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OKC ENERGY FC

VS

ORANGE COUNTY SC

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017 // 7:00 PM CT TAFT STADIUM // OKLAHOMA CITY

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MATCH PREVIEW

ENERGY FC 1w 4L 1D ORANGE COUNTY SC 3w 2L 1D

DATE / TIME: SAT / MAY 20, 2017 / 7:00 PM
LOCATION: ENERGY FC FIELD AT TAFT STADIUM

ENERGY MATCH: #7 HOME MATCH: #3

WATCH LIVE: ENERGYFC.TV

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Energy FC takes on Orange County SC for the first time this season. The teams will meet again in Orange County on August 25.

In Energy FC's last USL regular season match on May 13, the team played to a scoreless draw through the first half. In the 50th minute, Phoenix Rising midfielder Jason Johnson staked Phoenix Rising to a 1-0 lead. In a hard-fought match, each team had opportunities to score, including a hit post by Miguel Gonzalez late in the 2nd half. Energy FC earned a PK when Philip Rasmussen was taken down in the box in the 3rd minute of five minutes of stoppage time. Kyle Hyland scored to tie the match at one and appear to send the teams to a draw. After the ensuing kickoff, Phoenix Rising maintained control, worked the ball toward the scoring area and with literally seconds left, Shaun Wright-Phillips scored to give Phoenix Risina FC a dramatic 2-1 win.

After an extended time between matches...one regular season match in 31 days...Energy FC returns to play with a vengence, playing three matches in the span of seven days. A Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup match on May 17 against Moreno Valley FC (UPSL) followed by regular season matches on May 20 against Orange County and May 24 against Portland Timbers FC 2.

Energy FC enters this weekend's match with the second fewest matches played in the USL. The Rochester Rhinos have played only five matches, while Phoenix Rising FC, Reno 1868 FC and

Charlotte Independence have only played six. Compare that to Colorado Springs and Portland that have already played 10 matches this season.

This is the first meeting with Orange County SC. The previously-branded OC Blues have met Energy FC seven times in the last three seasons in USL regular season play. All-time, Energy FC owns a 4-2-1 mark and that Includes a 2-1-1 mark in Oklahoma City.

It's that time of year when teams begin their play in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup. Last Wednesday, both Energy FC and the U23s played matches in the annual competition. Energy FC overcame a shaky start and downed Moreno Valley FC 5-1. Energy FC's PDL squad, tell behind early and fought valiantly in a 5-3 loss to the Tulsa Roughnecks FC in Tulsa. Energy FC now plays the Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC on May 31 in Round 3 of the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup.

Energy FC has had some challenges scoring goals this season. Through six matches, The Greens have mustered only four goals. Surprisingly, that is not the fewest in the league. The Richmond Klckers have also scored four goals through eight games and have a 2-4-2 mark with a goal differential of -2. Toronto FC has scored only two goals in eight matches and have a 1-4-3 mark with a goal differential of -7. By way of comparison, Real Monarchs SLC have scored 20 goals in eight matches with a goal differential of +12, while San Antoni FC have scored 19 goals and have a goal differential of +15 through nine matches.

QUICK KICKS

Worldwide Goal - During Energy FC's match on April 11, a flip throw by Michael Harris and bicycle-kick goal by Miguel Gonzalez resulted in worldwide attention for Energy FC and the USL. The goal, which was the only tally of the game, has been seen an estimated 20 million times across the world. Nearly every major network showed the goal on certain programming, including ESPN, FoxSports, CNN Headline News, CNN Worldwide, SkySports, Telemundo and BBC. The goal was ESPN's #1 play in the Top Ten on April 12 and was voted the top play for that week.

Longest Tenured Coach - Energy FC Head Coach Jimmy Nielsen is knee-deep in his fourth season with Energy FC, making him the longest tenured coach in the USI: Western Conference. He owns a 33-32-27 mark in USI: regular season contests and 38-35-27 mark that includes matches in the Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup.

U23's in action - Energy FC's U23 squad continues their regular season next Tuesday at home against Texas United SC at 4 p.m. at the soccer complex on the campus of the University of Central Oklahoma.

THE OPPONENT



ORANGE COUNTY SC

2017 RECORD: 3-2-7

LOCATION: Orange County, CA

HOME FIELD: Orange County Great Park

MLS AFFILIATE: LA Galaxy
HEAD COACH: Logan Pause

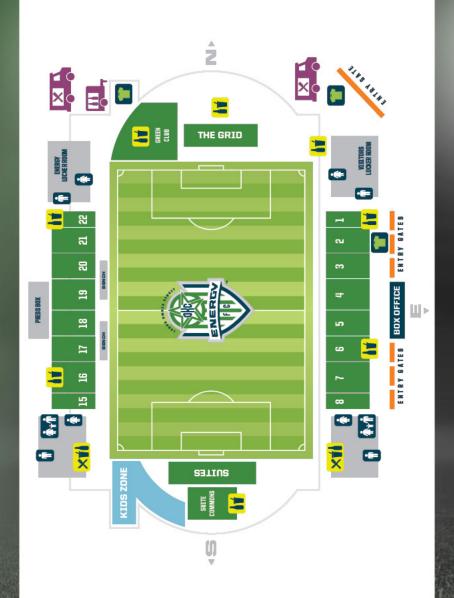
SEASON	N RESULTS / SCHEDULE	ALL TIMES ARE CST
3/ 25	@ Reno 1868	2-0 (W)
4/1	@ Sacramento Republic	4-0 (L)
4/8	@ Portland Timbers FC 2	2-1 (W)
4/22	@ LA Galaxy II	1-1 (D)
5/6	vs. LA Galaxy II	4-0 (W)
5/13	@ Tulsa Roughnecks	4-0 (L)
5/20	@ Energy FC	7 p.m.
6/3	vs. Real Monarchs SLC	9 p.m.
6/24	vs. Seattle Sounders FC 2	9 p.m.
7/1	vs. Portland Timbers FC 2	9 p.m.
7/8	vs. Phoenix Rising FC	9 p.m.
7/16	@ Seattle Sounders FC 2	4 p.m.
7/19	@ RGVFC	7 p.m.
7/22	vs. RGVFC	9 p.m.
7/29	vs. Vancouver Whitecaps FC 2	9 p.m.
8/2	@ LA Galaxy II	9:30 p.m.
8/5	@ San Antonio FC	7:30 p.m.
8/8	vs. Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC	9:30 p.m.
8/12	@ Swope Park Rangers	7:30 p.m.
8/15	vs. Tulsa Roughnecks FC	9:30 p.m.
8/18	vs. Phoenix Rising FC	9:30 p.m.
8/25	vs. Energy FC	9:30 p.m.
9/2	vs. Reno 1868 FC	9 p.m.
9/6	@ Phoenix Rising FC	9:30 p.m.
9/9	vs. Swope Park Rangers	9 p.m.
9/13	vs. San Antonio FC	9:30 p.m.
9/17	@ Vancouver Whitecaps FC 2	6 p.m.
9/22	@ Real Monarchs SLC	8 p.m.
9/30	@ Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC	7 p.m.
10/4	vs. Sacramento Republic FC	9:30 p.m.
10/7	vs. Reno 1868 FC	9:30 p.m.
10/13	@ Vancouver Whitecaps FC 2	9 p.m.



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^^^ TAFT MIDDLE SCHOOL BEFORE...

...AND AFTER.

What started in 2012 as an effort to rebuild and maintain 44 athletic fields for Oklahoma City Public Schools (OKCPS), has become something so much bigger than building fields. From day one, there was a belief that all children deserve a safe place to play and the chance to belong to something bigger than themselves – where important life lessons can be taught and lifetime friendships can be formed. But without a field, how could they play?

Fast forward to 2017 and now it's easy to see the big picture. With each new athletic field, students and communities feel a renewed sense of hope, pride and opportunity. Rosters are growing. Attendance and grades are improving. Coaches are staying. Schools are getting their swagger back. Parents and communities are re-engaging and home games are now the norm instead of the exception.

Athletics is once again proving to be a powerful connector and catalyst for positive, sustainable change. And perhaps best of all, statistics are reinforcing the belief if students play, they stay and if they stay, they graduate. For the 2015-2016 OKCPS school year, statistics show 99% of student-athletes graduated versus 81% of non-athletes. Imagine the long term impact! More students graduating means more young adults better prepared to pursue college and career aspirations with confidence and hope for a bright future.

And it starts with a safe place to play, a committed, caring coach and the resources to learn and compete.

1 FIELD, 1 COACH, 1 STUDENT AT A TIME

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Fields & Futures, working closely with OKCPS Athletics, the Wes Welker Foundation, Oklahoma Cleats for Kids, OKC Police Athletic League, OKC Parks and Recreation, Energy FC and others, is working hard to remove obstacles and provide children the opportunities and resources they deserve.

Energy FC co-owner Liz and Tim McLaughlin founded Fields & Futures with the belief sports can be a game changer and life changer for young students. So when you see \$2 of each Energy ticket donated to Fields & Futures, or you hear about Energy players and coaches working with young teams and players in the community to learn and grow the game, it's because we want to invest in a future where all children have the opportunity to play and benefit from all sports has to offer.

Thank you for your support!

>>> JEFFERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL PRACTICE



FAN CODE OF CONDUCT

To our Club, being a Green means that you're part of some of the most passionate fans in the United States and that you help serve as the face of our great city and club. It means that you are part of a larger mission of helping unite and build support for soccer in this great city.

As a whole, by demonstrating the OKC Standard, we will create new Greens. And at the same time, reflect the heart of the entire community.

MLS Code of Conduct

Actions that are unacceptable include, but are not limited, to:

- Physical harm or threats of physical harm to others
- Disrespectful and/or hateful public speech (verbally or online)
- Leading, participating, and/or encouraging in inappropriate chants
- Throwing any objects onto the field of play during a match

Every Green should expect to:

- Watch the game in a safe, clean and healthy environment.
- Be treated in a courteous, consistent and professional manner.
- Be treated with dignity and respect by other spectators attending the game and those organizing the event.
- = "Passionately support" the Energy, provided that the support is in good taste and neither adversely impacts the event experience of fellow spectators nor negatively impacts the game.
- Displays of good sportsmanship.
- Timely and accurate information related to the game.

It is up to every fan to display what it means to be a Green and to utilize the OKC Standard and to ensure everyone does as well. If you see individuals acting in a way that violates the OKC Standard, please inform them and us of their unacceptable behavior. Everyone must be held accountable for their individual actions.

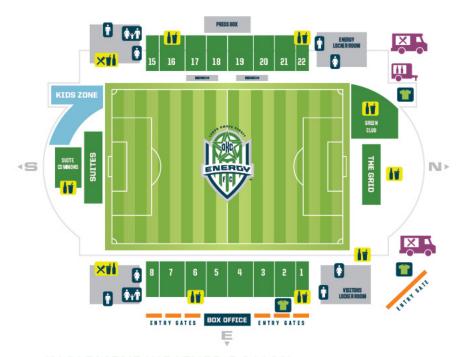
Slurs, derogatory language, physical harm and/or threats of physical harm towards anyone are completely unacceptable and will be dealt with in the strictest possible terms. Any Green who doesn't demonstrate the OKC Standard, whether at home or on the road, is subject to sanctions, including ejection, banishment, and arrest.

Our Energy comes from how we band together as one club, one city. We know that if the Greens believe in passionately supporting the team and embodying the OKC Standard, we will clearly display this club and City's greatness.

Every Green must be responsible for their own actions as we are responsible for protecting our organization and the reputation of our wonderful community.

CLICK HERE TO READ THE FULL CODE OF CONDUCT ON OUR WEBSITE.

TAFT STADIUM



INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

OKC Energy FC understands the games played outside are subject to changing weather conditions. OKC Energy FC games kick off at 7 p.m. and will be played as scheduled ... rain or shine. If there are weather concerns, fans will be notified at the game and given choices about what their plan of action should be.

POST MATCH AUTOGRAPHS

Following the game, fans are permitted to make their way to the west side track for a 15-minute autograph session with the players. The players will refire to the locker room to stretch and re-hydrate. Following that period of time, the players will return to the pitch. The clock starts when the first player makes their way onto the pitch.

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS?

FIND OUR FULL LIST OF FAQ'S AT WWW.ENERGYFC.COM/FAQ

CHANTS

OKC ENERGY

OOOOOO! KKKKKKKKKK! CCCCCC! ENERGY!

WHEN THE GREENS GO MARCHING IN

To The Tune of "When The Saints Go Marching In"

Oh When the Greens
Go Marching In
Oh When The Greens Go Marching in
How I want to be in that number
When the Greens Go Marching in
OH WHEN THE GREENS
(OH WHEN THE GREENS)
GO MARCHIN' IN
(GO MARCHIN' IN)
Oh When The Greens go marching in
How I want to be in that number
When the greens go marching in

JIMMY'S ARMY

To the tune of "I've Been Working on the Railroad"

We are part of Jimmy's army
Green until we die
We're a part of Jimmy's army
And we'll raise our glasses high
He will lead us all to glory
Come whatever may
We will follow him forever
We'll be singing all the way
Cheers!

ONE NIL TO THE ENERGY

Here is a good one if we score first and if we have a clean sheet going throughout the match for every goal we get.

One-nil! To the Energy! One-nil! To the Energy

OKLAHOMA

Starting shortly after kickoff of the 2nd half (between 45:15 and 45:30) the crowd will join together to sing "OOOOOO" holding it until the 46th minute. At exactly the 46th minute the crowd will sing "Oklahoma."

ATTACKING SET PIECES

To the tune of "Yankee Doodle"

Come on City, score a goal, it's really very simple,
Put the ball in to the goal and we'll go freak'n mental!
La la la la la la la ~~~ and we'll go freak'n mental

BIGGEST JIMMY IN THE WORLD

We've got the biggest Jimmy in the world!
We've got the biggest Jimmy in the world!
We've got the biggest Jimmy in the world!
We've got the biggest Jimmy in the worrrrrrrld!

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ROSTER

NO.	PLAYER	POS.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN
1	Charlie Lyon	GK	6'3"	205	St. Charles, IL
2	Oscar Sorto	D	5'10"	205	Los Angeles, CA
3	Joe Franco	D	5'8"	150	Monrovia. CA
4	Beto Navarro	D	6'1"	177	Delano, CA
5	Salomon Wbias	D	5'10"	163	Mexico City, Mexico
6	Victor Pineda	М	5'11"	165	Bolingbrook, IL
7	Richard Chaplow	М	5'10"	165	Accrington, England
8	Gustavo Villalobos	М	5'9"	165	North Hills, CA
9	Monday Etim	М	5'11"	170	Calabar, Nigeria
10	Carlos Alvarez	М	5'11"	170	Los Angeles, CA
11	Jerry Van Ewijk	М	5'6"	145	Arnhem, Netherlands
12	Sola Abolaji	D	6'1"	185	Chicago, IL
13	Juan Pablo Ocegueda	D	6'1"	177	Santa Ana, CA
14	Dusan Stevanovic	М	5'10"	160	Serbia
16	Amirgy Pineda	М	5'7"	150	Santa Ana, CA
17	Roy Meeus-Bond	D	5'11"	172	Lommel, Belgium
18	Duke Lacroix	F	5'9"	156	New Egypt, NJ
19	Wuilito Fernandes	F	6'0"	180	Praia, Cape Verde
22	Kevin Jeon	М	5'11"	169	Irvine, CA
23	Zach Kobayashi	М	5'10"	205	Dove Canyon, CA
25	Casey Beyers	GK	5'10"	205	Washington D.C.
26	Michael Suchy	GK	6'3"	195	Laguna Niguel CA





NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN
1	Cody Laurendi	GK	6'3"	235	Melbourne, FL
2	Richard Dixon	D	5'10"	175	Hanover, Jamaica
3	Kyle Hyland	D	5'7"	165	Bay Village, OH
4	Sam Fink	D	6'2"	205	Bridgeton, MO
5	Mickey Daly	D	6'2"	235	Sonoma, CA
7	Philip Rasmussen	М	6'0"	185	Copenhagen, Denmark
8	Juan Pablo Guzman	М	5'9"	152	Charlotte, NC
10	Miguel Gonzalez	F	5'8"	150	Michoacan, Mexico
11	Alex Dixon	М	5'8"	170	Bay City, TX
12	Daniel Gonzalez	М	5'11"	170	Yelm, WA
14	Jose Barril	М	6'0"	180	Madrid, Spain
16	Jacob Lissek	GK	6'2"	205	Highlands Ranch, CO
18	CJ Cochran	GK	6'4"	240	Alphareta, GA
19	Michael Harris	D	5'10"	175	Seattle, WA
20	Daniel Jackson	М	6'1"	195	Silver Spring, MD
21	Coy Craft	М	5'10"	150	Abingdon, VA
22	Anthony Wallace	D	6'1"	150	Brooklyn, NY
23	Luis Martinez	М	5'7"	140	Jalisco, Mexico
26	Coady Andrews	D	6'2"	225	Shawnee, Kansas
28	Wojciech Wojcik	F	6'4"	225	Chicago, IL
99	Andy Craven	M	5'11"	175	St. Simmons Island, GA

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SOCCER OPERATIONS

HEAD COACH JIMMY NIELSEN

OKC ENERGY FC INTRODUCED FORMER SPORTING KC GOALKEEPER JIMMY NIELSEN AS THE TEAM'S FIRST HEAD COACH ON DECEMBER 20, 2013.

Nielsen completed his final game as a professional, serving as goalkeeper for Sporting KC in their win over Real Salt Lake in MLS Cup 2013 on December 7. A veteran of nearly 600 professional games, Nielsen brings a wealth of experience to his new position.



Nielsen began his professional career with hometown club AaB Aalborg in Denmark, helping the team to the 1999 Danish Superliga championship. After a brief stint at Leicester City in 2007, he transferred to Danish club Vejle, for whom he made 63 appearances over two years. He was named Danish Goalkeeper of the Year in 1998 and 2004, and also represented his country at the U-19 and U-21 levels.

In February 2010, Nielsen joined Major League Soccer and became the starting goalkeeper for Sporting Kansas City. As a member of Sporting KC, Nielsen was a two-time MLS All Star, the 2012 MLS Goalkeeper of the Year, and goalkeeper for the 2012 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open championship club and the 2013 MLS Cup winning squad. He was named team captain prior to start of the 2012 season.

When Nielsen began his MLS career, he instantly became a fan favorite, whose signature bleach-blonde locks earned his the nickname "White Puma." But it wasn't just his play that endeared Nielsen to fans, though—it was his personality. He was known for stopping his car at local parks when driving by and joining in games with random children. Often, Nielsen would pull kids out of the crowd and have them kick balls at him as part of his pre-game warm-up.



JAMES RITCHIE Assistant Coach



MARK HOWARD
Assistant Coach



CHRIS SPENDLOVE Assistant Coach

PLAYERS



#1 CODY LAURENDI
Goalkeeper • Melbourne, FL



#2 RICHARD DIXON
Defender • Hanover, Jamaica



#3 KYLE HYLAND
Goalkeeper • Melbourne, FL



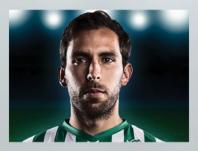
#4 SAM FINK
Defender • Bridgeton, MO



Defender • Sonoma, CA



#7 PHILIP RASMUSSEN
Midfielder • Copenhagen, Denmark



#8 JUAN PABLO GUZMAN Midfielder • Bogotá, Colombia



#10 MIGUEL GONZALEZ
Forward • Michoacan, Mexico



#11 ALEX DIXON
Forward • Bay City, TX



#12 DANIEL GONZALEZ
Midfielder • Yelm, WA



#14 JOSE BARRIL Midfielder • Madrid, Spain

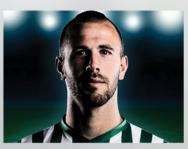


#16 JACOB LISSEK
Goalkeeper • Highlands Ranch, CO

PLAYERS



#18 CJ COCHRAN Goalkeeper • Alpharetta, GA



#19 MICHAEL HARRIS
Defender • Seattle, WA



#20 DANIEL JACKSON
Forward • Silver Spring, MD



#21 COY CRAFT
Midfielder • Abingdon, VA



#22 ANTHONY WALLACE

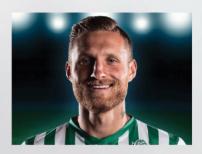


Midfielder • , Mexico

Midfielder • Brooklyn, NY



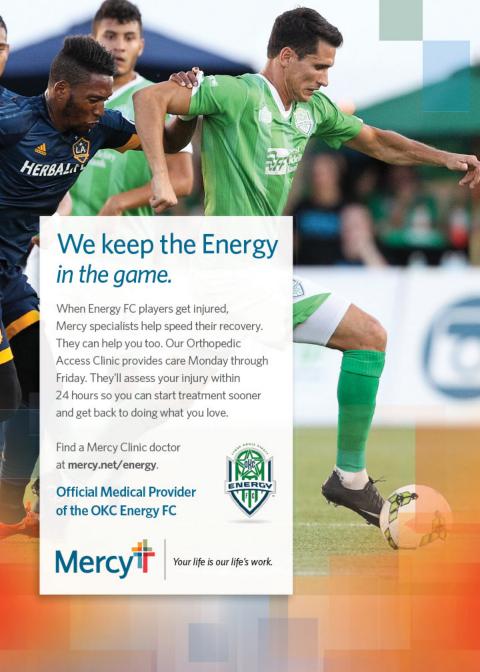
#26 COADY ANDREWS
Defender • Shawnee, KS



#28 WOJCIECH WOJCIK
Forward • Dabrowa Tarnowska, Poland



#99 ANDY CRAVEN
Midfielder • St. Simmons Island, GA





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AUGUST

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OCTOBER

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KC 5 PM	9	10	11	12	13	14
SEA 5 PM	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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TEAMS

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SEA / Seattle Sounders FC 2

TUL / Tulsa Roughnecks FC

VAN / Vancouver Whitecaps FC 2







