

## PITTSBURGH RIVERHOUNDS SC (7-2-5) at OAKLAND ROOTS SC (6-4-3)

Saturday, June 17 >> 10 p.m. ET >> Pioneer Stadium >> Hayward, Calif.  
Streaming: ESPN+ (national)

### INSIDE THE MATCH



<b>PITTSBURGH</b>	<b>Record</b>	6-4-3
7-2-5	<b>Conference Standing</b>	5th (West)
1st (East)	<b>Last Five</b>	3-1-1
5-0-0	<b>Streak</b>	D1
W5	<b>Head Coach</b>	Noah Delgado
Bob Lilley	<b>Twitter</b>	@oaklandrootssc
@RiverhoundsSC		

<b>All-Time Head-to-Head</b>	1-0-0
<b>Referee</b>	Alexis Da Silva
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Peter Hanson, Justin Fillmore
<b>Fourth official</b>	Turan Ozdemir
<b>Hounds injuries/inactives</b>	Albert Dikwa (clavicle) - OUT Jahmali Waite (international duty - Jamaica) - OUT

### STAT COMPARISON

Hounds	Category	Oakland
1.43	Scoring Average	1.54
0.79	Opponent Scoring Average	1.08
20	Goals Scored	20
11	Goals Allowed	14
+9	Goal Differential	+6
7.93	Shots/Game (excl. blocked)	8.92
3.50	SOG/Game	4.46
42%	Average possession	54%
28	Yellow Cards	40
2	Red Cards	1

### TEAM LEADERS

Hounds	Category	Oakland
Albert Dikwa, 9	Goals	D.Formella/J.Rodriguez, 5
Kenardo Forbes, 5	Assists	Napo Matsoso, 3
Albert Dikwa, 18	Points	Dariusz Formella, 12
Albert Dikwa, 26	Shots	D.Formella/A.Pelaez, 17
Jahmali Waite, 1,170	Minutes D.Barbir/P.Blanchette, 1,170	
L.Biasi/N.Dossantos, 4	Yellow Cards	Jeciel Cedeno, 5
R.Mertz/A.Ordoñez, 1	Red Cards	Emrah Klimentia, 1
Jahmali Waite, 0.77	GAA	Paul Blanchette, 1.08
Jahmali Waite, .615	SV%	Paul Blanchette, .759

\*Minimum 5 games to qualify for GK stats

### GAME 15 - QUICK STRIKES

- This will be the Hounds' first trip to the Bay Area to face the Roots and their second of three trips to California this season, the first yielding a 2-2 draw at Monterey Bay.
- The Hounds came out on top in the first-ever meeting between the teams, last year's regular-season finale on Oct. 15 at Highmark Stadium. The Roots took an lead after eight minutes in that match, but the Hounds scored just before halftime and twice more after the break for a 3-1 win.
- The Hounds are without goalkeeper Jahmali Waite, who is with the Jamaican National Team in preparation for the Gold Cup beginning next weekend. Waite has seven total clean sheets this season, including two in the U.S. Open Cup against MLS teams — the New England Revolution and Columbus Crew — as the Hounds became the first lower-division team to shut out MLS teams in consecutive cup matches.
- Kenardo Forbes, the Hounds' captain and most-tenured player, is still up to his playmaking ways. Forbes, who turned 35 in May, has an assist in five of his last six USL Championship matches to become the first player to record 60 assists in the league. His latest assist runs his team-record total to 49 in all competitions.
- Center back Arturo Ordóñez scored from set pieces in three consecutive USL Championship matches from May 20-June 3, including two game-winning goals. Those tallies rank the defender second on the team this season for goals and earned a spot on the league's Team of the Week in back-to-back weeks.
- Hounds leading scorer Albert Dikwa is out with a collarbone injury suffered in the team's Open Cup loss at FC Cincinnati, but before the injury he became the fastest Hounds player to 10 goals in a season — both by number of matches (13) and earliest date (May 24) — with his goal one round earlier against the Columbus Crew.
- Midfielder Junior Etou scored his first goal as a member of the Hounds last Saturday, just 21 seconds into the 2-0 win over Charleston. That was the fastest goal in Riverhounds history and in Highmark Stadium history.
- Danny Griffin remains unmatched in durability with 96 consecutive appearances in league matches since he turned pro in 2020. With three goals this season in all competitions, he already has his highest single-season scoring year as a pro.
- In 182 matches played under Bob Lilley in all competitions, the Hounds are 94-38-50 and have allowed just 169 goals, an average of 0.93 goals per game.

### SUPERLATIVES

Hounds High	Hounds Low	Category	Opp High	Opp Low
4 (5/20 vs. Las Vegas)	0 (three times)	Goals	4 (5/6 at Birmingham)	0 (two times)
2 (three times)	0 (five times)	Goals All.	3 (two times)	0 (six times)
18 (3/28 at Tulsa)	4 (6/10 vs. Charleston)	Shots	16 (4/15 vs. Hartford)	6 (6/10 at Phoenix)
5 (three times)	1 (4/8 at Colo. Springs)	SOG	9 (5/6 at Birmingham)	1 (4/23 at Loudoun)
3 (6/3 vs. Phoenix)	0 (two times)	Saves	6 (two times)	1 (5/6 at Birmingham)
21 (4/22 at El Paso)	11 (3/18 at Memphis)	Fouls	18 (4/8 at Indianapolis)	5 (6/2 at Colo. Springs)

### MILESTONE TRACKER

- Albert Dikwa became the 11th Hounds player to score 20 goals for the club with his strike April 15 against Rio Grande Valley FC. Now with 26, Dikwa is tied with Phil Karn for eighth in the team's history.
- Already the team's all-time assists leader, Kenardo Forbes has 172 appearances in all competitions for the Hounds, which places him in sole possession of third place in team history. He also has 18 goals with the Hounds, putting him on the cusp of joining Dikwa in the 20-goal club.

### 2023 SCHEDULE & RECORD

#### USL Championship Record: 7-2-5

Home: 5-0-1 • Away: 2-2-4 • Conf.: 4-0-4 • All comp.: 11-3-5

#### MARCH

Sat. 11	@Birmingham Legion FC	WPCW	D, 1-1
Sat. 18	@Memphis 901 FC	ESPN+	W, 3-1
Fri. 24	Miami FC	WPCW	D, 1-1
Tues. 28	@FC Tulsa	ESPN+	D, 0-0

#### APRIL

Wed. 5	*Rochester New York FC	W, 1-0 (forfeit)
Sat. 8	@Colo. Springs Switchbacks	WPCW L, 0-1
Sat. 15	Rio Grande Valley FC Toros	WPCW W, 2-0
Sat. 22	@El Paso Locomotive FC	ESPN+ L, 2-0
Tues. 25	*Maryland Bobcats FC	B/R Football W, 2-0
Sat. 29	@Indy Eleven	ESPN+ D, 1-1

#### MAY

Fri. 5	@Monterey Bay FC	ESPN+ D, 2-2
Tues. 9	*@New England Revolution	YouTube W, 1-0
Sat. 13	Birmingham Legion FC	WPCW W, 2-1
Sat. 20	Las Vegas Lights FC	WPCW W, 4-1
Wed. 24	*Columbus Crew	WPCW/CBS Gol. W, 1-0
Sun. 28	@Loudoun United FC	ESPN+ W, 1-0

#### JUNE

Sat. 3	Phoenix Rising FC	WPCW W, 1-0
Tues. 6	*@FC Cincinnati	B/R Football L, 1-3
Sat. 10	Charleston Battery	WPCW W, 2-0
Sat. 17	@Oakland Roots SC	ESPN+ 10 p.m.
Sat. 24	San Diego Loyal SC	WPCW 7 p.m.

#### JULY

Sat. 1	Louisville City FC	WPCW 7 p.m.
Sat. 8	Sacramento Republic FC	WPCW 7 p.m.
Wed. 12	@Louisville City FC	WPCW 8 p.m.
Sat. 15	Detroit City FC	WPCW 7 p.m.
Sat. 22	@Charleston Battery	ESPN+ 7:30 p.m.
Wed. 26	Indy Eleven	WPCW 7 p.m.
Sat. 29	Memphis 901 FC	WPCW 7 p.m.

#### AUGUST

Sat. 5	Tampa Bay Rowdies	WPCW 7 p.m.
Sat. 12	Hartford Athletic	WPCW 7 p.m.
Wed. 16	@Orange County SC	ESPN+ 10 p.m.
Wed. 23	@Hartford Athletic	ESPN+ 7 p.m.
Sat. 26	@San Antonio FC	WPCW 9 p.m.

#### SEPTEMBER

Sat. 9	Loudoun United FC	WPCW 7 p.m.
Sat. 16	@Miami FC	ESPN+ 7 p.m.
Sat. 23	New Mexico United	WPCW 7 p.m.
Sat. 30	FC Tulsa	WPCW 7 p.m.

#### OCTOBER

Sat. 7	@Tampa Bay Rowdies	WPCW 7:30 p.m.
Sat. 14	@Detroit City FC	ESPN+ 4 p.m.

\*Denotes U.S. Open Cup matches

### CLUB NOTABLES

Most Appearances	David Flavius (195)
All-Time Goals Leader	David Flavius (62)
All-Time Assists Leader	Kenardo Forbes (49)
All-Time Record at Highmark Stadium	82-42-47

### Last Game Summary

#### Riverhounds SC 2, Charleston Battery 0

Game 14 • Highmark Stadium, Pittsburgh, Pa. • June 10, 2023

The Hounds won their fifth consecutive USL Championship match, remained undefeated at home and jumped to first in the Eastern Conference with the win. Junior Etou scored the fastest goal in Hounds history just 21 seconds in the match, and Tola Showunmi put the three points away with his goal in the 83rd minute.

LAST TIME OUT

**FAST FACTS**

**General Information**

Name: Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC  
 City/Zip: Pittsburgh, PA 15219  
 Founded: March 11, 1998  
 First match: May 1, 1999  
 Nickname: Hounds  
 Colors: Black & Yellow  
 Conference: Eastern Conference  
 Venue: Highmark Stadium  
 Seating capacity: 5,000  
 Owner: Tuffy Shallenberger  
 Website: www.riverhounds.com

**USL RECORD IN 2023 WHEN...**

At home.....	5-0-1
On road.....	2-2-4
In games decided by one goal or fewer.....	3-1-5
In games decided by two goals or more.....	4-1-0
vs. clubs with winning records.....	4-1-1
vs. clubs with losing records.....	3-1-2
vs. clubs with .500 records.....	0-0-2
Scoring first.....	7-0-2
Conceding first.....	0-2-2
Leading at half.....	4-0-1
Trailing at half.....	0-1-2
Tied at half.....	3-1-2
Leading with 10:00 remaining.....	7-0-2
Trailing with 10:00 remaining.....	0-2-1
Tied with 10:00 remaining.....	0-0-2
Leading with 5:00 remaining.....	7-0-1
Trailing with 5:00 remaining.....	0-2-0
Tied with 5:00 remaining.....	0-0-4
Outshooting opponent.....	5-1-3
Being outshot by opponent.....	2-1-2
Tying in shots with opponent.....	0-0-0
Scoring no goals.....	0-2-1
Scoring one goal.....	2-0-3
Scoring two goals.....	3-0-1
Scoring three goals.....	1-0-0
Scoring four or more goals.....	1-0-0
Allowing no goals.....	4-0-1
Allowing one goal.....	3-1-3
Allowing two goals.....	0-1-1
Allowing three goals.....	0-0-0
Allowing four or more goals.....	0-0-0
In games reduced to 10 men.....	0-1-0
In games opponent was reduced to 10 men.....	0-0-0
On weekdays.....	0-0-3
On weekends.....	7-2-2
In March.....	1-0-3
In April.....	1-2-1
In May.....	3-0-1
In June.....	2-0-0
Vs. Eastern Conference.....	4-0-4
Vs. Western Conference.....	3-2-1

**Miscellaneous**

Current Streak.....	W5
Home Streak.....	W5
Road Streak.....	W1
Current undefeated streak in USL play.....	7
Matches since last home loss (all competitions).....	10
Minutes since last conceding in USL play.....	298

**ACTIVE ROSTER**

Roster Size: 25 • Returners: 11 • Newcomers: 14

▶ **NUMERICAL**

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	Hometown (Previous Club)
1	Christian Garner	GK	6'0"	180	23	Orleans, Mass. (Northwestern University)
2	Danny Griffin	M	5'9"	170	24	Wethersfield, Conn. (Huntsville City FC)
3	Pat Hogan	D	6'3"	190	25	Matthews, N.C. (Charleston Battery)
4	Dani Rovira	D/M	5'9"	148	26	Bogotá, Colombia (University of Vermont)
5	Arturo Ordóñez	D	6'2"	178	26	Salou, Spain (University of Pittsburgh)
6	Nathan Dossantos	D	5'11"	170	24	Oakville, Ontario (Marshall University)
7	Langston Blackstock	F	6'2"	185	23	Marietta, Ga. (Clayton State University)
8	Junior Etou	M	5'9"	175	29	Brazzaville, Republic of Congo (Tampa Bay Rowdies)
9	Albert Dikwa	F	6'1"	165	25	Garoua, Cameroon (Saint Louis FC)
10	DZ Harmon	M	6'2"	190	26	Monrovia, Liberia (Charleston Battery)
11	Kenardo Forbes	M	5'9"	170	35	Kingston, Jamaica (Rochester Rhinos)
12	Michael DeShields	D	6'1"	185	25	Baltimore, Md. (New England Revolution II)
13	Luke Biasi	D	6'0"	180	23	Buford, Ga. (Syracuse University)
14	Robbie Mertz	M	5'7"	155	26	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Atlanta United 2)
15	Joe Farrell	D	6'2"	185	29	Blue Bell, Pa. (Phoenix Rising FC)
16	Burke Fahling	M	5'7"	163	25	Tupelo, Miss. (Charleston Battery)
18	Anders Bordoy	M	6'1"	155	18	New Kensington, Pa. (Riverhounds Academy)
19	Edward Kizza	F	5'9"	175	24	Kampala, Uganda (New England Revolution)
20	Trevor Zwetsloot	D	6'2"	178	23	Auckland, New Zealand (New England Revolution II)
22	Tony Lopez	F	6'1"	174	25	Sylmar, Calif. (Cal United Strikers)
23	Marc Ybarra	M	6'0"	180	24	Ann Arbor, Mich. (University of Michigan)
24	Tola Showunmi	F	6'3"	200	22	London, England (University of New Hampshire)
26	Jahmali Waite	GK	6'1"	198	24	Kingston, Jamaica (University of Connecticut)
28	Illal Osumanu	D	6'0"	186	26	Accra, Ghana (Union Omaha)
32	Jonathan Gomes	GK	6'3"	185	24	Broward County, Fla. (Mercyhurst University)

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▶ **TECHNICAL STAFF**

Head Coach: Bob Lilley  
 Assistant Coach: Dan Visser  
 Goalkeepers Coach: Jon Busch

▶ **PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

Luke BIASI	BEE-ah-see
ANDERS BORDOY	AHN-ders bor-DOY
Albert DIKWA	DEE-kwa
Junior ETOU	EH-too
Burke FAHLING	FAY-ling
Jonathan GOMES	GOMZ
Edward KIZZA	KIZ-uh
Arturo ORDÓÑEZ	or-DOE-nyez
ILLAL OSUMANU	Ill-ALL O-soo-mah-noo
TOLA SHOWUNMI	TOW-la SHOW-un-me
Marc YBARRA	EE-bar-uh
Trevor ZWETSLOOT	ZVET-sloot

▶ 2023 USL CHAMPIONSHIP STATISTICS

**INDIVIDUAL**

No.	Name	GP	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	FC	T	CL	PK	PKG	YC	RC
2	Danny Griffin	6	508	1	0	2	5	1	8	8	3	0	0	1	0
3	Pat Hogan	12	895	0	1	1	1	1	9	17	41	0	0	2	0
4	Dani Rovira	6	417	0	1	1	2	0	5	14	5	0	0	1	0
5	Arturo Ordóñez	13	1,158	3	1	7	12	3	18	22	53	0	0	3	1
6	Nate Dossantos	14	1,085	0	0	0	1	0	19	37	27	0	0	4	0
7	Langston Blackstock	11	518	0	1	1	4	2	8	22	7	0	0	1	0
8	Junior Etou	9	586	1	0	2	2	2	9	14	5	0	0	1	0
9	Albert Dikwa	11	949	9	0	18	26	12	15	5	2	2	1	1	0
10	DZ Harmon	4	151	0	0	0	2	1	3	3	2	0	0	1	0
11	Kenardo Forbes	14	1,153	1	5	7	12	5	15	17	4	0	0	1	0
12	Mike DeShields	6	126	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	12	0	0	1	0
13	Luke Biasi	12	745	0	3	3	3	2	14	21	8	0	0	4	0
14	Robbie Mertz	13	723	1	0	2	5	2	11	13	4	0	0	0	1
15	Joe Farrell	11	512	0	0	0	3	1	4	11	21	0	0	1	0
16	Burke Fahling	8	235	1	1	3	2	1	5	6	3	0	0	0	0
18	Anders Bordoy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Edward Kizza	13	759	2	0	4	10	7	13	7	1	0	0	1	0
20	Trevor Zwestloot	11	418	0	0	0	4	0	9	17	5	0	0	1	0
22	Tony Lopez	5	266	0	0	0	6	3	9	6	2	0	0	0	0
23	Marc Ybarra	14	900	0	1	1	4	2	24	18	12	0	0	2	0
24	Tola Showunmi	12	352	1	1	3	7	4	18	4	2	0	0	1	0
28	Illal Osumanu	2	101	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0

**GOALKEEPERS**

No.	Name	GP	MIN	GA	SV	CS	SV%	GAA	YC	RC
1	Christian Garner	1	90	1	1	0	.500	1.00	0	0
26	Jahmali Waite	13	1,170	10	16	5	.615	0.77	0	0
32	Jonathan Gomes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

▶ 2023 HONORS

**USL CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

Albert Dikwa - (Week 2)  
*First career hat trick in win at Memphis*

**USL CHAMPIONSHIP SAVE OF THE WEEK**

Jahmali Waite (Week 4 at Tulsa)

**USL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM OF THE WEEK**

*Robbie Mertz - Midfielder (Week 1)*

Albert Dikwa - Forward (Week 2)  
 Pat Hogan - Defender (Week 2)

Kenardo Forbes - Midfielder (Week 6)

Albert Dikwa (2) - Forward (Week 9)

*Albert Dikwa - Forward (Week 10)*

Burke Fahling - Defender (Week 11)  
 Edward Kizza - Forward (Week 11)  
 Kenardo Forbes - Midfielder (Week 11)  
 Arturo Ordóñez - Defender (Week 11)

Arturo Ordóñez - Defender (Week 12)  
 Arturo Ordóñez (2) - Defender (Week 13)

*Nate Dossantos - Defender (Week 14)*

\* italics denote Bench selection, number of 2023 selections in parentheses

**USL CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYER OF THE MONTH FINALIST**

Albert Dikwa - May

**USL CHAMPIONSHIP COACH OF THE MONTH**

Bob Lilley - May

## HEAD COACH BOB LILLEY



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

Last year, Lilley led the Hounds to a 16-9-9 league record, good for fifth place in a tightly packed top of the USL Championship Eastern Conference. The playoff berth was the team's fifth in a row — a club record — and the team advanced to the conference semifinals for the second time in the past four seasons.

His time in Pittsburgh has been marked by new levels of success for the team, including a 17-8-7 record in 2021 and an 11-4-1 mark in the pandemic-shortened 2020 season. In 2019, Lilley led the club to a 19-4-11 regular-season record — the most single-season wins in team history — and the USL Championship Eastern Conference regular-season championship. The club also made the postseason in 2018, when it hosted the first-ever playoff match at Highmark Stadium. Lilley has posted a 78-30-42 regular-season record with the Hounds, which includes shutting out opponents in 63 out of 150 games.

Lilley came to Pittsburgh after coaching USL's Rochester Rhinos, which he led during two separate stints (2014-17 and 2010-11). In his six seasons with the Rhinos, Lilley compiled an 82-39-51 regular-season record, which includes a 2015 mark of 17-1-10 en route to winning Coach of the Year honors and the USL Cup. He also was named Coach of the Year in 2010, when Rochester won the USSF Division 2 Professional League regular-season title.

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

For three seasons (2005-07), Lilley served as head coach for the Vancouver Whitecaps of the USL First Division, winning the league championship in 2006. From 2002-03, he led the Montreal Impact of the USL A-League, winning Coach of the Year honors in 2003. He began his pro head-coaching career with the Hershey Wildcats from 1997-01, and he was named Coach of the Year in 1997, his first-ever campaign as a head coach. Hershey made the playoffs each season under Lilley, including a trip to the A-League final in 2001.

**Alma Mater:** Across 22 seasons of head-coaching experience at the pro level, Lilley holds an all-time record of 334-160-141. He has logged at least a .500 winning percentage during each regular season and has led his team into the postseason every year. He also has won two league titles, earned Coach of the Year honors five times, and in 2010, he was inducted into the USL Hall of Fame as a coach.

**Accolades:** Before his coaching days, Lilley played at George Mason University from 1984-87, where he was a four-year starter and team captain. He was inducted into the George Mason Men's Soccer Hall of Fame in 2011. He also played professionally with the Orlando Lions of the American Soccer League (1989-90) and the Maryland Bays of the American Professional Soccer League (1991). He also played on the indoor circuit with the Hershey Impact (1988-91) and Harrisburg Heat of the National Professional Soccer League (1991-97) and the Pittsburgh Stingers of the Continental Indoor Soccer League in 1994.

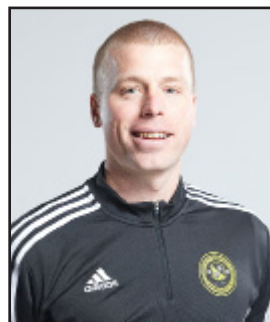
**Experience:**  
23rd season  
(sixth with PIT)

**Date Hired:**  
November 14, 2017

**Hometown:**  
Fort Monmouth, N.J.

**Alma Mater:**  
George Mason University  
(1987)

**Accolades:**  
2015 USL Cup Champion  
2006 USL-1 Champion  
USL Hall of Fame (2010)  
Five-time Coach of the Year



## ASSISTANT COACH

### DAN VISSER

- Eighth season with club
- Joined the staff in July 2016
- West Chester, Pa. native

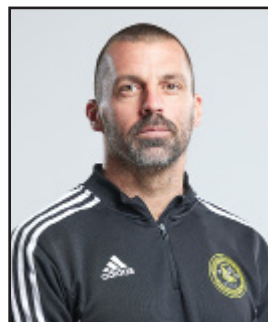
Dan Visser enters his seventh full season as an assistant coach with Riverhounds SC after originally joining the club midway through the 2016 season as part of head coach Dave Brandt's staff.

Prior to arriving in Pittsburgh, Visser served as an assistant coach under Brandt at the United States Naval Academy during its 2015 campaign.

From 2013-14, Visser was head coach at Eastern Nazarene College in Quincy, Mass., where the Lions made a two-win improvement in his second year over the first.

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

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



## GOALKEEPERS COACH

### JON BUSCH

- First season with club
- Joined the staff in Jan. 2023
- New York, N.Y. native

Jon Busch is in his first season as the goalkeepers coach for Riverhounds SC. He was previously the goalkeeping coach for Scottish Premiership side Hibernian, and before that, with Indy Eleven in the NASL and USL Championship.

Busch entered coaching after an impressive 21-year professional career that included 14 seasons in MLS. Busch first played in the A-League, where he was named the 2001 A-League Goalkeeper of the Year while helping the Hershey Wildcats reach the league final under Bob Lilley.

He was drafted by the Columbus Crew in the 2002 MLS Super Draft and played there until 2006 before joining the Chicago Fire from 2007-09. In 2008, his best year with the Fire, he was named MLS Goalkeeper of the Year after leading the league in save percentage and tying for the league lead in shutouts. Busch continued his career joining the San Jose Earthquakes in 2010, returning to the Fire in 2015 and finishing his playing career with Indy Eleven in 2016-17.

Busch also represented the United States in international play as part of the Under-17 team in the 1993 World Championship. He remained in the U.S. player pool and made his only start at the senior level in 2005, recording a shutout against Colombia, 3-0.

▶ 2023 USL CHAMPIONSHIP STANDINGS

Eastern

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC	14	7-2-5	26	20	11	9
Charleston Battery	15	7-4-4	25	17	21	-4
Tampa Bay Rowdies	14	7-4-3	24	22	15	7
Memphis 901 FC	11	6-2-3	21	23	14	9
Louisville City FC	13	6-4-3	21	13	16	-3
Birmingham Legion FC	13	5-7-1	16	17	23	-6
Indy Eleven	13	4-5-4	16	14	15	-1
Detroit City FC	14	4-7-3	15	10	14	-4
Loudoun United FC	14	4-9-1	13	16	23	-7
FC Tulsa	14	2-5-7	13	17	19	-2
Miami FC	14	2-5-7	13	17	22	-5
Hartford Athletic	14	2-8-4	10	17	28	-11

Western

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
El Paso Locomotive FC	14	9-3-2	29	23	15	8
Sacramento Republic FC	14	8-1-5	29	26	8	18
San Antonio FC	15	6-2-7	25	27	16	11
San Diego Loyal SC	15	6-4-5	23	24	21	3
Oakland Roots SC	13	6-4-3	21	20	14	6
Monterey Bay FC	14	5-4-5	20	24	19	5
Colo. Springs Switchbacks	14	6-7-1	19	17	18	-1
Phoenix Rising FC	13	4-4-5	17	16	17	-1
New Mexico United	12	4-6-2	14	18	19	-1
Orange County SC	15	3-8-4	13	12	23	-11
Rio Grande Valley FC Toros	13	2-5-6	12	12	22	-10
Las Vegas Lights FC	13	1-6-6	9	13	22	-9

\*\*Through matches played Thursday, June 15

▶ 2023 GOAL LOG

RIVERHOUNDS SC

3/11: @BHM - Robbie Mertz 72' (Arturo Ordóñez)  
 3/18: @MEM - Albert Dikwa 5' (Pat Hogan)  
 3/18: @MEM - Albert Dikwa 39' (pen.)  
 3/18: @MEM - Albert Dikwa 71' (Tola Showunmi)  
 3/24: MIA - Burke Fahling 85'  
 4/15: RGV - Albert Dikwa 49' (Luke Biasi)  
 4/15: RGV - Kenardo Forbes 64' (Dani Rovira)  
 4/25: MD - Edward Kizza 81' (Tola Showunmi)  
 4/25: MD - Burke Fahling 90+1'  
 4/29: @IND - Albert Dikwa 18' (Luke Biasi)  
 5/5: @MB - Albert Dikwa 16' (Kenardo Forbes)  
 5/5: @MB - Albert Dikwa 74'  
 5/9: @NE - Danny Griffin 44' (Marc Ybarra)  
 5/13: BHM - Albert Dikwa 11' (Kenardo Forbes)  
 5/13: BHM - Albert Dikwa 70' (Langston Blackstock)  
 5/20: LV - Edward Kizza 21'  
 5/20: LV - Edward Kizza 31' (Burke Fahling)  
 5/20: LV - Arturo Ordóñez 50' (Kenardo Forbes)  
 5/20: LV - Danny Griffin 61'  
 5/24: CLB - Albert Dikwa 22' (Robbie Mertz)  
 5/28: @LDN - Arturo Ordóñez (Marc Ybarra)  
 6/3: PHX - Arturo Ordóñez (Kenardo Forbes)  
 6/6: @CIN - Tola Showunmi 90+4'  
 6/10: CHS - Junior Etou 1' (Kenardo Forbes)  
 6/10: CHS - Tola Showunmi 83' (Luke Biasi)

OPPOSITION

3/11: @BHM - Alex Crognale 28' (Jacob Rufe)  
 3/18: @MEM - Bruno Lapa 7' (Dylan Borczak)  
 3/24: MIA - Kyle Murphy 23'  
 4/8: @COS - Romario Williams 80' (Patrick Seagrist)  
 4/22: @ELP - Petar Petrovic 39' (Denys Kostyshyn)  
 4/22: @ELP - Luis Solignac 69' (Marc Navarro)  
 4/29: @IND - Jack Blake 81'  
 5/5: @MB - Alex Dixon 44' (Christian Volesky)  
 5/5: @MB - Christian Volesky 90+1' (Adrian Rebolgar)  
 5/13: BHM - Matthew Corcoran 35'  
 5/20: LV - Marcelo Lage 86' (Danny Rios)  
 6/6: @CIN - Brandon Vazquez 56' (Dominique Badji)  
 6/6: @CIN - Álvaro Barreal 71' (Luchiano Acosta)  
 6/6: @CIN - Santiago Arias 90+2' (Álvaro Barreal)

\*\*Italics denote U.S. Open Cup matches

▶ USL CHAMPIONSHIP LINE SCORES

Opponent	W/L/D	G	A	SH	SOG	POSS	PA%	CK	OFF	FC	PK	PKG	YC	RC	OG	SV
HOUNDS	D	1	1	8	3	53.0	79.0	5	3	13	0	0	1	0	0	2
@Birmingham		1	1	10	3	47.0	73.9	3	0	10	0	0	2	0	0	2
HOUNDS	W	3	2	11	5	35.8	63.1	4	4	11	1	1	2	0	0	2
@Memphis		1	1	8	3	64.2	76.7	3	0	14	0	0	4	0	0	2
HOUNDS	D	1	0	11	2	59.0	71.0	8	1	15	0	0	2	0	0	1
Miami		1	0	3	2	41.0	55.6	3	2	9	0	0	2	0	0	1
HOUNDS	D	0	0	18	3	30.6	63.7	4	2	18	0	0	3	0	0	1
@Tulsa		0	0	7	2	69.4	80.6	2	1	15	0	0	2	0	0	3
HOUNDS	L	0	0	6	1	32.9	69.2	5	3	17	0	0	4	2	0	1
@Colorado Springs		1	1	8	2	67.1	85.7	3	2	17	1	0	2	0	0	1
HOUNDS	W	2	2	9	4	39.3	66.6	5	3	20	0	0	2	0	0	0
Rio Grande Valley		0	0	6	0	60.7	77.6	7	1	11	0	0	2	0	0	2
HOUNDS	L	0	0	9	4	51.4	84.3	3	2	21	0	0	4	0	0	1
@El Paso		2	2	7	3	48.6	80.9	3	2	11	0	0	4	0	0	4
HOUNDS	D	1	1	6	5	37.6	71.9	0	1	15	0	0	2	0	0	1
@Indy		1	0	7	2	62.4	85.9	4	3	14	0	0	3	0	0	4
HOUNDS	D	2	1	11	4	39.4	74.1	3	1	12	1	0	1	0	0	0
@Monterey Bay		2	2	4	2	60.6	83.9	3	3	14	0	0	1	0	0	2
HOUNDS	W	2	2	8	5	50.3	75.5	2	5	14	0	0	1	0	0	1
Birmingham		1	0	4	2	49.7	74.0	5	0	19	0	0	4	0	0	3
HOUNDS	W	4	2	14	5	48.1	74.3	3	4	15	0	0	1	0	0	1
Las Vegas		1	1	12	2	51.9	71.8	3	0	13	0	0	2	0	0	1
HOUNDS	W	1	1	10	2	46.3	76.3	4	2	18	0	0	1	0	0	1
@Loudoun		0	0	6	1	53.7	82.3	6	1	12	0	0	1	0	0	1
HOUNDS	W	1	1	6	2	35.8	74.8	1	0	13	0	0	3	0	0	3
Phoenix		0	0	15	4	64.2	84.8	5	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	1
HOUNDS	W	2	2	4	4	35.7	66.2	0	3	17	0	0	2	0	0	2
Charleston		0	0	13	2	64.3	78.3	8	3	8	0	0	1	0	0	2

▶ TEAM USL CHAMPIONSHIP STATISTICS

	G	A	SH	SOG	CK	OFF	FC	YC	RC	PK	PKG	OG	GA	SV	POS%
TOTAL:	20	15	131	49	47	34	219	28	2	2	1	0	11	17	-
AVG:	1.43	1.07	9.36	3.50	3.36	2.43	15.64	2.00	0.14	0.14	0.07	0.00	0.79	1.21	42%

**March 11: @Birmingham Legion FC (D, 1-1)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Nate Dossantos (Luke Biasi 79')  
 Pat Hogan (Joe Farrell 79')  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Dani Rovira  
 Junior Etou  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Robbie Mertz (Burke Fahling 87')  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Albert Dikwa (Tola Showunmi 79')  
 Edward Kizza (Tony Lopez 54')

**March 18: @Memphis 901 FC (W, 3-1)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Nate Dossantos (Luke Biasi 63')  
 Pat Hogan  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Dani Rovira  
 Junior Etou  
 Kenardo Forbes (Joe Farrell 75')  
 Robbie Mertz (Burke Fahling 75')  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Albert Dikwa  
 Edward Kizza (Tola Showunmi 63')

**March 24: Miami FC (D, 1-1)**

Christian Garner  
 Nate Dossantos (Burke Fahling 67')  
 Pat Hogan  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Dani Rovira (Langston Blackstock 77')  
 Junior Etou (Joe Farrell 77')  
 Kenardo Forbes (Tony Lopez 66')  
 Robbie Mertz  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Albert Dikwa  
 Edward Kizza (Tola Showunmi 66')

**March 28: @Tulsa FC (D, 0-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Joe Farrell  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Luke Biasi  
 Junior Etou (Trevor Zwetsloot 90+13')  
 Kenardo Forbes (Marc Ybarra 67')  
 Tola Showunmi (DZ Harmon 67')  
 Tony Lopez (Edward Kizza 76')  
 Burke Fahling (Robbie Mertz 46')  
 Albert Dikwa

**April 8: @Colorado Springs Switchbacks FC (L, 0-1)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Nate Dossantos (Dani Rovira 63')  
 Pat Hogan (Joe Farrell 79')  
 Arturo Ordóñez (sent off 90+5')  
 Luke Biasi  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Trevor Zwetsloot (Langston Blackstock 85')  
 Robbie Mertz (sent off 48')  
 Tony Lopez (Tola Showunmi 63')  
 Marc Ybarra (Illal Osumanu 79')  
 Albert Dikwa

**April 15: Rio Grande Valley FC Toros (W, 2-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Luke Biasi (Tola Showunmi 67')  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Joe Farrell  
 Illal Osumanu  
 Dani Rovira (Trevor Zwetsloot 88')  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Tony Lopez (Pat Hogan 67')  
 Edward Kizza (Langston Blackstock 67')  
 Albert Dikwa (Mike DeShields 88')

**April 22: @El Paso Locomotive FC (L, 0-2)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Nate Dossantos (Langston Blackstock 79')  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Joe Farrell  
 Pat Hogan (DZ Harmon 61', Burke Fahling 79')  
 Luke Biasi (Trevor Zwetsloot 61')  
 Robbie Mertz  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Edward Kizza (Tola Showunmi 61')  
 Albert Dikwa

**April 25: Maryland Bobcats FC (W, 2-0)**

Christian Garner  
 Langston Blackstock (Anders Bordoy 89')  
 Mike DeShields  
 Pat Hogan  
 Luke Biasi  
 Trevor Zwetsloot  
 Robbie Mertz (Marc Ybarra 84')  
 Tony Lopez (Nate Dossantos 69')  
 Burke Fahling  
 DZ Harmon (Edward Kizza 69')  
 Tola Showunmi (Arturo Ordóñez 84')

**April 29: @Indy Eleven (D, 1-1)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Joe Farrell  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Luke Biasi  
 Marc Ybarra (Burke Fahling 87')  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Langston Blackstock (Trevor Zwetsloot 46')  
 Edward Kizza (Pat Hogan 67')  
 Robbie Mertz (Tola Showunmi 67')  
 Albert Dikwa

**May 5: @Monterey Bay FC (D, 2-2)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Langston Blackstock (Mike DeShields 78')  
 Nate Dossantos (Marc Ybarra 59')  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Pat Hogan  
 Luke Biasi  
 Trevor Zwetsloot (Joe Farrell 83')  
 Danny Griffin  
 Robbie Mertz (Edward Kizza 78')  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Albert Dikwa

**May 9: @New England Revolution (W, 1-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Burke Fahling (Luke Biasi 65')  
 Mike DeShields  
 Joe Farrell (Trevor Zwetsloot 56')  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 DZ Harmon  
 Danny Griffin  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Edward Kizza (Albert Dikwa 79')  
 Robbie Mertz (Kenardo Forbes 65')  
 Tola Showunmi (Junior Etou 79')

**May 13: Birmingham Legion FC (W, 2-1)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Langston Blackstock (Junior Etou 74')  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Pat Hogan  
 DZ Harmon (Luke Biasi 65')  
 Danny Griffin  
 Trevor Zwetsloot (Marc Ybarra 46')  
 Robbie Mertz (Edward Kizza 65')  
 Kenardo Forbes (Mike DeShields 84')  
 Albert Dikwa

**May 20: Las Vegas Lights FC (W, 4-1)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Langston Blackstock  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Arturo Ordóñez (Mike DeShields 79')  
 Pat Hogan  
 Burke Fahling  
 Junior Etou (Tola Showunmi 62')  
 Kenardo Forbes (Robbie Mertz 72')  
 Danny Griffin (Marc Ybarra 72')  
 Edward Kizza  
 Albert Dikwa (Trevor Zwetsloot 62')

**May 24: Columbus Crew SC (W, 1-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Luke Biasi  
 Mike DeShields (Pat Hogan 87')  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 DZ Harmon (Trevor Zwetsloot 74')  
 Danny Griffin  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Albert Dikwa (Kenardo Forbes 57')  
 Robbie Mertz (Junior Etou 74')  
 Tola Showunmi (Edward Kizza 87', sent off 90+5')

**May 28: @Loudoun United FC (W, 1-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Luke Biasi  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Joe Farrell  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 DZ Harmon (Robbie Mertz 46')  
 Langston Blackstock (Marc Ybarra 58')  
 Junior Etou (Tola Showunmi 58')  
 Danny Griffin  
 Kenardo Forbes (Mike DeShields 85')  
 Edward Kizza (Trevor Zwetsloot 80')

**June 3: Phoenix Rising FC (W, 1-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Langston Blackstock (Junior Etou 76')  
 Mike DeShields  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Pat Hogan  
 Burke Fahling (Trevor Zwetsloot 46')  
 Danny Griffin (Luke Biasi 76')  
 Marc Ybarra  
 Edward Kizza (Robbie Mertz 86')  
 Kenardo Forbes  
 Tola Showunmi (Nate Dossantos 46')

**June 6: @FC Cincinnati (L, 1-3)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Luke Biasi (Tony Lopez 65')  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Joe Farrell  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 DZ Harmon (Tola Showunmi 79')  
 Dani Rovira (Illal Osumanu 65')  
 Junior Etou  
 Danny Griffin  
 Robbie Mertz (Kenardo Forbes 46')  
 Albert Dikwa (Marc Ybarra 14')

**June 10: Charleston Battery (W, 2-0)**

Jahmali Waite  
 Luke Biasi  
 Nate Dossantos  
 Arturo Ordóñez  
 Pat Hogan  
 Langston Blackstock (Dani Rovira 46')  
 Junior Etou  
 Trevor Zwetsloot (Marc Ybarra 46')  
 Danny Griffin  
 Kenardo Forbes (Robbie Mertz 74', Joe Farrell 85')  
 Edward Kizza (Tola Showunmi 74')



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**CHRISTIAN GARNER**

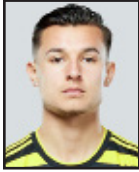
	GP/GS	W/L/D	S	GA	GAA	SV%
2023	1/1	0-0-1	1	1	1.00	.500

**GK • 6'0" • 180 • Orleans, Mass.**

- Made pro debut 3/24 — 1-1 draw vs. Miami
- First pro shutout 4/25 in USOC vs. Md. Bobcats
- Played in college at Northwestern & Boston Coll.

**GAME HIGHS**

- Saves: 1 (3/24 vs. MIA)
- GA: 1 (3/24 vs. MIA)
- Clean sheets: 0



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**DANNY GRIFFIN**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	6/6	508	1	0	2	5	1

**M • 5'9" • 170 • Wethersfield, Conn.**

- Back via transfer from Huntsville (MLSNP) on 5/3
- Played in 96 consecutive league matches as a pro
- Team record 85 straight league matches ('20-'22)

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (four times)
- Goals: 1 (5/20 vs. LV)
- Assists: 0
- Points: 2 (5/20 vs. LV)
- Shots: 3 (5/20 vs. LV)
- SOG: 1 (5/20 vs. LV)



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**PAT HOGAN**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	12/10	895	0	1	1	1	1

**D • 6'3" • 190 • Matthews, N.C.**

- Signed after two seasons with Charleston Battery
- 37 games played, two goals as a pro entering '23
- Conf. USA Defensive MVP in '20-'21 at Charlotte

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (seven times)
- Goals: 0
- Assists: 1 (3/18 at MEM)
- Points: 1 (3/18 at MEM)
- Shots: 1 (4/22 at ELP)
- SOG: 1 (4/22 at ELP)



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**DANI ROVIRA**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	6/4	417	0	1	1	2	0

**D • 5'9" • 148 • Bogotá, Colombia**

- Second-most tenured Hounds player (fifth year)
- Career-high five assists in 2022
- Team leader with 66 tackles in 2021

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (two times)
- Goals: 0
- Assists: 1 (4/15 vs. RGV)
- Points: 1 (4/15 vs. RGV)
- Shots: 1 (two times)
- SOG: 0



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**ARTURO ORDÓÑEZ**

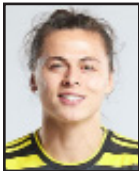
	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	13/13	1,158	3	1	7	12	3

**D • 6'2" • 178 • Salou, Spain**

- Started 35 of 38 games in first year (all comps.)
- First professional goal 6/25/22 vs. Tampa Bay
- Led Hounds with 124 clearances in 2022

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (11 times)
- Goals: 1 (three times)
- Assists: 1 (3/11 at BHM)
- Points: 2 (three times)
- Shots: 3 (5/20 vs. LV)
- SOG: 1 (three times)



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**NATE DOSSANTOS**

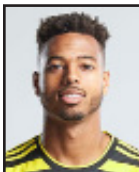
	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	14/13	1,085	0	0	0	1	0

**D • 5'11" • 170 • Oakville, Ontario**

- Made 16 starts at left back in 2022 rookie year
- First season ended in Aug. after knee injury
- 2020 NCAA champion with Marshall

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (seven times)
- Goals: 0
- Assists: 0
- Points: 0
- Shots: 1 (5/28 at LDN)
- SOG: 0



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**LANGSTON BLACKSTOCK**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	11/7	518	0	1	1	4	2

**F • 6'2" • 185 • Marietta, Ga.**

- Made pro debut as substitute 3/24 vs. Miami
- 32 goals, 12 ast. in at D-II Clayton State (Ga.)
- First pro assist 5/13 vs. Birmingham

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (5/20 vs. LV)
- Goals: 0
- Assists: 1 (5/13 vs. BHM)
- Points: 1 (5/13 vs. BHM)
- Shots: 2 (5/20 vs. LV)
- SOG: 1 (two times)



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**JUNIOR ETOOU**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	9/7	586	1	0	2	2	2

**M • 5'9" • 175 • Brazzaville, Congo**

- Signed after 2022 season w/Tampa Bay Rowdies
- Back 5/9 at NE after 6 weeks out with broken arm
- Fastest goal in team history (21 sec.) 6/10 vs. CHS

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (three times)
- Goals: 1 (6/10 vs. CHS)
- Assists: 0
- Points: 2 (6/10 vs. CHS)
- Shots: 1 (two times)
- SOG: 1 (two times)



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**ALBERT DIKWA**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	11/11	949	9	0	18	26	12

**F • 6'1" • 165 • Garoua, Cameroon**

- Career-high games (33), goals (11), ast. (4) in '22
- First career hat trick 3/18 at Memphis
- Tied-8th on Hounds career goals list with 26

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 90 (eight times)
- Goals: 3 (3/18 at MEM)
- Assists: 0
- Points: 6 (3/18 at MEM)
- Shots: 5 (4/15 vs. RGV)
- SOG: 3 (three times)



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**DZ HARMON**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	4/2	151	0	0	0	2	1

**M • 6'2" • 190 • Monrovia, Liberia**

- Signed after two seasons with Charleston Battery
- Two goals, five assists in 54 games for CHS
- Played college soccer at Coastal Carolina

**GAME HIGHS**

- Minutes: 65 (5/13 vs. BHM)
- Goals: 0
- Assists: 0
- Points: 0
- Shots: 1 (two times)
- SOG: 1 (5/13 vs. BHM)







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**KENARDO FORBES**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	14/14	1,153	1	5	7	12	5

**M • 5'9" • 170 • Kingston, Jamaica**

- Six-time All-USL selection ('16, '18-'22)
- All-time USL Championship assist leader with 60
- First in Hounds assists (49); 3rd in games pl. (172)

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (seven times)
Goals: 1 (4/15 vs. RGV)
Assists: 1 (five times)
Points: 2 (4/15 vs. RGV)
Shots: 2 (five times)
SOG: 2 (two times)



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**MIKE DESHIELDS**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	6/1	126	0	0	0	0	0

**D • 6'1" • 185 • Baltimore, Md.**

- Signed after 2022 with NE Revolution II (MLSNP)
- Fifth overall pick in 2021 MLS Draft by DC United
- Made team debut 4/15 vs. Rio Grande Valley

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (6/3 vs. PHX)
Goals: 0
Assists: 0
Points: 0
Shots: 0
SOG: 0



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**LUKE BIASI**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	12/8	745	0	3	3	3	2

**D • 6'0" • 180 • Buford, Ga.**

- 14 appearances in first pro season w/Hounds
- Made appearances at both RB and LB as rookie
- First career assist 4/15 vs. Rio Grande Valley

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (six times)
Goals: 0
Assists: 1 (three times)
Points: 1 (three times)
Shots: 1 (three times)
SOG: 1 (two times)



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**ROBBIE MERTZ**

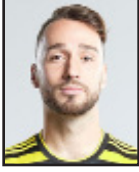
	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	13/8	723	1	0	2	5	2

**M • 5'7" • 155 • Pittsburgh, Pa.**

- Rejoined Hounds via transfer from ATL (7/20/22)
- Fourth overall season with team over two stints
- 11 total assists in 2022 (regular season & playoffs)

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (two times)
Goals: 1 (3/11 at BHM)
Assists: 0
Points: 2 (3/11 at BHM)
Shots: 2 (3/18 at MEM)
SOG: 1 (two times)



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**JOE FARRELL**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	11/5	512	0	0	0	3	1

**D • 6'2" • 185 • Blue Bell, Pa.**

- Acquired via transfer from Phoenix Rising FC
- Led PHX to two Western Conf. titles ('18, '20)
- All-USL selection as rookie in 2016 w/Rochester

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (five times)
Goals: 0
Assists: 0
Points: 0
Shots: 2 (3/24 vs. MIA)
SOG: 1 (3/24 vs. MIA)



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**BURKE FAHLING**

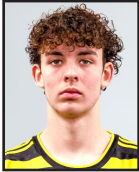
	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	8/3	235	1	1	3	2	1

**M • 5'7" • 163 • Tupelo, Miss.**

- First Hounds goal 3/24 vs. Miami
- Signed after two years with Charleston Battery
- Played 2022 on loan with FC Tucson (USL1)

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (5/20 vs. LV)
Goals: 1 (3/24 vs. MIA)
Assists: 1 (5/20 vs. LV)
Points: 2 (3/24 vs. MIA)
Shots: 2 (3/24 vs. MIA)
SOG: 1 (3/24 vs. MIA)



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**ANDERS BORDOY**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**M • 6'1" • 155 • New Kensington, Pa.**

- USL Academy signee announced 3/21/23
- Graduated in June from Kiski Area High School
- Made debut in USOC on 4/25 vs. Md. Bobcats

**GAME HIGHS**

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



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**EDWARD KIZZA**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	13/10	759	2	0	4	10	7

**F • 5'9" • 175 • Kampala, Uganda**

- Signed permanent deal after loan spell in 2022
- Previously under contract w/New England (MLS)
- Only active player w/league, cup & playoff goal

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 90 (5/20 vs. LV)
Goals: 2 (5/20 vs. LV)
Assists: 0
Points: 4 (5/20 vs. LV)
Shots: 4 (5/20 vs. LV)
SOG: 3 (5/20 vs. LV)



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**TREVOR ZWETSLOOT**

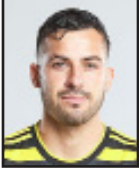
	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	11/4	418	0	0	0	4	0

**D • 6'2" • 178 • Auckland, New Zealand**

- Played last season with NE Revolution II (MLSNP)
- Represented New Zealand at U-19 and U-20 level
- Spent season in Werder Bremen Academy (GER)

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 85 (4/8 at COS)
Goals: 0
Assists: 0
Points: 0
Shots: 2 (two times)
SOG: 0



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**TONY LOPEZ**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	5/3	266	0	0	0	6	3

**F • 6'1" • 174 • Sylmar, Calif.**

- Signed after three years with Cal United (NISA)
- 10 goals, four assists in 42 matches for Cal Utd.
- Also played professionally in Brazil, Germany

**GAME HIGHS**

Minutes: 76 (3/28 at TUL)
Goals: 0
Assists: 0
Points: 0
Shots: 4 (3/28 at TUL)
SOG: 2 (3/28 at TUL)





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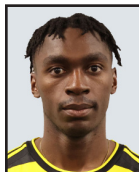
**MARC YBARRA**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	14/8	900	0	1	1	4	2

**M • 6'0" • 180 • Ann Arbor, Mich.**

- Appeared in 23 matches as first-year pro
- 2021 Big Ten Midfielder of the Year at Michigan
- First pro assist 5/9 in USOC win at New England

**GAME HIGHS**  
Minutes: 90 (six times)  
Goals: 0  
Assists: 1 (5/28 at LDN)  
Points: 1 (5/28 at LDN)  
Shots: 1 (four times)  
SOG: 1 (two times)



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**TOLA SHOWUNMI**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	12/2	352	1	1	3	7	4

**F • 6'3" • 200 • London, England**

- Third-team All-American at New Hampshire in '21
- Picked in 3rd round of 2022 MLS Draft by Atlanta
- First pro goal on 6/6 vs. FC Cincinnati in USOC

**GAME HIGHS**  
Minutes: 67 (3/28 at TUL)  
Goals: 1 (6/10 vs. CHS)  
Assists: 1 (3/18 at MEM)  
Points: 2 (6/10 vs. CHS)  
Shots: 2 (3/11 at BHM)  
SOG: 1 (four times)



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**JAHMALI WAITE**

	GP/GS	W/L/T	S	GA	GAA	SV%
2023	13/13	7-2-4	16	10	0.77	.615

**GK • 6'1" • 198 • Kingston, Jamaica**

- Seven clean sheets in first professional season
- Three international appearances for Jamaica
- Seven shutouts in '23 (five USLC, two Open Cup)

**GAME HIGHS**  
Saves: 3 (6/3 vs. PHX)  
GA: 2 (two times)  
Clean sheets: 5



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**ILLAL OSUMANU**

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2023	2/1	101	0	0	0	0	0

**D • 6'0" • 186 • Accra, Ghana**

- Free agent signing announced on 4/5/23
- USL League One champion with Omaha in 2021
- Made Hounds debut off bench 4/8 at Co. Springs

**GAME HIGHS**  
Minutes: 90 (4/15 at RGV)  
Goals: 0  
Assists: 0  
Points: 0  
Shots: 0  
SOG: 0



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**JONATHAN GOMES**

	GP/GS	W/L/T	S	GA	GAA	SV%
2023	0/0	0-0-0	0	0	0.00	-

**GK • 6'3" • 185 • Broward County, Fla.**

- Finished college career at D-II Mercyhurst
- Allowed only four goals in 21 games in 2022
- Named PSAC West Defensive Athlete of the Year

**GAME HIGHS**  
Saves:  
GA:  
Clean sheets:

