



# GAME NOTES

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## MATCH INFORMATION



**SOUNDERS FC 2**

AT



**RENO 1868 FC**

**Kickoff:** Saturday, May 19, 2018 | 7:30 p.m. PT

**Location:** Greater Nevada Field | Reno, Nev.

**Referee:** Lukasz Szpala

**Assistants:** Julian Arias, Jordan Justice

**Fourth Official:** Daniel Cervantes

## BROADCAST INFORMATION

**Live Stream:** [ESPN+](#)

## MATCH PREVIEW

Sounders FC 2 (2-6-1, 7 points) on Saturday attempts to snap a two-game losing streak as it heads to Reno (7:30 p.m. PT / ESPN+). S2 played Sacramento Republic FC to a 0-0 draw in its last road match on April 21, its only tie of the season. Reno (3-3-4, 13 points) currently sits in 10th place in the Western Conference with 13 points, while Seattle (2-6-1) is in 14th in the West with seven points.

The matchup is the first of two this season between S2 and Reno 1868 FC. Seattle will host the second meeting at Cheney Stadium in Tacoma on Sunday, July 8 (1:30 p.m. PT / ESPN+).

Sounders FC 2 dropped its last match on May 12 to Portland in second-half stoppage time, 1-0. T2's Victor Arbolada crossed the ball into the box from the left side and Eryk Williamson finished with his right foot to give Portland three points. Marlon Vargas and Jesse Daley made their S2 debuts in front of 4,602 fans at Cheney Stadium.

## 2018 S2 SCHEDULE

**USL REGULAR SEASON RECORD: 2-6-1**  
**(HOME: 2-4-0; AWAY: 0-2-1)**

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (PT) / RESULT
Fri.	3/16	Portland Timbers 2	W, 2-1
Sat.	3/24	at S.P. Rangers	L, 2-4
Wed.	3/28	Fresno FC	L, 0-1
Sat.	4/7	at Sac. Republic FC	L, 0-1
Wed.	4/11	Real Monarchs SLC	L, 1-3
Sat.	4/14	Toros FC	W, 3-2
Sat.	4/21	at Switchbacks FC	D, 0-0
Sun.	5/6	Sac. Republic FC	L, 1-2
Sat.	5/12	Portland Timbers 2	L, 0-1
Sat.	5/19	at Reno 1868 FC	7:30 p.m.
Sat.	6/2	at Fresno FC	7:00 p.m.
Sun.	6/10	OKC Energy FC	1:30 p.m.
Sat.	6/16	at Las Vegas Lights	8:00 p.m.
Fri.	6/29	at LA Galaxy II	5:30 p.m.
Thurs.	7/5	S.P. Rangers	7:00 p.m.
Sun.	7/8	Reno 1868 FC	1:30 p.m.
Sat.	7/14	at Real Monarchs FC	7:00 p.m.
Fri.	7/20	at Phoenix Rising FC	7:00 p.m.
Thurs.	7/26	Las Vegas Lights	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	8/4	at St. Louis FC	5:30 p.m.
Sat.	8/11	San Antonio FC	7:00 p.m.
Sun.	8/19	at Portland Timbers 2	2:00 p.m.
Sat.	8/25	at OKC Energy FC	5:30 p.m.
Wed.	8/29	Saint Louis FC	7:00 p.m.
Sun.	9/2	Orange County FC	1:30 p.m.
Wed.	9/5	Tulsa Roughnecks FC	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	9/8	at Sac. Republic FC	7:30 p.m.
Sat.	9/15	Phoenix Rising FC	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	9/22	at Toros FC	5:30 p.m.
Sat.	9/29	at San Antonio FC	5:30 p.m.
Wed.	10/3	LA Galaxy II	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	10/6	at Orange County FC	7:00 p.m.
Wed.	10/10	Switchbacks FC	7:00 p.m.

## INJURY REPORT

**QUESTIONABLE**  
None

**OUT**  
Ele - left hand fracture

Injury report as of May 17, 2018

## S2 WEEKLY NOTES

### S2 LOSES IN STOPPAGE TIME TO T2

Sounders FC 2 (2-6-1, 7 points) on May 12 at Cheney Stadium in Tacoma lost in second-half stoppage time to Portland Timbers 2, 1-0. In a game of few chances, the match was largely played in the midfield, and ultimately decided in the closing minutes. Victor Arboleda crossed the ball into the box from the left side and Eryk Williamson finished with his right foot to give Portland three points.

In the only clear-cut chance in the first half, T2's Renzo Zambrano collected a loose ball 30 yards from goal and fired a shot to the bottom corner, forcing a sprawling save from S2's Calle Brown.

Marlon Vargas and Jesse Daley made their S2 debuts in front of a raucous crowd of 4,602 fans in Tacoma. Vargas started the match at attacking midfield and played 55 minutes before David Estrada entered the match in the second half. Academy player Blake Malone started at centerback for Seattle, making his second appearance of the season.

#### Sounders FC 2 |0-1| Portland Timbers 2

May 12, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, Wash.)

#### SCORING SUMMARY

**POR** – Williamson (Arboleda) 90+2'

#### LINEUPS & STATS

**S2** – Brown; Ulysse, Ele, Malone, Usman; Saari - captain, Narbon; Hopeau, Vargas (Estrada 55'), Hinds (Olsen 76'); Chenkam (Daley 66')

**Substitutes not used:** Lee, Gonzalez

**Total shots:** 12

**Shots on goal:** 2

**Fouls:** 11

**Offside:** 1

**Corner-kicks:** 2

**Saves:** 2

**T2** – Mangels; Batista, Jadama – captain, Tuiloma, Mulligan; Zambrano, Williamson; Barmby (Williams 68'), Loria, Arboleda; Langsdorf (Lewis 78')

**Substitutes not used:** Pack, Hanson, Phillips, Enriquez, Jambga

### S2 SIGNS MIDFIELDER MARLON VARGAS

Seattle Sounders FC 2 on May 11 announced that it has signed midfielder Marlon Vargas. Vargas has been part of the Sounders Academy since 2016 after initially signing from partner club Central California Aztecs earlier that year. The signing brings S2's roster to 17 contracted players.

"Marlon has earned the opportunity to join S2," said Sounders FC Director of Player Development Marc Nicholls. "He has steadily progressed through our system and is now ready to make an even bigger impact on our club. Credit must also go to our partner club, the CCA."

Vargas, 17, has 19 goals and 26 assists in 35 appearances across all competitions this season, while netting five goals in 21 games for the Sounders U-15/16 team last season. He is the fourth player born in 2001-2002 to sign a professional contract with S2.

"Marlon is a very creative and imaginative player," said S2 Head Coach John Hutchinson. "He currently leads the nation in assists and will bring a unique skillset to our team."

**Name:** Marlon Vargas

**Position:** Midfielder

**Height:** 5-4

**Weight:** 135

**Born:** January 12, 2001 in Bakersfield, California

**Hometown:** Bakersfield, California

**Citizenship:** United States

**Acquired:** Signed to S2's roster on May 11, 2018

### S2 SIGNS TWO AUSSIE MIDFIELDERS

Seattle Sounders FC 2 on May 1 announced that it has signed Australian midfielders Antonee Burke-Gilroy and Jesse Daley. Burke-Gilroy joins Sounders FC's USL side from the Newcastle Jets in Newcastle, while Daley joins the club from Queensland Lions FC in Brisbane. Burke-Gilroy's signing is pending receipt of his visa. Additionally, Sounders FC Academy player Conrad Lee has been added to S2's squad as a USL Academy signing.

Daley made his S2 debut last Saturday against Portland. He played 24 minutes after entering the match as a substitute in the second half.

## 2018 SOUNDERS FC 2 ELIGIBLE PLAYERS

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Birthdate	Hometown	Previous Club
15	Tony Alfaro*	D	6-2	190	6/15/93	Santa Barbara, CA	Cal State Dominguez Hills (NCAA)
16	Alex Roldan*	M	5-10	155	7/28/96	Pico Rivera, CA	Seattle University (NCAA)
21	Jordy Delem*	M	5-11	155	3/18/93	Fort-de-France, Martinique	Sounders FC 2 (USL)
23	Henry Wingo*	M	6-0	170	10/4/95	Seattle, WA	Washington (NCAA)
25	Calle Brown*	GK	6-6	200	7/1/92	Leesburg, VA	Houston Dynamo
30	Jordan McCrary*	D	5-9	165	7/28/93	Marietta, GA	Toronto FC II (USL)
31	Nick Hinds	D	5-8	137	10/15/97	Plantation, FL	Akron (NCAA)
33	Sam Rogers	D	6-3	182	5/7/99	Seattle, WA	Sounders FC Academy
34	Ibrahim Usman	D	6-0	165	7/23/99	Lagos, Nigeria	Eco FC (Nigeria)
35	Bryan Meredith*	GK	6-2	209	8/2/90	Scotch Plains, NJ	San Jose Earthquakes
36	Denso Ulysse	M	5-8	133	11/20/98	Gonaives, Haiti	Real Hope FA (Haiti)
37	Shandon Hopeau	M	5-10	158	12/1/98	Kapolei, HI	Sounders FC Academy
38	Azriel Gonzalez	M	5-9	145	5/24/01	Las Vegas, NV	Sounders FC Academy
50	Marlon Vargas	M	5-4	135	1/12/01	Bakersfield, CA	Sounders FC Academy
70	Handwalla Bwana*	M	5-9	145	6/25/99	Seattle, WA	Washington (NCAA)
71	David Olsen	F	6-0	180	2/5/96	Seattle, WA	Seattle University (NCAA)
74	David Estrada	F	5-8	160	2/4/88	Salinas, CA	Charlotte Independence (USL)
77	Francisco Narbon	M	5-9	150	2/11/95	Panama City, Panama	FC Cincinnati (USL)
80	Ray Serrano	M	5-7	125	5/9/02	Merced, CA	Sounders FC Academy
87	Alfonso Ocampo-Chavez	F	5-9	140	3/25/02	Merced, CA	Sounders FC Academy
88	Ray Saari	M	5-6	148	4/18/95	Kansas City, MO	Tulsa (NCAA)
89	Jesse Daley	M	5-10	154	10/16/97	Brisbane, Australia	Queensland Lions FC (Australia)
92	Rodrigue Ele	D	6-0	160	3/2/98	Yaounde, Cameroon	Rainbow Bamenda FC (Cameroon)
98	Antonee Burke-Gilroy	M	5-10	150	10/3/97	Denmark Hill, UK	Newcastle Jets (Australia)
99	Felix Chenkam	F	5-6	165	12/28/98	Douala, Cameroon	Rainbow Bamenda FC (Cameroon)

\*Sounders FC First Team player with Standard USL Loan deal for 2018

### SOUNDERS FC ACADEMY PLAYERS

Khai Brisco  
 Sakari Carter  
 Jacob Castro  
 Sam Fowler  
 Peter Kingston  
 Conrad Lee  
 Blake Malone  
 Cameron Martin  
 Jake Morris  
 RJ Stretch  
 Dylan Teves  
 Gabe Threadgold

## 2018 SOUNDERS FC 2 TECHNICAL STAFF

<b>General Manager &amp; President of Soccer</b>	Garth Lagerwey
<b>Vice President of Soccer &amp; Sporting Director</b>	Chris Henderson
<b>Director of Player Personnel</b>	Marc Nicholls
<b>S2 Head Coach</b>	John Hutchinson
<b>S2 Assistant Coach</b>	Wade Webber
<b>Academy Goalkeeper Coach</b>	Josh Ford
<b>S2 Athletic Trainer</b>	Joe Montgomery
<b>S2 Fitness Coach</b>	Brandon Moran
<b>Team Administration Director</b>	Grant Clark
<b>Team Services Director</b>	Vince Johnson
<b>S2 Administrator</b>	Corey Sinsler

## 2018: SOUNDERS FC 2 STARTING XI BY THE NUMBERS

### MIDFIELDER / FORWARD

Hinds (6)  
Gonzalez (2)  
Threadgold (1)

### FORWARD

Chenkam (7)  
Estrada (2)

### MIDFIELDER / FORWARD

Hopeau (6)  
Olsen (2)  
A. Roldan (1)

### MIDFIELDER

Olsen (4)  
Bwana (1)  
Estrada (1)  
Hopeau (1)  
Vargas (1)  
Wingo (1)

### MIDFIELDER

Teves (6)  
Narbon (3)

### MIDFIELDER

Saari (5)  
Martin (3)  
Narbon (1)

### LEFT BACK

Usman (8)  
Morris (1)

### CENTER BACK

Rogers (4)  
Ele (3)  
Malone (2)

### CENTER BACK

Ele (4)  
Alfaro (3)  
Narbon (1)  
Rogers (1)

### RIGHT BACK

Ulysse (8)  
Delem (1)

### GOALKEEPER

Brown (5)  
Meredith (3)  
Fowler (1)

## S2 MOVES TO TACOMA

Seattle Sounders FC and the Tacoma Rainiers announced on November 1, 2017 that beginning in 2018, Sounders FC 2's previously-announced transition to Tacoma is accelerating, allowing S2 to play its home matches at Cheney Stadium, while progress continues toward a new soccer-specific facility. Earlier in 2017, the two clubs reached a historic agreement to build a 5,000-seat facility in Central Tacoma on the footprint of Cheney Stadium. While that process moves forward, South Sound soccer fans are now able to see their USL side play in Tacoma several seasons ahead of schedule.

"Our organization was already thrilled to be moving ahead with the Rainiers and the City of Tacoma on the new stadium project, but when we learned of the opportunity to begin playing USL games as soon as 2018 in a facility like Cheney Stadium, we embraced the chance," said Sounders FC Owner Adrian Hanauer. "From Rainiers leadership to the many civic officials in Tacoma that are working hard to deliver professional soccer to their city, we're humbled to have such willing partners in this effort. As soon as next season, fans can enjoy a first-class experience at Cheney, allowing the club to make a tangible connection to the City of Tacoma earlier than expected."

"We are so proud to bring another professional sports franchise to Tacoma," Rainiers President Aaron Artman said. "To partner with the top soccer organization in the country, the Sounders, adds a layer of passion and prestige to the project, fueled by a vibrant South Sound base of supporters. We are excited to deliver a fantastic USL experience with S2 at Cheney in 2018 and 2019, while keeping our focus on delivering a world class soccer specific stadium by 2020."

Originally announced in May of 2017, the partnership brings together two of the Northwest's premier professional sports organizations to reach a first-of-its-kind relationship in USL within the same regional market. The Tacoma Rainiers are an award-winning franchise that has been a staple of the South Sound community for over 50 years, operating as the top affiliate of Major League Baseball's Seattle Mariners. They will operate the business side of the new era of the USL club, taking advantage of the decades of experience operating a professional organization in the Tacoma market, while Sounders FC is set to maintain leadership over soccer operations and sporting infrastructure. With key details coming together - including a name for the organization that is representative of its new home - it was announced today that much like the naming of the Sounders FC First Team, Tacoma fans will have influence over the identity of their new club. Details for that process are forthcoming, with the team to play under the S2 brand in the near-term during this transition.

## 2018 SOUNDERS FC 2 STATISTICS

POS	Player	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	C/E
F	Felix Chenkam	8	7	564	4	0	18	9	10	13	1/0
F	David Estrada	9	3	406	3	0	6	5	8	10	0/0
M/D	Nick Hinds	9	6	561	1	0	10	6	4	12	0/0
M	Aziel Gonzalez	4	2	187	1	0	2	2	3	1	0/0
F	David Olsen	7	6	499	0	1	10	5	7	4	1/0
D	Rodrigue Ele	7	7	584	0	1	2	0	13	4	2/1
M	Ray Saari	5	5	413	0	1	1	0	8	6	1/1
M	Handwalla Bwana	1	1	90	0	1	2	1	2	5	1/0
M	Dylan Teves	8	6	543	0	0	0	0	4	5	0/0
D	Denso Ulysse	8	8	666	0	0	6	2	11	9	3/1
D	Ibrahim Usman	8	8	658	0	0	2	0	6	7	0/0
D	Tony Alfaro	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	6	0	1/0
M/F	Shandon Hopeau	8	6	536	0	0	7	4	6	9	0/0
M	Cameron Martin	4	3	226	0	0	1	0	5	1	0/0
GK	Calle Brown	5	5	450	0	0	0	0	0	1	0/0
GK	Bryan Meredith	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
M	Francisco Narbon	6	5	476	0	0	2	2	7	8	2/0
D	Sam Rogers	5	5	450	0	0	0	0	3	2	1/0
D	Jake Morris	3	1	144	0	0	0	0	4	2	1/0
M	Alex Roldan	2	1	135	0	0	2	1	1	4	1/0
M	Jordy Delem	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	2	0/0
GK	Sam Fowler	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
D	Blake Malone	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	1	1	0/0
M	Ray Serrano	2	1	76	0	0	1	1	2	0	0/0
M	Gabe Threadgold	1	1	72	0	0	0	0	2	0	0/0
M	Marlon Vargas	1	1	55	0	0	2	0	1	1	0/0
M	Henry Wingo	1	1	45	0	0	0	0	0	1	0/0
D	Khai Brisco	2	0	28	0	0	0	0	1	0	0/0
M	Jesse Daley	1	0	24	0	0	0	0	1	0	0/0
M	RJ Stretch	1	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	0/0
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>15/3</b>

GP - games played; GS - games started; MIN - minutes; G - goals; A - assists; SHT - shots; SOG - shots on goal; FC - fouls committed; FS - fouls suffered; C/E - cautions/ejections

POS	Player	GP	MIN	GA	SV	SV%	GAA	W-L-D	PKA	PKG	SO
GK	Calle Brown	5	450	8	14	.636	1.60	2-2-1	0	0	1
GK	Bryan Meredith	3	270	6	2	.250	2.00	0-3-0	0	0	0
GK	Sam Fowler	1	90	1	1	.500	1.00	0-1-0	0	0	0
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>.531</b>	<b>1.67</b>	<b>2-6-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

GP - games played; MIN - minutes; GA - goals against; SV - saves; SV% - save percentage; GAA - goals against average; W-L-D - wins/losses/draws; PKA - penalty kicks against; PKG - penalty kick goals; SO - shutouts

## 2018 SOUNDERS FC 2 BOX SCORES

### Sounders FC 2 |2-1| Timbers 2

March 16, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, WA);  
Attendance: 6,049

#### SCORING

**POR** - Williams (Mulligan) 30'  
**SEA** - Chenkam (penalty) 43'  
**SEA** - Hinds (Olsen) 45'

**Lineup:** Brown; Ulysse, Rogers - captain, Alfaro, Usman; Teves, Martin, Hopeau (Estrada 58'), Olsen, Hinds (Morris 65'); Chenkam (Serrano 77')

**Substitutes Not Used:** Fowler, Gonzalez, Brisco, Ele

### Sounders FC 2 |2-4| Swope Park Rangers

March 24, 2018 at Shawnee Mission South District Stadium (Overland Park, KS)

#### SCORING

**SEA** - Estrada (Ele) 19'  
**SPR** - Belmar 21' (Barry) 21'  
**SPR** - Saravia (Hernandez) 35'  
**SPR** - Storm (Saravia) 52'  
**SEA** - Estrada (Bwana) 56'  
**SPR** - Belmar (Storm) 61'

**Lineup:** Brown; Ulysse (Brisco 63'), Ele, Alfaro, Usman; Teves, Martin (Hopeau 53'); Roldan, Bwana, Teves, Threadgold (Hinds 72'); Estrada - captain

**Substitutes Not Used:** Fowler, Olsen, Saari, Chenkam

### Sounders FC 2 |0-1| Fresno FC

March 28, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, WA);  
Attendance: 2,150

#### SCORING

**FRS** - Johnson (Ellis-Hayden) 82'

**Lineup:** Meredith; Ulysse, Ele, Narbon, Usman; Teves, Saari - captain, Hopeau, Olsen, Hinds (Stretch 72'); Chenkam (Estrada 65')

**Substitutes Not Used:** Fowler, Martin, Threadgold

### Sounders FC 2 |0-1| Sacramento Republic FC

April 7, 2018 at Papa Murphy's Park (Sacramento, CA)

#### SCORING

**SAC** - Moffat (penalty) 71'

**Lineup:** Fowler; Ulysse, Ele, Rogers, Usman (Morris 61'); Saari - captain, Narbon; Hopeau (Teves 66'), Olsen, Hinds; Chenkam (Estrada 74')

**Substitutes Not Used:** Castro, Serrano, Gonzalez, Threadgold

### Sounders FC 2 |1-3| Real Monarchs SLC

April 11, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, WA)

#### SCORING

**SLC** - Kacher (Hernandez) 4'  
**SEA** - Estrada 19'  
**SLC** - Kacher (Lopez-Espin) 65'  
**SLC** - Hoffman (Velasquez) 77'

**Lineup:** Meredith; Delem, Malone, Alfaro, Morris; Teves, Martin (Chenkam 77'), Serrano (Hinds 63'), Wingo (Roldan 45'), Gonzalez; Estrada - captain

**Substitutes Not Used:** Fowler, Rogers, Saari, Olsen

### Sounders FC 2 |3-2| Rio Grande Valley FC

April 14, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, WA)  
Attendance: 2,798

#### SCORING

**SEA** - Chenkam (Saari) 1'  
**RGV** - Zaldivar 22'  
**RGV** - Delgado (Garza) 45+1'  
**SEA** - Chenkam (Ele) 66'  
**SEA** - Gonzalez 82'

**Lineup:** Brown; Ulysse, Ele, Rogers, Usman (Gonzalez 57'); Saari - captain, Narbon, Hopeau, Olsen (Estrada 67'), Hinds; Chenkam (Teves 88')

**Substitutes Not Used:** Castro, Ocampo-Chavez

### Sounders FC 2 |0-0| Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC

April 21, 2018 at Weidner Field (Colorado Springs, CO)

#### SCORING

None

**Lineup:** Brown; Ulysse, Ele, Rogers, Usman; Saari - captain, Teves (Hopeau 75'), Olsen, Estrada (Narbon 64'), Gonzalez (Hinds 56'); Chenkam

**Substitutes Not Used:** Fowler, Threadgold

### Sounders FC 2 |1-2| Sacramento Republic FC

May 6, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, WA)  
Attendance: 2,652

#### SCORING

**SAC** - Taintor (Hall) 41'  
**SEA** - Chenkam 61'  
**SAC** - Own goal 82'

**Lineup:** Meredith; Ulysse, Ele, Rogers, Usman; Narbon, Teves (Gonzalez 82'), Olsen (Estrada 58'); Hopeau, Hinds (Brisco 90'), Chenkam

**Substitutes Not Used:** Brown, Daley

### Sounders FC 2 |0-1| Portland Timbers 2

May 12, 2018 at Cheney Stadium (Tacoma, WA)  
Attendance: 4,602

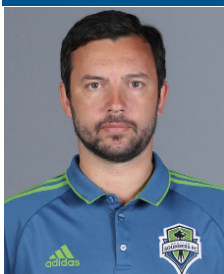
#### SCORING

**POR** - Williamson (Arboleda) 90+2'

**Lineup:** Brown; Ulysse, Ele, Malone, Usman; Saari, Narbon; Hopeau, Vargas (Estrada 55'), Hinds (Olsen 76'); Chenkam (Daley 66')

**Substitutes Not Used:** Lee, Gonzalez

## SOUNDERS FC 2 HEAD COACH JOHN HUTCHINSON



John Hutchinson is in his second season with Sounders FC, and his first as S2 Head Coach. An Australian native who played professionally from 1996-2015, Hutchinson brings an impressive pedigree to Ezra Hendrickson's staff.

Born in Morwell, Victoria, Australia, Hutchinson made his senior debut for the Gippsland Falcons in 1997, where he made 89 appearances. From 2001-2004, Hutchinson played for the Northern Spirit, a Sydney-based club, then joined Manly United in 2004 as the club's captain. The final 10 years of his career were spent with the A-League's Central Coast Mariners, where he set a club record with 268 total appearances and scored 18 goals. A three-year captain for the Mariners, Hutchinson was part of the 2013 Grand Final champion squad. He also went on loan with the Chendu Blades in the China Super League.

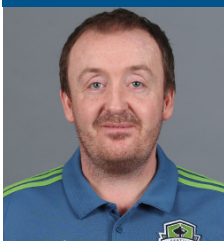
Eligible due to his grandmother's Maltese decent, Hutchinson earned 11 caps for Malta. He made his first appearance in a 2010 FIFA World Cup Qualifier against Sweden. During the 2015 season, Hutchinson, who has a Coaching A license, made a seamless transition to the technical side for the Mariners, where he served as a coach through the 2016 campaign before joining S2.

## SOUNDERS FC 2 ASSISTANT COACH WADE WEBBER



Sounders FC Academy coach Wade Webber joined Hutchinson's staff as S2 Assistant Coach prior to the 2018 season. The former Sounder brings a decade of professional playing experience, including 53 MLS appearances for Dallas and Miami from 1997-1999. Since retiring from playing in 1999, Webber has coached youth soccer extensively throughout Western Washington, including the last two seasons with the Sounders FC Academy and the previous seven as Director of Coaching for Washington Premier FC. Webber has a USSF A License and a Master's Degree in Teaching from Seattle University. He has also served as a radio analyst for Sounders FC broadcasts since 2012.

## SOUNDERS FC DIRECTOR OF PLAYER DEVELOPMENT MARC NICHOLLS



Marc Nicholls was named Academy Technical Director in July 2014 before being promoted to Director of Player Development prior to the 2018 season. The two-time U.S. Academy coach of the year (2010 and 2012) joined the Sounders FC staff after three years (2011-13) as the Head Coach of the Carolina Dynamo of the USL PDL, where he led the team to the division title in all three seasons, including a PDL National Final appearance in 2012 and U.S. Soccer National Championship in 2013. He also served as Technical Director for NC Fusion, leading the club to three appearances in U.S. Academy Nationals, including a third-place finish for the U-18 squad in 2012. Before arriving in Seattle, he also combined his PDL coaching position with a scouting role for Montreal Impact. Nicholls holds his USSF National "A" License, the FIFA Futuro III program, as well as the prestigious French Formation License. He is currently a national staff member for U.S. Soccer. He is married to his wife Claire and has two daughters named Cally and Leah.

## 31 D NICK HINDS

**Height:** 5-10  
**Weight:** 164  
**Born:** October 15, 1997  
**Hometown:** Plantation, Florida



### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**2018 (S2):** Scored his first professional goal, the game-winner, against Portland Timbers 2 (March 16). Was selected to the USL Team of the Week after scoring the winning goal against Portland (March 16).

**2016 (S2):** Played in seven games for S2, making three starts.

**2015 (S2):** Appeared in one game for S2.

### COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

Hinds spent two seasons at one of college soccer's most storied programs, the University of Akron. After locking down the starting left back spot as a freshman, he was moved into an attacking midfield role later in the season. In his sophomore year, the Sounders Academy alum again played primarily as a midfielder. Hinds started 30 matches across two seasons with the Zips and made a further 14 appearances a substitute, recording 11 goals and eight assists.

## 34 D IBRAHIM USMAN

**Height:** 6-0  
**Weight:** 165  
**Born:** July 23, 1999  
**Hometown:** Lagos, Nigeria



### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Prior to joining Sounders FC, Usman played with Nigerian club Eco FC.

### INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Usman is part of the Nigerian U-20 National Team pool currently preparing for the U-20 African Cup of Nations in 2019.

## 33 D SAM ROGERS

**Height:** 6-3  
**Weight:** 182  
**Born:** May 17, 1999  
**Hometown:** Seattle, Washington



### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**2017 (S2):** Rogers made his professional debut in the season-opening loss to Sacramento Republic FC on March 26. He scored his first professional goal against San Antonio FC on April 25.

### INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Rogers was called into the U.S. U-18 camp in March of 2017.

### YOUTH EXPERIENCE

Prior to joining S2, Rogers served as the captain for Sounders FC's U-18 squad.

### PERSONAL

The Seattle native graduated from Ballard High School in June 2017. His favorite hobby outside soccer is golf and his favorite player growing up was Andres Iniesta.

## 36 D DENSO ULYSSE

**Height:** 5-8  
**Weight:** 133  
**Born:** November 20, 1998  
**Hometown:** Gonaives, Haiti



### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Prior to signing with S2, Ulysse played for Real Hope in his native country of Haiti. He made his USL debut in 30 minutes of action against San Antonio FC on April 25, 2017.

### INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

In October 2016, Ulysse was named to the Caribbean U-20 Best XI following Haiti's championship win in the qualifying tournament for the 2017 CONCACAF U-20 Championship.



**37 F SHANDON HOPEAU**

**Height:** 5-10  
**Weight:** 158  
**Born:** December 1, 1998  
**Hometown:** Kapolei, Hawaii



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2017 (S2):** Hopeau made his season debut in a 2-1 season-opening loss to Sacramento Republic FC (March 26) and recorded his first assist in a 3-2 win over Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC (April 29). He also appeared in two matches for S2 as a member of Sounders FC Academy in 2016.

**PERSONAL**

A native of Kapolei, Hawaii, Hopeau enjoys surfing and his favorite emoji is the shaka emoji. Hopeau joined Sounders FC Academy after playing for Hawaii Rush.

**38 MF AZRIEL GONZALEZ**

**Height:** 5-9  
**Weight:** 145  
**Born:** May 24, 2001  
**Hometown:** Las Vegas, Nevada



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2018 (S2):** Scored his first professional goal against Rio Grande Valley FC, which was the match-winner (April 14).

**2017 (S2):** Gonzalez made his USL debut in a reserve role in a 3-2 home loss against San Antonio FC on April 25, 2017. He recorded his first professional assist in a 3-0 win over the LA Galaxy's USL side on June 3 at Starfire Stadium. In January, Gonzalez joined the First Team during preseason.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

In October of 2016, Gonzalez played for the United States U-16 squad during a tournament in France. He also participated in the International Dream Cup, a tournament that took place in Japan in June 2017.

**YOUTH EXPERIENCE**

Since joining Sounders FC's Academy when he was 13, Gonzalez shined at the youth level – oftentimes playing above his age group. He scored 11 goals in 19 appearances for Sounders FC U-16 this past season, while adding a goal in four matches for the U-18 side.

**50 MF MARLON VARGAS**

**Height:** 5-4  
**Weight:** 135  
**Born:** January 12, 2001  
**Hometown:** Bakersfield, California



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2018 (S2):** Vargas made his S2 debut against Portland Timbers 2 on May 12. He started and took two shots in 55 minutes of play.

He was signed by Seattle on May 11, 2018.

**PERSONAL**

Vargas was a Sounders FC Academy product since 2016 and was initially signed from partner club Central California Aztecs earlier that year. He became the fourth player born in 2001-02 to sign a professional contract with S2.

**71 F DAVID OLSEN**

**Height:** 6-0  
**Weight:** 180  
**Born:** February 5, 1996  
**Hometown:** Auburn, Washington



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2017 (S2):** Olsen made his professional debut in a season-opening loss to Sacramento Republic FC (March 26). He scored his first career goal in a 3-1 loss to Real Monarchs SLC (April 22).

**COLLEGE EXPERIENCE**

The forward spent two seasons at Seattle University after scoring seven goals as a freshman at San Diego State. In 2015, the Seattle native led Division I with 16 goals for his hometown Redhawks, then added four more scoring tallies in 2016.

**PERSONAL**

The Sounders FC Academy product attended Thomas Jefferson High School in Auburn. His favorite soccer player is Ronaldinho and he enjoys playing basketball. Olsen's favorite part of Seattle is the big-city atmosphere.

**74 F DAVID ESTRADA**

**Height:** 5-8  
**Weight:** 160  
**Born:** February 4, 1988  
**Hometown:** Salinas, California



**PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

Charlotte Independence (2016-2017), Orange County Blues (2015), Sacramento Republic FC (2015), D.C. United (2014), Seattle Sounders FC (2010-2014), Atlanta Silverbacks (loan, 2014), Charlotte Eagles (loan, 2014)

**2017:** Recorded five goals in 31 games for the Charlotte Independence, including 26 starts.

**2016:** Played in 31 games for the Charlotte Independence, including 29 starts, and scored six goals and added two assists.

**2015:** Appeared in 26 games for Orange County Blues and Sacramento Republic FC, including 24 starts, and recorded three goals and six assists.

**2014:** Scored one goal and recorded one assist in five games for the Charlotte Eagles.

**77 MF FRANCISCO NARBON**

**Height:** 5-9  
**Weight:** 150  
**Born:** February 11, 1995  
**Hometown:** Panama City, Panama



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2017 (S2):** Played in 24 games for S2 and made 22 starts. Scored one goal and had one assist.

**2016 (FC Cincinnati):** Made four appearances with FC Cincinnati.

**COLLEGE EXPERIENCE**

The midfielder spent one season at James Madison University, where he made 16 appearances for the Dukes.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

A native of Panama City, Narbon has made two appearances for Panama's national team.

**PERSONAL**

Growing up, Narbon's favorite players were Zinedine Zidane and Xabi Alonso. His favorite snack is ice cream and he enjoys playing tennis and golf.

**80 MF RAY SERRANO**

**Height:** 5-7  
**Weight:** 125  
**Born:** May 9, 2002  
**Hometown:** Moses Lake, Washington



**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

In May of 2017, Serrano received an invitation to the U.S. Soccer Boys National Team Futures Camp. Serrano received his first of two call-ups to the U.S. U-17 Youth National Team for the Nike Friendlies, appearing in all three matches against Holland, Brazil and England. After impressing the coaching staff with his creativity and direct attacking style, Serrano was invited to the inaugural U.S. Soccer Youth National Team Summit Camp in January.

**YOUTH EXPERIENCE**

In the Summer of 2016, Serrano joined the Seattle Sounders Academy from the club's Eastern Washington official partner, the Spokane Sounders. He initially signed with the U-15s, but after impressing with the U-17s at the Generation adidas Cup in October of 2016, he was moved up to the older squad for the remainder of the 2016-2017 season. In the current 2017-2018 USSDA season, Serrano has tallied 17 goals and six assists in 17 appearances for the U-17 squad.

**87 F ALFONSO OCAMPO-CHAVEZ**

**Height:** 5-9  
**Weight:** 140  
**Born:** March 25, 2002  
**Hometown:** Merced, California



**YOUTH EXPERIENCE**

**2018:** Ocampo-Chavez played for the Sounders FC U-17 squad and U-19 side before signing with S2.

**PERSONAL**

Ocampo-Chavez was signed by S2 on April 10, 2018.

**88 MF RAY SAARI**

**Height:** 5-6  
**Weight:** 148  
**Born:** April 18, 1995  
**Hometown:** Kansas City, Missouri



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2017 (S2):** Saari started 26 of 27 appearances and recorded two goals and four assists in his first professional season. He made his professional debut in a 2-1 loss to Sacramento Republic FC (March 26). He recorded two assists in a 2-1 victory over LA Galaxy II (April 15).

**COLLEGE EXPERIENCE**

As a sophomore at the University of Tulsa in 2014, Saari scored a team-high six goals and was named to The American All-Conference Second Team. As a senior, Saari converted the winning attempt in a penalty-kick shootout to give Tulsa its third consecutive conference title.

**PERSONAL**

Outside of soccer, Saari enjoys fishing, reading and playing with his dog. His favorite thing about Seattle is Pike Place Market.

**92 D RODRIGUE ELE**

**Height:** 6-0  
**Weight:** 160  
**Born:** March 2, 1998  
**Hometown:** Yaounde, Cameroon



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2017 (S2):** Ele made his USL debut in a 2-1 win at LA Galaxy II (April 15). He joined S2 after playing for Cameroon's Rainbow Bamenda FC alongside teammate Felix Chenkam.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Ele is currently a member of Cameroon's U-20 squad.

**89 M JESSE DALEY**

**Height:** 5-10  
**Weight:** 154  
**Born:** October 16, 1997  
**Hometown:** Brisbane, Australia



**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2018 (S2):** Daley made his S2 debut against Portland Timbers 2 (May 12). He played 24 minutes after entering the match as a substitute in the second half.

**2018 (Queensland):** Recorded four goals and one assist in five appearances.

**PERSONAL**

Daley was signed by S2 on May 1, 2018 from Queensland Lions FC in Brisbane, Australia.

**98 MF ANTONEE BURKE-GILROY**

**Height:** 5-10  
**Weight:** 150  
**Born:** October 3, 1997  
**Hometown:** Denmark Hill, United Kingdom

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2018:** Was a member of the Newcastle Jets A-League club as a full-time scholarship player.

**2017:** Was on a six-month loan to Academica Coimbra in Portugal from January to June.

**PERSONAL**

Burke-Gilroy was signed by S2 on May 1, 2018 from the Newcastle Jets in Newcastle, Australia.

**99****F****FELIX CHENKAM****Height:** 5-6**Weight:** 165**Born:** December 28, 1998**Hometown:** Douala, Cameroon**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2018 (S2):** Chenkam was named to the USL Team of the Week for Week 5 after posting a brace in a 3-2 victory against Rio Grande Valley FC at Cheney Stadium in Tacoma (April 14).

**2017 (S2):** Chenkam made his USL debut on March 26, 2017 in a reserve role against Sacramento Republic FC. He was named to the USL Team of the Week in Week 6 after a two-goal effort in a 3-2 win over Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC (April 29). He signed with S2 after previously competing for Rainbow Bamenda FC in his native country of Cameroon.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Chenkam is currently a member of Cameroon's U-20 squad.

**PERSONAL**

Growing up, Chenkam's favorite player was Samuel Eto'o. His favorite meal is chicken with tomato sauce and he enjoys playing tennis.