

PITTSBURGH RIVERHOUNDS SC (0-0-0) at MEMPHIS 901 FC (0-0-0)

Saturday, March 12 >> 7 p.m. ET >> AutoZone Park >> Memphis, Tenn.

TALE OF THE TAPE



PITTSBURGH		MEMPHIS	
0-0-0	Record	0-0-0	T-1st
T-1st	Conference Standing	0-0-0	T-1st
0-0-0	Last Five	0-0-0	0-0-0
-	Head Coach	-	Head Coach
Bob Lilley	Head Coach	Ben Pirmann	Head Coach
@RiverhoundsSC	Twitter	@Memphis901FC	Twitter

All-Time Head-to-Head	2-0-0
Referee	Kevin Broadley
Assistant referees	Justin Howard, Shane Kennard
Fourth official	Wes Cauquette
Hounds injuries/inactives	None

STAT COMPARISON

Hounds	Category	Memphis
0.00	Scoring Average	0.00
0.00	Opponent Scoring Average	0.00
0	Goals Scored	0
0	Goals Allowed	0
0	Goal Differential	0
0.00	Shots/Game	0.00
0.00	SOG/Game	0.00
%	Average possession	%
0	Yellow Cards	0
0	Red Cards	0

TEAM LEADERS

Hounds	Category	Memphis
N/A	Goals	N/A
N/A	Assists	N/A
N/A	Points	N/A
N/A	Shots	N/A
N/A	Minutes	N/A
N/A	Yellow Cards	N/A
N/A	Red Cards	N/A
N/A	GAA	N/A
N/A	SV%	N/A

GAME 1 - QUICK STRIKES

- The Hounds are meeting Memphis 901 FC for the third time in team history. The two previous meetings — a 4-0 win in Pittsburgh and a 1-0 win in Memphis — both occurred in the 2019 season.
- Since the arrival of Bob Lilley as head coach in 2018, the Hounds have won 62 regular-season games, which is the third-most in the USL Championship behind Phoenix Rising FC (74) and Louisville City FC (65). Those three clubs are also the only three to qualify for the USL Championship Playoffs each of the past four seasons.
- This is the fifth consecutive season the Hounds have opened on the road. The past four seasons have seen them open in Nashville (0-0 in 2018), Tampa Bay (2-0 loss in 2019, 3-0 loss in 2021) and Louisville (3-1 win in 2020).
- Overall, the Hounds are 6-8-8 in season openers and 3-7-6 in openers played on the road. The Hounds' season opener is a road game for the 17th time in 23 seasons.
- A March 12 season opener is the earliest in the year the Hounds have ever opened a season. The previous earliest date for an opener was March 16, 2019, a 2-0 loss at Tampa Bay.
- Hounds striker Russell Cicerone led the team with 16 goals, and he was second on the team with eight assists on the season. That made him the only USL Championship player in the top 10 in both categories in 2021.
- Midfielder and team captain Kenardo Forbes was third on the team with six assists last season, and he scored a career-best five goals. An All-USL Championship Second Team selection last year, Forbes holds the league record of 45 career assists.
- Midfielder/winger Alex Dixon finished with nine goals and a team-best nine assists last season to finish second on the team in scoring.
- Midfielder Danny Griffin is the only player who started every match last season for the Hounds, and he played all but 12 minutes in the regular season. In two years with the team, he has not missed a game.
- The Hounds have three players who have represented their country during the past year. Defenders Mekeil Williams, Jelani Peters and Jesse Williams all represented Trinidad and Tobago at last summer's Gold Cup, and Mekeil Williams had the honor of captaining his country's team in their most recent match, a Jan. 21 friendly against Bolivia.
- In 125 all-competition matches under Bob Lilley, the Hounds have allowed just 111 goals, an average of 0.89 goals per game.

SUPERLATIVES

TEAM	Hounds High	Hounds Low	Category	Opp High	Opp Low
	N/A	N/A	Goals	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	Shots	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	SOG	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	Saves	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	Fouls	N/A	N/A

MILESTONE TRACKER

- Dane Kelly has scored 99 regular-season goals in USL Championship play since debuting in the league in 2011 with Charleston. His next will make him the first player in league history with 100.
- Russell Cicerone had 16 goals in his first season with the Hounds, which already places him one away from tying Said Ali and Gary DePalma for 10th all-time.
- Already the team's all-time assists leader with 31, Kenardo Forbes begins the campaign eighth in club history for appearances with 118, which puts the current captain one behind a former Hounds captain, Nathan Salsi, for seventh place.

2022 SCHEDULE & RECORD

League Record: 0-0-0

Home: 0-0-0 • Away: 0-0-0 • Conference: 0-0-0

MARCH

Sat. 12	@Memphis 901 FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 19	Hartford Athletic	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 26	@Detroit City FC	WPNT	4 p.m.

APRIL

Sat. 2	Loudoun United FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Tues. 5	*Maryland Bobcats FC	ESPN+	7 p.m.
Sat. 9	@FC Tulsa	WPNT	2 p.m.
Sat. 16	@Las Vegas Lights FC	WPNT	TBD
Sat. 23	Atlanta United 2	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 30	@Louisville City FC	WPNT	7:30 p.m.

MAY

Sat. 7	Birmingham Legion FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 14	El Paso Locomotive FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 21	@Tampa Bay Rowdies	WPNT	7:30 p.m.
Sat. 28	@Miami FC	WPNT	7 p.m.

JUNE

Sat. 4	Detroit City FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 11	@Charleston Battery	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 18	@Rio Grande Valley FC	WPNT	8:30 p.m.
Sat. 25	Tampa Bay Rowdies	WPNT	7 p.m.

JULY

Fri. 1	@New York Red Bulls II	ESPN+	7 p.m.
Wed. 6	Indy Eleven	ESPN+	7 p.m.
Sat. 9	Miami FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 16	@New Mexico United	WPNT	9 p.m.
Sat. 23	@Hartford Athletic	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 30	FC Tulsa	WPNT	7 p.m.

AUGUST

Sat. 6	@Indy Eleven	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sun. 13	Memphis 901 FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 20	New York Red Bulls II	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sat. 27	@Atlanta United 2	WPNT	7:30 p.m.
Wed. 31	Charleston Battery	ESPN+	7 p.m.

SEPTEMBER

Sun. 4	@Loudoun United FC	WPNT	7:30 p.m.
Sun. 10	Louisville City FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Wed. 14	@Birmingham Legion FC	ESPN+	8 p.m.
Sat. 24	Orange County SC	WPNT	7 p.m.

OCTOBER

Sat. 1	San Antonio FC	WPNT	7 p.m.
Sun. 9	@Sacramento Republic FC	WPNT	5 p.m.
Sat. 15	Oakland Roots SC	WPNT	7 p.m.

*U.S. Open Cup match

CLUB NOTABLES

Most Appearances David Flavius (183)
All-Time Goals Leader David Flavius (58)
All-Time Assists Leader Kenardo Forbes (31)
All-Time Record at Highmark Stadium 65-39-41

Last Game Summary

Riverhounds SC 4, West Virginia University 0

Preseason Game 6 • Highmark Stadium, Pittsburgh, Pa. • March 5, 2022

The Hounds completed an undefeated preseason with a win over the 2021 NCAA quarterfinalist Mountaineers. Marc Ybarra, Dane Kelly, Russell Cicerone and Albert Dikwa scored in the win, which was the Hounds' third shutout of the exhibition slate. In total, the Hounds went 5-0-1 in preseason, with the draw coming by a 1-1 score against fellow East contenders Louisville City FC.

LAST TIME OUT

TEAM 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 & Gold
 Conference: Eastern Conference
 Venue: Highmark Stadium
 Capacity: 5,000
 Owner: Tuffy Shallenberger
 Website: www.riverhounds.com

RECORD IN 2021 WHEN...

At home.....	9-3-4
On road.....	8-5-3
In games decided by one goal or fewer.....	11-7-7
In games decided by two goals or more.....	6-1-0
vs. clubs with winning records.....	7-4-3
vs. clubs with losing records.....	9-2-2
vs. clubs with .500 records.....	1-2-2
Scoring first.....	15-2-3
Conceding first.....	2-6-2
Leading at half.....	13-1-2
Trailing at half.....	1-4-1
Tied at half.....	3-3-4
Leading with 10:00 remaining.....	15-1-1
Trailing with 10:00 remaining.....	0-5-2
Tied with 10:00 remaining.....	2-2-4
Leading with 5:00 remaining.....	16-0-1
Trailing with 5:00 remaining.....	0-7-2
Tied with 5:00 remaining.....	1-1-4
Outshooting opponent.....	13-3-3
Being outshot by opponent.....	2-5-4
Tying in shots with opponent.....	2-0-0
Scoring no goals.....	0-5-2
Scoring one goal.....	5-1-4
Scoring two goals.....	4-2-0
Scoring three goals.....	6-0-1
Scoring four or more goals.....	2-0-0
Allowing no goals.....	8-0-2
Allowing one goal.....	6-4-4
Allowing two goals.....	3-1-0
Allowing three goals.....	0-3-1
Allowing four or more goals.....	0-0-0
In games reduced to 10 men.....	1-1-0
In games opponent was reduced to 10 men.....	2-1-0
On weekdays.....	8-2-2
On weekends.....	9-6-5
In May.....	1-2-1
In June.....	4-2-1
In July.....	4-0-1
In August.....	3-2-1
In September.....	2-1-2
In October.....	3-1-1
Vs. Atlantic Division.....	15-7-6
Vs. Central Division.....	2-0-0
Vs. Mountain Division.....	0-1-1

Miscellaneous

Current Streak.....	N/A
Home Streak.....	N/A
Road Streak.....	N/A
Record after a loss in 2021.....	3-1-4
Longest unbeaten streak in 2021.....	6 (twice)
Longest win streak in 2021.....	4

ACTIVE ROSTER

Roster Size: 22 • Returners: 10 • Newcomers: 12

▶ **NUMERICAL**

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	Hometown (Previous Club)
1	Kevin Silva	GK	6'1"	190	24	Bethlehem, Pa. (Toronto FC II)
2	Nathan Dossantos	D	5'11"	175	22	Oakville, Ontario (Marshall University)
3	Shane Wiedt	D	6'3"	185	26	Akron, Ohio (Loudoun United FC)
4	Dani Rovira	D/M	5'9"	148	25	Bogotá, Colombia (University of Vermont)
5	Mekeil Williams	D	6'2"	189	31	Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago (CSD Municipal)
6	Angelo Kelly	M	5'9"	164	29	Ottumwa, Iowa (Charleston Battery)
7	Alex Dixon	F/M	5'8"	145	32	Bay City, Texas (Hartford Athletic)
8	William Eyang	F	6'3"	185	28	Yaounde, Cameroon (Florida Tropics)
9	Albert Dikwa	F	6'1"	165	24	Garoua, Cameroon (Saint Louis FC)
10	Russell Cicerone	F	5'11"	170	27	Bloomfield Hills, Mich. (Saint Louis FC)
11	Kenardo Forbes	M	5'9"	167	33	Kingston, Jamaica (Rochester Rhinos)
12	Danny Griffin	M	5'9"	170	23	Wethersfield, Conn. (Providence College)
13	Luke Biasi	D	6'0"	180	22	Buford, Ga. (Syracuse University)
15	Arturo Ordóñez	D	6'3"	180	24	Salou, Spain (University of Pittsburgh)
16	Toby Sims	D	6'1"	178	23	Worksop, England (Chowan University)
18	Marc Ybarra	M	6'0"	180	23	Ann Arbor, Mich. (University of Michigan)
19	Wyatt Borso	F	6'1"	180	18	Aurora, Ill. (Chicago Fire Academy)
22	Robby Dambrot	D	6'2"	170	27	Akron, Ohio (Loudoun United FC)
23	Jesse Williams	D	5'10"	185	20	Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago (Coleraine U20s)
27	Jelani Peters	D	6'5"	210	28	Diego Martin, Trinidad and Tobago (Toronto FC II)
29	Dane Kelly	F	5'10"	165	31	St. Catherine, Jamaica (Charlotte Independence)
31	Chase Vosvick	GK	6'0"	190	23	Baltimore, Md. (Loyola University, Md.)

▶ **ALPHABETICAL**

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▶ **TECHNICAL STAFF**

Head Coach: Bob Lilley
 Assistant Coach: Dan Visser
 Assistant Coach: Michael Behonick
 Goalkeeping Coach: Will Marshall

▶ **PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

Luke BIASI	BEE-ah-see
Russell CICERONE	SIS-er-O-nee
Albert DIKWA	DEE-kwa
William EYANG	EYE-ang
Arturo ORDÓÑEZ	or-DOE-nyez
JELANI Peters	JELL-ah-nee
Shane WIEDT	WEET
MEKEIL Williams	ME-kell
Marc YBARRA	EE-bar-uh

► 2021 FINAL STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL

No.	Name	GP	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	FC	T	CL	PK	PKG	YC	RC
2	Ezra Armstrong	14	381	0	2	2	3	1	8	13	9	0	0	2	0
3	Casey Bartlett-Scott	1	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Dani Rovira	29	1,788	0	2	2	1	0	51	66	20	0	0	9	0
5	Jordan Dover	17	813	0	0	0	1	1	15	22	11	0	0	1	0
6	Jalen Robinson	18	876	0	0	0	3	1	6	11	18	0	0	0	0
7	Alex Dixon	32	2,544	9	9	27	48	24	17	24	11	1	0	3	0
8	Tommy Williamson	27	1,098	6	4	16	22	10	30	17	2	0	0	3	0
9	Albert Dikwa	15	968	2	3	7	23	13	17	4	3	0	0	1	0
10	Russell Cicerone	32	2,458	16	8	40	51	32	29	32	4	5	4	2	0
11	Kenardo Forbes	31	2,579	5	6	16	30	13	26	60	7	0	0	3	1
12	Danny Griffin	32	2,868	2	1	5	11	3	51	64	21	0	0	7	0
13	Tom Judge	7	148	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	1	0	0	1	0
14	Todd Wharton	32	2,153	4	0	8	10	4	24	60	22	0	0	5	0
15	Anthony Velarde	30	1,038	2	1	5	14	7	28	17	6	0	0	1	0
16	Shane Wiedt	32	2,653	1	0	2	9	3	35	37	108	0	0	7	0
17	Mekeil Williams	26	2,013	0	1	1	16	6	27	26	70	0	0	3	0
19	Wyatt Borso	4	64	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
20	Louis Pérez	26	794	2	1	5	12	6	21	25	12	0	0	4	0
22	Josh Gatt	6	125	0	0	0	1	0	8	4	2	0	0	2	0
23	Preston Kilwien	30	1,946	0	0	0	6	1	20	31	41	0	0	5	0
27	Jelani Peters	21	1,448	1	0	2	10	2	18	26	64	0	0	1	1

GOALKEEPERS

No.	Name	GP	MIN	GA	SV	CS	SV%	GAA	YC	RC
1	Danny Vitiello	27	2,430	26	67	9	.720	0.96	2	0
25	Jake Leeker	5	450	8	12	1	.600	1.60	0	0
35	Chris Morrish	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	0	0

► 2021 HONORS

USL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM OF THE WEEK

(number of times selected in parentheses)

Alex Dixon - Midfielder (Week 6)
 Danny Griffin - Midfielder (Week 6)
 Dani Rovira - Defender (Week 6)
 Danny Vitiello - Goalkeeper (Week 6)

Russell Cicerone - Forward (Week 9)

Kenardo Forbes - Midfielder (Week 10)

Danny Griffin (2) - Midfielder (Week 13)

Alex Dixon (2) - Forward (Week 14)
 Kenardo Forbes (2) - Midfielder (Week 14)
 Todd Wharton - Midfielder (Week 14)

Alex Dixon (3) - Forward (Week 15)

Alex Dixon (4) - Midfielder (Week 16)

Russell Cicerone - Forward (Week 18)
 Alex Dixon (5) - Midfielder (Week 18)

Russell Cicerone (2) - Forward (Week 19)

Jelani Peters - Defender (Week 20)

Kenardo Forbes (3) - Midfielder (Week 21)

Kenardo Forbes (4) - Midfielder (Week 24)

Danny Vitiello - Goalkeeper (Week 25)

Todd Wharton - Midfielder (Week 27)

* italics denote Bench selection

ALL-USL CHAMPIONSHIP SECOND TEAM

Kenardo Forbes - Midfielder

USL CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Russell Cicerone (Week 18)
 Scored first career hat trick vs. Atlanta on 8/22

USL CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYER OF THE MONTH FINALISTS

Russell Cicerone - August
 Alex Dixon - August

HEAD COACH BOB LILLEY



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

Last year, Lilley led the Hounds to a 17-8-7 record, which was good for third place in the highly competitive Atlantic Division. The team secured a berth in the USL Championship playoffs for a fourth consecutive season, the longest such streak in club history.

In the pandemic-shortened 2020 season, Lilley guided the Hounds to an 11-4-1 record to take second place in Group F. 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 62-21-33 regular-season record with the Hounds, which includes shutting out opponents in 52 out of 116 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.

Experience:
22nd season
(fifth with PIT)

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.

Date Hired:
November 14, 2017

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.

Hometown:
Fort Monmouth, N.J.

He began his pro head-coaching career with the Hershey Wildcats from 1997-01. He was named Coach of the Year in 1997, his first-ever campaign as a head coach, and Hershey made the playoffs each season under Lilley, including a trip to the A-League final in 2001.

Alma Mater:
George Mason University
(1987)

Across 21 seasons of head-coaching experience at every level, Lilley holds an all-time record of 317-150-130. 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:
2015 USL Cup Champion
2006 USL-1 Champion
USL Hall of Fame (2010)
Five-time Coach of the Year

From 1984-87, Lilley played at George Mason University, 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.



ASSISTANT COACH

DAN VISSER

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

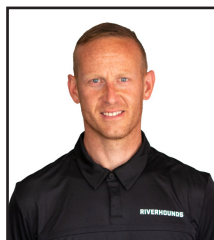
Dan Visser enters his sixth full season as an assistant coach with Riverhounds SC after originally joining the club in July 2016 as part of head coach Dave Brandt's staff.

Prior to arriving in Pittsburgh, Visser served as an assistant coach under Brandt at the United States Naval Academy during its 2015 campaign, when the Midshipmen finished 8-9-1 overall.

From 2013-14, Visser was head coach at Eastern Nazarene College in Quincy, Mass. The Lions held a 3-14-0 record during his first year and improved to 5-12-1 during his second season at the helm.

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.



ASSISTANT COACH

MICHAEL BEHONICK

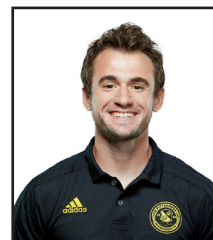
- Third season with club
- Joined the staff in August 2020
- Bohemia, N.Y. native

Michael Behonick enters his third season with Riverhounds SC in 2020. Also still serving as an assistant coach for the University of Pittsburgh men's soccer program, Behonick brings a wealth of experience working primarily with goalkeepers to the club.

This year has been Behonick's seventh season with the Panthers. In 2019, he helped lead the team to an at-large bid to the NCAA Men's Soccer Tournament Championship, the school's first tournament appearance since 1965. The past two seasons have been even better for the Panthers, culminating with the school's first College Cup appearance to end the 2020 season and nearly repeating the feat with a national quarterfinals appearance in 2021.

Prior to arriving with the Panthers, Behonick coached at Penn State University from 2014-15 and at the University of Virginia from 2010-13.

A product of American University, Behonick was drafted by D.C. United in the 2003 MLS SuperDraft. He played seven seasons professionally as a goalkeeper across MLS, USL A-League, USL Pro Soccer League, USL Second Division and NASL.



GOALKEEPER COACH

WILL MARSHALL

- Second season with pro team
- Involved with Hounds Academy since 2014
- North Versailles, Pa. native

Will Marshall enters his second season as goalkeeper coach with the first team, though he has been a familiar face around the Hounds organization for some time.

He has been involved with instruction of the Riverhounds Academy's goalkeepers since his college days, and he was brought on as a full-time coach with the club in 2019, working under longtime Hounds goalkeeper/coach Hunter Gilstrap. He also spent part of 2020 as a volunteer assistant working with the Virginia Tech men's soccer team's goalkeepers.

As a college player, Marshall finished his career at Division II West Chester University in West Chester, Pa., where he helped guide the Golden Rams to the 2018 NCAA Championship Game played at Highmark Stadium. Prior to joining West Chester as a graduate transfer, Marshall played locally at the University of Pittsburgh from 2014-17.

Marshall grew up locally and is a graduate of East Allegheny High School in the Pittsburgh suburb of North Versailles.

► 2021 EASTERN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Atlantic

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
z-Tampa Bay Rowdies	32	23-7-2	71	55	23	+32
x-Charlotte Independence	32	18-9-5	59	57	36	+21
x-Pittsburgh Riverhounds SC	32	17-8-7	58	52	34	+18
x-Miami FC	32	16-10-6	54	55	40	+15
Hartford Athletic	32	12-15-5	40	50	50	0
Charleston Battery	32	10-15-7	37	49	60	-11
New York Red Bulls II	32	7-18-7	28	42	67	-25
Loudoun United FC	32	4-25-3	15	31	78	-47

Central

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
y-Louisville City FC	32	18-7-7	61	61	37	+24
x-Birmingham Legion FC	32	18-8-6	60	51	31	+20
x-Memphis 901 FC	32	14-10-8	50	47	42	+5
x-FC Tulsa	32	14-13-5	47	49	48	+1
Oklahoma City Energy FC	32	8-11-13	37	30	38	-8
Indy Eleven	32	9-15-8	35	32	47	-15
Atlanta United 2	32	8-14-10	34	47	56	-9
Sporting Kansas City II	32	4-20-8	20	33	64	-31

x- clinched playoff berth; y- clinched division; z- clinched best record in East

► 2021 GOAL LOG

RIVERHOUNDS SC

5/15: @HFD - Russell Cicerone 42' (Tommy Williamson)
 5/28: @NY - Danny Griffin 22' (Albert Dikwa)
 5/28: @NY - Alex Dixon 29' (Dani Rovira)
 5/28: @NY - Russell Cicerone 50' (Alex Dixon)
 6/2: @LDN - Anthony Velarde 18' (Alex Dixon)
 6/2: @LDN - Wahab Ackwei 41' (own goal)
 6/2: @LDN - Russell Cicerone 58' (pen.)
 6/12: MIA - Russell Cicerone 9' (Alex Dixon)
 6/15: @IND - Tommy Williamson 37'
 6/19: @TBR - Danny Griffin 21' (Russell Cicerone)
 6/19: @TBR - Russell Cicerone 54' (Kenardo Forbes)
 6/25: NY - Todd Wharton 14' (Kenardo Forbes)
 6/25: NY - Albert Dikwa 41' (Russell Cicerone)
 6/30: @LDN - Louis Pérez 48' (Anthony Velarde)
 7/3: CLT - Anthony Velarde 45+3' (Albert Dikwa)
 7/7: @CHS - Tommy Williamson 85'
 7/17: LDN - Russell Cicerone 6' (Albert Dikwa)
 7/23: @NY - Alex Dixon 10' (Kenardo Forbes)
 7/23: @NY - Russell Cicerone 52' (Kenardo Forbes)
 7/23: @NY - Albert Dikwa 62' (Alex Dixon)
 7/31: HFD - Alex Dixon 49' (Mekeil Williams)
 7/31: HFD - Alex Dixon 83' (Russell Cicerone)
 7/31: HFD - Louis Pérez 88' (Tommy Williamson)
 8/6: @CHS - Russell Cicerone 24' (pen.)
 8/6: @CHS - Alex Dixon 45+1' (Dani Rovira)
 8/6: @CHS - Alex Dixon 64' (Russell Cicerone)
 8/11: MIA - Tommy Williamson 40'
 8/11: MIA - Kenardo Forbes 50' (Alex Dixon)
 8/22: ATL - Russell Cicerone 4' (Alex Dixon)
 8/22: ATL - Tommy Williamson 26' (Kenardo Forbes)
 8/22: ATL - Russell Cicerone 31' (Danny Griffin)
 8/22: ATL - Russell Cicerone 66' (Alex Dixon)
 8/28: @HFD - Russell Cicerone 2' (pen.)
 8/28: @HFD - Alex Dixon 57'
 8/28: @HFD - Russell Cicerone 90+1'
 9/1: NY - Jelani Peters 32' (Kenardo Forbes)
 9/4: @SA - Alex Dixon 90' (Louis Pérez)
 9/11: LDN - Todd Wharton 20'
 9/11: LDN - Kenardo Forbes 58' (Russell Cicerone)
 9/11: LDN - Russell Cicerone 75'
 9/11: LDN - Tommy Williamson 80' (Ezra Armstrong)
 9/11: LDN - Kenardo Forbes 82' (Ezra Armstrong)
 9/25: CHS - Todd Wharton 6' (Russell Cicerone)
 9/25: CHS - Shane Wiedt 27' (Russell Cicerone)
 9/25: CHS - Alex Dixon 87' (Tommy Williamson)
 10/2: @MIA - Kenardo Forbes 3' (Alex Dixon)
 10/2: @MIA - Kenardo Forbes 66' (Tommy Williamson)
 10/10: TBR - Tommy Williamson 42'
 10/10: TBR - Russell Cicerone 74' (pen.)
 10/23: CHS - Todd Wharton 27' (Russell Cicerone)
 10/23: CHS - Russell Cicerone 79' (Alex Dixon)
 10/27: @MIA - Jonas Löbe 66' (own goal)

OPPOSITION

5/8: @TBR - Steevan Dos Santos 31' (Leo Fernandes)
 5/8: @TBR - Sebastián Guenzatti 75' (pen.)
 5/8: @TBR - Jordan Adebayo-Smith 84'
 5/15: @HFD - Luka Prpa 90+1' (Danny Barrera)
 5/22: CLT - Irvin Parra 34' (Clay Dimick)
 6/2: @LDN - Jovanny Bolivar 50'
 6/2: @LDN - Logan Pancho 70' (Jovanny Bolivar)
 6/6: ATX - Collin Fernandez 1' (Sean Okoli)
 6/12: MIA - Christiano François 45+3' (Ariel Martínez)
 6/19: @TBR - Sebastián Guenzatti 90+2' (Dayonn Harris)
 6/25: NY - Shane Wiedt 26' (own goal)
 6/30: @LDN - Ted Ku-DiPietro 42' (Jeremy Garay)
 6/30: @LDN - Jovanny Bolivar 75' (Abdellatif Aboukoura)
 7/7: @CHS - Geobel Pérez 9'
 7/23: @NY - Omar Sowe 28' (Jake LaCava)
 7/31: HFD - Derek Dodson 26' (Christian Gómez)
 8/6: @CHS - Logan Gdula 20' (Zeiko Lewis)
 8/6: @CHS - Romario Piggott 47'
 8/11: MIA - Christiano François 52'
 8/11: MIA - Devon Williams 53' (Ariel Martínez)
 8/11: MIA - Devon Williams 82' (pen.)
 8/14: @CLT - Enzo Martinez 47' (Irvin Parra)
 8/22: ATL - Darwin Matheus 15' (Aiden McFadden)
 8/28: @HFD - Juan Carlos Obregón Jr. 18' (Preston Etaka)
 8/28: @HFD - Danny Barrera (pen.)
 9/4: @SA - Nathan 64' (Marcus Epps)
 9/18: @CLT - Irvin Parra 81' (Valentin Sabella)
 9/25: CHS - Leland Archer 35' (Robbie Crawford)
 9/25: CHS - Claudio Repetto 68' (Angelo Kelly-Rosales)
 9/25: CHS - Claudio Repetto 81' (Erik McCue)
 10/2: @MIA - Lamar Walker 4' (Sean McFarlane)
 10/2: @MIA - Othello Bah 83' (Adonijah Reid)
 10/2: @MIA - Pierre Da Silva 90' (Christiano François)
 10/23: CHS - Nicque Daley 65' (Zeiko Lewis)



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KEVIN SILVA

GP/GS	W/L/D	S	GA	GAA	SV%
Did not play in USL Championship in 2021					

GK • 6'1" • 190 • Bethlehem, Pa.

- Spent past three seasons with Toronto FC II
- Played collegiately at UCLA in 2016-17
- Turned pro in 2018, signing with Hearts (SCO)

Saves:
GA:
Clean sheets:

GAME HIGHS



2

NATHAN DOSSANTOS

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
First pro season						

D • 5'11" • 175 • Oakville, Ontario

- 2020 NCAA champion with Marshall
- 46th overall pick in 2022 MLS Draft by Houston
- Began college career in Pgh. with Duquesne

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

GAME HIGHS



3

SHANE WIEDT

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	32/29	2,653	1	0	2	9	3

D • 6'3" • 185 • Akron, Ohio

- Only D to play every game for Hounds last year
- Scored first Hounds goal vs. CHS (9/25/21)
- Led team with 108 clearances in 2021

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

GAME HIGHS



4

DANI ROVIRA

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	29/20	1,788	0	2	2	1	0

D/M • 5'9" • 148 • Bogotá, Colombia

- Career highs in minutes, GP, starts, asst. in 2021
- Second-most-tenured Hounds player (4th year)
- Team leader with 66 tackles in 2021

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

GAME HIGHS



5

MEKEIL WILLIAMS

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	26/23	2,013	0	1	1	16	6

D • 6'2" • 189 • Port of Spain, Trinidad

- 33 appearances for T&T National Team
- Played all three matches in 2021 Gold Cup
- 69 clearances, 30 ints in first year w/Hounds

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

GAME HIGHS



6

ANGELO KELLY

(w/CHS) GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	29/28	2,532	0	2	2	16	4

M • 5'9" • 164 • Ottumwa, Iowa

- Played 90 games over past 4 seasons with CHS
- Joined Battery after three seasons in USL PDL
- Born in Honduras, grew up in Iowa

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

GAME HIGHS



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ALEX DIXON

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	32/29	2,544	9	9	27	48	24

F/M • 5'8" • 145 • Bay City, Texas

- Led Hounds in ast (9), second in goals (9) in '21
- Team-high five Player of the Week honors in '21
- USL Cup winner in 2015 with Rochester

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

GAME HIGHS



8

WILLIAM EYANG

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
Did not play in USL Championship in 2021						

F • 6'3" • 185 • Yaounde, Cameroon

- Last played with Florida Tropics (MASL - indoor)
- Made USLC debut in 2016 with Orlando City B
- Played for clubs in Cameroon, Sweden before '16

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

GAME HIGHS



9

ALBERT DIKWA

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	15/11	968	2	3	7	23	13

F • 6'1" • 165 • Garoua, Cameroon

- Scored in debut for team vs. LDN (9/1/20)
- Five goals, three assists in 21 games with Hounds
- Six appearances for Cameroon U-20 Nat'l Team

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

GAME HIGHS



10

RUSSELL CICERONE

GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	
2021	32/28	2,458	16	8	40	51	32

F • 5'11" • 170 • Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

- Led Hounds with 16 goals in 2021, added 8 asst.
- First career hat trick on 8/22 vs. Atlanta
- USLC Player of the Month runner-up in Aug. 2021

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

GAME HIGHS





11

KENARDO FORBES

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2021	31/28	2,579	5	6	16	30	13

M • 5'9" • 167 • Kingston, Jamaica

- 2019 USL Championship MVP Finalist
- Five-time All-USL selection ('16, '18-'21)
- All-time USL Championship assist leader with 45

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



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DANNY GRIFFIN

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2021	32/32	2,868	2	1	5	11	3

M • 5'9" • 170 • Wethersfield, Conn.

- Played all but 12 minutes during 2021
- Has not missed a game in 2 pro seasons
- Re-signed as free agent before 2022 season

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



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LUKE BIASI

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
First pro season							

D • 6'0" • 180 • Buford, Ga.

- Finished college as grad. transfer with Syracuse
- Played at Univ. of Memphis from 2017-20
- Led Memphis to 10 wins, host AAC Champ. in '19

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



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ARTURO ORDÓÑEZ

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
First pro season							

D • 6'3" • 180 • Salou, Spain

- Played college soccer locally at Pitt
- Led Panthers to appearance in 2020 College Cup
- Selected 39th in 2022 MLS Draft by Houston

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



16

TOBY SIMS

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
First pro season							

D • 6'1" • 178 • Worksop, England

- USL League Two Defender of the Year in 2021
- Played at Division II Chowan University (N.C.)
- Third-team All-American in 2019

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



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MARC YBARRA

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
First pro season							

M • 6'0" • 180 • Ann Arbor, Mich.

- Played 5 seasons at University of Michigan
- Set UMich record for games, min.; 2nd in assts.
- 2021 Big Ten Midfielder of the Year

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



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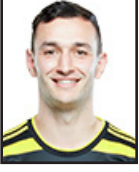
WYATT BORSO

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2021	4/1	64	0	0	0	2	0

F • 6'1" • 180 • Aurora, Ill.

- 18-year-old under USL Academy contract
- Made first-team debut 8/11/21 vs. Miami
- Youngest-ever player to appear for Hounds

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



22

ROBBY DAMBROT

	(w/LDN) GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2021	27/24	2,145	1	1	3	17	7

D • 6'2" • 170 • Akron, Ohio

- Played past three seasons with Loudoun
- First pro goal 6/11/21 vs. Tampa Bay
- Finished college career at Pitt in 2018

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



23

JESSE WILLIAMS

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
Did not play in USL Championship in 2021							

D • 5'10" • 185 • Port of Spain, Trinidad

- Made int'l debut 6/8/21 in WCQ vs. St. Kitts
- Four appearances for Trinidad and Tobago
- Previously played for Coleraine U-20s (N. Ireland)

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



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JELANI PETERS

	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2021	21/16	1,448	1	0	2	11	2

D • 6'5" • 210 • Diego Martin, Trinidad

- Made international debut 7/2/21 vs. Montserrat
- Four appearances with T&T Nat'l Team in 2021
- Scored first USL goal 9/1/21 vs. New York

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





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DANE KELLY

(w/CLT)	GP/GS	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG
2021	25/15	1,574	11	3	25	60	32

F • 5'10" • 165 • St. Catherine, Jamaica

- All-time USL Championship goals leader with 99
- 2017 USLC MVP and Golden Boot winner w/ Reno
- Two goals in four int'l appearances for Jamaica

GAME HIGHS

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



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CHASE VOSVICK

	GP/GS	W/L/T	S	GA	GAA	SV%
First pro season						

GK • 6'0" • 190 • Baltimore, Md.

- Led Loyola (Md.) to NCAA Tournament in 2021
- Allowed just 72 goals in 73 games in college
- Four-time Patriot League GK of the Year

GAME HIGHS

Saves:
GA:
Clean sheets:

