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PITTSBURGH RIVERHOUNDS SC (0-0-0) AT LOUISVILLE CITY FC (1-0-0)

Sunday, July 12, 2020 >> 5 p.m. ET >> Lynn Family Stadium >> Louisville, KY

TALE OF THE TAPE





PITTSBURGH LOUISVILLE Record Group Standing

0-0-0	Record	1-0-0
t-3rd	Group Standing	3rd
0-0-0	Last Five	1-0-0
-	Streak	W1
Bob Lilley	Head Coach	John Hackworth
@RiverhoundsSC	Twitter Handles	@loucityfc
Referee		Eric Tattersall
All-Time Head-to-H		3-6-4
		Eric Tattersall
Assistants		
	Jeffrey Swartz	el, Chris Schurfranz
Fourth Official		
		Yousset Elmessoussi
Injuries		
	Steevan Dos	
	Mark L	indstrom - Out (leg)

STAT COMPARISON

Hounds	Category	Louisville
-	Scoring Average	1.00
-	Opponent Scoring Average	0.00
-	Goals Forced	1
-	Goals Allowed	0
-	Goal Differential	+1
-	Assists	0
-	Shots/Game	14.00
-	SOG/Game	5.00
-	Yellow Cards	0
-	Red Cards	0

TEAM LEADERS

Hounds	Category	Louisville
-	Goals	Cameron Lancaster, 1
-	Assists	-
-	Points	Cameron Lancaster, 2
-	Shots	Cameron Lancaster, 6
-	Minutes	Eight tied, 90
-	Yellow Cards	-
-	Red Cards	-
-	GAA	Ben Lundt, 0.00
-	SV%	Ben Lundt, 1.000

GAME 1 - QUICK HITTERS

- Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC (0-0-0 overall, 0-0-0 away) will open its 2020 schedule against Louisville City FC (1-0-0 overall, 0-0-0 home). This will mark the first-ever match at Louisville's newly built Lynn Family Stadium.
- The teams last met in the 2019 Eastern Conference semifinals, where Louisville defeated Pittsburgh, 2-1, in extra time at Highmark Stadium.
- The Hounds hold an all-time record of 3-1-1 in away games at Louisville. This includes a current two-game winning streak.
- Currently, Pittsburgh holds a one-game losing streak in season openers. The squad lost its 2019 season opener at the Tampa Bay Rowdies, 2-0.
- In club history, Pittsburgh holds a 5-7-8 record in season
- Under head coach Bob Lilley, the Hounds hold a 0-1-1 record in season openers. In addition to the aforementioned Rowdies match, the Black and Gold tied Nashville SC, 0-0, in 2018 under the head coach.
- In addition, Pittsburgh has shut out opponents in half of its regular season matches under Lilley's direction (34 clean sheets in 68 regular season games).
- The Hounds return nine players from last season, a campaign that they finished as the No. 1 seed in the Eastern Conference. Two of these nine players earned All-League honors in 2019 (Kenardo Forbes and Thomas Vancaeyezeele).
- Pittsburgh also brings back both of its outside backs. Jordan Dover started all 25 of his appearances last year and Ryan James appeared in every 2019 match.
- Second-year player Robbie Mertz made his professional debut last season in Louisville on April 6, 2019.
- The Black and Gold is unbeaten in its last 11 regular season matches (8-0-3).

2020 SCHEDULE & RECORD

Home: 0-0-0 • Away: 0-0-0 • Non-League Play: 0-0-0

Sun. Sat.	12 18	@Louisville City FC@Philadelphia Union II	ESPN2 WPNT	5 p. 7:30 p.
Wed. Sun.	22 26	Indy Eleven @New York Red Bulls II	ESPN2 WPNT	7 p. 5 p.
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Sat. Sat.	1 8	Philadelphia Union II New York Red Bulls II	WPNT WPNT	7 p.
Sat.	8 15	@Indy Eleven	WPNT	7 p.
Wed.	19	@Loudoun United FC	ESPN+	7 p. 7 p.
Sat.	22	Saint Louis FC	WPNT	7 p.ι
Fri.	28	@Hartford Athletic	ESPN+	7 p.i
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Tue.	1	Loudoun United FC	ESPN+	7 p.
Sun.	6	@New York Red Bulls II	WPNT	5 p.
Sat.	12	Hartford Athletic	WPNT	7 p.
Sat.	19	@Loudoun United FC	WPNT	6:30 p.
Sat.	26	Hartford Athletic	WPNT	7 p.i

*Times, dates and locations subject to change

Philadelphia Union II

WPNT

7 p.m.

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SUPERLATIVES

Hounds High	Hounds Low		Opp High	Opp Low
-	-	Points	-	-
-	-	Goals	-	-
-	-	Assists	_	-
_	-	Shots	_	-
-	-	SOG	_	-
_	-	Saves	_	-
_	-	Fouls	_	-

MILESTONE TRACKER

- Ropapa Mensah is four points away from 50 career USL Championship points.
- Steevan Dos Santos is three points away from 100 career USL Championship points.

CLUB NOTABLES

Most Appearances	David Flavius (183)
All-Time Goals Leader	David Flavius (58)
All-Time Assists Leader	Kevin Kerr (27)
All-Time Record at Highmark Stadium	52-35-34

Last Game Summary Riverhounds SC 0, Toronto FC II 0 Preseason • Highmark Stadium • March 7, 2020

Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC tied Toronto FC II, 0-0, this afternoon at Highmark Stadium in its final preseason match. Goalkeeper Tomas Gomez recorded the clean sheet for the Hounds. Pittsburgh finishes this preseason with a 2-2-4 record.



QUICK FACTS

General Information

Name: Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC City/Zip: Pittsburgh, PA 15219 Founded: March 11, 1998 Nickname: Hounds

Colors: Black & Gold

Conference: USL Championship Eastern Conference

Venue: Highmark Stadium Capacity: 5,000

Owner: Tuffy Shallenberger Website: www.riverhounds.com

RECORD WHEN...

At home	0-0-0
On road	
In games decided by one goal	0-0
In games decided by two goals or more	0-0
vs. clubs with winning records	0-0-0
vs. clubs with losing records	
vs. clubs with .500 records	0-0-0
Scoring first	
Leading at half	
Trailing at half	0-0-0
Tied at half	0-0-0
Leading with 10:00 remaining	0-0-0
Trailing with 10:00 remaining	0-0-0
Tied with 10:00 remaining	0-0-0
Leading with 5:00 remaining	0-0-0
Trailing with 5:00 remaining	0-0-0
Tied with 5:00 remaining	0-0-0
Outshooting opponent	
Being outshot by opponent	
Tying in shots with opponent	0-0-0
Scoring no goals	0-0-0
Scoring one goal	
Scoring two goals	
Scoring three goals	
Scoring four or more goals	
Allowing no goals	
Allowing one goal	
Allowing two goals	
Allowing three goals	0-0-0
Allowing four or more goals	0-0-0
On weekdays	
On weekends	
In March	
In April	
In May	
In June	
In July	
In August	
In September	
In October	0-0-0

Miscellaneous

Current Streak
Home Streak
Road Streak
Consecutive games with a goal
Consecutive games allowing one goal or less

ACTIVE ROSTER

Roster Size: 23 • Returners: 9 • Newcomers: 14

NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	Hometown (Previous Club)
1	Danny Vitiello	GK	6-2	185	24	Massapequa, N.Y. (Nashville SC)
2	Mark Lindstrom*	D	6-3	200	24	Gavle, Gastrikland, Sweden (UNCW)
3	Ropapa Mensah	F	6-0	170	22	Accra, Ghana (Nashville SC)
4	Dani Rovira	M	5-9	145	23	Bogota, Colombia (University of Vermont)
5	Jordan Dover	D	5-8	150	25	Ajax, Ontario, Canada (Rochester Rhinos)
6	Xhelil Asani	D	6-1	165	24	Kičevo, North Macedonia (SKA Khabarovsk)
7	Ryan James	D	5-8	155	26	Mississauga, Ontario, Canada (Nashville SC)
8	Dakota Barnathan	M	6-2	165	25	Massapequa, N.Y. (Ottawa Fury FC)
9	Albert Dikwa	F	5-11	161	22	Garoua, Cameroon (Saint Louis FC)
10	Steevan Dos Santos	F	6-4	208	30	Mindelo, Cape Verde (Ottawa Fury FC)
11	Kenardo Forbes	М	5-10	165	32	Kingston, Jamaica (Rochester Rhinos)
12	Danny Griffin*	М	5-9	165	21	Wethersfield, Conn. (Providence College)
14	Robbie Mertz	M	5-7	150	23	Pittsburgh, Pa. (University of Michigan)
<u>15</u>	Anthony Velarde	M	5-7	160	24	Reedley, Calif. (Fresno Pacific University)
16	Mark Forrest	F	6-3	195	23	Douglassville, Pa. (Lehigh University)
17	Thomas Vancaeyezeele	D	5-11	180	25	Caen, France (University of Charleston)
18	Tomas Gomez	GK	6-1	196	27	Webster Groves, Mo. (Saint Louis FC)
20	Tony Walls	D	5-11	185	30	Wauwatosa, Wis. (Chattanooga Red Wolves SC)
21	Patrick Bunk-Andersen	D	6-2	172	25	Hvidovre, Denmark (Toronto FC II)
22	Hunter Ashworth*	D	6-5	180	22	Laguna Beach, Calif. (UCSB)
24	Anthony Mwembia*	GK	6-2	191	24	Toulouse, France (Bowling Green State University)
33	Lukas Fernandes*	F	5-10	165	22	Rochester, N.Y. (Temple University)
34	Skylar Thomas	D	6-4	198	26	Scarborough, Ontario, Canada (Valour FC)

ALPHABETICAL

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22	Hunter Ashworth*	D	6-5	180	22	Laguna Beach, Calif. (UCSB)
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TECHNICAL STAFF

Head Coach: Bob Lilley Assistant Coach: Dan Visser Goalkeeping Coach: Ross Cain

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

XHELIL ASANI	JA-LEEL A-SAAN-EE
Dakota BARNATHAN	BAR-NUH-THUN
Albert DIKWA	DEEK-WA
TOMAS GOMEZ	TOE-MAS GO-MEZ
ROPAPA MENSAH	ROH-PAH-PUH MEN-SUH
Anthony MWEMBIA	MWEM-BEE-A
Thomas VANCAEYEZEELE	VAN-KAY-YAH-ZEEL
Anthony VELARDE	VEY-LAR-DEH
Danny VITIELLO	VIT-EE-EL-OH

* Rookie

PLAYER STATISTICS

No.	Name	GP	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG	FC	T	CL	PK	PKG	YC	RC
2	Mark Lindstrom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Ropapa Mensah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Dani Rovira	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Jordan Dover	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Xhelil Asani	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Ryan James	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Dakota Barnathan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Albert Dikwa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Steevan Dos Santos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Kenardo Forbes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Danny Griffin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Robbie Mertz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Anthony Velarde	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Mark Forrest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Thomas Vancaeyezeele	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Tony Walls	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Patrick Bunk-Andersen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Hunter Ashworth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Lukas Fernandes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Skylar Thomas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

GOALKEEPERS

No.	Name	GP	MIN	GA	SV	PKSV	SV%	GAA
1	Danny Vitiello	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	Tomas Gomez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Anthony Mwembia	-	_	_	_	-	-	-

TEAM STATISTICS

l	G	Α	SH*	SOG	CK	OFF	FC	YC	RC	PK	PKG	OG	GA	SV	POS%
TOTAL:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AV/G:	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

^{*}Includes blocked shots

REGULAR SEASON LEAGUE HONORS

N/A

EASTERN CONFERENCE GROUP STANDINGS

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Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
Saint Louis FC	1	1-0-0	3	4	1	+3
Indy Eleven	1	1-0-0	3	4	2	+2
Louisville City FC	1	1-0-0	3	1	0	+1
Sporting Kansas City	1	0-1-0	0	1	2	-1

Group F

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
Loudoun United FC	1	0-0-1	1	0	0	0
Philadelphia Union II	1	0-0-1	1	0	0	0
Hartford Athletic	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0
New York Red Bulls II	1	0-1-0	0	0	1	-1

Group G

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
Charlotte Independence	1	1-0-0	3	2	1	+1
Birmingham Legion FC	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina FC	1	0-1-0	0	0	1	-1
Memphis 901 FC	1	0-1-0	0	2	4	-2

Group H

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
Charleston Battery	1	1-0-0	3	1	0	+1
Tampa Bay Rowdies	1	1-0-0	3	1	0	+1
Atlanta United 2	1	0-1-0	0	0	1	-1
The Miami FC	1	0-1-0	0	1	4	-3

Standings current as of 7/10

Top two teams in each group advance to postseason

PITTSBURGH RIVERHOUNDS SC

GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

Opponent	W/L/T	G	Δ	PTS	SH	SOG	POSS	PA%	СК	OFF	FC	PK	PKG	YC	RC	OG
HOUNDS	VV/L/1	<u> </u>	A	F13	3П	300	FO33	FA/6	CN	OFF	FC	FK	FKG	TC_	- KC	0
@Louisville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HOUNDS	_															
@Philadelphia																
@HOUNDS																
ndy																
HOUNDS	_		_				_					_	_			_
New York		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
9HOUNDS	_		-	-		_	-		-	-	-	_	-	-		-
Philadelphia		_	_	_	_	_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_
lew York		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
IOUNDS	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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IOUNDS	_	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	-	_	_	-	_	-
Loudoun		_	-	_	-	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
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HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
@Hartford		_	-	-	_	_	_	_	-	_	-	_	_	-	_	-
HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New York		_					_	_	-				_			_
HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
artford																
HOUNDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia				_	_	_	_	-	_	-	_	_	-	_	_	

*PITTSBURGH RIVERHOUNDS SC *



July 12: @Louisville City FC	July 18: @Philadelphia Union II	July 22: vs. Indy Eleven	July 26: @New York Red Bulls II	Aug. 1: vs. Philadelphia Union II
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Aug. 8: vs. New York Red Bulls II	Aug. 15: @Indy Eleven	Aug. 19: @Loudoun United FC	Aug. 22: vs. Saint Louis FC	Aug. 28: @Hartford Athletic
Sept. 1: vs. Loudoun United FC	Sept. 6: @New York Red Bulls II	Sept. 12: vs. Hartford Athletic	Sept. 19: @Loudoun United FC	Sept. 26: vs. Hartford Athletic
Oct. 3: vs. Philadelphia Union II				

TECHNICAL STAFF

HEAD COACH BOB LILLEY



Experience: Enters 20th season (third with PIT)

Date Hired: November 14, 2017

Hometown: Fort Monmouth, New Jersey

Alma Mater: George Mason University (1987)

Accolades: 2015 USL Cup Champion 2006 USL-1 Champion USL Hall of Fame Five-time Coach of the Year

Announced as the club's 10th head coach in its history on Nov. 14, 2017, Bob Lilley will enter his third season at the helm for Riverhounds SC

In 2019, Lilley led the club to a 19-4-11 regular season record, which totals the most single-season wins in team history, and the USL Championship Eastern Conference regular season championship. The club also made the postseason in 2018, when it hosted the first-ever playoff match at Highmark Stadium. Lilley has posted a 34-9-25 regular season record with the Hounds, including shutting out opponents in 34 of these 68 matches.

Lilley came to Pittsburgh after coaching the USL Championship-side Rochester Rhinos, which he led during two separate stints (2014-17 and 2010-11). In his six seasons with the Rhinos, Lilley compiled an 82-39-51 regular season record, which includes a 2015 mark of 17-1-10 en route to winning Coach of the Year honors and the USL Cup. He also was named Coach of the Year in 2010, when Rochester won the USSF Division 2 Professional League regular season title. The Rhinos made the playoffs in every season under Lilley and achieved at least a fourth-round finish in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup from 2014-17.

Before joining the Rhinos ahead of their 2010 season, Lilley spent the 2007-08 campaign as head coach of the Detroit Ignition of the Major Indoor Soccer League (MISL). He earned Coach of the Year honors, as the Ignition logged a 22-8 record and won the league's regular season championship.

For three seasons (2005-07), Lilley served as head coach for the Vancouver Whitecaps of the USL First Division. While with the club, he guided the Whitecaps to a 33-20-31 overall regular season record and a league championship in 2006.

From 2002-03, Lilley was the head coach for the Montreal Impact of the USL A-League. He directed the club to the playoffs both years and Hometown: amassed a regular season record of 32-15-9, in addition to winning Coach of the Year honors in 2003.

The Fort Monmouth, New Jersey native began his head-coaching career with the Hershey Wildcats, which he led from 1997-01. In his five seasons with the USL A-League club, he compiled an 86-46-6 overall regular season record and was named Coach of the Year in 1997, his first-ever campaign as a head coach. Hershey made the playoffs each season with Lilley at the helm, including a trip to the A-League final in 2001

Across his 19 seasons of head-coaching experience at every level, Lilley holds an all-time record of 289-137-122, has logged at least a .500 winning percentage during each regular season and has led his team into the postseason every year. He also has won two league titles and earned Coach of the Year honors five times. In 2010, he was inducted into the USL Hall of Fame as a coach.

Lilley played professionally with the Orlando Lions of the American Soccer League from 1989-90 (two seasons) and the Maryland Bays of the American Professional Soccer League in 1991 (one season). He also played professional indoor soccer with the Hershey Impact of the National Professional Soccer League (NPSL) from 1988-91 (three seasons), the Harrisburg Heat of the NPSL from 1991-97 (six seasons) and the Pittsburgh Stingers of the Continental Indoor Soccer League in 1994 (one season).

From 1984-87, Lilley played collegiately at George Mason University, where he was a four-year starter and team captain. He was inducted into the George Mason Men's Soccer Hall of Fame in 2011.



ASSISTANT COACH DAN VISSER

- Fourth-full season with club
- Joined the staff in July 2016
- West Chester, Pennsylvania native

Dan Visser enters his fourth-full season as an assistant coach with Riverhounds SC after originally joining the club in July 2016.

Prior to arriving in Pittsburgh, Visser served as an assistant coach at the United States Naval Academy during its 2015 campaign. The Midshipmen finished this season with an 8-9-1 overall record.

From 2013-14, Visser was head coach at Eastern Nazarene College in Quincy, Massachusetts. The Lions held a 3-14-0 record during his first year and improved to 5-12-1 during his second season at the helm.

Visser began his coaching career at the NCAA Division III level, serving as an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator at Eastern University in St. Davids, Pennsylvania. During his two years at Eastern, the Eagles compiled a 21-11-2 record and had 11 student-athletes earn All-Conference honors.

The West Chester, Pennsylvania native played collegiately as a midfielder at Messiah College for four seasons before graduating in 2008. During this period, the team won three national championships and accumulated an 89-6-2 record. The two-time team captain also received Regional All-America honors in 2007.



GOALKEEPING COACH

- First season with club
- Joined the staff in February 2020
- Rochester, Minnesota native

Goalkeeping coach Ross Cain joins Riverhounds SC for the 2020 season, his first campaign with the club.

Cain served as the goalkeeping coach with Sporting Kansas City II during the 2019 USL Championship campaign. Before arriving with Sporting Kansas City II, he spent a season as the goalkeeping coach with Northern Illinois University in 2018.

Cain played collegiately as a goalkeeper at University of Illinois-Chicago from 2002-05 and stayed with the program as an assistant coach in 2006 before becoming the director of operations for an additional four seasons. The Rochester, Minnesota native then later returned to the Flames as the men's soccer goalkeeper coach from 2015-17.

From 2006-10, Cain was a staff coach at Chicago United FC. During his tenure with the amateur side, he worked with numerous goalkeepers who would go on to professional careers, including Stefan Cleveland, Tim Dobrowolski, Mitch Hildebrandt, Zac Lubin and Richard Sanchez.

RIVERHOUNDS

BROADCAST NOTES



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DANNY VITIELLO

	GP/GS	W/L/T	S	GA	GAA	SV%
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-



- Spent 2019 with Nashville SC, no GP
- 60 GP, 24 CS at Albany (2014-18)
- 10 CS in 15 GP at Albany as a junior

Saves: H
GA: Clean Sheets: -



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MARK LINDSTROM

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	_	-	-	-	-	-

D • 6-3 • 200 • Gavle, Sweden

- Competed at UNCW from 2016-19
- 4x All-Colonial Athletic Association
- 2x All-Region

Minutes: -
Goals: -
Assists: -
Points: -
Shots: -
SOG: -



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ROPAPA MENSAH

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	_	-	-	-	-	

F • 6-0 • 170 • Accra, Ghana

- Club second-best 6 G with NSH in 2019
- 7 G, 2 A w/ PEN in '17 (highest-scoring season)
- U-23 Ghana NT for 2019 Africa Cup of Nations



Minutes:

Goals: -

Assists:

Points: -

Minutes: -



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DANI ROVIRA

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	_	_	-	-	-	-	

M • 5-9 • 145 • Bogota, Colombia

- 8 GP with PIT as rookie in 2019
- Played at University of Vermont (2017-18)
- 33 GP (23 starts) with Vermont





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JORDAN DOVER

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	_	-	-	_	-	_

D • 5-8 • 150 • Ajax, ON

- Started all 25 GP with PIT in 2019
- 55 career games played (54 starts) with PIT
- Competed for Guyana NT during 2019 Gold Cup





XHELIL ASANI

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	_	-	_	_	_	_	_

D • 6-1 • 165 • Kičevo, North Macedonia

- Spent 2019 with SKA Khabarovsk in Russia
- Eight pro seasons spent in Europe
- Has played in six different European countries



SOG: -



RYAN JAMES

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	

D • 5-8 • 155 • Mississauga, ON

- Career-high 5 A with PIT in 2019
- Started 31 of 34 GP with PIT in 2019
- No. 52 pick in 2016 MLS SuperDraft (Kansas City)





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DAKOTA BARNATHAN

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	_	

M • 6-2 • 165 • Massapequa, NY

- Career-high 24 GP with OTT in 2019
- Recorded first pro points with OTT in 2019 (2 A)
- Played role in SKC II advancing to 2017 final



SOG: -

Minutes:

Goals: -Assists: -



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ALBERT DIKWA

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

F • 5-11 • 161 • Garoua, Cameroon

- Currently not with club due to travel restrictions
- 66 GP and 7 G in USL Championship
- 6 GP for U-20 Cameroon National Team





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STEEVAN DOS SANTOS

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

F • 6-4 • 208 • Mindelo, Cape Verde

- Led PIT with 71 shots in 2019
- 97 career USL Championship points
- 136 career GP in USL Championship

Minutes: Goals: Assists: -

Shots: -

SOG: -



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KENARDO FORBES

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

M • 5-10 • 165 • Kingston, Jamaica

- 2019 MVP Finalist
- 3x All-League (2016, 2018, 2019)
- Sixth in club history with 17 assists



Minutes:



DANNY GRIFFIN

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

M • 5-9 • 165 • Wethersfield, CT

- No. 49 pick in 2020 MLS SuperDraft (Columbus)
- Competed at Providence from 2016-19
- Started all 80 GP at Providence

5	Goals: -
i	Assists: -
4	Points: -
ζ	Shots: -
כ	SOG: -



ROBBIE MERTZ

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	_	_	-	_	_

M • 5-7 • 150 • Pittsburgh, PA

- Led PIT midfield with 6 G in 2019
- 2x Team of the Week in 2019
- No. 76 pick in 2019 MLS SuperDraft (Colorado)





ANTHONY VELARDE

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

M • 5-7 • 160 • Reedley, CA

- 25 GP as rookie with PIT in 2019
- 3 G and 4 A in 2019
- First-Team All-America at Fresno Pacific (2018)



Goals: -

Assists:



MARK FORREST

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	_	-	

F • 6-3 • 195 • Douglassville, PA

- No. 1 seed-clinching GW goal in 2019 finale
- No. 77 pick in 2019 MLS SuperDraft (Chicago)
- 2x Patriot League OPOY at Lehigh (2017, 2018)



Points:

Shots: -SOG:



THOMAS VANCAEYEZEELE

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	_	-	-	-

D • 5-11 • 180 • Caen, France

- 1x All-League (2019)
- Single-season club record 2,909 MIN in 2018
- French Guiana NT in 2019 Nations League



TOMAS GOMEZ

	GP/GS	W/L/T	S	GA	GAA	SV%
2020	-	-	-	-	-	_

GK • 6-1 • 196 • Webster Groves, MO

- 2x Golden Gloves (2016, 2017)
- 30 CS in 77 GP in USL Championship
- No. 60 pick in 2015 MLS SuperDraft (Columbus)





TONY WALLS

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

D • 5-11 • 185 • Wauwatosa, WI

- Spent '19 with Chattanooga of USL League One
- Captained Lilley's 2015 title-winning ROC team
- Helped STL to its first-ever playoff match in 2018



Minutes: Goals: -

Assists: -



PATRICK BUNK-ANDERSEN

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

D • 6-2 • 172 • Hvidovre, Denmark

- Currently not with club due to travel restrictions
- Led Toronto FC II with 2,475 MIN in 2019
- No. 54 pick in 2019 MLS SuperDraft (Toronto)





HUNTER ASHWORTH

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

D • 6-5 • 180 • Laguna Beach, CA

- UCSB product enters rookie season
- 4 GP for U-20 New Zealand NT
- 3 GP for U-17 New Zealand NT





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ANTHONY MWEMBIA

	GP/GS	W/L/T	S	GA	GAA	SV%
2020	-	-	-	-	-	



- Bowling Green product enters rookie season
- Captained BGSU to 2019 MAC Tourney Final
- 2x All-MAC First Team (2016, 2019)





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LUKAS FERNANDES

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

F • 5-10 • 165 • Rochester, NY

- Temple University product enters rookie season
- Led Temple in points as a junior and senior
- 2x All-American Athletic Conference (2018, 2019)





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SKYLAR THOMAS

	GP/GS	MIN	G	Α	PTS	SH	SOG
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

D • 6-4 • 198 • Scarborough, ON

- 95 career GP in USL Championship
- No. 11 pick in 2015 MLS SuperDraft (Toronto)
- 5 GP and 1 G with U-23 Canada National Team
- Minutes: Goals: Assists Points Shots SOG -