

MATCH NOTES



OTTAWA
FURY FC

- v -

TAMPA BAY
ROWDIES



August 3, 2018
7:00PM ET

TD Place,
Ottawa

USL
REGULAR
SEASON



2018 Record (W-D-L) & Ranking:
8-3-9 / 27 Points / 9th (EC) / 19 GF 26 GA
Form: W-L-W-W-L

2018 Record (W-D-L) & Ranking:
7-5-8 / 26 Points / 12th (EC) / 31 GF 29 GA
Form: W-L-L-W-D

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Weekly Storylines:

- This will be Fury FC's fifth consecutive USL home game. They have two consecutive away games coming up after this. Fury FC have a 5W-2D-4L record at home during their USL games this season.
- Fury FC goalkeeper Maxime Crépeau is still the joint-leader in the USL clean sheets category with 9 shutouts.
- This game will see the return of former Fury FC defender Kyle Porter, who had started the season with Ottawa (released July 6). Former Fury FC captain Lance Rozeboom is unavailable for this match due to injury.
- Tampa Bay Rowdies are coming off a 2-2 draw against New York Red Bulls II in their last game.
- Tampa Bay Rowdies Head Coach Neill Collins will be serving a one-game suspension on Friday after being dismissed from the technical area last Saturday against New York Red Bulls II.

Scouting Tampa Bay Rowdies: After two consecutive losses, Tampa have been unbeaten in their last two games (a draw and a win respectively). In their last 10 games they have a 3W-4D-3L record.

Head-to-Head: These familiar foes have faced each other 13 times before. They have played each other nine times in NASL and four times in USL so far. In USL, Fury FC has a 0W-2D-2L record, while in the NASL it was 2W-5D-2L.

Injuries/Susensions: Carl Haworth: ankle (July 12 - Out 2-4 weeks); Azake Luboyer: lower leg (July 13 - Out 2-4 weeks); Maxim Tissot: knee (June 27 - out for the season); Michael Salazar and Shamit Shome: recalled to Montreal Impact

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2018 SCHEDULE

Home Matches | Away Matches | Canadian Championship Matches

Date	Opponent	KO/Result	Stadium	Att. #
Saturday, March 17	Charlotte Independence	L (4-1)	Sportsplex at Matthews	1,438
Saturday, March 31	Toronto FC II	Postponed	BMO Field	-
Saturday, April 7	Tampa Bay Rowdies	L (5-0)	AI Lang Stadium	5,059
Saturday, April 14	Pittsburgh Riverhounds	L (1-0)	Highmark Stadium	1,823
Saturday, April 21	North Carolina FC	D (1-1)	TD Place	6,137
Saturday, April 28	FC Cincinnati	L (3-0)	TD Place	2,785
Wednesday, May 2	New York Red Bulls II	D (0-0)	TD Place	8,084
Monday, May 7	Penn FC	W (1-0)	FNB Field	852
Saturday, May 12	Atlanta United FC 2	W (2-0)	TD Place	4,292
Saturday, May 19	Charleston Battery	D (0-0)	MUSC Health Stadium	2,597
Friday, May 25	Bethlehem Steel FC	W (1-0)	TD Place	2,781
Wednesday, May 30	Toronto FC II	W (3-0)	TD Place	3,219
Saturday, June 2	Charlotte Independence	L (1-0)	TD Place	5,693
Wednesday, June 13	North Carolina FC	L (4-2)	WakeMed Soccer Park	3,452
Saturday, June 16	Atlanta United FC 2	Suspended	Coolray Field	-
Wednesday, June 20	AS Blainville	W (1-0)	Stade Desjardins	1,800
Sunday, June 24	New York Red Bulls II	W (3-0)	MSU Soccer Park	818
Wednesday, June 27	AS Blainville	W (1-0)	TD Place	3,915
Saturday, June 30	FC Cincinnati	L (2-0)	Nippert Stadium	27,107
Wednesday, July 4	Indy Eleven	W (1-0)	Lucas Oil Stadium	11,025
Sunday, July 8	Pittsburgh Riverhounds	L (1-0)	TD Place	4,826
Saturday, July 14	Penn FC	W (2-1)	TD Place	5,315
Wednesday, July 18	Toronto FC	L (1-0)	TD Place	6,057
Saturday, July 21	Nashville SC	W (2-0)	TD Place	4,267
Wednesday, July 25	Toronto FC	L (3-0)	BMO Field	18,795
Saturday, July 28	Louisville City FC	L (3-0)	TD Place	4,096
Friday, August 3	Tampa Bay Rowdies	7:00PM	TD Place	
Tuesday, August 7	Atlanta United FC 2	6:00PM	Fifth Third Bank Stadium	
Friday, August 10	Nashville SC	7:30PM	First Tennessee Park	
Wednesday, August 15	Richmond Kickers	7:00PM	TD Place	
Saturday, August 18	Indy Eleven	2:00PM	TD Place	
Wednesday, August 22	Bethlehem Steel FC	5:00PM	Goodman Stadium	
Saturday, August 25	Penn FC	7:00PM	TD Place	
Friday, August 31	New York Red Bulls II	7:00PM	MSU Soccer Park	
Thursday, September 6	Toronto FC II	8:00PM	Lamport Stadium	
Saturday, September 15	Richmond Kickers	7:00PM	City Stadium	
Saturday, September 22	Louisville City FC	7:30PM	Louisville Slugger Field	
Wednesday, September 26	Toronto FC II	6:00PM	Lamport Stadium	
Sunday, September 30	Bethlehem Steel FC	1:00PM	TD Place	
Saturday, October 13	Charleston Battery	2:00PM	TD Place	

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HOW THEY LINE-UP: OTTAWA FURY FC vs TAMPA BAY ROWDIES

OTTAWA FURY FC			TAMPA BAY ROWDIES		
NO	NAME	POS	NO	NAME	POS
1	Callum IRVING	GK	1	Cody MIZELL	GK
2	Jérémy GAGNON-LAPARÉ	M	4	Papé DIAKITE	D
3	Eddie EDWARD	D	7	Junior FLEMMINGS	M
4	Nana ATTAKORA	D	8	Jochen GRAF	F
5	Chris MANNELLA	M	9	Alex MORELL	M
6	Sergio MANESIO	M	10	Georgi HRISTOV	F
7	Onua OBASI	D	11	Leo FERNANDES	M
8	Steevan DOS SANTOS	F	13	Sebastian GUENZATTI	F
9	Carl HAWORTH	F	14	Leon TAYLOR	F
11	Daniel HABER	F	15	Zac PORTILLOS	D
12	David MONSALVE	GK	16	Max LACHOWECKI	D
13	Monti MOHSEN	D	17	Tamika MKANDAWIRE	D
14	Gabriel BALBINOTTI	F	20	Martin VINGAARD	M
16	Maxime CREPEAU	GK	23	Michael NANCHOFF	M
17	Azake LUBOYERA	F	26	Joe COLE	M
22	Jamar DIXON	M	27	Hunter GORSKIE	D
24	Jimmy SANON	F	28	Afrim TAKU	M
26	Thomas MEILLEUR-GIGUERE	D	29	Dominic ODURO	M
30	Adonijah REID	F	50	Akira FITZGERALD	GK
32	Colin FALVEY	D	56	Stefano BONOMO	F
80	Cristian PORTILLA	D	88	Kwadwo POKU	M
88	Kevin OLIVEIRA	M	90	Kyle PORTER	D
99	Tony TAYLOR	F			
HEAD COACH: Nikola POPOVIC			HEAD COACH: Neill COLLINS		

MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee: David BARRIE

Assistants: Marie-Han GAGNON CHRÉTIEN & Andre PICKLER

Fourth Official: Matt SOUARÉ

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MATCH PREVIEW

Ottawa Fury FC will be looking for a strong showing at TD Place on Friday, fighting for every available point and setting themselves up for the away trip coming up. Friday night's match against the Tampa Bay Rowdies will be Fury FC's fifth consecutive home game in USL action, a home stint the club was eager to make the most of.

This game will also be a great opportunity for Fury FC to showcase the steady improvement that they have shown from the start of the season until now. The Ottawa side had met Tampa Bay in only their second match this season which didn't go Fury FC's way, falling 5-0 at Al Lang Stadium. However, that result was not a reflection of the skills and character that Fury FC embody, and the players will be keen to show it on the pitch in this rematch.

If the Ottawa side is coming off a 3-0 loss against Louisville City FC last week, the scoreline doesn't tell the complete story. While the goals conceded by Ottawa were off set plays – a corner, a free kick and a goal-mouth scramble – Fury FC created quite a few chances and had more shots on goal in that game than their opponents, who was more opportunistic on the night.

Fury FC Head Coach Nikola Popovic has always asked for consistent performances from his players, and this Friday's match will be no different. A strong performance in this game would see Fury FC continue their push for a playoff spot, a fight that they will have to face every single week.

Another boost for Fury FC will be Tampa Bay's away record. In their nine games on the road so far this season, they have won just two with a 2W-1D-6L record. Ottawa will look to flip the historical script on the Rowdies in the two clubs' 14th meeting, going back to NASL days.

Fury FC will be eager to get three points from this tie and set off on their road trip on a high note. The cheering of the faithful fans will be the added inspiration for the players. Fans are encouraged to turn out in large numbers and support this truly Canadian soccer team.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING

Head Coach Nikola Popovic

"This feels like a long rest for us because we were used to play two games every week. So I hope that with these days of practicing that we have, and the days between the games, will give us a little bit more energy and will bring us to the levels that we were used to play at before."

"Every three points is three points. We, as a club, as a culture, as a team, we have the ambition to win the three points at every game. And at the end we'll make the calculation and we will see [if it is enough to make the playoffs]. But if we have this philosophy, that every game is three points, and that we have to win every single game, I think that the end of the year will come and we will be in the first eight positions."

Midfielder Kevin Oliveira

"Personally, I just want to get better day by day. Every day I work hard. And if the team is doing well, then you are doing well too. The month of July has been good for me, I've been scoring goals and helping my team push for the playoffs. I just have to keep working, and hopefully I can keep my form until the end of the year so we can reach our goals [as a team] and I can get my goals. But the most important is for the team to get where we want, to be in the playoffs and to as far as possible."

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"We trust the process. We trust the coach. We've been working since the beginning of the season, it wasn't easy for us, but we keep working and putting it all on the pitch. And now we can see, we're playing better and better, we're just a point off a playoff spot, we've been training good. Things have been going well, we just need to keep pushing each other, push the team, and hopefully we can get more [good] performances."

"In the beginning of the season, we were so far from a playoff spot, but we never stop believing. It's all in our hands. We put all the work on the pitch and the guys have been amazing. We've been working and helping each other. It's all in our hands and we just have to keep doing what we're doing and I'm pretty sure we'll be in a good position at the end of the season."

Forward Jimmy Sanon

"The group's structure has helped me develop a lot. Things are going better and better for me, and the structure has been put in place to help me feel good when I get on the field. Now it's up to me to leave my mark any time I have the opportunity."

"[Being a "super-sub"] is a bit of a knife with two blades: every time I get on the field, I must prove myself, and if I don't, I failed on my mission. Most of the time, when I'm being subbed-in, we are either trailing or looking for goals, and that's my role, to create goals for the team, and I must come in and make a difference. When I do it, it's good, that's job done, but even if I try to be as perfect as possible, I'm not always able to do it."

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NO	PLAYER	POS	HT	WT	DOB	FT	CITIZENSHIP	YEARS @ FURY	PRONUNCIATION
1	Callum Irving	GK	6-0	193	3/16/93	R	Canadian	2	Kal-uhm ER-ving
2	Jérémie Gagnon-Laparé	M	5-11	170	3/09/95	L	Canadian	2	Jay-ray-MEE Ga-Nioh Lah-pah-RAY
3	Eddie Edward	D	5-11	205	9/20/88	R	Canadian	3	Edward
4	Nana Attakora	D	6-1	185	27/3/89	R	Canadian	1	NA-Na at-ta-KO-rah
5	Chris Mannella	M	5-9	173	6/7/94	R	Canadian	1	Mah-nil-la
6	Sergio Manesio	M	5-9	185	7/1/94	R	British	2	Sur-gee-oh Mah-nee-see-o
7	Onua Obasi	D	6-4	193	9/24/88	L	British	3	AW-Neh-Wa OH-ba-see
8	Steevan Dos Santos	F	6-4	208	9/17/89	R	Cape Verdean	2	Stee-van Dos Santos
9	Carl Haworth	F	5-8	158	7/9/89	R	Canadian	5	How-worth
10	Gerardo Bruna	M	5-10	162	1/29/91	L	Argentinian	3	Je-rardo Brew-nah
11	Daniel Haber	F	5-10	170	5/20/92	R	Canadian	1	HAY-burr
12	David Monsalve	GK	6-2	185	12/21/88	R	Canadian	1	Mon-sal-vey
13	Monti Mohsen	D	5-7		6/13/00	L	Canadian	1	Maw-sin
14	Gabriel Balbinotti	F	6-1	179	4/12/98	R	Canadian	1	Bal-bee-no-tee
15	Maxim Tissot	D	5-10	161	4/13/92	L	Canadian	2	mack-sim tee-SOH
16	Maxime Crépeau	GK	6-0	192	5/11/94	R	Canadian	1*	Kray-po
17	Azake Luboyerwa	F	5-7	141	4/6/98	R	Ugandan	2	A-za-kay Loo-bo-ye-ra
22	Jamar Dixon	M	5-10	180	6/5/89	R	Canadian	3	Juh-mar Dik-son
24	Jimmy Sanon	F	5-7	143	1/24/97	R	Haitian	2	Sah-no
26	Thomas Meilleur-Giguère	D	6-0	185	11/13/97	R	Canadian	2*	May-yer Jee-gair
28	Shamit Shome	M	5-10	153	9/5/97	R	Canadian	1	Sha-mitt Show-m
30	Adonijah Reid	F	5-6	150	8/13/99	R	Canadian	2*	AH-do-nie-Ja
31	Clément Bayiha	D	5-9	153	3/08/99	R	Canadian	1	Clay-Mawn Ba-Ee-Yah
32	Colin Falvey	D	6-0	185	6/8/85	R	Irish	2	FALL-vee
37	Michael Salazar	F	5-11	182	11/15/92	R	Belizean	2*	MY-kul Sah-la-zarr
80	Cristian Portilla	M	5-9	165	8/28/88	L	Spanish	1	Pohr-tee-YAH
88	Kevin Oliveira	M	5-7	145	6/8/96	R	Cape Verdean	1	Kev-Inn Aw-liv-Air-ah
99	Antonio 'Tony' Taylor	F	6-0	170	7/13/89	R	Panamanian	1	Taylor

*Indicates player on loan to Fury FC

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OTTAWA FURY FC TECHNICAL STAFF

NAME	HOMETOWN	INTERESTING FACTS
Julian DE GUZMAN General Manager	Toronto, ON	Appointed General Manager of Ottawa Fury FC on December 21, 2017. After announcing his retirement from professional action on January 30, 2017 following a remarkable 17-year career, de Guzman signed on as the Assistant Coach and Assistant GM of Ottawa Fury FC. Partway through his first season as an assistant, de Guzman was named interim Head Coach and GM on August 15, 2017 becoming the third head coach in the club's history. A former Canadian Player of the Year, de Guzman retired as his country's all-time appearance leader earning 89 caps in his 15-year international career.
Nikola POPOVIC Head Coach	Belgrade, Serbia	Appointed Fury FC's Head Coach in 2018 after he led the Swope Park Rangers to the USL Western Conference Championship. UEFA Pro licensed coach. Has coached in eight countries and speaks four languages. 2018 USL Honours: USL Coach of the Month (May)

Assistant General Manager: Carrie McKay

Assistant Coach: Victor Oppong

Goalkeeper Coach: Youssef Dahha

Equipment Manager: Cortlin Tonn

Athletic Therapist: Francois Martel

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2018 OTTAWA FURY FC PLAYER STATS (USL Regular Season Only)

#	NAME	POS	MIN		GP	G	A	Y	R	S	PA
2	Jérémie Gagnon-Laparé	M									
3	Eddie Edward	D	1,530		18			7			62.1
4	Nana Attakora	D	810		10	1		2		2	73.8
5	Chris Mannella	M	1,245		17			2	1	1	76.8
6	Sergio Manesio	M	465		11						81.2
7	Onua Obasi	D	1,199		15		1	3	1		70.7
8	Steevan Dos Santos	F	1,068		16	4	2			8	58.1
9	Carl Haworth	F	1,259		18	1	2	2		9	60.5
10	Gerardo Bruna	M	354		5			2		1	84.4
11	Daniel Haber	F	358		10					2	78.4
11	<i>Jose 'Sito' Seoane</i>	F	58		3	1				2	72.2
13	Monti Mohsen	D	45		1						84
14	Gabriel Balbinotti	F	50		2					1	66.7
15	Maxim Tissot	D	48		2						65
17	Azake Luboyerá	F	19		2						30.8
22	Jamar Dixon	M	1,550		21		1	2		2	78.5
24	Jimmy Sanon	F	174		11		2			3	81.1
26	Thomas Meilleur-Giguère	D	1,229		15					1	71.8
28	Shamit Shome	M									
30	Adonijah Reid	F	1,173		19	3		4		7	66.4
31	Clément Bayiha	D									
32	Colin Falvey	D	1,080		12	1				1	76.7
37	Michael Salazar	F	251		4		1				60
80	Cristian Portilla	M	989		15	1		1		4	78.6
88	Kevin Oliveira	M	1,701		21	4	1	4		10	74.4
90	<i>Kyle Porter</i>	D	200		3						76.1
93	<i>Doneil Henry</i>	D	270		3						62.2
99	Antonio 'Tony' Taylor	F	1,053		19	2	2	4		8	75.1
#	NAME	POS	MN	GP	GA	SO	W	D	L	SA	SH
1	Callum Irving	GK	180	2	9				2	7	16
12	David Monsalve	GK									
16	Maxime Crépeau	GK	1,620	19	18	9	8	3	7	53	71

* S = Shots on target | PA = Passing Accuracy | SO = Shutouts | SA = Saves | SH = Shots faced

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* Denotes injured, suspended or unavailable player

GOALKEEPERS

#	NAME	POS	HOMETOWN	INTERESTING FACTS
1	Callum IRVING	GK	Vancouver, BC	Irving has started every match (36 in all competitions) for Ottawa last season, setting a new single-season club record and earning 7 clean sheets in league play. <i>INTL: Earned first cap with CanMNT in January 2017.</i>
12	David MONSALVE	GK	Brampton, ON	Monsalve became the youngest goalkeeper ever to play in MLS in 2007 with Toronto FC (18y 7m 8d). He has played over 75 professional matches across MLS, NASL, Finland, Colombia, Guatemala and Sweden.
16	Maxime CRÉPEAU	GK	Sainte-Catherine, QC	Crépeau made 3 appearances in league play for Montreal Impact in 2017 and featured in all 4 of the club's Canadian Championship matches. <i>INTL: Featured for CanMNT at 2017 CONCACAF Gold Cup.</i> <i>* On loan from Montreal Impact</i> 2018 USL Honours: USL Player of the Month (May)

DEFENDERS

#	NAME	POS	HOMETOWN	INTERESTING FACTS
3	Eddie EDWARD	D	Ottawa, ON	Third season with Fury FC. His first goal with the club came on April 1 2017 @ STL which was also the club's first goal in USL. Scored his first goal at TD Place vs CLT (his second professional goal).
4	Nana ATTAKORA	D	North York, ON	Attakora spent the 2017 season with NASL side San Francisco Deltas, winner of the Soccer Bowl. He brings over 155 games experience with him, including MLS, NASL and Finland. 2018 USL Honours: USL Team of the Week (Week 11) USL Team of the Week (Week 19)
7	Onua OBASI	D	Birmingham, England	Third season with Fury FC. Scored his first goal with Ottawa April 1 2017 @ STL. Was named to USL Team of the week once last season. Maintained passing accuracy of 81% over the season, a club leading amongst field players. 2018 USL Honours: USL Team of the Week (Week 10)
13	Monti MOHSEN	D	Ottawa, ON	First professional contract for Mohsen. <i>INTL: he was 16 when he made his debut in the Canadian youth program in 2017. He was the last cut ahead of the CONCACAF Men's Under-17 Championship.</i>
15	Maxim TISSOT	D	Gatineau, QC	<i>Tissot played with Fury FC in 2016, scoring 2 goals. He returns to Ottawa after winning the NASL Soccer Bowl with the San Francisco Deltas in 2017. In 2017, he started 14 games (played 20) and cumulated over 1,200 minutes of playing time.</i>

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26	Thomas MEILLEUR-GIGUÈRE	D	Repentigny, QC	<p>Captained CanMNT U-20 at the 2017 CONCACAF Men's Under-20 Champ last year. Made his Fury FC debut April 22 2017 as a stoppage time sub. INTL: Played for Canada-Quebec at 2017 Francophone Games. <i>* On loan from Montreal Impact</i></p>
31	Clément BAYIHA	D	Sainte-Thérèse, QC	<p>With Montreal Impact Academy U-19 team this season, played 21 matches tallying eight goals. Made his international debut in 2018, most recently representing Canada with the U-21 team led by John Herdman at renowned Festival International Espoirs Provence in Toulon, France.</p>
32	Colin FALVEY	D	Cork City, Ireland	<p>Falvey was part of Ottawa Fury FC in 2015 when it reached the NASL Soccer Bowl. He reached the Soccer Bowl again in 2016 with undefeated (Spring season) Indy Eleven. Falvey is one of the two alternate captains for Fury FC this season.</p> <p>2018 USL Honours: USL Team of the Week (Week 9)</p>

MIDFIELDERS

#	NAME	POS	HOMETOWN	INTERESTING FACTS
2	Jéméry GAGNON-LAPARÉ	M	Sherbrooke, QC	<p>Spent past year in France's Championnat National 2 with AS Vitré. Spent the 2016 season with FC Montreal. Signed his first professional contract in July of 2014 with Montreal Impact. Has played over 75 matches, including 7 appearances in MLS, 2 in CONCACAF Champions League, and 29 in USL.</p>
5	Chris MANNELLA	M	Toronto, ON	<p>Mannella became TFC's 10th Homegrown player when he turned professional, and was the first captain in Toronto FC II's history when team debuted in USL in 2015. Has yet to make his MLS debut but has played for TFC's first team in exhibition matches.</p>
6	Sergio MANESIO	M	Cabinda, Angola	<p>Second season with Ottawa after spending 4 years with Cleveland State University. In 2017, Manesio maintained a passing accuracy close to 80% over his 17 games played, winning 17 of his 22 tackles.</p>
10	Gerardo BRUNA	M	Mendoza, Argentina	<p>Third season with Fury FC. Missed most of 2016 season due to injury. Played 26 of the 32 games in 2017 for almost 2,000 minutes of play, finishing the season as club leader in distribution/crosses (103).</p>
22	Jamar DIXON	M	Ottawa, ON	<p>Third season with Ottawa. Dixon had a standout 2017 season winning him the Fury FC Player of the Year Award. He played in 32 of the club's 36 matches (all competitions). Dixon is one of the two alternate captains for Fury FC this season.</p>

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28	Shamit SHOME	M	Edmonton, AB	Drafted in the second round of the 2017 MLS SuperDraft by the Impact. Played over 1,800 minutes with FC Edmonton in NASL in 2016. * On loan from Montreal Impact
80	Cristian PORTILLA	M	Santander, Spain	Portilla played for the San Francisco Deltas in 2017, winner of the NASL Soccer Bowl. Despite missing most of the Fall season due to injury, he was picked NASL player of the week twice and NASL player of the month once during last season.
88	Kevin OLIVEIRA	M	São Vicente, Cape Verde	Spent the last 2 seasons with USL Swope Park Rangers, playing in 31 matches, scoring 6 goals and getting 6 assists. He is a product of the Benfica Academy. INTL: earned 1st National Team cap with Cape Verde on Oct 7 2017.

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#	NAME	POS	HOMETOWN	INTERESTING FACTS
8	Steevan DOS SANTOS	F	Mindelo, Cape Verde	Second season with Ottawa. With 12 goals (all competitions) last season, Dos Santos set a club record for most goals in regular season (10) and equaled Tom Heinemann's 2015 club record for most goals in a season. 2018 USL Honours: USL Team of the Week (Week 12)
9	Carl HAWORTH	F	Southport, England	Playing his fifth season with Fury FC. He is the longest serving Fury player. Played his 100 th game @ROC. Haworth is Fury FC captain for the season.
14	Gabriel BALBINOTTI	F	Montreal, QC	Signed with the Fury FC for the 2018 season having played with the Montreal Impact Academy U-18 program for the past 3 seasons, featuring in 44 games and scoring 26 goals.
17	Azake LUBOYERA	F	Kampala, Uganda	Second season with Fury FC. Made his professional debut on July 29 2017 vs TFC II scoring the match winner in that match (his first professional goal). INTL: scored twice for Uganda in Africa Cup of Nations Qualifications in 2016.
24	Jimmy-Shammar SANON	F	Montreal, QC	Second full season with Ottawa. Won the 2016 USL Goal of the Year Award (with FC Montreal). Scored his first goal in Fury FC colours on May 27 2017 vs RIC. INTL: Represented Canada-Quebec at 2017 Francophone Games.
30	Adonijah REID	F	Brampton, ON	Second season with Fury FC, on loan from MLS FC Dallas. In 2017, Reid played in 12 matches, scored his first professional goal vs CLT. Won Golden Boot award in League1 Ontario in 2015. *On loan from FC Dallas 2018 USL Honours: USL Player of the Week (Week 15)

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37	Michael SALAZAR	F	New York, NY	<p>Spent 6 months with Fury FC in 2017, scoring 2 goals in 4 starts. Salazar was drafted in the second round (24th overall) of the 2016 MLS SuperDraft by the Montreal Impact. INTL: Part of Belize MNT for 2018 CONCACAF League of Nations, scored for country in international friendly on March 22.</p> <p><i>* On loan from Montreal Impact</i></p>
99	Tony TAYLOR	F	Long Beach, CA	<p>Taylor's professional resume includes stops in MLS (New England Revolution, New York City FC), Cyprus (Omonoia Nicosia) and Portugal (Estoril Praia, Atletico CP, Pacos de Ferreira). He spent the 2017 season in NASL with Jacksonville Armada scoring 3 goals in 12 matches.</p>

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2018 TAMPA BAY ROWDIES ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	PRONUNCIATION
1	Cody MIZELL	GK	6' 1"	MY-zell
2	Kyle CURINGA	D	6' 1"	cuh-RING-guh
4	Papé DIAKITE	D	6' 2"	pah-pay dee-uh-KEE-tay
5	David NAJEM	D	5' 9"	nazh-emm
7	Junior FLEMMINGS	M	5' 11"	
8	Jochen GRAF	F	5' 11"	yah-kin graph
9	Alex MORELL	M	5' 7"	MORE-ell
10	Georgi HRISTOV	F	6' 0"	jor-jee WRIST-off
11	Leo FERNANDES	M	6' 1"	
13	Sebastian GUENZATTI	F	5' 10"	gwen-zaht-ee
14	Leon TAYLOR	F	6' 3"	
15	Zac PORTILLOS	D	5' 9"	por-TEE-yose
16	Max LACHOWECKI	D	5' 10"	lack-o-weck-ee
17	Tamika MKANDAWIRE	D	6' 2"	tuh-ME-kuh muh-kan-duh-weer-ee
20	Martin VINGAARD	M	5' 11"	VIN-gard
23	Michael NANCHOFF	M	5' 8"	NAN-chawf
25	Lance ROZEBOOM	M	6' 1"	
26	Joe COLE	M	5' 9"	
27	Hunter GORSKIE	D	5' 11"	
28	Afrim TAKU	M	5' 11"	af-reem tah-koo
29	Dominic ODURO	M	5' 5"	
50	Akira FITZGERALD	GK	5' 11"	
56	Stefano BONOMO	F	6' 2"	STEF-uh-no buh-no-mo
88	Kwadwo POKU	M	6' 1"	kwah-dwo poe-koo
90	Kyle PORTER	D	6' 0"	

ABOUT TAMPA BAY ROWDIES

The Tampa Bay Rowdies are a professional soccer club and a member of the United Soccer League (USL) since 2017. The Rowdies home stadium is Al Lang Stadium in downtown St. Petersburg, Fl. The Rowdies were reborn in 2010 and quickly re-established themselves as a premier club in the United States, winning the NASL Soccer Bowl Championship in 2012.

The original Tampa Bay Rowdies were born in 1975 as an expansion team in the North American Soccer League (NASL). From 1975-1984, the Rowdies were one of the most successful teams in the NASL, winning the Soccer Bowl Championship in 1975 and reaching the finals in 1978 and 1979.

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2018 USL STANDINGS AND STATISTICS

2018 Eastern Conference Standings (Before matches played on Wednesday, August 1)

POS	TEAM	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	FORM (L5) (Past-Recent)
1	FC Cincinnati	21	13	5	3	41	22	19	44	W-D-W-W-W
2	Charleston Battery	21	10	8	3	31	19	12	38	D-W-W-W-W
3	Louisville City FC	19	10	5	4	32	20	12	35	D-W-L-W-W
4	Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC	19	9	7	3	22	10	12	34	W-W-W-L-L
5	New York Red Bulls II	22	8	8	6	46	35	11	32	W-W-W-L-D
6	Indy Eleven	20	9	4	7	25	23	2	31	L-W-L-L-W
7	Nashville SC	20	8	6	6	18	15	3	30	D-L-L-W-L
8	Charlotte Independence	22	7	7	8	30	34	-4	28	L-W-L-L-D
9	Ottawa Fury FC	20	8	3	9	19	26	-7	27	W-L-W-W-L
10	Bethlehem Steel FC	22	7	6	9	35	30	5	27	L-D-L-L-W
11	North Carolina FC	20	7	5	8	31	29	2	26	L-D-D-W-W
12	Tampa Bay Rowdies	20	7	5	8	31	29	2	26	W-L-L-W-D
13	Penn FC	20	6	8	6	24	25	-1	26	D-W-L-L-D
14	Richmond Kickers	19	5	3	11	20	38	-18	18	L-W-L-D-L
15	Atlanta United 2	20	3	6	11	21	44	-23	15	L-W-D-L-L
16	Toronto FC II	19	1	3	15	20	46	-26	6	D-L-L-L-W

2018 USL Goal Leaders

PLAYER	RANK	TEAM	GOALS
Ataullah Guerra	1	CHS	12
Thomas Enevoldsen	T-2	OC	11
Daniel Rios	T-2	NC	11
Cameron Lancaster	T-4	LOU	10
3 others	T-4		10
Steevan Dos Santos	T-51	OTT	4
Kevin Oliveira	T-51	OTT	4

2018 Assist Leaders

PLAYER	RANK	TEAM	ASSISTS
Emmanuel Ledesma	1	CIN	10
Kyle Bekker	2	NC	9
Antoine Hoppenot	3	RNO	8
Carl Haworth		OTT	2
Steevan Dos Santos		OTT	2
Tony Taylor		OTT	2
Jimmy Sanon		OTT	2

2018 Clean Sheet Leaders

PLAYER	RANK	TEAM	SO
Dan Lynd	T-1	PIT	9
Maxime Crépeau	T-1	OTT	9
Matt Pickens	T-1	NSH	9
Joe Kuzminsky	T-4	CHS	8
Carl Woszczynski	T-4	PHX	8
Evan Newton	T-4	CIN	8
Fon Williams	T-4	IND	8

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BY THE NUMBERS (Regular Season Games Only)

	2018			ALL TIME		
	W	D	L	W	D	L
Scoring first	7			41	18	7
Opponent scores first	1	1	9	4	12	45
Outshooting opponent	4	1	3	30	15	18
Being outshot	3	2	6	9	19	25
Same number of shots	1			6	10	8
Hold more possession		1	3	15	12	22
Opponent holds more possession	8	2	6	30	29	27
Even possession				0	3	2
Hold a clean sheet	7	2		30	14	0
Fail to score		2	7	0	14	27
Score in first half	5		1	28	16	10
Score in second half	5	1	2	39	20	15
Score in both halves	2		1	22	5	3
Leading at halftime	5			26	12	1
Tied at halftime	2	2	4	15	21	21
Trailing at halftime	1	1	5	4	10	29
Home matches	5	3	4	27	25	21
Away matches	3		5	18	19	30
Record on turf	7	3	6	36	31	37
Record on grass	1		3	9	13	14

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SCORING BREAKDOWN (Regular Season Games Only)

	2018		ALL TIME	
	Fury FC	Opponent	Fury FC	Opponent
Scoring 0-15 minute	2	2	22	21
Scoring 16-30 minute	3	3	21	23
Scoring 31-45 minute	1	3	22	25
Scoring in 1st half added time	1		2	1
Scoring 46-60 minute	2	6	28	25
Scoring 61-75 minute	4	4	25	26
Scoring 76-90 minute	4	6	32	29
Scoring in 2nd half added time	2	2	14	10

	2018		2017	
	Fury FC	Opponent	Fury FC	Opponent
Penalty kicks	2	1	3	1
Free kicks	1		4	3
Throw-ins			3	0
Corner kicks	2	3	4	1
Run of play	12	19	27	33
Own goals	2	2	1	0

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2018 Game-by-Game Overview

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	STARTING XI	GOALS	UNUSED SUBS	POSS	SOG/S
3/17/18	@ Charlotte Independence	L 4-1	Irving; Mohsen (Portilla 45'), Manesio, Falvey, Porter; Dixon (Sito 64'), Mannella, Oliveira; Taylor (Salazar 56'), Dos Santos, Haworth ©	41' CLT - Cato 58' CLT - Cato 64' OTT - Sito 80' CLT - Herrera (PK) 83' CLT - Porter (OG)	Monsalve, Reid	OTT: 57.9% CLT: 42.1%	OTT: 2/4 CLT: 7/14
3/31/18	@ Toronto FC II	Postponed					
4/7/18	@ Tampa Bay Rowdies	L 5-0	Irving; Obasi, Mannella, Falvey, Porter; Dixon, Portilla, Oliveira; Salazar (Sito 74'), Bruna (Dos Santos 68'), Haworth © (Taylor 64')	61' TBR- Hristov 71' TBR - Mannella (OG) 79' TBR - Fernandes 87' TBR - Cole 90+5' TBR - Portillos	Monsalve, Manesio	OTT: 40% TBR: 60%	OTT: 1/9 TBR: 5/14
4/14/18	@ Pittsburgh Riverhounds	L 1-0	Crépeau; Manesio, Mannella, Falvey ©, Edward; Bruna (Dixon 61'), Portilla, Oliveira; Salazar (Reid 87'), Dos Santos (Haworth 65'), Taylor	86' PGH - Adewole	Irving, Meilleur-Giguère	OTT: 38.8% PGH: 61.2%	OTT: 1/3 PGH: 3/10
4/21/18	v North Carolina FC	D 1-1	Crépeau; Edward, Falvey ©, Mannella, Manesio; Bruna (80' Dixon), Portilla, Oliveira; Salazar (56' Haworth), Taylor (84' Balbinotti), Reid	35' NC - Rios 86' OTT - Portilla	Irving, Meilleur-Giguère, Porter, Dos Santos	OTT: 59.9% NC: 40.1%	OTT: 3/10 NC: 1/4
4/28/18	v FC Cincinnati	L 3-0	Crépeau; Edward, Falvey, Mannella, Manesio; Bruna (75' Sito), Portilla (60' Dixon), Oliveira; Taylor (63' Dos Santos), Reid, Haworth ©	68' CIN - Walker 69' CIN - Bone 77' CIN - Ledesma	Monsalve, Henry, Meilleur-Giguère, Balbinotti	OTT: 47.9% CIN: 52.1%	OTT: 3/10 CIN: 8/14

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DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	STARTING XI	GOALS	UNUSED SUBS	POSS	SOG/S
5/2/18	v New York Red Bulls II	D 0-0	Crépeau; Edward, Falvey ©, Henry, Obasi (31' Meilleur-Giguère); Dixon, Mannella, Oliveira; Bruna (70' Portilla), Taylor (45' Haworth), Reid	-	Monsalve, Sanon, Dos Santos, Seoane	OTT: 33.8% NY: 66.2%	OTT: 2/5 NY: 7/16
5/7/18	@ Penn FC	W 1-0	Crépeau; Meilleur-Giguère, Falvey, Henry, Edward; Dixon, Portilla (89' Manesio), Oliveira; Reid (66' Sanon), Dos Santos, Haworth © (90+2' Taylor)	87' OTT - Falvey	Monsalve, Bruna	OTT: 41.1% PEN: 58.9%	OTT: 5/13 PEN: 0/7
5/12/18	v Atlanta United 2	W 2-0	Crépeau; Meilleur-Giguère, Falvey, Henry, Edward; Dixon, Portilla (86' Manesio), Oliveira; Reid (67' Sanon), Dos Santos (72' Taylor), Haworth ©	26' OTT - Dos Santos 35 OTT - Haworth	Monsalve, Obasi, Bruna, Luboyer	OTT: 33.0% ATL: 67.0%	OTT: 4/6 ATL: 2/10
5/19/18	@ Charleston Battery	D 0-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Falvey, Edward; Oliveira (90' Manesio), Portilla, Dixon; Reid (87' Sanon), Dos Santos (79' Taylor), Haworth ©	-	Monsalve	OTT: 42.0% CHS: 58.0%	OTT: 1/6 CHS: 2/11
5/25/18	v Bethlehem Steel FC	W 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon (83' Manesio), Portilla (90+1' Luboyer), Oliveira; Reid (66' Taylor), Dos Santos, Haworth ©	1' OTT - Oliveira	Monsalve, Mohsen, Mannella, Porter	OTT: 38.7% BST: 61.3%	OTT: 3/14 BST: 3/9
5/30/18	v Toronto FC II	W 3-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon, Mannella, Oliveira (28' Balbinotti - 72' Luboyer); Reid (67' Taylor), Dos Santos, Haworth ©	16' OTT- Dos Santos 48' OTT - Attakora 79' OTT - Dos Santos	Monsalve, Falvey, Manesio, Porter	OTT: 29.8% TOR: 70.2%	OTT: 6/12 TOR: 1/5
6/2/18	v Charlotte Independence	L 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon, Mannella, Oliveira (89' Taylor); Reid (63' Sanon), Dos Santos, Haworth ©	83' CLT - Ekra	Monsalve, Falvey, Mohsen, Manesio, Balbinotti	OTT: 31.7% CLT: 68.3%	OTT: 4/14 CLT: 1/7

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DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	STARTING XI	GOALS	UNUSED SUBS	POSS	SOG/S
6/13/18	@ North Carolina FC	L 4-2	Crépeau; Obasi, Falvey, Attakora, Meilleur-Giguère; Oliveira, Mannella, Dixon; Reid (69' Tissot), Dos Santos, Haworth ©	3' NC - Tobin 30' NC - Rios 43' NC - Lomis 45+2' OTT - Oliveira 57' NC - Miller 74' OTT - Taylor (og)	Irving, Luboyer, Manesio, Porter, Sanon	OTT: 50.3% NC: 49.7%	OTT: 6/15 NC: 5/10
6/16/18	@ Atlanta United 2	<i>Suspended</i>	-	-	-	-	-
6/20/18	@AS Blainville (CanChamp)	W 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Oliveira, Mannella, Dixon (90+1' Manesio); Reid (64' Tissot), Taylor (78' Luboyer), Haworth ©	1' OTT - Taylor	Monsalve, Falvey, Luboyer	-	-
6/24/18	@ New York Red Bulls II	W 3-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Oliveira (90+2' Manesio), Mannella, Dixon; Reid, Taylor (78' Sanon), Haworth © (63' Tissot)	3' OTT - Reid 57' OTT - Reid 64' OTT - Reid	Monsalve, Luboyer	OTT: 28.8% NY: 71.2%	OTT: 4/10 NY: 7/22
6/27/18	v AS Blainville (CanChamp)	W 1-0	Crépeau; Edward, Attakora, Meilleur-Giguère, Obasi; Dixon, Mannella, Oliveira; Reid (68' Tissot - 76' Sanon), Taylor (86' Luboyer), Haworth ©	21' OTT - Haworth	Monsalve, Mohsen, Manesio, Porter	-	-
6/30/18	@ FC Cincinnati	L 2-0	Crépeau; Edward, Falvey, Meilleur-Giguère, Obasi; Dixon, Mannella, Oliveira; Reid (70' Portilla), Taylor (82' Sanon), Haworth ©	16' CIN - Konig 90=2' CIN - Albadawi	Mosalve, Attakora, Manesio, Porter, Balbinotti	OTT: 43.9% CIN: 56.1%	OTT: 3/8 CIN: 6/11
7/4/18	@ Indy Eleven	W 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi (90+1' Manesio), Meilleur-Giguère, Falvey, Edward; Oliveira, Mannella, Dixon; Reid (70' Porter), Taylor, Haworth © (68' Sanon)	28' OTT - Mitchell (OG)	Monsalve, Attakora, Portilla, Balbinotti	OTT: 38.0% IND: 62.0%	OTT: 2/6 IND: 4/14
7/8/18	v Pittsburgh Riverhounds	L 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Oliveira (78' Portilla), Mannella, Dixon; Reid (72' Sanon), Taylor, Haworth © (62' Dos Santos)	22' PGH - Roberts	Monsalve, Mohsen, Manesio, Balbinotti	OTT: 50.5% PGH: 49.5%	OTT: 1/2 PGH: 4/8

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DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	STARTING XI	GOALS	UNUSED SUBS	POSS	SOG/S
7/14/18	v Penn FC	W 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon ©, Manella (62' Portilla), Oliveira; Reid (57' Haber), Dos Santos (85' Sanon), Taylor	56' PEN - Tribbett 72' OTT - Taylor 81' OTT - Dos Santos	Monsalve, Mohsen, Manesio, Balbinotti	OTT: 47.6% PEN: 52.4%	OTT: 2/11 PEN: 7/11
7/18/18	v Toronto FC (CanChamp)	L 1-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon ©, Mannella (61' Portilla), Oliveira; Reid (61' Haber), Dos Santos, Taylor	5' TOR - Osorio	Monsalve, Mohsen, Manesio, Balbinotti, Sanon	OTT: 47.5% TOR: 52.5%	OTT: 3/10 TOR: 1/2
7/21/18	v Nashville SC	W 2-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon © (74' Mannella), Portilla, Oliveira; Haber (67' Reid), Dos Santos (83' Sanon), Taylor	90+1' OTT - Taylor 90+6' OTT - Oliveira	Monsalve, Manesio, Lapare, Balbinotti	OTT: 44.0% NSH: 56.0%	OTT: 4/11 NSH: 3/10
7/25/18	@ Toronto FC (CanChamp)	L 3-0	Crépeau; Gagnon-Laparé, Meilleur-Giguère, Attakora, Edward; Dixon © (66' Mannella), Portilla, Oliveira; Haber (46' Reid), Dos Santos, Taylor (61' Sanon)	36' TOR - Akinola 77' TOR - Hamilton 85' TOR - Osorio	Monsalve, Mohsen, Manesio, Balbinotti	OTT: 33.1% TOR: 66.9%	OTT: 0/5 TOR: 4/12
7/28/18	v Louisville City	L 3-0	Crépeau; Obasi, Manesio, Attakora, Edward; Dixon ©, Portilla, Oliveira (69' Mannella); Haber (57' Haber), Dos Santos (65' Sanon), Taylor	13' LOU - DelPiccolo 47' LOU - Craig 57' LOU - Williams	Monsalve, Mohsen, Lapare, Balbinotti	OTT: 44.9% LOU: 55.1%	OTT: 2/9 LOU: 5/7
8/3/18	v Tampa Bay Rowdies						
8/07/18	@ Atlanta United 2						
8/10/18	@ Nashville SC						
8/15/18	v Richmond Kickers						
8/18/18	v Indy Eleven						
8/22/18	@ Bethlehem Steel FC						
8/25/18	v Penn FC						

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8/31/18	@ New York Red Bulls II						
9/6/18	@ Toronto FC II						
9/15/18	@ Richmond Kickers						
9/22/18	@ Louisville City						
9/26/18	@ Toronto FC II						
9/30/18	v Bethlehem Steel FC						
10/13/18	v Charleston Battery						

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ABOUT OTTAWA FURY FC

Ottawa Fury FC is professional soccer team representing Canada's capital in the 30-team United Soccer League (USL). Established in 2011, Fury FC began play in 2014 in the North American Soccer League. In just their second season, the Fury claimed the Fall Season Championship and reached the Championship Final. In their fourth season, the club will compete in one of the fastest growing leagues in the world – the USL. Ottawa Fury FC is owned and operated by the Ottawa Sports and Entertainment Group (OSEG) and play out of TD Place at Lansdowne.

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ABOUT THE USL

The United Soccer League is the fastest growing professional soccer league in the world with teams in 19 states and three Canadian provinces. Since 2014, the USL has doubled in size and established a sizeable North American footprint with strong ownership, experienced executives and regional rivalries.

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