



KANSAS CITY WIZARDS



GAME NOTES

Wizards Game #15 - MLS Game #71

Kansas City Wizards vs. D.C. United

Thursday, July 4, 2002

7:00 p.m. (CT) at Arrowhead Stadium

Television: No Local

Radio: No Local

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	Overall	Home	Away	Points	GF	GA	Shutouts	Streak	Last 10
Kansas City Wizards	4-5-5	4-1-2	0-4-3	17	18	20	2	Lost 1	3-4-3
D.C. United	6-6-1	6-1-1	0-5-0	19	17	18	3	Won 2	5-4-1

D.C. United Probable Starting Lineup

#	Name	Pos.	GP	G	A	C/E
18	Nick Rimando (1.36)	GK	13	0	0	1/0
5	Milton Reyes	D	11	0	2	3/1
4	Brandon Prideaux	D	13	0	0	3/0
2	Orlando Perez	D	5	0	0	0/0
8	Ivan McKinley	D	12	1	2	4/1
11	Petter Villegas	M	6	1	1	0/0
10	Marco Etcheverry	M	11	2	3	4/0
16	Richie Williams	M	13	0	2	3/0
15	Bobby Convey	M	11	1	2	1/1
9	Jaime Moreno	F	7	3	2	1/0
27	Roy Lassiter	F	2	0	0	1/0

D.C. United Potential Substitutes

#	Name	Pos.	GP	G	A	C/E
22	Mike McGinty (0.00)	GK	0	0	0	0/0
23	Eddie Pope	D	5	0	0	0/0
6	Lazo Alavanja	M	11	0	0	3/0
12	Bryan Namoff	M	4	0	0	0/0
13	Jose Alegria	M	7	0	0	3/0
28	Ali Curtis	F	11	2	1	0/0

Kansas City Wizards Probable Starting Lineup

#	Name	Pos.	GP	G	A	C/E
1	Tony Meola (1.14)	GK	5	0	0	0/0
3	Nick Garcia	D	14	0	1	2/0
6	Peter Vermes	D	9	0	0	2/0
7	Diego Gutierrez	M	14	1	2	3/0
17	Chris Klein	M	13	3	3	0/0
5	Kerry Zavagnin	M	13	0	0	0/1
11	Preki	M	13	4	5	2/1
2	Matt McKeon	M	12	0	1	1/0
8	Chris Brown	F	14	3	2	1/0
9	Dario Fabbro	F	7	3	0	2/0
21	Igor Simutenkov	F	6	2	0	1/0

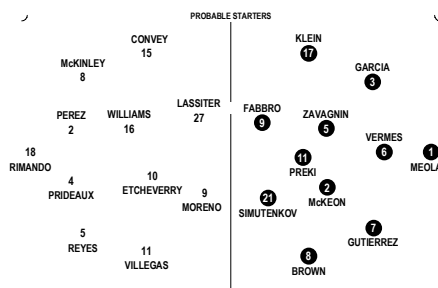
Kansas City Wizards Potential Substitutes

#	Name	Pos.	GP	G	A	C/E
25	Bo Oshoniyi (1.49)	GK	9	0	0	0/0
14	Carey Talley	D	11	1	1	1/0
18	Chris Brunt	D	0	0	0	0/0
10	Francisco Gomez	M	12	0	3	0/0
16	Stephen Armstrong	M	12	1	6	2/0
19	Eric Quill	M	4	0	0	0/0
22	Davy Arnaud	F	0	0	0	0/0

D.C. UNITED

RECENT SCHEDULE/RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (CT)
May 18	MetroStars	W 4-2
June 8	New England	W 3-2
June 15	at Kansas City	L 0-2
June 19	Colorado	W 2-0
June 29	Los Angeles	W 1-0 (ot)
July 4	at Kansas City	7:00 pm
July 6	at New England	6:30 pm
July 13	Columbus	6:30 pm
July 20	at Chicago	7:30 pm
July 24	at Columbus	6:30 pm



KANSAS CITY

RECENT SCHEDULE/RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (CT)
June 8	at San Jose	L 0-3
June 15	D.C. United	W 2-0
June 19	at Columbus	T 1-1 (ot)
June 22	New England	W 3-2
June 29	at San Jose	L 1-2
July 4	D.C. United	7:00 pm
July 6	Dallas	7:00 pm
July 13	at New England	3:00 pm
July 20	at Los Angeles	9:00 pm
July 24	MetroStars	7:00 pm



GAMEDAY INFORMATION



GAME OFFICIALS

Referee: Ricardo Valenzuela
Senior Assistant Referee: George Gansner
Junior Assistant Referee: Richard Huber
Fourth Official: Gus St. Silva
Game Inspector: Holly Hollingsworth

UNIFORM COLORS

Team	Jersey	Shorts	Socks
Kansas City Wizards	Blue	Blue	Blue
D.C. United	White	White	White
Officials	Red	Black	Black

PREVIEW OF TODAY'S MATCH

The Kansas City Wizards (4-5-5, 17 points) will host D.C. United (6-6-1, 19 points) in a 4th of July match up at Arrowhead Stadium. The Wizards will look to continue their success at home. In seven home games, the Wizards have posted a 4-1-2 and are unbeaten in their last four home games.

In their seven MLS games at Arrowhead this season, the Wizards have outscored their opponents 13-8. They have recorded multi-goal games in five of the seven home games including the last four consecutive games.

Kansas City will welcome the return of goalkeeper Tony Meola, who will play his first match at Arrowhead since returning from the 2002 FIFA World Cup with the U.S. National Team. Meola was in net for the Wizards at San Jose last weekend in his return to MLS action, but took the loss as San Jose scored twice in the closing five minutes of the match.

D.C. United comes to Kansas City with the worst road record in the league, going 0-5-0 away from RFK Stadium. They have managed just two goals on the road, while giving up nine goals in five games. D.C. is led by goalkeeper, and reigning MLS Player of the Week, Nick Rimando. Rimando has now posted two consecutive shutouts, including last weekends 1-0 overtime win over Los Angeles.

D.C. UNITED NOTES

- * D.C. United owns a league-worst 0-5-0 record on the road this season.
- * D.C. is 1-4-0 all-time on the 4th of July, picking up their only win in a 3-2 decision over Dallas 1997.
- * United will be without defender Ryan Nelson who is currently with the New Zealand National Team in the Oceania National Cup.
- * Goalkeeper Nick Rimando was named the MLS Player of the Week last week after posting a shutout against Los Angeles.

WIZARDS INJURY/ABSENCE REPORT

Player	Status	Injury
D - Mike Burns	Out	Red Card Suspension
D - Jose Burciaga	Out/IR	ACL Surgery - L
M - Eric Quill	Probable	Strained Calf - L

D.C. UNITED INJURY/ABSENCE REPORT

Player	Status	Injury
F - Santino Quaranta	Out	Caution Point Accum.
D - Ryan Nelsen	Out	New Zealand Nat'l Team
M - Ben Olsen	Out	Ankle Surgery - R
GK - Mike Ammann	Out	Elbow Surgery - R
D - Eddie Pope	Doubtful	Knee Strain - L



WIZARDS VS. D.C. UNITED



KANSAS CITY VS. D.C. UNITED

Overall: 7-8-1 **At Kansas City:** 5-3-0
2002: 1-1-0 **At D.C.:** 2-5-1
Playoffs: Never met

April 20, 2002 KC 1 @ DC 2 (OT)
 June 15, 2002 KC 2 vs. DC 0
 July 4, 2002 KC vs. DC
 August 10, 2002 KC @ DC

April 7, 2001 KC 2 @ DC 3
 June 16, 2001 KC 0 vs. DC 3

May 17, 2000 KC 2 vs. DC 0
 June 10, 2000 KC 0 @ DC 0*

May 15, 1999 KC 3 vs. DC 4 (so)
 June 26, 1999 KC 0 @ DC 3

March 21, 1998 KC 2 @ DC 3
 August 26, 1998 KC 1 vs. DC 2

June 21, 1997 KC 6 vs. DC 1
 July 19, 1997 KC 3 vs. DC 2
 August 31, 1997 KC 0 @ DC 2

June 20, 1996 KC 5 vs. DC 1
 July 31, 1996 KC 3 @ DC 2
 August 4, 1996 KC 4 @ DC 2

* Game suspended at halftime due to electrical failure

2002 HEAD TO HEAD

Scoring	1	2	O	T	Shots	1	2	O	T
KC	1	2	0	3	KC	12	15	0	27
DC	0	1	1	2	DC	11	17	2	30

SOG	1	2	O	T	Saves	1	2	O	T
KC	5	6	0	11	KC	5	6	0	11
DC	5	7	1	13	DC	4	4	0	8

Fouls	1	2	O	T	Offside	1	2	O	T
KC	8	13	0	21	KC	1	2	0	3
DC	25	15	0	40	DC	0	0	0	0

Corners	1	2	O	T
KC	5	0	0	5
DC	4	8	0	12

Team Goals Scored and Allowed Intervals - 2002

	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90	OT	Total
KC	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3
DC	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2

Wizards vs. D.C. United All-Time Leaders [active players only]*

Goals	Assists	Points
7 - Preki	11 - Preki	25 - Preki
6 - Roy Lassiter	4 - Eric Quill	13 - Roy Lassiter
2 - Eric Quill	3 - Diego Gutierrez	8 - Eric Quill
	Peter Vermes	5 - Gutierrez

Wizards vs. D.C. United (2002)

Goals	Assists	Points
1 - Preki	2 - Francisco Gomez	3 - Stephen Armstrong
Stephen Armstrong	1 - Stephen Armstrong	Chris Brown
Chris Brown	Chris Brown	2 - Francisco Gomez
	Diego Gutierrez	Preki

* Includes stats with more than one team

NEXT MATCH



Kansas City (3-4-5) vs. Dallas (6-3-5)

Saturday, July 6th
7:00 p.m. (CT)

Arrowhead Stadium, Kansas City, MO

Wizards vs. Burn All-Time

2002: 0-0-2

Overall: 8-11-3

Home: 4-5-2

Away: 4-6-1

Shootout: 3-1 (1996-99)

Overtime: 0-0-3 (2000-2002)

Playoffs: 2-1-0

2002 SEASON TOTALS

Scoring	1	2	O	T	Shots	1	2	O	T
KC	8	10	0	18	KC	73	110	5	188
OPP	8	10	2	20	OPP	89	109	16	214

SOG	1	2	O	T	Saves	1	2	O	T
KC	33	52	1	86	KC	30	37	2	69
OPP	39	47	4	90	OPP	22	41	0	63

Fouls	1	2	O	T	Offside	1	2	O	T
KC	79	87	9	175	KC	26	24	0	50
OPP	140	109	4	253	OPP	9	10	0	19

Corners	1	2	O	T
KC	33	39	3	75
OPP	26	42	5	73



CURRENT WIZARDS NOTABLES



Last Game (6/29 at SJ)

- * The Wizards now trail the all-time series with San Jose 12-13-2, and trail 4-9-1 at Spartan Stadium.
- * Kansas City and San Jose have each scored 35 goals in the all-time series.
- * The two teams have split the first two meetings of 2002 with the Wizards winning 2-0 at Arrowhead Stadium on April 13th and the Earthquakes winning 3-0 at Spartan Stadium on June 8th.
- * Prior to tonight's 2-1 decision, the previous 12 meetings between these two sides had ended in a shutout for at least one team, dating back to July 31, 1999. In that span, Kansas City posted five shutouts, San Jose posted five shutouts and two matches ended in a 0-0 tie.
- * U.S. National Team and Wizards goalkeeper Tony Meola made his return to MLS after spending the last three weeks with the National Team at the 2002 World Cup in Korea. San Jose forward Landon Donovan made his return last weekend for San Jose after playing with the U.S. in the World Cup.
- * San Jose defender Jeff Agoos missed Saturday's game with a strained calf muscle. Agoos suffered the injury while with the U.S. National Team in the World Cup.

Vs. Opponent (7/4 vs. DC)

- * The Wizards trail the all-time series against D.C. United 7-8-2, but lead 5-3-0 at Arrowhead Stadium.
- * Kansas City has outscored D.C. 34-29 in the all-time series.
- * The Wizards lost to D.C. 2-1 in overtime in the first of 2002 at RFK Stadium on April 20th, but won the second meeting 2-0 at Arrowhead on June 15th.
- * Thursday's Fourth of July match at Arrowhead Stadium marks just the second time the Wizards have played at home on July 4th. Last year was the first time they played at Arrowhead Stadium.
- * D.C. will be without forward Santino Quaranta who is serving a one game suspension for caution points accumulation. Wizards defender Mike Burns is serving a one game suspension for a red card receive in last Saturday's game in San Jose.
- * D.C. forward Roy Lassiter will be making his first trip back to Kansas City since being waived by the Wizards on May 21st.

Individual Marks

- * Kansas City midfielder Preki became Major League Soccer's all-time leading scorer last weekend when he assisted on Carey Talley's game-winning goal in the 35th minute. The assist was Preki's 88th career assist and 212th career MLS point, moving him past Roy Lassiter as the League's leading scorer.
- * Preki is now ranked second all-time with 88 assists, trailing Colorado midfielder Carlos Valderrama (104).
- * Preki became the charter member of the 60 goal-60 assist club two weeks ago with his goal against Los Angeles. The goal was his 60th of his career. He already has 86 career assists.
- * Nick Garcia, Chris Brown and Diego Gutierrez are the only three Wizards players who have appeared in all twelve games during the 2002 season.
- * Chris Brown has appeared in a team leading 47 consecutive regular season matches for the Wizards. The last game he missed was August 12, 2000.

League Marks

- * Preki (4g, 5a) is ranked 11th in the league in scoring with 13 points.
- * Stephen Armstrong is tied for 3rd in the league with 6 assists. Preki is tied for 8th in the league with five assists.
- * Kansas City has converted three Penalty Kicks this season, tying them with Colorado and the MetroStars for the most Penalty kicks (both attempted and converted) in MLS.

Team Marks

- * Kansas City has committed just 175 fouls thus far in 2002, the least fouls committed in the league and 35 fewer than the next closest team, Chicago. They have also been issued the fewest yellow cards in the league (19). The next fewest yellow cards by a team is San Jose with 22 yellow cards. D.C. United leads the league with 34 yellow cards.



2002 WIZARDS STATISTICS



2002 GOALS SCORED INTERVALS

Team	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90+	OT	Total
Kansas City	2	4	2	5	4	1	0	18
OPPONENTS	1	3	4	4	3	3	2	20

2002 CATEGORICAL W O N - L O S S - T I E

	Home	Road	Overall
Overall:	4-1-2	0-4-3	4-5-5
vs. West:	2-1-2	0-3-1	2-4-3
vs. East:	2-0-0	0-1-2	2-1-2
Scoring First:	3-0-0	0-1-2	3-1-2
Opp. Scoring First:	1-1-2	0-3-1	1-4-3
No Score in Reg.:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Leading at Half:	2-0-0	0-1-1	2-1-1
Trailing at Half:	0-0-2	0-1-1	0-1-3
Tied at Half:	2-1-0	0-2-1	2-3-1
Leading at 75':	4-0-0	0-1-0	4-1-0
Trailing at 75':	0-0-1	0-1-0	0-1-1
Tied at 75':	0-1-1	0-2-3	0-3-4
One Goal Games:	2-1-0	0-2-0	2-3-0
More Than One Goal:	2-0-0	0-2-0	2-2-0
Out-Shooting Opp.:	3-0-2	0-1-0	3-1-2
Out-Shot by Opp.:	1-1-0	0-3-3	1-4-3
Shots Even:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Day Games:	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0
Night Games:	3-1-2	0-4-3	3-5-5
In Blue Uniforms:	4-1-2	0-2-1	4-3-3
In White Uniforms:	0-0-0	0-2-2	0-2-2
In Third Jersey:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
On Wizards TV:	0-0-0	0-4-0	0-4-0
On National TV:	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0
In March:	0-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-1
In April:	1-0-0	0-1-1	1-1-1
In May:	1-1-0	0-1-1	1-2-1
In June:	2-0-1	0-2-1	2-2-2
In July:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
In August:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
In September:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

M I S C E L L A N E O U S S T A T S

Quickest Goal For:	10' - Klein (5/25 @ MET)
Quickest Goal Against:	12' - Mullan (5/4 vs. LA)
Overtime Goals For:	None
Gm. Winning Goals after 75':	None
Game-Tying Goals after 75':	Brown - 78' (3/23 vs. COL)
Two Goal Games:	Fabbro, 6/1 vs. DAL Simutenkov, 6/22 vs. NE
Hat Tricks:	None
Hat Tricks Against:	None
Own Goals For:	None
Own Goals Against:	None
Red Cards:	Zavagnin (4/27 @ DAL) Preki (5/25 @ MET) Burns (6/29 @ SJ)
Opponent's Red Cards:	Ekelund (4/13 vs. SJ)
Penalty Kicks For	Result
Preki (5/4 vs. LA)	Goal
Fabbro (6/1 vs. DAL)	Goal
Simutenkov (6/22 vs. NE)	Goal
Penalty Kicks Against	Result
Spencer (5/11 @ COL)	Goal

W I Z A R D S P L A Y E R O F T H E G A M E

Game 1: Preki	Game 15:
Game 2: Chris Klein	Game 16:
Game 3: Preki	Game 17:
Game 4: Chris Klein	Game 18:
Game 5: Preki	Game 19:
Game 6: Nick Garcia	Game 20:
Game 7: Preki	Game 21:
Game 8: Bo Oshoniyi	Game 22:
Game 9: Dario Fabbro	Game 23:
Game 10: Dario Fabbro	Game 24:
Game 11: Chris Brown	Game 25:
Game 12: Preki	Game 26:
Game 13: Igor Simutenkov	Game 27:
Game 14: Stephen Armstrong	Game 28:

2002 WIZARDS AWARDS

MLS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week 4: Chris Klein

MLS PLAYER OF THE MONTH

None

WIZARDS PLAYER OF THE MONTH

March: Preki
April: Chris Klein
May: Bo Oshoniyi
June: Stephen Armstrong



2002 HIGHS & LOWS



TEAM

Most Goals, (G)
 Most Goals, (H)
 Most Assists, (G)
 Most Assists, (H)
 Most Shots, (G)
 Most Shots, (H)
 Most Shots on Goal, (G)
 Most Shots on Goal, (H)
 Most Fouls, (G)
 Most Fouls, (H)
 Most Offside, (G)
 Most Corners, (G)
 Most Corners, (H)
 Most Blocks, (G)
 Most Cautions, (G)
 Most Cautions, (H)
 Most Ejections, (G)
 Most Ejections, (H)
 Most Penalty Kicks, (G)
 Most Unanswered Goals, (G)
 Fewest Goals, (G)
 Fewest Shots, (G)
 Fewest Shots, (H)
 Fewest Shots on Goal, (G)
 Fewest Shots on Goal, (H)
 Fewest Fouls, (G)
 Fewest Offside, (G)
 Fewest Corners, (G)
 Fewest Cautions (both teams) (G)
 Largest Attendance

WIZARDS

3, 6/22 vs. NE
 3, 6/22 vs. NE (1)
 4, last, 6/15 vs. DC
 4, last, 5/18 vs. LA (2)
 23, 6/1 vs. DAL
 12, last, 6/19 @ CLB (2)
 11, 5/18 vs. LA
 8, 5/18 vs. LA (2)
 19, 3/23 vs. COL
 13, 6/22 vs. NE (1)
 10, 5/25 @ MET
 9, 6/1 vs. DAL
 7, 6/19 @ CLB (2)
 1, 6/1 vs. DAL
 3, 5/11 @ COL
 2, last, 6/22 vs. NE (2)
 1, last, Burns, 6/29 @ SJ
 1, last, 6/29 @ SJ (1)
 1, last, Simutenkov, 6/22 vs. NE
 2, last, 6/15 vs. DC
 0, last, 6/8 @ SJ
 7, 5/25 @ MET
 2, 6/19 @ CLB (1)
 3, last, 5/11 @ COL
 0, 4/13 vs. SJ (1)
 7, 6/8 @ SJ
 0, last, 6/1 vs. DAL
 2, last, 6/29 @ SJ
 1, 6/19 @ CLB
 21,301 - 5/4 vs. LA (All-time Record)

OPPONENTS

3, 6/8 @ SJ
 2, last, 6/29 @ SJ (2)
 4, 6/8 @ SJ
 3, last, 6/29 @ SJ (2)
 23, 4/27 @ DAL
 13, 4/20 @ DC (2)
 10, last, 5/25 @ MET
 5, last, 6/22 vs. NE (2)
 25, 5/25 @ MET
 15, 4/20 @ DC (1)
 3, last, 6/29 @ SJ
 8, 5/25 @ MET
 4, last, 6/29 @ SJ (2)
 1, last, 6/1 vs. DAL
 3, 6/22 vs. NE
 2, last, 6/22 vs. NE (2)
 1, last, Mulrooney, 6/29 @ SJ
 1, last, 6/29 @ SJ (1)
 1, Spencer, 5/11 @ COL
 3, 6/8 @ SJ
 0, last, 6/15 vs. DC
 6, 6/8 @ SJ
 1, 4/13 vs. SJ (1)
 2, last, 4/13 vs. SJ
 0, last, 4/13 vs. SJ (1)
 13, last, 6/29 @ SJ
 0, last, 6/22 vs. NE
 1, last, 5/11 @ COL
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 23,020 - 5/11 @ COL

INDIVIDUAL

Most Goals, (G)
 Most Assists, (G)
 Most Points, (G)
 Most Shots, (G)
 Most Shots on Goal, (G)
 Most Fouls Committed, (G)
 Most Fouls Suffered, (G)
 Most Blocks, (G)
 Most Consec. Gms. w/ a Goal
 Most Consec. Gms. w/ an Assist
 Most Consec. Gms. w/ a Point

WIZARDS

2, last, Simutenkov, 6/22 vs. NE
 2, last, Gomez, 6/15 vs. DC
 4, last, Simutenkov, 6/22 vs. NE
 8, Simutenkov, 6/22 vs. NE
 4, last, Simutenkov, 6/22 vs. NE
 5, Armstrong, 6/22 vs. NE
 7, Zavagnin, 6/1 vs. DAL
 1, Gutierrez, 6/1 vs. DAL
 2, Brown, 3/23 - 4/20
 2, last, Armstrong, 4/13 - 4/27
 5, Preki, 3/23 - 5/11

OPPONENTS

2, Graziani, 6/8 @ SJ
 2, DeRosario, 6/29 @ SJ
 4, Graziani, 6/8 @ SJ
 7, Williams, 5/25 @ MET
 4, Mullan, 5/4 vs. LA
 5, last, DeRosario, 6/29 @ SJ
 6, Henderson, 5/11 @ COL
 1, last, Bonseu, 6/1 vs. DAL
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GOALKEEPING (full games)

Most Goals Against, (G)
 Most Shots on Goal Faced, (G)
 Most Shots on Goal Faced, (H)
 Most Saves, (G)
 Most Saves, (H)
 Most Catch/Punches, (G)
 Fewest Goals Against, (G)
 Fewest SOG Against, (G)
 Fewest SOG Against, (H)
 Fewest Saves, (G)
 Fewest Saves, (H)
 Fewest Catch/Punches, (G)

WIZARDS

3, Oshoniyi, 6/8 @ SJ
 10, last, Oshoniyi, 5/25 @ MET
 5, last, Oshoniyi, 6/22 vs. NE (2)
 9, Oshoniyi, 5/25 @ MET
 5, Oshoniyi, 5/25 @ MET (2)
 9, Meola, 4/27 @ DAL
 0, last, Oshoniyi, 6/15 vs. DC
 2, last, Meola, 4/13 vs. SJ
 0, last, Meola, 4/13 vs. SJ (1)
 0, Oshoniyi, 6/8 @ SJ
 0, last, Oshoniyi, 6/8 @ SJ (1,2)
 0, Oshoniyi, 6/1 vs. DAL

OPPONENTS

3, Brown, 6/22 vs. NE
 11, Reis, 5/18 vs. LA
 8, Reis, 5/18 vs. LA (2)
 8, Reis, 5/18 vs. LA
 6, Reis, 5/18 vs. LA
 9, Garlick, 5/11 @ COL
 0, last, Cannon, 6/8 @ SJ
 3, last, Garlick, 5/11 @ COL
 0, Cannon, 4/13 vs. SJ (1)
 2, Rimando, 4/20 @ DC
 0, last, Rimando, 4/20 @ DC (2)
 1, last, Rimando, 6/15 vs. DC

(G) - Game (H) - Half (T) - Total



2002 SCHEDULE & RESULTS



<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>TIME (CT)</u>	<u>TV</u>
Sunday	March 3	W Connection FC*	W 1-0	
Saturday	March 16	W Connection FC*	W 2-0	
Saturday	March 23	Colorado Rapids	T 1-1 (OT)	
Wednesday	April 10	Santos Laguna*	L 1-2	
Saturday	April 13	San Jose Earthquakes	W 2-0	
Saturday	April 20	at D.C. United	L 1-2 (OT)	
Wednesday	April 24	Santos Laguna*	W 2-0	
Saturday	April 27	at Dallas Burn	T 1-1 (OT)	
Saturday	May 4	Los Angeles Galaxy	L 1-2 (OT)	
Saturday	May 11	at Colorado Rapids	L 0-2	
Saturday	May 18	Los Angeles Galaxy	W 2-1	
Saturday	May 25	at NY/NJ MetroStars	T 1-1	
Saturday	June 1	Dallas Burn	T 2-2 (OT)	
Saturday	June 8	at San Jose Earthquakes	L 0-3	
Saturday	June 15	D.C. United	W 2-0	
Wednesday	June 19	at Columbus Crew	T 1-1	
Saturday	June 22	New England Revolution	W 3-2	
Saturday	June 29	at San Jose Earthquakes	L 1-2	
Thursday	July 4	D.C. United	7:00 p.m.	
Saturday	July 6	Dallas Burn	7:00 p.m.	
Saturday	July 13	at New England Revolution	3:00 p.m.	espn2
Wednesday	July 17	U.S. Open Cup - Third Round	TBD	
Saturday	July 20	at Los Angeles Galaxy	9:00 p.m.	Metro Sports
Wednesday	July 24	NY/NJ MetroStars	7:00 p.m.	
Saturday	July 27	San Jose Earthquakes	7:00 p.m.	
Wednesday	July 31	at Dallas Burn	7:30 p.m.	Metro Sports
Saturday	August 3	2002 MLS All-Star Game	2:30 p.m.	ABC
		<i>at RFK Stadium, Washington D.C.</i>		
Saturday	August 10	at D.C. United	6:30 p.m.	
Wednesday	August 14	at Chicago Fire	7:30 p.m.	Metro Sports
Sunday	August 18	Columbus Crew	7:00 p.m.	
Wednesday	August 21	at Los Angeles Galaxy	9:00 p.m.	Metro Sports
Saturday	August 31	Chicago Fire	7:00 p.m.	
Saturday	Sept. 14	Colorado Rapids	7:00 p.m.	
Friday	Sept. 20	at Colorado Rapids	8:00 p.m.	Metro Sports
Sunday	Oct. 20	2002 MLS Cup	12:30 p.m.	ABC
		<i>At CMGI Field, Foxboro, MA</i>		

Home Games in Bold

* Champions Cup Match

All Games and Times Subject to Change

** The Wizards will play two games in the Semifinals of the Champions Cup against the winner of the Monarcas Morelia/Chicago Fire series. Morelia and Chicago are scheduled to play June 30th and July 10th.



2002 GAME-BY-GAME



GAME 1

Kansas City 1, Colorado 1, OT
Saturday, March 23, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
11,769

	1	2	F
Kansas City	0	1	1
Colorado	1	0	1

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Brown (Preki) 78'
COL: Henderson (Spencer/Chung) 16'

Kansas City Lineup: Meola-GK, Burns (Talley-74), Vermes, Garcia, Gutierrez, Glasgow, Zavagnin, McKeon, Brown, Preki, Lassiter (Gomez-46)

Game Statistics

	KC	COL
Total Shots	17	9
Shots on Goal	9	2
Saves	1	7
Fouls	19	24
Offsides	4	2
Corner Kicks	7	1

Cautions - Fraser (COL) 13', Preki (KC) 49', Hart (COL) 85'.

Ejections - None.
Referee - Alex Prus.
Referees Assistant - George Gansner, Richard Huber.
Fourth Official - Ali Saheli.

GAME 2

Kansas City 2, San Jose 0
Saturday, April 13, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
10,636

	1	2	F
Kansas City	0	2	2
San Jose	0	0	0

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Klein (Preki, Armstrong) 52', Brown (Armstrong, Klein) 65'
SJ: None

Kansas City Lineup: Meola-GK, Burns, Vermes, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein (Talley-68), Zavagnin, Gomez (McKeon-80), Quill (Armstrong-46), Brown, Preki

Game Statistics

	KC	SJ
Total Shots	11	7
Shots on Goal	6	2
Saves	2	3
Fouls	10	15
Offsides	7	2
Corner Kicks	5	4

Cautions - Agoos (SJ) 30', Dayak (SJ) 31'.
Ejections - Ekelund (SJ) 33'.
Referee - Kevin Stott.
Referees Assistant - Greg Barkey, Jose Andrade.
Fourth Official - Ali Saheli.

GAME 3

D.C. United 2, Kansas City 1, OT
Saturday, April 20, 2002
RFK Stadium
12,759

	1	2	O	F
Kansas City	0	1	0	1
D.C. United	0	1	1	2

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Preki (Armstrong) 73'
DC: Curtis (UA) 71', McKinley (Convey) 92'

Kansas City Lineup: Meola-GK, Burns, Vermes, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein, Zavagnin, Gomez, Armstrong, Preki, Brown (Glasgow-91)

Game Statistics

	KC	DC
Total Shots	12	19
Shots on Goal	3	9
Saves	7	2
Fouls	10	24
Offsides	0	0
Corner Kicks	2	5

Cautions - Alegria (DC) 24', Brown (KC) 45', Prideaux (DC) 69'.

Ejections - None.
Referee - Gus St. Silva.
Referees Assistant - Steve Taylor, Bill Ditmarr.
Fourth Official - Noel Kenny.

GAME 4

Kansas City 1, Dallas 1, OT
Saturday, April 27, 2002
The Cotton Bowl
14,065

	1	2	O	F
Kansas City	1	0	0	1
Dallas	0	1	0	1

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Klein (Preki) 15'
DAL: Kreis (Unassisted) 52'

Kansas City Lineup: Meola-GK (captain), Burns, Vermes, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein, Zavagnin (ejected-62), McKeon, Quill (Armstrong-46), Preki (Gomez-67), Brown

Game Statistics

	KC	DAL
Total Shots	10	23
Shots on Goal	5	9
Saves	8	4
Fouls	13	14
Offsides	1	2
Corner Kicks	3	6

Cautions - Suarez (DAL) 47+, Vermes (KC) 67', Rhine (DAL) 96'.

Ejections - Zavagnin (KC) 62'.
Referee - Reggie Rutty.
Referees Assistant - Nathan Clement, Greg Watson.
Fourth Official - Erich Simmons.

GAME 5

Los Angeles 2, Kansas City 1, OT
Saturday, May 4, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
21,301

	1	2	O	F
Kansas City	1	0	0	1
Los Angeles	1	0	1	2

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Preki (PK) 29'
LA: Mullan (Lalas, Waibel) 12', Glinton (Cienfuegos) 93'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Burns, Vermes, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein, Gomez, McKeon, Armstrong (Quill-46), Brown, Preki

Game Statistics

	KC	LA
Total Shots	11	19
Shots on Goal	4	10
Saves	8	3
Fouls	11	15
Offsides	2	1
Corner Kicks	6	7

Cautions - Garcia (KC) 36', Gutierrez (KC) 56', Ruiz (LA) 57', Califf (LA) 67'.

Ejections - None.
Referee - Michael Kennedy.
Referees Assistant - Ruchard Huber, Alex Scott.
Fourth Official - Ali Saheli.

GAME 6

Colorado 2, Kansas City 0
Saturday, May 11, 2002
INVESCO Field at Mile High
23,020

	1	2	F
Kansas City	0	0	0
Colorado	1	1	2

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: None
COL: Spencer (PK) 38', Henderson (Spencer) 88'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Talley, Garcia, Burns, Klein (Assister-74), Zavagnin, Preki, McKeon, Gutierrez, Glasgow (Gomez-72), Quill (Brown-58)

Game Statistics

	KC	COL
Total Shots	9	13
Shots on Goal	3	6
Saves	4	3
Fouls	18	19
Offsides	4	0
Corner Kicks	8	1

Cautions - Burns (KC) 25', Garcia (KC) 38', Hart (COL) 44', Baba (COL) 53', Gutierrez (KC) 80'.

Ejections - None.
Referee - Jasen Anno.
Referees Assistant - Roger Itaya, Richard Huber.
Fourth Official - Kevin Stott.



2002 GAME-BY-GAME



GAME 7

Kansas City 2, Los Angeles 1
Saturday, May 18, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
9,877

	1	2	F
Kansas City	0	2	2
Los Angeles	0	1	1

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Gutierrez (Brown, Klein) 58', Preki (Klein, Armstrong) 61'
LA: Mullan (Elliott, Hendrickson) 55'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Talley, Vermes, Garcia, Klein, Zavagnin, Preki, McKeon, Gutierrez, Fabbro (Armstrong-46), Brown

Game Statistics

	KC	LA
Total Shots	21	18
Shots on Goal	11	7
Saves	6	8
Fouls	9	13
Offsides	3	2
Corner Kicks	6	7

Cautions - Hendrickson (LA) 24', Talley (KC) 32'.
Ejections - None.
Referee - Noel Kenny.
Referees Assistant - Chip Reed, Jose Andrade.
Fourth Official - Shane Butler.

GAME 8

Kansas City 1, MetroStars 1, OT
Saturday, May 25, 2002
Giants Stadium
18,401

	1	2	OT	F
Kansas City	1	0	0	1
MetroStars	1	0	0	1

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Klein (Preki, Garcia) 10'
MET: Diallo (Williams, Ramos) 42'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Talley, Vermes, Garcia, Klein, Zavagnin, Preki (ejected-93), McKeon, Gutierrez (Armstrong-34), Fabbro (Burns-46), Brown

Game Statistics

	KC	MET
Total Shots	7	22
Shots on Goal	4	10
Saves	9	3
Fouls	17	25
Offsides	10	2
Corner Kicks	4	8

Cautions - Diallo (MET) 21', Vermes (KC) 78', Ramos (MET) 84', McKeon (KC) 99'.
Ejections - Preki (KC) 93'.
Referee - Jesse Johnson.
Referees Assistant - Chris Strickland, Nate Clements.
Fourth Official - Noel Kenny.

GAME 9

Kansas City 2, Dallas 2, OT
Saturday, June 1, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
7,266

	1	2	OT	F
Kansas City	0	2	0	2
Dallas	1	1	0	2

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Fabbro (PK) 54', Fabbro (McKeon, Armstrong) 70'
DAL: Kreis (unassisted) 24', Vaca (Amani-Dove) 60'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Garcia (Talley-73), Vermes, Burns, Klein, Zavagnin, Gomez (Armstrong-46), McKeon, Gutierrez, Simutenkov, Fabbro (Brown-85)

Game Statistics

	KC	DAL
Total Shots	23	18
Shots on Goal	9	8
Saves	5	5
Fouls	12	20
Offsides	0	1
Corner Kicks	9	5

Cautions - Kreis (DAL) 42', Simutenkov (KC) 44', Rhine (DAL) 61', Armstrong (KC) 68', Amani-Dove (DAL) 77'.
Ejections - None.
Referee - Rich Grady.
Referees Assistant - Roger Itaya, Thomas Supple.
Fourth Official - Shane Butler.

GAME 10

San Jose 3, Kansas City 0
Saturday, June 8, 2002
Spartan Stadium
8,043

	1	2	F
Kansas City	0	0	0
San Jose	1	2	3

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: None
SJ: Graziani (Barrett) 40', Graziani (DeRosario) 48', Mulrooney (Corrales, Lagos) 75'.

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Garcia, Vermes, Gutierrez, Klein, Zavagnin, Preki, Gomez (McKeon-72), Brown (Armstrong-58), Fabbro, Simutenkov (Talley-78)

Game Statistics

	KC	SJ
Total Shots	13	6
Shots on Goal	6	3
Saves	0	6
Fouls	7	20
Offsides	5	3
Corner Kicks	7	2

Cautions - Zavagnin (KC) 31', Corrales (SJ) 90'.
Ejections - None.
Referee - Terry Vaughn.
Referees Assistant - Chris Strickland, Misail Tsapos.
Fourth Official - Yader Reyes.

GAME 11

Kansas City 2, D.C. United 0
Saturday, June 15, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
9,721

	1	2	F
Kansas City	1	1	2
D.C. United	0	0	0

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Brown (Gutierrez, Gomez) 34', Armstrong (Brown, Gomez) 51'
DC: None.

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Talley, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein, Zavagnin, Preki, Gomez (McKeon-67), Brown, Fabbro (Armstrong-46), Simutenkov (Burns-73)

Game Statistics

	KC	DC
Total Shots	15	11
Shots on Goal	8	4
Saves	4	6
Fouls	11	16
Offsides	3	0
Corner Kicks	3	7

Cautions - Williams (DC) 27', Fabbro (KC) 45'.
Ejections - None.
Referee - Gerry Corrie.
Referees Assistant - Chris Strickland, Steven Taylor.
Fourth Official - Jeesee Johnson.

GAME 12

Kansas City 1, Columbus 1
Wednesday, June 19, 2002
Crew Stadium
14,089

	1	2	O	F
Kansas City	0	1	0	1
Columbus	1	0	0	1

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)
KC: Preki (Unassisted) 52'
CLB: Cunningham (Buddle, Oughton) 45'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Burns, Talley, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein, Zavagnin, Gomez, Brown (Preki-46), Fabbro (Armstrong-46), Simutenkov (McKeon-75)

Game Statistics

	KC	CLB
Total Shots	14	15
Shots on Goal	5	5
Saves	4	4
Fouls	9	18
Offsides	3	1
Corner Kicks	8	7

Cautions - McCarty (CLB) 34'.
Ejections - None.
Referee - Reggie Rutty.
Referees Assistant - Craig Lowry, Robery Mann.
Fourth Official - Elias Bazakos.



2002 GAME-BY-GAME



GAME 13

Kansas City 3, New England 2
Saturday, June 22, 2002
Arrowhead Stadium
8,288

	1	2	F
Kansas City	3	0	3
New England	1	1	2

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)

KC: Simutenkov (PK) 22', Simutenkov (Gutierrez, Talley) 30', Talley (Preki) 35'
NE: Heaps (Franchino) 24', Twellman (Kamler, Ralston) 66'

Kansas City Lineup: Oshoniyi-GK, Burns, Talley, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein (Brown-73), Zavagnin, Gomez (McKeon-76), Preki, Simutenkov, Armstrong

Game Statistics

	KC	NE
Total Shots	13	21
Shots on Goal	6	9
Saves	7	3
Fouls	17	17
Offsides	6	0
Corner Kicks	5	7

Cautions - Pierce (NE) 39', Preki (KC) 67', Armstrong (KC) 84', Ralston (NE) 92+, Rooney (NE) 93+.

Ejections - None.

Referee - Noel Kenny.

Referees Assistant - Robert Fereday, Alex Scott.

Fourth Official - Joe Heyden.

GAME 14

San Jose 2, Kansas City 1
Saturday, June 29, 2002
Spartan Stadium
9,008

	1	2	F
Kansas City	1	0	1
San Jose	0	2	2

Scoring Summary - Goals (assists)

KC: Fabbro (Armstrong, Gomez) 16'
SJ: Graziani (DeRosario, Ekelund) 85', Corrales (DeRosario) 88'

Kansas City Lineup: Meola-GK, Burns (ejected-27), Talley, Garcia, Gutierrez, Klein, Zavagnin, Gomez, Preki (Simutenkov-79), Fabbro (Brown-57), Armstrong

Game Statistics

	KC	SJ
Total Shots	12	13
Shots on Goal	7	6
Saves	4	6
Fouls	12	13
Offsides	2	3
Corner Kicks	2	6

Cautions - Fabbro (KC) 31', DeRosario (SJ) 45', Russell (SJ) 60', Gutierrez (KC) 72'.
Ejections - Burns (KC) 27', Mulrooney (SJ) 27'.

Referee - Richard Heron.

Referees Assistant - Emiliano Monje, Robert Sabella.

Fourth Official - Jasen Anno.



2002 KANSAS CITY WIZARDS



KANSAS CITY WIZARDS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	Hometown	College
16	Stephen Armstrong (S)	M	5-10	165	7-23-76	Cape Town, S. Africa	Butler
22	Davy Arnaud (d)	M	6-0	165	6-22-80	Nederland, TX	West Texas A&M
8	Chris Brown	M/F	5-11	170	3-10-77	Portland, OR	Portland
18	Chris Brunt	D	5-11	165	1-1-80	Omaha, NE	SW Missouri St.
20	Jose Burciaga, Jr. (P)	D	6-1	166	11-16-81	Duncanville, TX	--
4	Mike Burns	D	5-9	165	9-14-70	Marlboro, MA	Hartwick
9	Dario Fabbro (S)	F	6-2	178	11-3-76	Buenos Aires, Argentina	--
3	Nick Garcia	D	5-10	160	4-9-79	Plano, TX	Indiana
10	Francisco Gomez	M	5-11	170	1-25-79	Watsonville, CA	--
30	Taly Goode (d)	GK	6-3	200	8-25-78	Woodbridge, VA	Marshall
7	Diego Gutierrez	M	5-7	155	11-3-72	Kansas City, MO	Rockhurst
17	Chris Klein	M	6-1	180	1-4-76	St. Louis, MO	Indiana
2	Matt McKeon	M	6-3	195	9-24-74	St. Charles, MO	St. Louis
1	Tony Meola	GK	6-1	205	2-21-69	Kearny, NJ	Virginia
25	Bo Oshoniyi	GK	6-1	190	11-3-71	Poughkeepsie, NY	So. Connecticut St.
11	Preki	M	5-9	165	6-24-63	Belgrade, Yugoslavia	--
19	Eric Quill	F	5-10	170	2-28-78	Missouri City, TX	Clemson
21	Igor Simutenkov (S)	F	5-8	145	4-3-73	Moscow, Russia	--
14	Carey Talley	D	6-2	180	8-26-76	Cordova, TN	North Carolina
6	Peter Vermes	D	6-1	175	11-21-66	Delran, NJ	Rutgers
5	Kerry Zavagnin	M	5-10	170	7-2-74	Plymouth, MI	North Carolina

WIZARDS NUMERICAL ROSTER AND PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

#	Player	Pos.	Pronunciation	Place of Birth	Last Club
1	Tony Meola	GK	mee-OH-luh	Belleville, NJ	MetroStars
2	Matt McKeon	M	mick-Q-in	St. Louis, MO	Colorado Rapids
3	Nick Garcia	D		Plano, TX	--
4	Mike Burns	D		Marlboro, MA	San Jose Earthquakes
5	Kerry Zavagnin	M	Za-VAG-nin	Plymouth, MI	Lehigh Valley (A-League)
6	Peter Vermes	D	VER-mees	Willingboro, NJ	Colorado Rapids
7	Diego Gutierrez	M	goo-TEE-err-ezz	Bogota, Columbia	Chicago Fire
8	Chris Brown	M/F		Portland, OR	--
9	Dario Fabbro (S)	F	FAH-bro	Buenos Aires, Argentina	Emelec (Ecuador)
10	Francisco Gomez	M		Watsonville, CA	California Jaguars (PDL)
11	Preki	M	PREK - ee	Belgrade, Yugoslavia	Miami Fusion
14	Carey Talley	D	TAL-ee	Memphis, TN	D.C. United
16	Stephen Armstrong (S)	M		Birkenhead, England	D.C. United
17	Chris Klein	M		St. Louis, MO	--
18	Chris Brunt	D		Omaha, NE	Sioux Falls (PDL)
19	Eric Quill	F		Missouri City, TX	Tampa Bay Mutiny
20	Jose Burciaga, Jr. (P)	D	Bur-c-agga	Duncanville, TX	--
21	Igor Simutenkov (S)	F	si-MOO-ten-kov	Moscow, Russia	Tenerife (Spain)
22	Davy Arnaud (d)	M		Nederland, TX	--
25	Bo Oshoniyi	GK	o-SHAH-nee	Poughkeepsie, NY	Atlanta (A-League)
30	Taly Goode (d)	GK	GOOD	Woodbridge, VA	Atlanta (A-League)

Head Coach: Bob Gansler

Assistant Coaches: Brian Bliss, Tim Mulqueen

d - Teams may sign up to four Developmental Players who are 23-years-old or younger. These players do not count against the salary budget.

P - Nike Project-40 player will be considered as Developmental Players.

S - Senior International player



WIZARDS 2002 MINI-BIOS



1 TONY MEOLA GK 6-1 205 BORN: 2/21/69 KEARNEY, NJ

For Meola's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 44-47 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Made one save in the Wizards 1-1 tie vs. COL (3/23) in MLS season opener...Needed just two saves to pick up his first shutout of the season in a 2-0 win vs. SJ (4/13)...Named to his third World Cup team in an announcement by U.S. National Team Head Coach Bruce Arena on April 22nd...Made seven saves in a 2-1 overtime loss @ D.C. (4/20), his 150th career MLS appearance...Made nine saves in leading the Wizards to a 2-0 shutout over Santos Laguna (4/24) in the Quarterfinals of the Champions Cup. His tremendous effort helped the team to a 3-2 aggregate goal margin and advance to the Semifinals...Made 8 saves in helping the Wizards to a 1-1 tie @ DAL (4/27), his last game with the team before joining the U.S. National Team in training camp for the 2002 World Cup...Earned his 99th career cap coming on in the 53rd minute of a friendly match against Jamaica (5/16). Preserved a shutout in the America's 5-0 win...Rejoined the Wizards on Tuesday, June 25th after spending three weeks with the U.S. National Team at the 2002 FIFA World Cup in Korea/Japan...Made his return to the Wizards vs. SJ (6/29), making four saves in a 2-1 loss.

2002 MLS Game Highs:

Shots: 23, 4/27 @ DAL
Saves: 8, 4/27 @ DAL
C/P: 9, 4/27 @ DAL

Unbeaten Streak: 2 (3/23 - 4/20)
Shutout Streak: 1 (4/13 - 4/20)

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	SV	C/P	GA	GAA	PK	SHO	W-L-T
1996	MetroStars	29	29	2610	142	99	38	1.31	3/4	9	14-15
1997	MetroStars	30	30	2684	149	117	48	1.61	4/6	5	12-18
1998	MetroStars	31	31	2790	164	110	62	2.00	5/5	4	14-17
1999	Kansas City	9	9	765	36	22	10	1.18	0/0	3	1-8
2000	Kansas City	31	31	2826	129	83	29	0.92	3/6	16	15-7-9
2001	Kansas City	17	17	1534	80	39	28	1.64	2/3	4	7-8-2
2002	Kansas City	5	5	472	22	18	6	1.14	0/0	1	1-2-2
TOTALS		152	152	13,681	722	488	221	1.45	17/24	42	64-74-13

2 MATT McKEON M 6-3 195 BORN: 9/24/74 ST. CHARLES, MO

For McKeon's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 40-42 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. COL (3/23)...Came on in the 80th minute vs. SJ (4/13)...DNP @ D.C. (4/20), coaches decision...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ DAL (4/27)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. LA (5/18)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ MET (5/25)...Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. DAL (6/1). Registered his first point of the season, assisting on Dario Fabbro's game-tying goal in the 70th minute...Came on to play the final 18 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Came on to play the final 23 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15)...Came on to play the final 25 minutes as a forward @ CLB (6/19)...Came on to play the final 14 minutes vs. NE (6/22).

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: None
A: 1, 6/1 vs. DAL
PT: 1, 6/1 vs. DAL

SHT: 2, last, 6/1 vs. DAL
SOG: 1, last, 6/22 vs. NE

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1996	Kansas City	12	9	823	0	1	1	10	9	0	2/0
1997	Kansas City	31	30	2737	4	1	9	15	7	3	8/0
1998	Kansas City	22	21	1875	0	0	0	14	8	1	4/1
1999	Colorado	28	27	2415	0	2	2	29	10	2	9/0
2000	Kansas City	30	30	2631	3	11	17	74	23	0	7/1
2001	Kansas City	26	26	2372	5	2	12	48	22	0	6/0
2002	Kansas City	12	7	764	0	1	1	7	4	0	1/0
TOTALS		161	150	13,617	12	18	42	197	83	6	37/2

3 NICK GARCIA D 5-10 160 BORN: 4/9/79 PLANO, TX

For Garcia's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 24-25 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. COL (3/23)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. SJ (4/13)...Started and played the full 92 minutes @ D.C. (4/20)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ DAL (4/27)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. LA (5/18)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ MET (5/25). Registered his first career MLS point assisting on Chris Klein's goal in the 10th minute...Started and played the first 73 minutes vs. DAL (6/1)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ CLB (6/19)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. NE (6/22)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/29).

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: None **SHT:** 1, 6/8 @ SJ
A: 1, 5/25 @ MET **SOG:** None
PT: 1, 5/25 @ MET

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
2000	Kansas City	32	32	2916	0	0	0	1	0	1	3/0
2001	Kansas City	24	24	2142	0	0	0	1	0	0	5/2
2002	Kansas City	14	14	1289	0	1	1	1	0	0	2/0
TOTALS		70	70	6347	0	1	1	3	0	1	10/2

4 MIKE BURNS D 5-9 165 BORN: 9/14/70 MARLBORO, MA

For Burns' Complete Bio, Please See Pages 22-23 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the first 74 minutes vs. COL (3/23)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. SJ (4/13)...Started and played the full 92 minutes @ D.C. (4/20)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ DAL (4/27)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Came on to play the final 55 minutes @ MET (5/25)...Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. DAL (6/1)...Came on to play the final 17 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ CLB (6/19)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. NE (6/22)...Started and played the first 27 minutes @ SJ (6/29) before receiving a red card for an altercation with Richard Mulrooney.

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: None **SHT:** 1, last, 5/4 vs. LA
A: None **SOG:** 1, 4/13 vs. SJ
PT: None

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1996	New England	17	14	1294	1	1	3	11	5	2	4/0
1997	New England	32	32	2880	0	2	2	36	18	0	5/0
1998	New England	23	23	2025	1	8	10	18	5	1	3/1
1999	New England	28	28	2505	1	4	6	25	13	3	4/0
2000	New England	8	2	351	0	0	0	4	1	0	0/0
	San Jose	18	18	1660	0	2	2	13	4	0	5/0
2001	Kansas City	19	14	1179	0	3	3	7	1	1	3/0
2002	Kansas City	12	10	929	0	0	0	3	1	0	1/1
TOTALS		157	141	12,823	3	20	26	117	48	7	25/2

5 KERRY ZAVAGNIN M 5-10 170 BORN: 7/2/74 PLYMOUTH, MI**For Zavagnin's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 62-63 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide**

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. COL (3/23). Suffered a team high 6 fouls...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. SJ (4/13)...Started and played the full 92 minutes @ D.C. (4/20), making his 100th career MLS appearance...Started and played the first 62 minutes @ DAL (4/27), was ejected in the 62nd minute after receiving a red card...Did not play vs. LA (5/4) while serving a red card suspension. Missed his first game since August 16, 2000 at San Jose (caution points) and just his second ever game since joining the Wizards...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. LA (5/18)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ MET (5/25)...Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. DAL (6/1)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ CLB (6/19). Wore the Captain's armband for the first time with the Wizards...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. NE (6/22)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/29).

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: None **SHT:** 2, 6/1 vs. DAL
A: None **SOG:** 1, last, 5/25 @ MET
PT: None

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1997	MetroStars	21	12	1089	0	0	0	8	3	0	2/0
1998	MetroStars	18	7	754	0	2	2	11	0	0	2/2
2000	Kansas City	31	31	2743	2	3	7	22	6	1	6/0
2001	Kansas City	27	27	2472	1	5	7	27	6	0	5/0
2002	Kansas City	13	13	1184	0	0	0	6	3	0	1/1
TOTALS		110	90	8242	3	10	16	74	18	1	16/3

6 PETER VERMES D 6-1 175 BORN: 11/21/66 DELRAN, NJ**For Vermes' Complete Bio, Please See Pages 58-60 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide**

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. COL (3/23)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. SJ (4/13)...Started and played the full 92 minutes @ D.C. (4/20)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ DAL (4/27)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Did not play @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. LA (5/18)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ MET (5/25)...Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. DAL (6/1)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Did not play vs. D.C. (6/15)...Did not play @ CLB (6/19)...Did not play vs. NE (6/22)...Did not play @ SJ (6/29).

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: None **SHT:** None
A: None **SOG:** None
PT: None

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1996	MetroStars	30	30	2700	1	1	3	40	16	2	8/0
1997	Colorado	26	25	2206	6	4	16	29	12	0	1/0
1998	Colorado	31	31	2675	2	5	9	9	3	3	3/1
1999	Colorado	32	32	2880	0	2	2	7	0	0	5/0
2000	Kansas City	32	32	2916	2	3	7	14	5	1	5/0
2001	Kansas City	20	20	1826	0	2	2	10	1	1	2/0
2002	Kansas City	9	9	856	0	0	0	0	0	0	2/0
TOTALS		180	179	15,969	11	17	39	109	37	7	26/1

7 DIEGO GUTIERREZ D/M 5-7 155 BORN: 11/3/72 KANSAS CITY, MO

For Gutierrez's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 30-31 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. COL (3/23)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. SJ (4/13) despite separating his shoulder in the 33rd minute...Started and played the full 92 minutes @ D.C. (4/20)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ DAL (4/27)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. LA (5/18). Scored the Wizards first goal in the 58th minute on a header from a deflected Chris Brown shot. The goal was his first in a Wizards uniform...Started and played the first 34 minutes @ MET (5/25) before leaving with a sprained ankle...Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. DAL (6/1)...Took a season high five shots in the game...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15). Registered his first assist of the season, helping on Chris Brown's game-winning goal in the 34th minute...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ CLB (6/19)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. NE (6/22). Assisted on Igor Simutenkov's goal in the 30th minute...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/29).

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: 1, 5/18 vs. LA **SHT:** 5, 6/1 vs. DAL
A: 1, last, 6/22 vs. NE **SOG:** 1, last, 6/8 @ SJ
PT: 2, 5/18 vs. LA

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1996	Kansas City	28	24	2,068	0	4	4	17	3	0	5/0
1998	Chicago	13	8	812	0	3	3	8	2	0	1/1
1999	Chicago	28	25	2,164	3	5	11	26	9	1	5/0
2000	Chicago	24	23	1,959	2	13	17	28	12	1	3/1
2001	Chicago	24	24	2,123	1	5	7	13	10	0	4/1
2002	Kansas City	14	14	1250	1	2	3	14	2	1	3/0
TOTALS		130	118	10,376	7	32	45	106	38	3	21/3

8 CHRIS BROWN M/F 5-11 170 BORN: 3/10/77 PORTLAND, OR

For Brown's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 18-19 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Started and played the full 100 minutes vs. COL (3/23). Scored the Wizards only goal with a header from a Preki freekick...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. SJ (4/13). Scored the Wizards second goal of the match off a header in the 65th minute, the second straight game he has scored off a header...Started and played the first 90 minutes @ D.C. (4/20)...Scored the Wizards second goal of their 2-0 win over Santos Laguna in the Quarterfinals of the Champions Cup (4/24). His goal proved to be the series winner as the Wizards advanced on a 3-2 aggregate goal margin...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ DAL (4/27). Took a team high three shots (two on goal)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Came on to play the final 32 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. LA (5/18). Assisted on Diego Gutierrez's game-tying goal in the 58th minute. Took a team high five shots (two on goal)...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ MET (5/25)...Came on in the 85th minute for Dario Fabbro vs. DAL (6/1). Extended his team leading appearance streak to 42 games, playing in every game for the Wizards since August 12, 2000...Started and played the first 58 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Started and played the full 90 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15). Scored the game-winning goal in the 34th minute on a beautiful 18-yard blast. Assisted on the Wizards second goal of the match in a 2-0 shutout...Started and played the first half @ CLB (6/19)...Came on to play the final 17 minute vs. NE (6/22)...Came on to play the final 33 minutes @ SJ (6/29).

2002 MLS Game Highs:

G: 1, last, 6/15 vs. D.C. **SHT:** 5, 5/18 vs. LA
A: 1, last, 6/15 vs. D.C. **SOG:** 2, last, 5/18 vs. LA
PT: 3, 6/15 vs. D.C.

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1999	Kansas City	28	19	1679	4	3	11	40	19	0	0/0
2000	Kansas City	22	10	1116	0	1	1	15	5	0	1/0
2001	Kansas City	27	23	2034	5	2	12	37	18	0	1/0
2002	Kansas City	14	10	954	3	2	8	22	11	0	1/0
TOTALS		91	62	5783	12	8	32	114	53	0	3/0

9 DARIO FABBRO F 6-2 178 BORN: 11/3/76 BUENOS AIRES, ARG.**For Fabbro's Complete Bio, Please See the Wizards Public Relations Department**

2002 Season Highlights: Was signed as a Discovery Pick by the Wizards on April 6th. Scored two goals and added an assist in two games as a guest player with the Wizards during the preseason in Argentina...Arrived in Kansas City on Wednesday, May 15th and begin training on Thursday, May 16th...Made his MLS debut just two days after joining the team, starting and playing the first half at forward vs. LA (5/18). Nearly had his first MLS goal in 40th minute off a corner kick, but his shot was blocked at the last second by LA forward Brian Mullan...Started and played the first 45 minutes @ MET (5/25)...Started and played the first 85 minutes vs. DAL (6/1). Scored his first career MLS goal in the 54th minute on a penalty kick to tie the game. Scored his second goal of the match in the 70th minute, also a game-tying goal of a 2-2 match...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Started and played the first 45 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15)...Started and played the first half @ CLB (6/19)...Started and played the first 57 minutes @ SJ (6/29). Scored his third goal of the season in the 16th minute.

2002 MLS Game Highs:**G:** 2, 6/1 vs. DAL**SHT:** 4, 6/1 vs. DAL**A:** None**SOG:** 4, 6/1 vs. DAL**PT:** 4, 6/1 vs. DAL**MLS Statistics**

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
2002	Kansas City	7	7	412	3	0	6	12	8	0	2/0
TOTALS		7	7	412	3	0	6	12	8	0	2/0

10 FRANCISCO GOMEZ M 5-11 170 BORN: 1/25/79 WATSONVILLE, CA**For Gomez's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 28-29 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide**

2002 Season Highlights: Came on in the second half for Roy Lassiter vs. COL (3/23)...Assisted on Gary Glasgow's goal in a 2-1 loss to Santos Laguna in the Champions Cup (4/10)...Started and played the first 80 minutes as defensive midfielder vs. SJ (4/13)...Started and played the full 92 minutes @ D.C. (4/20)...Came on in the 67th minute @ DAL (4/27)...Started and played the full 94 minutes vs. LA (5/4)...Came on to play the final 18 minutes @ COL (5/11)...Started and played the first 45 minutes vs. DAL (6/1)...Started and played the first 72 minutes @ SJ (6/8)...Started and played the first 67 minutes vs. D.C. (6/15). Picked up his first two assists of the season, assisting on Chris Brown's game-winning goal in the 34th minute and Stephen Arnsong's goal in the 51st minute...Started and played the full 100 minutes @ CLB (6/19)...Started and played the first 76 minutes vs. NE (6/22)...Started and played the full 90 minutes @ SJ (6/29). Picked up his third assist of the season on Dario Fabbro's goal in the 16th minute.

2002 MLS Game Highs:**G:** None**SHT:** 5, 3/23 vs. COL**A:** 2, 6/15 vs. D.C.**SOG:** 2, 3/23 vs. COL**PT:** 2, 6/15 vs. D.C.**MLS Statistics**

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1999	Kansas City	7	4	339	1	0	2	6	3	0	0/0
2000	Kansas City	14	7	709	2	1	5	19	9	0	2/0
2001	Kansas City	24	15	1320	4	6	14	32	13	0	0/1
2002	Kansas City	12	9	822	0	3	3	19	5	0	0/0
TOTALS		57	35	3200	7	10	24	76	30	0	2/1

19 ERIC QUILL M 5-10 170 BORN: 2/28/78 MISSOURI CITY, TX

For Quill's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 54-55 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Did not play vs. COL (3/23) after suffering a strained left hamstring...Made his Wizards debut and played the first half vs. SJ (4/13)...Started and played the first half @ DAL (4/27)...Came on in the second half and played the final 49 minutes, including overtime, vs. LA (5/4)...Started and played the first 58 minutes @ COL (5/11).

2002 MLS Game Highs:**G:** None**SHT:** 2, 5/4 vs. LA**A:** None**SOG:** 1, 4/27 @ DAL**PT:** None**MLS Statistics**

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
1997	Tampa Bay	2	1	108	0	0	0	1	1	0	0/0
1998	Tampa Bay	4	0	141	0	0	0	7	3	0	0/0
1999	Tampa Bay	15	3	431	1	1	3	9	6	0	0/0
2000	Tampa Bay	30	25	2,205	5	11	21	54	24	0	1/0
2001	Tampa Bay	24	23	1,840	2	8	12	33	11	0	3/1
2002	Kansas City	4	3	197	0	0	0	5	1	0	0/0
TOTALS		79	55	4,922	8	20	36	109	46	0	4/1

20 JOSE BURCIAGA JR. D 6-1 166 BORN: 11/16/81 DUNCANVILLE, TX

For Burciaga's Complete Bio, Please See Pages 20-21 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights: Suffered a torn ACL in his left knee on April 4th. Underwent successful ACL surgery on May 10th and will be out the remainder of the 2002 season.

2002 MLS Game Highs:**G:** None**SHT:** None**A:** None**SOG:** None**PT:** None**MLS Statistics**

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
2001	Kansas City	3	2	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
2002	Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
TOTALS		3	2	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0

18 CHRIS BRUNT D 5-11 165 BORN: 1/1/80 OMAHA, NE

For Brunt's Complete Bio, Please See Page 65 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights:

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
2002	Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

22 DAVY ARNAUD M 6-0 160 BORN: 6/22/80 NEDERLAND, TX

For Arnaud's Complete Bio, Please See Page 65 of the Wizards 2002 Media Guide

2002 Season Highlights:

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SHT	SOG	BLK	Y/R
2002	Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

30 TALY GOODE GK 6-3 200 BORN: 8/25/78 WOODBRIDGE, VA

For Goode's Complete Bio, Please See the Wizards Public Relations Office

2002 Season Highlights:

MLS Statistics

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	MIN	SV	C/P	GA	GAA	PK	SHO	W-L-T
2002	Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0-0-0
TOTALS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0-0-0



2002 TRANSACTIONS



- January 11, 2002:** Wizards acquire defender/midfielder Stephen Armstrong from D.C. United in exchange for defender Brandon Prideaux.
- January 11, 2002:** Kansas City selects midfielder Eric Quill from Tampa Bay in the 1st round (4th overall) of the Dispersal Draft. In the 2nd round, the Wizards select midfielder Preki from Miami (14th overall). Preki rejoins the Wizards after spending his first five seasons in MLS with Kansas City.
- January 21, 2002:** The Wizards acquire defender Eric Dade from Dallas in exchange for Kansas City's 5th round draft pick (54th overall) in the 2002 SuperDraft. To make room on the roster for Dade, the team waives defender Michael Green.
- January 29, 2002:** Midfielder Mark Santel announces his retirement after six seasons in MLS.
- January 30, 2002:** Defender Eric Dade announces his retirement.
- February 8, 2002:** The Wizards reacquired their second former player during the offseason when they traded their 1st round pick (5th overall) in the 2002 SuperDraft to Chicago for defender/midfielder Diego Gutierrez. Gutierrez rejoins the Wizards after spending the 1996 and 1997 seasons in a Wizards uniform.
- February 10, 2002:** With seven picks in the 2002 SuperDraft, the Wizards selected O'Neil Peart (32nd overall), Chris Brunt (37th overall), Dominic DePra (43rd overall), Davy Arnaud (50th overall), Brian Lavin (57th overall), Dane Erickson (64th overall) and Mark Spears (65th overall).
- February 10, 2002:** Following the SuperDraft, the Wizards acquired defender Carey Talley in a trade with D.C. United in exchange for future considerations.
- February 15, 2002:** MLS and Rushden & Diamonds of the English 3rd Division agree on a permanent transfer of forward Onandi Lowe, thus freeing a Senior International roster spot for the Wizards.
- February 22, 2002:** The Wizards waive defender/midfielder Andrew Gregor and defender Brian Lavin.
- February 28, 2002:** The Wizards waive forwards O'Neil Peart and Dominic DePra, midfielder Dane Erickson and goalkeeper Mark Spears.
- March 19, 2002:** Midfielder Davy Arnaud, defender Chris Brunt and goalkeeper Taly Goode sign with MLS and become developmental players on the Wizards roster.
- April 6, 2002:** Wizards sign Argentinean forward Dario Fabbro as a Discovery Pick.
- April 17, 2002:** Kansas City places defender Jose Burciaga Jr. on Injured Reserve.
- May 20, 2002:** Wizards sign Russian forward Igor Simutenkov as a foreign Allocation.
- May 21, 2002:** Forwards Gary Glasgow and Roy Lassiter placed on Waivers.
- June 4, 2002:** Wizards sign defender Josue Mayard off waivers from Dallas Burn.
- July 2, 2002:** Kansas City defender Chris Brunt is signed to the 18-man senior roster after spending the first half of the season as a developmental player. Defender Josue Mayard is waived.