PORTLAND THORNS FC VS NJ/NY GOTHAM FC

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MATCH INFORMATION

PORTLAND THORNS FC

2024 RECORD: 0-1-0, 0 pts Head Coach: Mike Norris

NJ/NY GOTHAM FC

2024 RECORD: 0-0-0, 0 pts Head Coach: Juan Carlos Amorós



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REGULAR SEASON MATCH #2

KICKOFF: 4:00 p.m. PT

LOCATION: Providence Park; Portland, Oregon

REFEREE: Ricardo Fierro

ASSISTANT REFEREE #1: Seth Martin ASSISTANT REFEREE #2: Christian Clerc FOURTH OFFICIAL: Justin St. Pierre

VAR: Alex Billeter AVAR: Kaili Terry

AVAILABILITY REPORT

OUT: Gabby Provenzano (SEI, left achilles), Bella Bixby (MAT) Ana Dias (awaiting visa approval) QUESTIONABLE: None

POR vs NJY: REGULAR SEASON SERIES MATCH-UP

PREVIOUS MATCH-UP POR 1-0 NJY

POR - Hina Sugita 54'

NJY - None

GOALS:

ASSISTS:

SAVES:

ALL-TIME SERIES STATS

OVERALL RECORD: 11-5-6 HOME RECORD: 6-1-3 AWAY RECORD: 5-4-3

ALL-TIME SERIES LEADERS

POR Christine Sinclair (4) T-3 Players (3)

AD Franch (24)

NJY

Carli Lloyd (4) Kristie Mewis (2) Kailen Sheridan (37)

2024 REGULAR SEASON STATS

POR		NJY
1	MATCHES	0
0	POINTS	0
0	POINTS PER MATCH	0
4	GOALS	0
5	GOALS AGAINST	0
-1	GOAL DIFFERENTIAL	0
3	ASSISTS	0
18	SHOTS	0
8	SHOTS ON GOAL	0
2	SAVES	0
0	CLEAN SHEETS	0
10	FOULS COMMITTED	0
7	FOULS SUFFERED	0
1	OFFSIDES	0
2	CAUTIONS	0
0	EJECTIONS	0





MATCH PREVIEW

Providence Park hosts its first NWSL match in 2024 as the Portland Thorns welcome NJ/NY Gotham FC on Sunday for the 2024 home opener. It's a battle of the last two league champions, kickoff is scheduled for 4pm PT and can be watched on ESPN2, ESPN+, and ESPN Deportes.

Sunday's guests are one of two clubs who have not yet debuted in the 2024 NWSL season. Gotham and San Diego played in the 2024 UKG Challenge Cup to kickoff the season back on March 16. Whether the change in competition affects their play at Providence Park is yet to be seen, but as the reigning NWSL Champions, Gotham FC is not to be taken lightly.

During the offseason, NJ/NY bolstered their squad in preparations for their title defense. Goalkeeper Cassie Miller, defender Tierna Davidson, and notably midfielder Crystal Dunn were some of the additions for the bats.

UPCOMING MILESTONES

Against Kansas City Current, Sophia Smith scored her 33rd and 34th career regular-season goals, putting her into the top 20 for all-time goals in the National Women's Soccer League. Smith sits in 18th place, one away from tying Sofia Huerta in 17th place. However, she'll need 26 to tie fellow Thorns FC teammate Christine Sinclair, and 30 to match the league record. Smith's goals also marked the fourth-consecutive season opener she has scored in.

Midfielder Olivia Moultrie is five apperances away from the 50 match mark, while midfielder Sam Coffey is eight appearances away from the same mark and Hina Sugita is 10 away.

LAST MATCH v. NJY

Portland Thorns FC earned a critical 1-0 win at home against NJ/NY Gotham FC on Saturday afternoon at Providence Park, receiving an early second-half goal from Hina Sugita. With the win and draw in the San Diego Wave FC vs. North Carolina Courage match, Portland locked up a top-two seed in the NWSL Playoffs, earning a bye and a home semifinal match on Nov. 5.

With their win, the Thorns secured a postseason berth, earning a top-two finish for a third straight season. Portland has qualified for the playoffs in seven consecutive regular seasons. It also marks the ninth time the Thorns have qualified for the playoffs in 10 NWSL regular seasons – the most of any team in the league. The playoff berth also marks the first for head coach Mike Norris in his coaching career.

Sam Coffey tallied her NWSL-leading eighth assist of the season. She has set up goals for seven different players in 2023 – the most different teammates any player has assisted in a single season in league history. Her eight assists rank as the second-most in a single season in club history, trailing only Tobin Heath's 10 assists from the 2016 campaign. Coffey's assist was also the 10th of her Thorns FC career, making her the seventh player to register double-digit assists in club history.

CONNECTIONS WITH NJY

Gotham FC has a slew of players who previously wore the Portland Thorns FC crest including Michelle Betos, Abby Smith, Emily Sonnet, McCall Zerboni, Yazmeen Ryan, Crystal Dunn, Midge Purce and Sinead Farrelly. Meanwhile, forward Janine Beckie is the only member of the Thorns to previously play for Gotham, where she played during the 2018 season when the team played under the Sky Blue FC logo.

There are 11 players between the two squads who recently represented the United States at the innagural Concacaf Women's Gold Cup, including Sam Coffey, Olivia Moultire, Becky Sauerbrunn and Sophia Smith from the Thorns, and Tierna Davidson, Crystal Dunn, Rose Lavelle, Jenna Nighswonger, Midge Purce, Emily Sonnet and Lynn Williams. Additionally, Marissa Sheva and Sinead Farrelly both represented the Republic of Ireland at last year's FIFA Women's World Cup





2024 PORTLAND THORNS REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE

#	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME/RESULT	NOTES
1	Mar. 16	Kansas City Current	CPKC Stadium	L 5-4	Smith 43′, 74′, Beckie 71′, 90+1′
2	Mar. 24	NJ/NY Gotham FC	Providence Park	4:00 p.m.	
3	Mar. 30	Racing Louisville	Providence Park	4:30 p.m.	
4	Apr. 13	North Carolina Courage	WakeMed Soccer Park	4:00 p.m.	
5	Apr. 20	Houston Dash	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
6	Apr. 27	Chicago Red Stars	SeatGeek Stadium	4:30 p.m.	
7	May 1	Bay FC	PayPal Park	7:00 p.m.	
8	May 4	Washington Spirit	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
9	May 11	Seattle Reign FC	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
10	May 17	Houston Dash	Shell Energy Stadium	5:00 p.m.	
11	May 24	Orlando Pride	Inter & Co Stadium	4:00 p.m.	
12	Jun. 8	North Carolina Courage	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
13	Jun. 16	Seattle Reign FC	Lumen Field	1:00 p.m.	
14	Jun. 23	Kansas City Current	Providence Park	1:00 p.m.	
15	Jun. 29	Utah Royals	America First Field	7:00 p.m.	
16	Jul.5	San Diego Wave FC	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
17	Aug. 24	NJ/NY Gotham FC	Red Bull Arena	11:00 a.m.	
18	Aug. 30	Bay FC	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
19	Sep. 7	Washington Spirit	Audi Field	9:30 a.m.	
20	Sep. 13	Chicago Red Stars	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
21	Sep. 23	Angel City FC	BMO Stadium	7:00 p.m.	
22	Sep. 28	San Diego Wave FC	Snapdragon Stadium	7:00 p.m.	
23	Oct. 5	Utah Royals	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
24	Oct. 11	Orlando Pride	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	
25	Oct. 19	Racing Lousiville	Lynn Family Stadium	4:30 p.m.	
26	Nov. 1	Angel City FC	Providence Park	7:00 p.m.	





2024 PORTLAND THORNS NUMERIC ROSTER

#	PLAYER	POS	. HT.	DOB	COLLEGE	BIRTHPLACE
1	Bella Bixby	GK	6'0"	11.20.1995	Oregon State	Milwaukie, Ore.
2	Reyna Reyes	DF	5'5"	2.16.2001	Alabama	Garland, Tex.
4	Becky Sauerbrunn	DF	5'7"	6.6.1985	Virginia	St. Louis, Mo.
5	Isabella Obaze	DF	5'10"	10.30.2002		Kolding, Denmark
8	Hina Sugita	MF	5'4"	1.31.1997		Kitakyushu Japan
9	Sophia Smith	FW	5'6"	8.10.2000	Stanford	Windsor, Colo.
11	Nicole Payne	DF	5'5"	11.18.2001	Southern California	Birmingha, Ala.
12	Christine Sinclair	FW	5'9"	6.12.1983	Portland	Burnaby, BC, Canada
13	Olivia Moultrie	MF	5'8"	9.17.2005		Wilsonville, Ore.
15	Payton Linnehan	FW	5′6″	3.25.2001	Penn State	Douglas, Mass.
16	Janine Beckie	FW	5'8"	8.20.1994	Texas Tech	Highlands Ranch, Colo.
17	Sam Coffey	MF	5'6"	12.31.1998	Penn State	Sleepy Hallow, N.Y.
18	Shelby Hogan	GK	5'11"	5.10.1998	Providence	Franklin, Mass.
20	Kelli Hubly	DF	5'9"	8.9.1994	Kentucky/De Paul	Elk Grove, III.
21	Jessie Fleming	MF	5'5"	3.11.1998	UCLA	London, ON, Canada
22	Morgan Weaver	FW	5'10"	10.18.1997	Washington State	University Place, Wash.
23	Marie Müller	DF	5'6"	7.25.2000		Dortmund, Germany
24	Izzy D'Aquila	FW	5'7"	9.8.2001	Santa Clara	Mission Viejo, Calif.
25	Meghan Klingenberg	DF	5'2'	8.2.1988	North Carolina	Pittsburg, Penn.
26	Kat Asman	GK	5′10″	5.19.2000	Penn State	Roswell, Ga.
27	Marissa Sheva	MF	5′3″	4.22.1997	Penn State	Sellersville, Penn.
28	Lauren Kozal	GK	5'10"	7.11.2000	Michigan State	Ada, Mich.
29	Mallie McKenzie	DF	5′9″	11.13.2000	Georgia`	Roswell, Ga.
39	Meaghan Nally	DF	5'7"	6.30.1998	Georgetown	Herndon, Va.
44	Gabby Provenzano	DF	5'5"	8.7.1999	Rutgers	Sergeantsville N.J.
54	Olivia Wade-Katoa	MF	5′8″	12.28.1999	Brigham Young	Kaysville, Utah





2024 PORTLAND THORNS ALPHABETIC ROSTER

#	PLAYER	PRONUNCIATION	NATIONALITY	PREVIOUS CLUB
34	Kat Asman	"Cat" AS-men	United States	Penn State (NCAA)
16	Janine Beckie	"Becky"	Canada	Manchester City (England)
1	Bella Bixby	·	United States	Oregona State (NCAA)
17	Sam Coffey	"Coffee"	United States	Penn State (NCAA)
24	Izzy D'Aquila	DUH-quill=AH	United States	Santa Clara (NCAA)
21	Jessie Fleming		Canada	Chelsea (England)
18	Shelby Hogan		United States	Providence (NCAA)
20	Kelli Hubly	HUB-lee	United States	De Paul (NCAA)
25	Meghan Klingenberg		United States	Houston Dash (NWSL)
28	Lauren Kozal		United States	Michigan State (NCAA)
15	Payton Linnehan		United States	Penn State (NCAA)
29	Mallie McKenzie		United States	Georgia (NCAA)
13	Olivia Moultrie		United States	Portland Thorns FC Academy
23	Marie Müller	MULE-er	Germany	SC Freiburg (Germany)
39	Meaghan Nally		United States	Georgetown (NCAA)
5	Isabella Obaze	OH-bae-ze	Denmark	FC Rosengard (Sweden)
11	Nicole Payne		Nigeria	Paris Saint-Germain (France)
44	Gabby Provenzano		United States	Rutgers (NCAA)
2	Reyna Reyes		Mexico	Alabama (NCAA)
4	Becky Sauerbrunn	SOUR-brunn	United States	Utah Royals (NWSL)
27	Marissa Sheva		United States	Washington Spirit (NWSL)
12	Christine Sinclair		Canada	Western New York Flash (WPSL)
9	Sophia Smith		United States	Stanford (NCAA)
8	Hina Sugita	Hee-nah Sue-ghee-taha	Japan	INAC Kobe Leonessa (Japan)
22	Morgan Weaver		United States	Washington State (NCAA)
54	Olivia Wade-Katoa	KUH-toe-ah	United States	Brigham Young (NCAA)





HOW THE ROSTER WAS BUILT

DATE	PLAYER	POSITION	DETAILS
3.19.24	Mallie McKenzie	Defender	Signed as free agent
3.14.24	Marissa Sheva	Midfielder	Signed as free agent
3.6.24	Kat Asman	Goalkeeper	Selected in 2024 NWSL Draft
3.4.24	Olivia Wade-Katoa	Midfielder	Selected in 2024 NWSL Draft
3.1.24	Payton Linehan	Forward	Selected in 2024 NWSL Draft
2.18.24	Nicole Payne	Defender	Acquired via loan from Paris Saint-Germain (France)
2.2.24	Marie Müller	Defender	Acquired via permenant transfer from SC Freiburg (Germany)
1.31.24	Jessie Fleming	Midfielder	Acquired via permenant transfer from Chelsea FC (England)
1.8.24	Isabella Obaze	Defender	Acquierd via permenant transfer from FC Rosengard (Sweden)
3.25.23	Reyna Reyes	Defender	Selected in 2023 NWSL Draft
3.15.23	Lauren Kozal	Goalkeeper	Selected in 2023 NWSL Draft
3.15.23	Izzy D'Aquila	Forward	Selected in 2023 NWSL Draft
4.2.22	Janine Beckie	Forward	Acquired via permenant transfer from Manchester City (Engand)
1.30.22	Hina Sugita	Midfielder	Acquired via permenant transfer from INAC Kobe Leonessa (Japan)
1.7.22	Sam Coffey	Midfielder	Selected in 2022 NWSL Draft
1.7.22	Gabby Provenzano	Defender	Selected in 2022 NWSL Draft
7.1.21	Olivia Moultrie	Midfielder	Signed via NWSL's U-18 mechanism
2.12.21	Shelby Hogan	Goalkeeper	Selected in 2021 NWSL Draft
2.25.20	Becky Sauerbrunn	Defender	Acquired via trade from Utah Royals FC (NWSL)
1.16.20	Meaghan Nally	Defender	Selected in 2020 NWSL Draft
1.16.20	Morgan Weaver	Forward	Selected in 2020 NWSL Draft
1.16.20	Sophia Smith	Forward	Selected in 2020 NWSL Draft
4.27.18	Kelli Hubly	Defender	Selected in 20218 NWSL Draft
4.10.18	Bella Bixby	Goalkeeper	Selected in 20218 NWSL Draft
10.26.15	Meghan Klingenberg	Defender	Acquired via trade from Houston Dash (NWSL)
1.11.13	Christine Sinclair	Forward	Signed as part of NWSL Player Allocation

RECENT CONTRACT TRANSACTIONS

DATE	PLAYER	POSITION	DETAILS
2.13.24	Olivia Moultrie	Midfielder	Signed contract extension through 2026
1.23.24	Becky Sauerbrunn	Defender	Signed one-year deal through free agency
1.22.24	Christine Sinclair	Forward	Signed one-year deal through free agency
1.18.24	Meghan Klingenberg	Defender	Signed one-year deal through free agency
1.17.24	Gabby Provenzano	Defender	Signed one-year deal through free agency
12.13.23	Hina Sugita	Midfielder	Signed contract extension through 2026
9.18.23	Reyna Reyes	Defender	Signed contract extension through 2026
1.27.23	Shelby Hogan	Goalkeeper	Signed contract extension through 2025
1.27.23	Meaghan Nally	Defender	Signed contract extension through 2024





2024 THORNS FC REGULAR-SEASON STATISTICS

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39	DF	MEGHAN NALLY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
44 54	DF MF	GABBY PROVENZANO OLIVIA WADE-KATOA	0 1	0	0 15	0	0	0	0	0 1	0	0	0	0
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2024 INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM GAME HIGHS

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

STAT	PLAYER	NO.
Games Played	T-16 Players	1
Starts	T-11 Players	1
Minutes	T-5 Players	90
Goals	Beckie/Smith	2
Assists	T-3 Players	1
Shots	Beckie	4
Shots on Goal	Beckie	3
Fouls Committed	Moultire	2
Fouls Suffered	T-7 Players	1
Offside	Sugita	1
Yellow Cards	Hubly/Sugita	1
Red Cards	None	0
Saves	Hogan	2
Goals Allowed	Hogan	5
Clean Sheets	None	0

GAME HIGH - TEAM

STAT	MATCH	NO
Goals	3.16 vs KCC	4
Assists	3.16 vs KCC	3
Shots	3.16 vs KCC	18
Shots on Goal	3.16 vs KCC	8
Fouls Committed	3.16 vs KCC	10
Fouls Suffered	3.16 vs KCC	7
Offside	3.16 vs KCC	1
Saves	3.16 vs KCC	2
Goals Allowed	3.16 vs KCC	5
Shots Faced	3.16 vs KCC	17

GAME HIGH - PLAYER

STAT	PLAYER	NO.
Goals	Beckie/Smith	2
Assists	T-3 Players	1
Shots	Beckie	4
Shots on Goal	Beckie	3
Fouls Committed	Moultire	2
Fouls Suffered	T-7 Players	1
Offside	Sugita	1
Saves	Hogan	2
Goals Allowed	Hogan	5





CAREER LEADERS (REG.)

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Games played	Christine Sinclair - 177
Games started	Christine Sinclair - 166
Minutes played	Christine Sinclair - 14,472
Goals	Christine Sinclair - 62
Assists	Tobin Heath - 24
Game-winning goals	Christine Sinclair - 17
Game-winning assists	Tobin Heath - 9
Shots	Christine Sinclair - 415
Shots on goal	Christine Sinclair - 185
Corner kicks	Meghan Klingenberg - 267
Offsides	Allie Long - 58
Fouls suffered	Lindsey Horan - 150
Fouls committed	Lindsey Horan - 147
Cautions	Lindsey Horan - 19
	Six players tied - 1

GOALKEEPERS	
Games played in goal	Adrianna Franch - 64
Games started in goal	Adrianna Franch - 64
Minutes played in goal	Adrianna Franch - 5,760
Wins	Adrianna Franch - 35
Saves	Adrianna Franch - 198
Shutouts	Adrianna Franch - 26

ALL-TIME TEAM SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

LONGEST TEAM STREAKS

Longest overall win streak: 4 games, 6x (Last: July 18-Aug. 7, 2021)
Longest home win streak: 7 games - June 28-Sept. 30, 2017
Longest road win streak: 4 games - April 21-May 25, 2013
Longest overall unbeaten streak: 12 games, April 17-July 9, 2016
Longest home unbeaten streak: 10 games - June 28, 2017-April 20, 2018
Longest road unbeaten streak: 7 games, 2x (Last: May 10-Aug 10, 2022)
Longest overall winless streak: 7 games - April 25 - June 19, 2015
Longest home winless streak: 3 games, 3x (Last: Oct. 6-Oct. 30, 2021)
Longest road winless streak: 6 games, 2x (Last: April 25-July 26, 2015)

ALL-TIME INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-GAME HIGHS (REG.)

PLAYERS

Goals:3, 5x (last: Smith, June 23, 2023 vs. Washington)
Assists:2, 15x (last: Coffey, June 23, 2023 vs. Washington)
Points:
Shots: 2x (Last: 11, Smith, April 1, 2023 at Kansas City)
Shots on Goal: 7, Sinclair, Aug. 10, 2014 at Boston
Corner Kicks: 12, Long, May 21, 2014 vs. Western NY
Offsides:8, Long, May 16, 2014 at Boston
Fouls Committed: 6, 2x (Last: Johnson, July 11, 2015 at Sky Blue
FC)
Fouls Suffered: 8, Raso, May 27, 2017 vs. Boston
Cautions/Yellow Cards:1, 193x (last: Klingenberg, Sept. 16, 2023
vs. OL Reign)
Ejections/Red Cards:1, 6x (last: Hubly, Aug. 20, 2023 vs. NC)

GOALKEEPERS

Shots Faced:..11, Franch, Aug. 11, 2019 vs. North Carolina Saves:10, 2x (Last: Franch, Aug. 11, 2019 vs. North Carolina) Goals Allowed:6, Franch, Sept. 11, 2019 vs. North Carolina

ALL-TIME INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-SEASON HIGHS

Games played:24, 5x (Last: Christine Sinclair, 2018) Games started:24, 5x (Last: Christine Sinclair, 2018) Minutes played:2,160, Emily Sonnett (2017)
Goals:
Penalty-kick goals:4, 3x (Last: Nadia Nadim, 2017)
Assists:
Shots: 97, Sophia Smith (2022)
Shots on Goal:
Corner Kicks:
Offsides:
Fouls Committed:39, Lindsey Horan (2018)
Fouls Suffered:50, Lindsey Horan (2017)
Cautions/Yellow Cards: 5, 4x (Last: Madison Pogarch, 2022)
Ejections/Red Cards:
Games played in goal:24, Adrianna Franch (2017)
Saves:92, Karina LeBlanc (2013)
Shutouts:
Goals Against-Average:

GOAL RECORDS

Braces: 30x (last: Dunn, May 6, 2023 at NCC)
Hat tricks: 5x (Last: Smith, June 23, 2023 vs. KC)
Quickest home goal: 1:00, Heath, July 6, 2018 vs. UTAH
Quickest road goal: 0:32, S. Smith, July 24,2021 at HOU
Latest game-winning goal: 94', Lussi, Aug. 15, 2019 vs. ORL
Latest goal: 97', Bixby, April 29, 2023 vs. ACFC

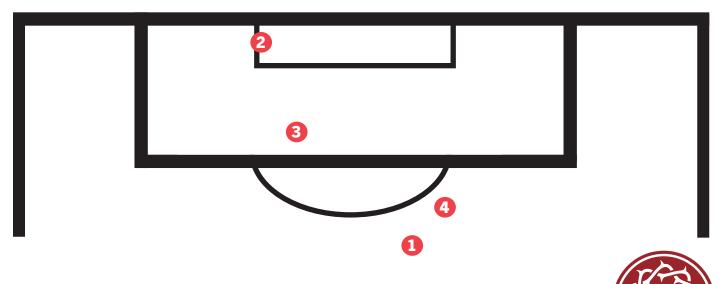




2024 GOAL SCORING BREAKDOWN

#	PLAYER	ASSIST(S)	OPPONENT	LOCATION	MIN.	RESULT
1	Sophia Smith	Jessie Fleming	Kansas City Current	CPKC PARK	43′	L 5-4
2	Janine Beckie	Isabella Obaze	Kansas City Current	CPKC PARK	71′	L 5-4
3	Sophia Smith		Kansas City Current	CPKC PARK	74′	L 5-4
4	Janine Beckie	Marie Müller	Kansas City Current NJ/NY Gotham FC	CPKC PARK Providence Park	90+1′	L 5-4

2024 REGULAR SEASON GOAL CHART







HEAD COACH MIKE NORISS

Mike Norris was named Thorns FC head coach on Jan. 9, 2023, becoming the fifth head coach in club history. The 2023 season is Norris' second with the club. He arrived in Portland in 2022 and served as an assistant coach in his first season.

Norris earned his first win as a head coach on March 26, 2023, which was also the club's 100th regular season win. He became the fourth Thorns FC coach to earn his first win in his first game as head coach.

In his first season in 2022, Norris helped Portland win the club's third NWSL Championship. Thorns FC finished second in the NWSL table with a record of 10-3-9 and made a sixth consecutive trip to the NWSL postseason. Statistically, Portland scored a league-best 45 goals, the third-most goals in a single season in NWSL history and posted a +25-goal differential.

Prior to his arrival in Portland, Norris spent eight years with Canada Soccer in numerous capacities. From 2019-2021, Norris served as the set play and goalkeeper coach for the Canada Women's National Team. During that time, Canada won a gold medal at the Tokyo 2020 Olympics.

From 2014-19, Norris coached with the U-17 and U-20 women's national teams for Canada. He was as an assistant coach with the U-17s and the goalkeeping coach and interim head coach with the U-20s, while also providing support to the senior team during qualification tournaments. In addition, Norris worked as the head goalkeeping coach for the U-14 and U-15 Vancouver Whitecaps FC Boys Residency teams (2014-16).

A native of Newcastle, England and a long-time resident of Burnaby, B.C. since 2006, Norris currently resides in Lake Oswego with his wife and two daughters.

2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC COACHING STAFF



ASSISTANT COACH ROBERT GALE



ASSISTANT COACH SARAH LOWDEN



ASSISTANT COACH
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GOALKEEPER COACH JORDAN FRANKEN





























































2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



POSITION:	Goalkeeper
HEIGHT:	6′2″
DOB:	11/20/1995
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Milwaukie, Ore.

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 57
GAMES STARTED: 57
SAVES: 172
GOALS ALLOWED: 61

2	REYNA REYES

POSITION:	Defende
HEIGHT:	5′5″
DOB:	02/16/2001
NATIONALITY:	Mexico
HOMETOWN:	Garland, Texas

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 20
GAMES STARTED: 5
GOALS: 1
ASSISTS: 0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	GA	CS	SV	PKA	PKS	Υ	R
2020	POR	16	16	11	9	46	3	3	0	0
2021	POR	20	20	20	9	60	0	0	0	0
2022	POR	21	21	30	6	66	3	3	0	0
2024	POR	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2023	POR	19	5	1	0	2	1	1	6	3
2024	POR	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0





2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



POSITION:	
DOB:	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Saint Louis, Mo.

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 164
GAMES STARTED: 160
GOALS: 5
ASSISTS: 4



POSITION:	Defender
HEIGHT:	5′10″
DOB:	10/30/2002
NATIONALITY:	Denmark
HOMETOWN:	Kolding, DNK

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 1
GAMES STARTED: 1
GOALS: 0
ASSISTS: 1



POSITION:	Midfielder
HEIGHT:	5′4″
DOB:	01/31/1997
NATIONALITY:	Japan
HOMETOWN:	Kitakyushu, JPN

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 40
GAMES STARTED: 35
GOALS: 11
ASSISTS: 7



POSITION:	Forward
HEIGHT:	5′6″
DOB:	08/10/2000
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Windsor, Colo.

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 57
GAMES STARTED: 46
GOALS: 34
ASSISTS: 9

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2021	POR	16	15	0	0	5	2	0	4	3
2022	POR	17	16	1	1	3	2	1	4	4
2023	POR	9	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
2024	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2022	POR	21	19	5	4	19	12	2	14	26
2023	POR	18	16	6	3	24	12	0	11	1
2024	POR	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2021	POR	21	16	7	1	94	37	11	14	29
2022	POR	18	16	14	3	97	48	10	20	43
2023	POR	17	13	11	5	75	39	10	13	24
2024	POR	1	1	2	0	3	2	0	0	0





2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



DOSITION:	Defender
	5′5″
DOB:	01/18/2001
NATIONALITY:	Nigeria
HOMETOWN:	Birmingham, Ala.

THORNS	CAREER	STATS	(REGULAR	SEASON)
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Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	1	1	0	_	0	0	0	0	0



GAMES PLAYED: 1	
GAMES STARTED: 1	
GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0	
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POSITION:	Forward
HEIGHT:	5′9″
DOB:	06/12/1883
NATIONALITY:	Canada
HOMETOWN:	Burnaby, B.C.

		THORNS CAREER STATS (2021-24) (REGULAR SEASON)								
Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2021	POR	15	15	5	1	44	17	4	9	4
2022	POR	14	12	5	0	28	15	0	7	4
2023	POR	19	13	3	1	26	9	2	3	2
2024	POR	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 177
GAMES STARTED: 166
GOALS: 62
ASSISTS: 16



POSITION:	Midfielder
HEIGHT:	5′6″
DOB:	09/17/2005
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Wilsonville, Ore.

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	
2021	POR	9	3	0	1	2	0	1	
2022	POR	14	8	3	4	20	7	0	
2023	POR	21	11	2	3	38	13	3	
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GAMES PLAYED: 45
GAMES STARTED: 23
GOALS: 5
ASSISTS: 8

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POSITION:	Forward
HEIGHT:	5′6″
DOB:	03/25/2001
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Douglas, Mass

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)										
Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TOTAL NWSL STATS GAMES PLAYED: 0 **GAMES STARTED: 0** GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0



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2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



POSITION:	Forward
HEIGHT:	5′8″
DOB:	08/20/1994
NATIONALITY:	Canada
HOMETOWN:Hig	hlands Ranch, Co

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 71
GAMES STARTED: 52
GOALS: 7
ASSISTS: 5



POSITION:	Midfielder
HEIGHT:	5′6″
DOB:	12/31/1998
NATIONALITY:.	United States
HOMETOWN:	.Sleepy Hollow, N.Y.

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 42
GAMES STARTED: 41
GOALS: 1
ASSISTS: 10



POSITION:	Goalkeeper
HEIGHT:	5′11″
DOB:	05/10/1998
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Franklin, Mass

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 3
GAMES STARTED: 3
SAVES: 9
GOALS ALLOWED: 8

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POSITION:	Defender
HEIGHT:	5′9″
DOB:0	08/09/1994
NATIONALITY:Ur	nited States
HOMETOWN:Elk Grove	Village, III.

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 78
GAMES STARTED: 64
GOALS: 2
ASSISTS: 0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2022	POR	17	8	0	2	23	8	2	5	6
2023	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2024	POR	1	0	2	0	4	3	0	0	0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2022	POR	19	18	1	2	23	8	0	13	13
2023	POR	22	22	0	8	16	3	1	26	9
2024	POR	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	GA	CS	SV	PKA	PKS	Υ	R
2021	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2022	POR	1	1	1	0	6	0	0	0	0
2023	POR	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
2024	POR	1	1	5	0	2	0	0	0	0

THORNS CAREER STATS (2021-24) (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2021	POR	18	12	0	0	6	2	0	7	3
2022	POR	22	22	1	0	12	2	0	15	10
2023	POR	21	17	1	0	10	6	0	11	7
2024	POR	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0





2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



POSITION:	Midfielder
HEIGHT:	5′5″
DOB:	03/11/1998
NATIONALITY:	Canada
HOMETOWN:	London, On.

POSITION:....Forward HEIGHT:.....5'10"

NATIONALITY:.....United States HOMETOWN:.....University, Wash.

POSITION:....Forward HEIGHT:.....5'6" DOB:.....07/25/2000 NATIONALITY:.....Germany HOMETOWN:.....Dortmund, DEU

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THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0



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Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2021	POR	19	12	1	3	47	16	4	17	5
2022	POR	20	13	7	3	58	21	9	14	5
2023	POR	22	22	7	4	73	25	6	10	10

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TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 62
GAMES STARTED: 48
GOALS: 15
ASSISTS: 10

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0



TOTAL NWSL STATS **GAMES PLAYED: 1 GAMES STARTED: 1** GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 1

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POSITION:	Midfielder
HEIGHT:	5′7″
DOB:	09/08/2001
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:M	ission Viejo, Calif.

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THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

OTAL NWSL STATS GAMES PLAYED: 16 **GAMES STARTED: 2** GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0





2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



POSITION:	
DOB:	08/02/1988
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Gibsonia, Pa.

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2021	POR	22	20	0	3	9	3	1	16	14
2022	POR	15	14	0	2	7	3	0	6	8
2023	POR	20	20	0	3	9	2	0	12	12
2024	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

THORNS CAREER STATS (2021-24) (REGULAR SEASON)

TOTAL NWSL STATS	
GAMES PLAYED: 156	
GAMES STARTED: 15	2
GOALS: 0	
ASSISTS: 22	



POSITION:	Goalkeeper
HEIGHT:	5′10″
DOB:	05/19/2000
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Roswell Ga

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	Year	Team	GP	GS	GA	CS	SV	PKA	PKS	Υ	R
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THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

TOTAL NWSL STATS
GAMES PLAYED: 0
GAMES STARTED: 0
GOALS: 0
ASSISTS: 0



POSITION:	Goalkeeper
HEIGHT:	5′10″
DOB:	07/11/2000
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Ada, Mich.

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Year	Team	GP	GS	GA	CS	SV	PKA	PKS	Υ	R
2023	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2024	POR	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

TOTAL NWSL STATS GAMES PLAYED: 0 GAMES STARTED: 0 GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0



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Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TOTAL NWSL STATS GAMES PLAYED: 18 GAMES STARTED: 5 GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0





2024 PORTLAND THORNS FC PLAYER INFORMATION



POSITION:	Defender
HEIGHT:	5′9″
DOB:	11/13/2000
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Rosewell, Ga.

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)	THORNS	CAREER	STATS	(REGUL	AR	SEASON)
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Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2024	POR	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

TOTAL NWSL STATS GAMES PLAYED: 0 **GAMES STARTED: 0** GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0



POSITION:	Defender
HEIGHT:	5′7″
DOB:	06/30/1998
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Herndon, Va.

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2021	POR	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2022	POR	12	11	0	0	7	2	0	3	5
2023	POR	9	3	0	0	2	0	0	3	3
2024	POR	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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TOTAL NWSL STATS **GAMES PLAYED: 24 GAMES STARTED: 14** GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0

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POSITION:	Detender
HEIGHT:	5′5″
DOB:	08/07/1999
NATIONALITY:	United States
HOMETOWN:	Sergeantsville, N.J.

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON)

Year	Team	GP	GS	G	Α	SHTS	SOG	OFF	FC	FS
2022	POR	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
2023	POR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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TOTAL NWSL STATS GAMES PLAYED: 4 **GAMES STARTED: 1** GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0



Midfielder
5′8″
12/28/1999
United States
Kaysville, Utah

THORNS CAREER STATS (REGULAR SEASON) GS SHTS SOG OFF FC FS Year Team 2024 POR 0 0 0 0 0 0

TOTAL NWSL STATS **GAMES PLAYED: 1** GAMES STARTED: 0 GOALS: 0 ASSISTS: 0





2024 REGULAR SEASON GAME-BY-GAME BOX SCORES

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POR at KC | MAR. 16, 2024 | CPKC PARK | KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

SCORING:

POR-Sophia Smith 43', Janine Beckie 71', Sophia Smith 74', Janine Beckie 90+1' KC - Vanessa DiBernardo 22', Ellis Wheeler 25', Bia Zaneratto 34', Kristen Hamilton 64', Alex Pfeiffer 68'

STARTING XI's:

POR: Shelby Hogan; Marie Müller, Isabella Obaze, Nicole Payne (Reyna Reyes 75'); Jessie Fleming, Olivia Moultire (Hina Sugita 60'), Sam Coffey (Olivia Wade-Katoa 75'); Morgan Weaver, Sophia Smith (Izzy D'Aquila 75'), Christine Sinclair (Janine Beckie 46')

SUBSTITUTES: Lauren Kozal, Becky Sauerbrunn, Meghan Klingenberg, Marissa Sheva

KC: AD Franch; Hailie Mace, Gabrielle Robinson, Elizabeth Ball; Ellie Wheeler, Claire Hutton, Vanessa DiBernardo (Claire Lavogez 61'), Lo'eau LaBonta; Alexa Spaanstra (Temwa Chawinga 61'), Bia Zaneratto (Alex Pfeiffer 46'), Debinha (Kristen Hamilton 32' (Stine Ballisager, 88'))

 ${\tt SUBSTITUTES: Regan\ Steigleder, Izzy\ Rodriguez, Bayley\ Feist, Jordan\ Silkowitz}$

POR vs NJY | MAR. 16, 2024 | PROVIDENCE PARK | PORTLAND, OREGON

SCORING:

POR-TBD

NJY - TBD

STARTING XI's:

POR: TBD

SUBSTITUTES: TBD

NJY: TBD

SUBSTITUTES: TBD

