabriel (penalty kick) 23'; Ramirez (penalty kick) 48'; Ramirez 58'

NYC- Fernandes (Freeman) 62'; Moffat 66'; Guenzatti (Freeman) 90+2'

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford: Sanfilippo, Graye, Kling (Chin 53'), Guerrero; Freitas, Thomas; Gabriel, PC (Sánchez 76'), Ramirez;

Bruno (Angulo 70')

Subs not used - Brown, Frimpong, Gonzalez

Strikers at Ottawa Fury FC

0-0 T

Fall Match 11 Sat, September 12, 2015 at TD Place

Scoring

FTL- None

OTT- None

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford; Borrajo, Graye, Sanfilippo (C), PC; Chin (Gonzalez 69'), Thomas; Gabriel (Sánchez 63'), Freitas, Ramirez;

Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Smith, Frimpong, Angulo, Bruno

Strikers vs. Tampa Bay Rowdies

2-1 W Fall Match 8 Sat, August 15, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

FTL- Stefano (Gabriel) 4'; Marcelin (unassisted) 43'

TBR- Santos (Hristov) 19'

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford; Sanfilippo, Graye, Marcelin, Guerrero (C); Freitas, Thomas; Gabriel (Sánchez 88), PC, Ramirez (Frimpong

78'); Stefano (Bruno 80')

Subs not used - Brown, Smith, Angulo, Gonzalez

Strikers vs Jacksonville Armada FC

2-0 W

Fall Match 12 Wed, September 16, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scoring

FTL- Freitas (Stefano) 17'; Marcelin (Sánchez) 90'

OTT- None

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford; Borrajo, Graye, Sanfilippo, PC; Thomas, Marcelin; Gabriel (Sánchez 72'), Freitas (Bruno 81'), Ramirez;

Stefano (Frimpong 90')

Subs not used - Brown, Smith, Angulo, Gonzalez

Strikers at FC Edmonton 2-0 W

Fall Match 9 Sun, August 23, 2015 at Clarke Stadium

Scorina

FCE- None

FTL- Stefano (penalty kick) 58'; Stefano (Chin) 86'

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford; Borrajo, Graye, Sanfilippo, Guerrero (C); Freitas, Thomas; Gabriel (Chin 78'), PC, Ramirez (Sánchez 71');

Stefano (Bruno 86')

Subs not used - Brown, Smith, Frimpong, Gonzalez

Strikers vs Ottawa Fury FC

Fall Match 13 Sat, September 19, 2015 at Lockhart Stadium

Scorina

FTL- None

OTT- Hassan (Ubiparipovic) 52'; Ubiparipovic (Heinemann) 81'

Lineup (4-2-3-1) Ford; Borrajo, Graye (Angulo 60), Sanfilippo, PC; Thomas, Marcelin; Gabriel (Chin 67'), Freitas (Sánchez 77'),

Ramirez: Stefano

Subs not used - Brown, Smith, Gonzalez, Bruno

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FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS TECHNICAL STAFF



Caio ZANARDI General Manager

Nationality: Brazilian

Caio Zanardi was appointed general manager of the Strikers on July 7, 2015. Zanardi will oversee all soccer operations. Zanardi comes to the Strikers after nearly three years working for Brazil's national soccer federation (Confederação Brasileira de Futebol). Prior to his role at the highest level of Brazil's soccer pyramid, Zanardi served six years as soccer director for Al-Nasr Sports Club, a top team in the United Arab Emirates. "While I was happy in Brazil, I couldn't turn down this opportunity," said Zanardi. "I believe in where the Strikers are going and I want to be a part of it." Zanardi's coaching credentials include an English FA International License, learning at the hands of renowned soccer coaches Fabio Capello, Sven-Göran Eriksson, Louis van Gaal and Carlo Ancelotti. Zanardi's résumé includes time with Palmeiras, Audax/Pão de Açucar - SP and Paulista de Jundiaí.



Günter KRONSTEINER Head Coach Nationality: Austrian

On June 30, 2015 the Strikers announced that Günter Kronsteiner had been named head coach. Günter Kronsteiner's first stint with the Strikers began on July 17, 2013 when he was named head coach and sports director. Under Kronsteiner, the Strikers finished with a 5-3-6 record in the 2013 Fall Season. The following year, Kronsteiner led the team to a 11-7-9 record and a spot in the 2014 NASL Championship Final. Kronsteiner's professional career as a player began in 1978 in Austria with Donawitzer SV Leoben. He later played with FC Wacker Innsbruck, where he won two titles with the team in the Austrian Bundesliga and participated in the UEFA Cup. He then went on to play with FC Salzburg, LASK Linz and finally with Rapid Lienz where he began his coaching career as a player/coach in 1984. Aside from his coaching experience, Kronsteiner has also worked as sports director for several organizations including FC Casino Salzburg, which reached the finals of the UEFA Cup in 1994. As the sports director for Austria Vienna, Kronsteiner oversaw Joachim Löw, before Löw was hired by Jürgen Klinsmann to be his assistant coach of the German National Team in 2004. Kronsteiner then took over Austria Vienna as the head coach and led the team to the Quarterfinals of the UEFA Cup in 2005.

2015 Record: 5-5-3 (WTL) - 20 pts

All-time Strikers record: 21 wins, 16 ties, 19 defeats



Raoul **VOSS**Assistant Coach
Nationality: German



Ricardo **LOPES**Goalkeepers Coach
Nationality: Brazilian



Gustavo **ALENCAR**Strength and Fitness Coach
Nationality: Brazilian



FORT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS PLAYER BIOS



#19 Jose ANGULO Forward 1-13-88 (age 27) 5'11 - 180 Paterson, NJ / Colombia
Signed with Fort Lauderdale on 2/10/15 ... Made Strikers debut as 63rd minute sub vs. Jacksonville Armada FC
(4/11/15) ... Scored two goals in 3-1 win vs. Ottawa Fury FC (4/25) ... Scored third goal of season in 3-1 win over
Minnesota (6/13)

Last goal: 6/13/15 at Minnesota Last assist: *None* 2015 NASL Statistics: 14 appearances, 3 goals, 0 assists

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Spring, Week 4)

#20 Christian BLANDON Midfielder 10-2-92 (22) 6'0" - 170 Miami, FL / Colombia

Signed with Fort Lauderdale on 3/30/15 ... Made Strikers debut as stoppage-time substitute in Fall Season opener vs.

Carolina RailHawks (7/8/15)

Last appearance: 7/8/15 at CarolinaLast start: NoneLast goal: NoneLast assist: None2015 NASL Statistics:1 appearance, 0 goals, 0 assists



#2 Jonathan BORRAJO Defender 6-2-87 (28) 5'9" - 165 Clifton, NJ

Acquired by Fort Lauderdale in a trade with San Antonio Scorpions on 1/9/15 ... Injured knee before playing with team...

Added to roster on 8/21/15 ... Made his debut as right back in 2-0 win at FC Edmonton (8/23)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last start:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa

Last goal: None Last assist: None 2015 NASL Statistics: 4 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists



#22 Lionel BROWN Goalkeeper 9-17-87 (27) 6'0" - 180 Margate, FL / Jamaica

Signed with Strikers on 5/27/12 ... Made Strikers debut on 6/29/13 in 4-1 defeat to San Antonio... Made first appearance

of 2015 season as substitute in 3-1 win vs. Ottawa Fury FC (4/25)

Last appearance: 5/30/15 at San Antonio **Last start:** 5/30/15 at San Antonio

Last shutout: None

2015 NASL Statistics: 3 appearances, 0 shutouts **All-time Strikers Statistics:** 6 appearances, 0 shutouts



#17 Shawn CHIN Midfielder 5-11-89 (26) 5'7" - 150 Miami, FL

Signed with Strikers on 2/6/14 ... Made Strikers debut 4/12/14 in 2-0 win vs. Ottawa Fury FC at Lockhart ... Made season

debut as a right defender on 8/2 vs. New York Cosmos ... Tallied first assist of season on 4/11 vs. Jacksonville

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa
Last goal: None
Last start: 9/12/15 at Ottawa
Last assist: 4/11/15 vs Jacksonville

2015 NASL Statistics: 18 appearances, 0 goals, 2 assists **All-time Strikers Statistics:** 48 appearances, 3 goals, 7 assists



#1 Josh FORD Goalkeeper 11-6-87 (27) 6'0" - 175 Liverpool, NY

Joined the Strikers on loan from Orlando City S.C. on 5/29/15 ... Made first appearance on in 2-1 defeat to Indy Eleven at

Lockhart (7/8) ... Recorded first shutout at Edmonton (8/23)

Last shutout: 9/16/15 vs Jacksonville

2015 NASL Statistics: 15 appearances, 3 shutouts





#5 Marlon FREITAS Midfielder 3-27-95 (20) 6'1" - 170 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Joined the Strikers on loan from Fluminense on 3/17/15 ... Made debut on 4/4 vs. New York ... Tallied first assist in 3-2 defeat at Edmonton (4/19) ... Scored first goal for club in 3-1 win at Ottawa (4/25) ... Tallied brace vs. Indy Eleven (8/29)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last start:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last goal:** 9/16/15 vs Jacksonville **Last assist:** 8/29/15 vs Indy

2015 NASL Statistics: 23 appearances, 5 goals, 3 assists **2015 Honors:** Team of the Week (Spring, Week 4; Fall, Week 3, 9)



#8 Evans FRIMPONG Midfielder 8-8-89 (26) 5'7" - 140 Accra, Ghana

Signed with the Strikers on 2/3/15 ... Made debut as substitute vs. New York (4/4) ... Tallied first assist vs. former team

Tampa Bay (7/25)

Last appearance:9/16/15 vs JacksonvilleLast start: 6/13/15 at MinnesotaLast goal:NoneLast assist: 7/25/15 at Tampa Bay

2015 NASL Statistics: 12 appearances, 0 goals, 1 assist



#10 GABRIEL Rodrigues dos Santos Midfielder 6-5-81 (34) 5'7" - 150 São Paulo, Brazil

Signed with the Strikers on 7/23/15 ... Made Strikers debut at Tampa Bay, starting at right wing in 3-1 win (7/25). Scored

first goal with Strikers on a penalty kick in 3-3 draw versus New York (8/8) **Last appearance:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last goal:** 8/8/15 vs New York **Last assist:** 8/15/15 vs Tampa Bay

2015 NASL Statistics: 10 appearances, 1 goal, 1 assist



#23 Manny GONZALEZ Midfielder 6-3-90 (25) 5'6" - 150 Pompano, FL / Colombia

Signed with the Strikers on 1/31/13 ... Made Strikers debut in 2-1 win vs. Minnesota (5/11/13) ... Made first appearance

of 2015 season starting in midfield in 3-1 win at Ottawa (4/25)

Last appearance: 9/12/15 at Ottawa Last start: 7/18/25 vs. Atlanta Last goal: *None* Last assist: 6/1/13 vs. Carolina

2015 NASL Statistics: 8 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists
All-time Strikers Statistics: 40 appearances, 0 goals, 2 assists



#14 Jordan GRAYE Defender 6-15-87 (28) 6'1" - 190 Washington D.C.

Signed with the Strikers on 2/11/15 ... Made Strikers debut as starting right back in 1-0 defeat at Tampa Bay (5/16) ...

Has started last seven matches at center back (4W-2T-1L) ... Suffered broken nose vs Ottawa (9/19)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last start:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last start:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last assist:** *None*

2015 NASL Statistics: 8 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Fall, Week 8)



#12 Iván GUERRERO Defender 11-30-77 (37) 5'7" - 150 Comayagua, Honduras

Signed with the Strikers on 1/24/13 ... Made Strikers debut at Carolina (4/20/13) ... Played every match in 2014 ... Made first appearance of 2015 season vs. New York (4/4) ... Led Strikers to 3-2 victory at Minnesota as interim head coach

(6/13) ... Missed last few matches with injury

Last appearance:8/29/15 vs IndyLast start:8/29/15 vs IndyLast goal:NoneLast assist:4/10/14 vs. Atlanta

2015 NASL Statistics: 18 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists **All-time Strikers Statistics:** 71 appearances, 0 goals, 9 assists





#27 Fabian KLING Defender 7-24-87 (28) 6'1" - 190 Augsburg, Germany

Signed with the Strikers on 2/13/15 ... Made Strikers debut as starting left center back in 3-1 win at Ottawa (4/25) ...

Started 14 consecutive NASL games before suffering back injury vs New York (8/8)

Last appearance: 8/8/15 vs New York Last start: 8/8/15 vs New York

Last goal: None Last assist: None 2015 NASL Statistics: 14 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Spring, Week 11)



#42 James MARCELIN Midfielder 6-13-86 (29) 6'2" - 175 Saint-Marc, Haiti

Signed with the Strikers on 7/7/14 ... Made Strikers debut in 2-0 loss at San Antonio (7/19/14) .. First appearance of 2015 season came as a substitute vs. New York (4/4) ... Tallied first assist in 1-1 tie at San Antonio (5/30) ... Leads the Strikers with three assists in 2015 (two in NASL, one in Open Cup) ... Picked up red card at Atlanta (8/5) ... Scored first

goal for club in 2-1 win over Tampa Bay (8/15) ... Scored second goal vs Jacksonville (9/16)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa
Last goal: 9/16/15 vs Jacksonville
Last assist: 6/13/15 at Minnesota

2015 NASL Statistics: 13 appearances, 2 goals, 2 assists
All-time Strikers Statistics: 29 appearances, 2 goals, 4 assists
2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Spring, Week 11; Fall, Week 7, 12)



#24 David MEVES Goalkeeper 7-20-90 (25) 6'2" - 200 Arlington Heights, IL

Signed with Strikers on 7/10/14 ... Made Strikers debut in 2-1 win at Ottawa Fury (8/9) ... Started first match of 2015 season vs. New York (4/4) ... Currently recovering from fractured jaw suffered in 3-2 U.S. Open Cup defeat to Charleston

Battery (5/27)

Last shutout: 5/2/15 vs. Atlanta

2015 NASL Statistics: 5 appearances, 1 shutout **All-time Strikers Statistics:** 8 appearances, 1 shutout



#38 Joe NASCO Goalkeeper 6-18-84 (31) 6'3" - 210 Kissimmee, FL

Signed with the Strikers on 1/23/15 ... Made debut on 5/25 at Ottawa Fury FC. Suffered broken fibula and fractured bone

in foot and was substituted in 12th minute when score was 0-0

Last appearance: 5/25/15 at Ottawa Last start: 5/25/15 at Ottawa

Last shutout: None

2015 NASL Statistics: 1 appearance, 0 shutouts



#25 Daniel NAVARRO Defender 8-22-91 (23) 6'1" - 180 Curitiba, Brazil / U.S.A.

Signed with the Strikers on 4/3/15 ... Made debut as substitute vs. Jacksonville (4/11) ... Made first start in 3-2 defeat to

FC Edmonton (4/19)

Last goal: *None*2015 NASL Statistics: 5 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists



#90 BRUNO Nunes Forward 7-9-90 (25) 6'2" - 180 Pertolina, Brazil

Signed with the Strikers on 5/13/15... Made debut in U.S Open Cup game at Charleston Battery (5/27). Scored first goal in sixth minute ... Made NASL debut as 87th minute sub at San Antonio (5/30) ... Scored in first goal in a 3-1 win at

Tampa Bay (7/25). Tailed first assist during the same game

Last appearance: 9/16/15 vs Jacksonville **Last start:** 8/8/15 vs New York **Last goal:** 7/25/15 at Tampa Bay **Last assist:** 7/25/15 at Tampa Bay

2015 NASL Statistics: 7 appearances, 1 goal, 1 assist



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#6 PC (Victor Pagliari Giro) Midfielder 3-10-94 (21) 5'8" - 155 São Paulo, Brazil

Joined the Strikers on loan from Corinthians on 3/17/15 ... Started first match of season (4/4) ... Scored first goal vs. Jacksonville in 2-1 win (4/11) ... Signed multi-year contract with Strikers on 4/23/15 ... Scored brace in 7-1 win vs. Indy Eleven (8/29) ... Started 23 consecutive league matches ... Shown two cautions (ejection) vs Ottawa (9/19)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa Last start: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa Last goal: 8/29/15 vs Indy (2) Last assist: 7/18/15 vs. Atlanta

2015 NASL Statistics: 23 appearances, 4 goals, 2 assists

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Spring, Week 2; Fall, Week 4, 9); Player of the Week (Spring, Week 2)



#29 **STEFANO Pinho** Forward 1-12-91 (24) 6'0" - 170

Joined the Strikers on loan from Fluminense on 3/17/15 ... Made Strikers debut as a starting forward vs. New York (4/4) ... Scored first goal for the club at San Antonio (5/30) ... Tallied a brace at Minnesota (6/13) ... Scored in five goals in four consecutive matches ... Tallied second brace of season at Edmonton (8/24) ... Scored hat trick vs. Indy Eleven

(8/29) ... Leads the league in goals (12) ... Has failed to score in last three matches

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa Last start: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last goal:** 8/29/15 vs Indy (3) Last assist: 9/16/15 vs Jacksonville

2015 NASL Statistics: 21 appearances, 12 goals, 3 assists

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Spring, Week 9, 11; Fall, Week 7, 8,9); Player of the Week (Fall, Week 8,9);

Player of the Month (August)



#21 Walter **RAMIREZ** Midfielder 11-7-83 (31) 5'9" - 150 La Ceiba, Honduras

Signed with the Strikers on 7/31/14 ... Made Strikers debut on vs. Tampa Bay (8/2/14) ... Made first appearance on 2015 season as substitute vs. Jacksonville (4/11) ... Scored his first goal of season vs. FC Edmonton (6/11) ... Scored brace vs. Cosmos (8/8) ... Has scored three penalties in the Fall Season

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa Last start: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa

Last goal: 8/8/15 vs New York Last assist: None 2015 NASL Statistics: 19 appearances, 5 goals, 0 assists All-time Strikers Statistics: 29 appearances, 6 goals, 1 assist

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Fall, Week 3, 6)



#11 Dani SANCHEZ Midfielder <u>11-10-84 (30)</u> <u>5'7" - 155</u> Málaga, Spain

Signed with the Strikers on 1/29/15 ... Made Strikers debut as a substitute vs. New York (4/4) ... Scored first goal at

Edmonton (4/19) ... Tallied first assist vs. Indy (6/6)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa Last start: 7/11/15 vs FC Edmonton Last assist: 9/16/15 vs Jacksonville Last goal: 4/19/15 at FC Edmonton

2015 NASL Statistics: 20 appearances, 1 goal, 2 assists



#7 Frankie SANFILIPPO Defender 9-8-81 (33) 5'8" - 165 San Diego, CA

Signed with the Strikers on 2/3/15 ... Made Strikers debut vs. New York (4/4) ... Played every minute of the first 14 NASL

matches (1,260 minutes) ... Has started every match for Fort Lauderdale in 2015 **Last appearance:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa Last start: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa

Last goal: None Last assist: None 2015 NASL Statistics: 23 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists

2015 Honors: Team of the Week (Spring, Week 5; Fall, Week 4, 11)



#3 Karsten SMITH Defender 11-13-88 (26) 6'3" - 185 Huntington Station, NY

Signed with the Strikers on 1/26/15 ... Made Strikers debut vs. New York (4/4) ... Missed last eight matches of Spring Season with foot injury. Returned for Fall Season opener at Carolina (7/8) ... Picked up red card at Atlanta (8/5)

Last appearance: 8/5/15 at Atlanta Last start: 8/5/15 at Atlanta

Last goal: None Last assist: None 2015 NASL Statistics: 8 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists







#26 Hendry THOMAS Midfielder 2-23-85 (30) 5'11" - 175 La Ceiba, Honduras

Signed with Strikers on 8/7/15... Made Strikers debut vs. New York, starting and playing the entire match (8/8)... Tallied

first assist vs. Indy Eleven (8/29)

Last appearance: 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last start:** 9/19/15 vs Ottawa **Last goal:** *None* **Last assist:** 8/29/15 vs Indy

2015 NASL Statistics: 7 appearances, 0 goals, 0 assists



#16 Josh TRAVAGLI Midfielder 6-8-95 (20) 5'11" - 155 Ferrara, Italy

Signed with Strikers on 4/10/14 ... Has yet to make his Strikers debut

Last appearance: None

Last start: None

Last goal: None

Last assist: None

All-time Strikers Statistics: 0 appearance, 0 goals, 0 assists

Full player bios available on Strikers.com/roster

About the Fort Lauderdale Strikers:

The Fort Lauderdale Strikers are part of the North American Soccer League (NASL). The Strikers were acquired last fall by an ownership group led by Paulo Cesso, Ricardo Geromel and Rafael Bertani. Brazilian soccer icon Ronaldo Luís Nazário de Lima, commonly known as Ronaldo, joined the ownership in December. The team plays in venerable Lockhart Stadium, which was built in 1959 and has hosted professional soccer for more than 35 years. The team finished as the NASL runner-up in 2014.

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