

MATCH NOTES

**OTTAWA
FURY FC**



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**HARTFORD
ATHLETIC**



USL
CHAMPIONSHIP
WEEK 12

May 25, 2019
7:00 PM ET

Pratt & Whitney
Stadium
Hartford, CT

2019 Record (W-D-L) & Ranking:
5-2-2 | 17 Points | 6th (EC) | 12 GF 7 GA
Form: L-W-D-W-W

2019 Record (W-D-L) & Ranking:
1-1-9 | 4 Points | 18th (EC) | 8 GF 26 GA
Form: L-L-D-L-W

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Weekly Storylines:

- Fury FC moves up the ranks and now sits in sixth position thanks to a solid performance away from home and a 3-0 win at Bethlehem Steel FC. Meanwhile Hartford Athletic is coming into week 12 after finally capturing a first win for the club against Loudoun United on Sunday.
- Christiano François earned a spot on the USL Championship Team of the Week for Week 11 after a splendid showing against Bethlehem with one goal and two assists. He is the second Fury FC player to get the honour in full rights, with two more making the bench over the first third of the season.
- Kevin Oliveira has joined the league's leaders in shots taken with 23 (tied 10th), while Charlie Ward sits in 5th all conferences for the number of passes completed (599). As a club, Ottawa is tied for 7th in the league with 4 clean sheets.
- Fury FC is now 2W-1D-1L away from TD Place this season, and 3W-1D-1L in its last 5 matches, undefeated in its last 4.
- Ottawa has rocketed up the USL Championship Power Rankings after Week 11 making the most of its 10 points in four games. This is the form Fury FC will look to keep as it enters a busy summer.
- Ottawa will face former Fury FC Ryan Williams who has joined Hartford Athletic for the season. Williams, well-known by Ottawa fans for his "Wednesdays with Williams" videos, played in the Nation's Capital club for two seasons (2016 in NASL & 2017 in USL Championship) featuring in 38 matches and tallying 9 goals.

Scouting Hartford Athletic: There's a familiar look to Head Coach Jimmy Nielsen's squad at Hartford Athletic, which saw the former OKC Energy FC sideline boss bring a number of his former players in to lead the way for the expansion side as it prepares to enter the league at historic Dillon Stadium. The attacking duo of Jose Angulo – who sits only three goals away from 50 for his USL Championship career – and Alex Dixon is joined by Sebastian Dalggaard, Jonathan Brown, Philip Rasmussen and Wojciech Wojcik in joining Nielsen with the Athletic, a foundation that could mean early success for the side.

In a tough Eastern Conference, though, there will be some questions as to how quickly this will come together. Nielsen fell short of the postseason in his first year at Energy FC before the side took a jump forward to the Western Conference Final in Year 2. There could be a similar learning curve here, familiarity or not. (via USL Championship).

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HOW THEY LINE-UP: OTTAWA FURY FC v HARTFORD ATHLETIC

OTTAWA FURY FC			HARTFORD ATHLETIC		
NO	NAME	POS	NO	NAME	POS
1	Callum IRVING	GK	1	Frederik DUE	GK
4	Nana ATTAKORA	D	2	Kyle CURINGA	D
5	Wal FALL	M	3	Raymond LEE	D
6	Chris MANNELLA	M	4	Sem DE WIT	D
7	Onua OBASI	D	5	Tyler DAVID	M
8	Jérémy GAGNON-LAPARÉ	M	6	Luis ARGUDO	M
9	Carl HAWORTH ©	D	7	Sebastian DALGAARD	F
10	Kevin OLIVEIRA	F	8	Mats JORGESSEN	M
11	Mour SAMB	F	9	Jose ANGULO	F
12	David MONSALVE	GK	10	Philip RASMUSSEN	M
13	Aidan DANIELS	F	11	Hugh ALEXANDER DIXON	F
14	Charlie WARD	M	12	Wojciech WOJCIK	F
15	Maxim TISSOT	D	14	Ryan WILLIAMS	M
17	Christiano FRANCOIS	F	15	Klisman SOUSA	D
19	Thiago DE FREITAS	M	16	Michael NOVOTNY	GK
20	Amar SEJDIC	M	17	Jonathan BROWN	F
21	Jordan TISSEUR	GK	18	Jacob LISSEK	GK
22	Jamar DIXON	D	19	Mak STEVEES	F
23	Jadon VILFORT	D	20	Scott DEVOS	D
26	Thomas MEILLEUR-GIGUÈRE	D	21	Nicky DOWNS	M
27	Protas MUTAMBALA	M	23	Colin MARTIN	M
31	Luca RICCI	M	24	Logan GDULA	D
49	Robert BOSKOVIC	D	26	Nikolaj LYNGO	D
58	Dakota BARNATHAN	D	33	Harry SWARTZ	M
64	Shaan HUNDAL	F	92	Giuseppe GENTILE	F
HEAD COACH: Nikola POPOVIC			HEAD COACH: Jimmy NIELSEN		

Injuries/Suspensions:

QUESTIONNABLE – Thiago de Freitas (quad) | OUT – Maxim Tissot (quad)

OTHER – Daniel Kinumbe (recalled to Montreal Impact)

MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee: Lorant VARGA

Assistants: Tyler WYROSTEK & Ian MCKAY

Fourth Official: Randall KELLEY