2012 GAME GUIDE

SEATTLE SOUNDERS v SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

(March 31, CenturyLink Field, 7 p.m. PT)

2012 SEASON RECORDS

	GP	W-L-T	PTS	GF	GA
Sounders FC	2	2-0-0	6	5	1
at home	2	2-0-0	6	5	1
Earthquakes	3	2-1-0	6	4	1
on road	1	1-0-0	3	3	0

LEAGUE HEAD-TO-HEAD

ALL-TIME (7 meetings):
Sounders FC 4 wins, 9 goals …
Earthquakes 2 wins, 9 goals … Ties 1

AT SEATTLE (4 meetings):
Sounders FC 3 wins, 6 goals …
Earthquakes 1 win, 3 goals … Ties 0

LAST YEAR (MLS):
4/2: SJ 2, SEA 2 (Dawkins 32; Stephenson 52 – Evans 17; White 42)
10/15: SEA 2, SJ 1 (Ochoa 82; Montero 87 – Wondolowski 24)

UPCOMING MATCHES

SOUNDERS FC	EARTHQUAKES
Sat. Apr. 7 at D.C. United	Sat. Apr. 7 Vancouver
Sat. Apr. 14 Colorado	Sat. Apr. 14 at New York
Sat. Apr. 28 at Chicago	Sat. Apr. 21 Real Salt Lake
Wed. May 2 Los Angeles	Sat. Apr. 28 at Philadelphia

WHERE THE GOALS COME FROM

SOUNDERS FC F	SOUNDERS FC A		EARTHQUAKES F	EARTHQUAKES A
5	1	GOALS SCORED	4	1
36	180	MINUTES PER GOAL	68	270

HOW SCORED

5	0	RIGHT FOOT	1	0
0	1	LEFT FOOT	2	1
0	0	HEADERS	1	0
0	0	OTHER	0	0

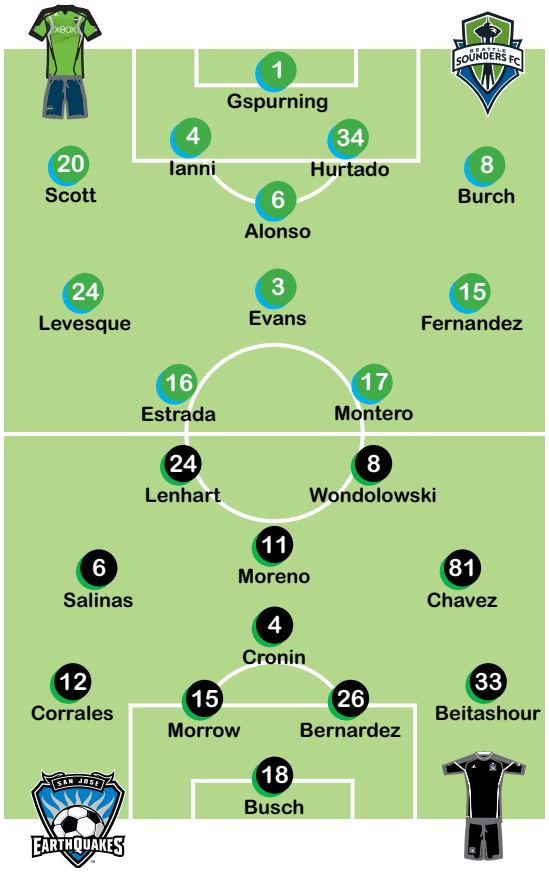
TYPE OF PLAY

2	1	OPEN PLAY	3	0
0	0	CROSS	1	0
1	0	CORNER	0	0
1	0	REBOUND	0	0
1	0	PENALTIES	0	1
0	0	DIRECT FROM FREE KICK	0	0
0	0	FREE KICK (INDIRECT)	0	0
0	0	OWN GOALS	0	0

DISTANCE

0	0	INSIDE GOAL AREA	1	0
4	0	INSIDE PENALTY AREA	2	1
1	1	OUTSIDE PENALTY AREA	1	0

PROBABLE LINEUPS



REFEREE: Mark Kadlecik.
SAR (bench): Ian Anderson; JAR (opposite): James Conlee;
4th: Ramon Hernandez

INJURY REPORTS

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC – OUT: GK Josh Ford (knee pain); DF Andrew Duran (knee surgery); DF Michael Tetteh (hamstring); MF Mauro Rosales (knee injury); MF Steve Zakuani (leg fracture); DOUBTFUL: FW Eddie Johnson (hip injury); QUESTIONABLE: DF Adam Johansson (hamstring) … SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES -- OUT: MF Joey Gjertsen (R knee surgery); DF Tim Ward (L non-specific soft tissue injury); DOUBTFUL: MF Sercan Guvenisik (R hip flexor strain); QUESTIONABLE: MF Marvin Chavez (concussion)

DISCIPLINARY SITUATION

SUSPENDED: none
WARNINGS (suspended next yellow card): none

INTERNATIONAL DUTY

none

ROSTERS

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC
1 Michael Gspurning (GK)
3 Brad Evans (MF)
4 Patrick Ianni (DF)
5 Adam Johansson (DF)
6 Osvaldo Alonso (MF)
7 Eddie Johnson (FW)
8 Marc Burch (DF)
10 Mauro Rosales (MF)
11 Steve Zakuani (MF)
12 Leo Gonzalez (DF)
14 Michael Tetteh (DF)
15 Alvaro Fernandez (MF)
16 David Estrada (MF)
17 Fredy Montero (FW)
19 Babayele Sodade (FW)
20 Zach Scott (DF)
21 Cordell Cato (FW)
22 Mike Seamon (MF)
23 Servando Carrasco (MF)
24 Roger Levesque (FW)
25 Andy Rose (DF)
26 Sammy Ochoa (FW)
27 Alex Caskey (MF)
28 Christian Sivebaek (MF)
29 Josh Ford (GK)
30 Andrew Duran (DF)
31 Jeff Parke (DF)
33 Andrew Weber (GK)
34 Jhon Kennedy Hurtado (DF)
35 Bryan Meredith (GK)

S.J. EARTHQUAKES
1 David Bingham (GK)
4 Sam Cronin (MF)
5 Brad Ring (MF)
6 Shea Salinas (MF)
7 Khari Stephenson (MF)
8 Chris Wondolowski (FW)
9 Sercan Guvenisik (FW)
10 Simon Dawkins (MF)
11 Tressor Moreno (MF)
12 Ramiro Corrales (DF)
13 Evan Newton (GK)
14 Jean-Marc Alexandre (MF)
15 Justin Morrow (DF)
16 Alan Gordon (FW)
17 Joey Gjertsen (MF)
18 Jon Busch (GK)
19 Sam Garza (FW)
20 Tim Ward (DF)
21 Jason Hernandez (DF)
23 Anthony Ampaipitakwong (MF)
24 Steven Lenhart (FW)
25 Ellis McLoughlin (FW)
26 Victor Bernardez (DF)
27 Cesar Diaz Pizarro (FW)
30 Rafael Baca (MF)
32 Josh Suggs (DF)
33 Steven Beitashour (DF)
55 Ike Opara (DF)
81 Marvin Chavez (MF)

RECORD AT HALFTIME

(W-L-T)	LEAD	TIED	TRAIL
SEA	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
SJ	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-0

RECORD WITH FIRST GOAL

SCORE	ALLOW
2-0-0	0-0-0
2-0-0	0-1-0

THE LAST TIME

	SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC Date	Score (Gms since)		SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES Date	Score (Gms since)	
Home win	3/23/2012 SEA	2, HOU	0 (0)	3/10/2012 SJ	1, NE	0 (1)
Road win	10/22/2011 SEA	3, CHV	1 (0)	3/24/2012 SJ	3, TOR	0 (0)
Home loss	10/08/2011 SEA	0, PHI	2 (3)	3/17/2012 SJ	0, HOU	1 (0)
Road loss	7/30/2011 SEA	1, HOU	3 (5)	10/15/2011 SJ	1, SEA	2 (1)
Tie game	8/13/2011 SEA	0, CHV	0 (11)	10/01/2011 SJ	1, KC	1 (6)
Shutout for	3/23/2012 SEA	2, HOU	0 (0)	3/24/2012 SJ	3, TOR	0 (0)
Shutout vs.	10/08/2011 SEA	0, PHI	2 (4)	3/17/2012 SJ	0, HOU	1 (1)

GAME-BY-GAME: WON/LOST/TIED

Sounders FC	WW
Earthquakes	WLW

TEAM LEADERS

SOUNDERS FC
G: 4 Estrada
A: 2 Fernandez
SHT: 8 Estrada
SOG: 6 Estrada
FC: 3 Alonso/Ianni
FS: 4 Montero
OF: 1 3 players tied
C: 1 3 players tied
E: 0

EARTHQUAKES
G: 3 Wondolowski
A: 2 Cronin
SHT: 12 Wondolowski
SOG: 5 Wondolowski
FC: 8 Lenhart
FS: 7 Lenhart
OF: 4 Lenhart
C: 2 Lenhart
E: 0

GOALSCORING RECORD

GOALS SCORED IN GAME

	GP	0	1	2	3	4+	TOT	AVG
SEA	2	0	0	1	1	0	5	2.50
SJ	3	1	1	0	1	0	4	1.33

GOALS ALLOWED IN GAME

	GP	0	1	2	3	4+	TOT	AVG
SEA	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0.50
SJ	3	2	1	0	0	0	1	0.33

GOALS BY INTERVALS

GOALS SCORED

	Total	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
SEA	5	0	3	0	1	1	0
SJ	4	2	0	0	1	1	0

GOALS ALLOWED

	Total	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
SEA	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
SJ	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

SEATTLE SOUNDERS v SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES
(March 30, CenturyLink Field, 7 p.m. PT - MLS Game 32)

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC

No.	Player	Pos	Ht	Wt	Birthdate	Birthplace	2012 GP	2012 GS	2012 G	2012 A	CAREER GP	CAREER GS	CAREER G	CAREER A
1	Michael Gspurning	GK	6-5	209	05/02/1981	Graz, Austria	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	0
3	Brad Evans	MF	6-1	160	04/20/1985	Phoenix, AZ	2	2	1	0	91	74	15	12
4	Patrick Ianni	DF	6-1	175	06/15/1985	Lodi, CA	2	2	0	0	95	67	3	3
5	Adam Johansson	DF	5-11	165	02/21/1983	Goteborg, Sweden	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
6	Osvaldo Alonso	MF	5-11	165	11/11/1985	San Cristobal, Cuba	2	2	0	0	85	81	5	9
7	Eddie Johnson	FW	6-0	180	03/31/1984	Daytona Beach, FL	0	0	0	0	127	96	41	13
8	Marc Burch	DF	6-0	181	05/07/1984	Cincinnati, OH	2	2	0	1	105	83	3	11
10	Mauro Rosales	MF	5-8	160	02/24/1981	Villa Maria, Cordoba, Argent	1	1	0	0	27	23	5	13
11	Steve Zakuani	MF	6-0	160	02/09/1988	Kinshasa, Zaire	0	0	0	0	64	57	16	12
12	Leo Gonzalez	DF	6-1	174	11/21/1980	San Jose, Costa Rica	1	0	0	0	53	50	1	2
14	Michael Tetteh	DF	5-8	155	01/16/1989	Accra, Ghana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Alvaro Fernandez	MF	6-1	159	10/11/1985	Soriano, Uruguay	2	2	0	2	43	29	11	3
16	David Estrada	MF	5-8	160	02/04/1988	Salinas, CA	2	2	4	0	8	4	4	0
17	Fredy Montero	FW	5-9	160	07/26/1987	Campo de la Cruz, Atlantico, 2	2	0	0	88	83	34	26	
19	Babayele Sodade	FW	6-2	195	07/26/1990	Olney, MD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Zach Scott	DF	5-11	175	07/02/1980	Wailukur, HI	1	1	0	0	26	20	0	0
21	Cordell Cato	FW	5-9	150	07/15/1992	Carenage, Trinidad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Mike Seamon	MF	6-1	175	08/30/1988	Rahway, NJ	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	1
23	Servando Carrasco	MF	5-10	170	08/13/1988	Coronado, CA	2	0	0	0	14	7	0	0
24	Roger Levesque	FW	6-2	174	01/22/1981	Portland, ME	2	1	0	0	55	17	6	2
25	Andy Rose	DF	6-2	170	02/13/1990	Melbourne, Australia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	Sammy Ochoa	FW	6-0	190	09/04/1986	Morelia, Mexico	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0
27	Alex Caskey	MF	5-10	152	07/22/1988	Dunwoody, GA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	Christian Sivebaek	MF	6-3	194	02/19/1988	St. Etienne, France	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
29	Josh Ford	GK	6-2	175	11/06/1987	Liverpool, NY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Andrew Duran	DF	6-1	160	09/26/1989	Hinsdale, IL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	Jeff Parke	DF	6-1	185	03/23/1982	Abington, PA	0	0	0	0	180	174	2	4
33	Andrew Weber	GK	6-2	190	08/09/1983	Austin, TX	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
34	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	DF	6-0	183	05/16/1984	Florida, Colombia	2	2	0	0	61	60	1	2
35	Bryan Meredith	GK	6-2	195	08/02/1989	Scotch Plains, NJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HEAD COACH : Sigi Schmid				03/20/1953						W159	L110	T83	

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

No.	Player	Pos	Ht	Wt	Birthdate	Birthplace	2012 GP	2012 GS	2012 G	2012 A	CAREER GP	CAREER GS	CAREER G	CAREER A
1	David Bingham	GK	6-2	185	10/19/1989	Castro Valley, CA	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
4	Sam Cronin	MF	5-10	165	12/12/1986	Atlanta, GA	3	3	0	2	80	71	1	9
5	Brad Ring	MF	5-10	165	04/07/1987	Rockford, IL	0	0	0	0	32	21	0	1
6	Shea Salinas	MF	5-10	150	06/24/1986	Lubbock, TX	3	3	1	1	92	43	5	9
7	Khari Stephenson	MF	6-1	185	01/18/1981	Kingston, Jamaica	3	1	0	0	54	40	6	5
8	Chris Wondolowski	FW	6-0	165	01/28/1983	Danville, CA	3	3	3	0	114	78	44	7
9	Sercan Guvenisik	FW	5-9	157	03/01/1980	Donauworth, West Germany	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
10	Simon Dawkins	MF	5-10	160	12/01/1987	Edgware, England	2	0	0	0	28	19	6	2
11	Tressor Moreno	MF	5-8	160	11/11/1979	Riosucio, Colombia	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0
12	Ramiro Corrales	DF	6-0	180	03/12/1977	Los Angeles, CA	3	3	0	0	276	250	14	28
13	Evan Newton	GK	6-2	185	04/01/1988	Virginia Beach, VA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Jean-Marc Alexandre	FW	5-11	190	08/24/1986	Verrettes, Haiti	0	0	0	0	38	14	1	2
15	Justin Morrow	DF	5-9	165	10/04/1987	Cleveland, OH	3	3	0	0	15	12	0	0
16	Alan Gordon	FW	6-3	190	10/16/1981	Long Beach, CA	0	0	0	0	118	74	22	16
17	Joey Gjertsen	MF	5-9	165	06/13/1982	Tacoma, WA	0	0	0	0	36	29	2	4
18	Jon Busch	GK	5-10	165	08/18/1976	Queens, NY	3	3	0	0	201	200	0	0
19	Sam Garza	FW	5-11	170	10/17/1989	Carrollton, TX	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Tim Ward	DF	6-0	165	02/28/1987	Waukesha, WI	0	0	0	0	71	62	0	7
21	Jason Hernandez	DF	5-11	170	08/26/1983	New York, NY	0	0	0	0	152	135	0	2
23	Anthony Ampaipitakwong	MF	5-8	160	06/14/1988	Carrollton, TX	0	0	0	0	12	5	0	2
24	Steven Lenhart	FW	6-1	190	08/28/1986	Jacksonville, FL	3	3	0	0	80	46	18	7
25	Ellis McLoughlin	FW	5-10	165	07/08/1990	Seattle, WA	0	0	0	0	10	0	1	0
26	Victor Bernardez	DF	6-2	190	05/24/1982	La Ceiba, Honduras	3	3	0	0	3	3	0	0
27	Cesar Diaz Pizarro	FW	6-1	175	09/15/1990	Chiclayo, Peru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Rafael Baca	MF	5-8	160	09/11/1989	Tuxcan, Michoacan, Mexico	3	2	0	1	18	13	1	4
32	Josh Suggs	DF	6-0	170	04/26/1989	Las Cruces, NM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Steven Beitashour	DF	5-10	170	02/01/1987	San Jose, CA	3	3	0	1	30	29	1	8
55	Ike Opara	DF	6-2	180	02/21/1989	Durham, NC	0	0	0	0	19	15	3	0
81	Marvin Chavez	MF	5-5	145	11/03/1983	La Ceiba, Honduras	3	2	0	1	57	45	8	7
	HEAD COACH : Frank Yallop				04/04/1961						W97	L96	T69	

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC vs SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

CENTURYLINK FIELD, Seattle, Wash.
March 31, 2012 (WEEK 4, MLS Game #32) 7 p.m. PT (KONG/KOMO; CSN-BA)

Two clubs coming off big victories meet for the first time this season when Seattle Sounders FC play host to the San Jose Earthquakes at CenturyLink Field. Sounders FC have won both of their league starts this season, both at home, after a 2-0 defeat of the Houston Dynamo last weekend. The Quakes went on the road for the first time in 2012 last weekend and came away from Toronto FC with an impressive 3-0 victory.

REFEREE: Mark Kadlecik. SAR (bench): Ian Anderson; JAR (opposite): James Conlee; 4th: Ramon Hernandez
MLS Career: 16 games; FC/gm: 24.0; Y/gm: 3.3; R: 5; pens: 5

INJURY REPORT: SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC – OUT: GK Josh Ford (knee pain); DF Andrew Duran (knee surgery); DF Michael Tetteh (hamstring); MF Mauro Rosales (knee injury); MF Steve Zakuani (leg fracture); DOUBTFUL: FW Eddie Johnson (hip injury); QUESTIONABLE: DF Adam Johansson (hamstring) … **SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES** -- OUT: MF Joey Gjertsen (R knee surgery); DF Tim Ward (L non-specific soft tissue injury); DOUBTFUL: MF Sercan Guvenisik (R hip flexor strain); QUESTIONABLE: MF Marvin Chavez (concussion)
INTERNATIONAL ABSENCES: none
SUSPENDED: none

HEAD-TO-HEAD
ALL-TIME (7 meetings): Sounders FC 4 wins, 9 goals … Earthquakes 2 wins, 9 goals … Ties 1
AT SEATTLE (4 meetings): Sounders FC 3 wins, 6 goals … Earthquakes 1 win, 3 goals … Ties 0
RETURN MATCHES: 8/11: San Jose Earthquakes vs. Seattle Sounders FC, 7:30 p.m. PT; Seattle Sounders FC vs. San Jose Earthquakes, 7 p.m. PT

LAST YEAR (MLS):
4/2: SJ 2, SEA 2 (Dawkins 32; Stephenson 52 – Evans 17; White 42)
10/15: SEA 2, SJ 1 (Ochoa 82; Montero 87 – Wondolowski 24)

- Sounders FC have come away with points on each of their last two visits to Buck Shaw Stadium, the 2-2 draw last year following a 1-0 Seattle win in 2011.
- The Quakes came away from Seattle with their lone away win in the series in 2011, a 1-0 victory.
- Coaches record: Sigi Schmid vs. SJ: P27 W14 L8 D5 … Frank Yallop vs. SEA: P7 W2 L4 D1

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC
Seattle Sounders FC made it two wins on the trot to start their 2012 season, knocking off the Houston Dynamo 2-0 on Friday evening at CenturyLink Field. Sounders FC are in a four-way tie for second place in the Western Conference with 6 points from 2 games.
LAST MATCH

- Sounders FC grabbed control of the match with two goals in a five-minute span. In the 23rd minute, a corner kick was headed outside the area to where David Estrada waited. His long-range blast deflected off Dynamo defender Geoff Cameron on its way into the net, leaving goalkeeper Tally Hall with no chance.
- Cameron's nightmare continued three minutes later when referee Balmodero Toledo whistled the Dynamo center back for undercutting Patrick Ianni during a Seattle corner kick. Brad Evans converted the resulting penalty to put Seattle ahead 2-0.
- Sounders FC head coach Sigi Schmid made two changes to the team that took a 3-1 win against Toronto FC at CenturyLink Field. Zach Scott came into the back four for Adam Johansson, and Roger Levesque started in place of Mauro Rosales.
- SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC (4-4-2): Michael Gspurning - Zach Scott, Patrick Ianni, Jhon Kennedy Hurtado, Marc Burch - Roger Levesque (Leo Gonzalez 81), Brad Evans (Servando Carrasco 61), Osvaldo Alonso, Alvaro Fernandez - Fredy Montero (Christian Sivebaek 90), David Estrada.

TEAM NEWS

- Sounders FC have won their first two games in a season for the first time since beginning their MLS career with a pair of victories in their inaugural season of 2009.
- "Getting to start the season with three home games is huge for us," defender Zach Scott said. "If we can get nine points out of them, it distances us from the rest of the league and as we start to hit more road games, it's definitely going to give us that little cushion."

- David Estrada regained the MLS lead with his fourth goal of the season in the win vs. Houston. Estrada has five goals in all competitions already this season.
- "It's going good. When it's going good it's going good, so you can shoot on goal and get a little bit of a deflection and score a goal. But he did well. You get rewarded when you work really hard," said Sounders FC head coach Sigi Schmid. Said Estrada: “I was a little bit bummed when I came in at halftime and heard it was an own goal, but thankfully they reviewed it and gave it to me. I’ll take it.”
- Goalkeeper Michael Gspurning kept his first clean sheet in a competitive match since joining Seattle.
- "You always want to get shutouts. We talk about it. We talk about making sure we don't allow anything because we always feel confident that we're going to be able to score a goal,” Schmid said. “But it's not like, 'shutout-or-bust'. It's not that kind of an attitude."
- Already facing a few injuries, there was another concern when Brad Evans was forced off after an hour.
- “He felt his hamstring a little bit, so he wanted to get off the field before he would make it worse,” Schmid said. “I thought early in the game he made a lot of big runs for us getting into the box and was dangerous for us in that way and that might have been a little too much."
- With Mauro Rosales suffering a knee injury the week before, Roger Levesque took his place on the wing. “We've got to see how guys recover from injuries right now, where we're at, how the matchups look for us. As we play San Jose we'll take a look."
- Striker Eddie Johnson has returned to full training for the first time since suffering a hip flexor strain in the March 14 CONCACAF Champions League game against Santos Laguna.
- “Eddie is definitely coming along,” Schmid said. “We want to be careful because we felt maybe we pushed him in a little too quickly last time. We think he’s getting closer. He participated full out in training today so we anticipate he’ll be able to go full out again on Wednesday, and then we’ll have to decide about this weekend. It might be a little bit too soon.”

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

The San Jose Earthquakes went on the road for the first time in 2012 and came away with an impressive victory, rolling to a 3-0 win against Toronto FC at BMO Field. The Quakes sit in a four-way tie for second place in the Western Conference with 6 points from 3 games.

LAST MATCH

- The Earthquakes led after just nine minutes. Sam Cronin hooked in a cross from beyond the corner of the area on the left, and the ball hung up in the wind long enough for Chris Wondolowski to nod home inside Milos Kocic's left-hand post.
- San Jose doubled their lead nine minutes into the second half. Defender Steven Beitashour raced down the right side into open space and laid the ball wide for midfielder Marvin Chávez. He made one quick touch across the box to Shea Salinas, who fired a left-footed strike into the left corner.
- Just 12 minutes later, the Quakes were at it again with another flowing movement. Midfielder Rafael Baca drew Kocic out of the net towards him before passing to his left to a wide-open Wondolowski, who dug the ball out of his feet before slotting into the empty net.
- SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES (4-3-1-2): Jon Busch - Steven Beitashour, Justin Morrow, Victor Bernardez, Ramiro Corrales - Marvin Chavez (Khari Stephenson 72), Sam Cronin, Shea Salinas (Simon Dawkins 85) - Tressor Moreno (Rafael Baca 57) - Steven Lenhart, Chris Wondolowski.

TEAM NEWS

- San Jose’s 3-0 win at Toronto FC was the club’s biggest win on the road since a 3-0 victory in Dallas on Aug. 13, 2003.
- “We got the win, which is much-needed,” Sam Cronin said. “It’s our first road win of the year, which is big for us. We wanted to set the impression, continue it next week in Seattle and this whole season, [to] be a tough team to play on the road.”
- Through the first three games this season, the only goal the Quakes have allowed has come through a penalty kick in the 1-0 loss to Houston.
- “We came in trying to get behind their back four and we accomplished that quite a few times especially in the second half. It's nice to see what you work all week in practice come out in the game. Our back four and defensive unit as a group, didn't give up any clear-cut chances,” Quakes head coach Frank Yallop said. “In the second half Toronto had quite a good spell of pressure but it was nice to break on and score the second goal to see the game off.”
- Chris Wondolowski scored twice vs. Toronto FC, and is now one off the league lead with three goals. He has recorded seven multiple-goal games since the start of 2010.
- “He scored two last week and he can just sniff out the chances and is very clean with his finishes on any surface,” said Yallop. “Whether it be heading it, driving it, tucking it, whatever he needs to do he scores.”
- Wondolowski has continued his role as the linchpin of the Quakes attack, with three of the club’s four goals this season. Over the 2010 and 2011 seasons, Wondolowski scored 34 of San Jose’s 74 goals total. At 45.9% of

the team's output, only one other player in MLS history has a higher percentage of a team's goals over a two-year span: Carlos Ruiz, from 2002-03 for the LA Galaxy (49.4%, 39 of 79 total goals).

- Cronin recorded assists on the first and third San Jose goals, his first multiple-assist game as a professional. It came against the club that selected him in the 2009 SuperDraft.
- "I think that's a huge, underrated part of Sam's game," Chris Wondolowski said. "He does a great job of covering so much ground and tackling, it kind of goes unnoticed how good his passing is. He put it on a platter for me on the first goal, and he's got great vision to see Rafa going through and have that chipped ball."

2012 SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC STATISTICS (2-0-0, 6 pts.)

UNF	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
16	M	David Estrada	2	2	177	4	0	8	6	0	1	1	0	0	0
3	M	Brad Evans	2	2	151	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
15	M	Alvaro Fernandez	2	2	155	0	2	1	0	2	5	1	4	1	0
8	D	Marc Burch	2	2	180	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
6	M	Osvaldo Alonso	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	4	5	0	0	1	0
23	M	Servando Carrasco	2	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	D	Leo Gonzalez	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	Michael Gspurning	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	D	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
4	D	Patrick Ianni	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0
5	D	Adam Johansson	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	F	Roger Levesque	2	1	92	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
17	F	Fredy Montero	2	2	179	0	0	5	1	3	7	1	0	0	0
10	M	Mauro Rosales	1	1	79	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0
20	D	Zach Scott	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	M	Christian Sivebaek	2	0	26	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
27	M	Alex Caskey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	F	Cordell Cato	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	D	Andrew Duran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	G	Josh Ford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	F	Eddie Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	G	Bryan Meredith	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	F	Sammy Ochoa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	D	Jeff Parke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	D	Andy Rose	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	M	Mike Seamon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	D	Michael Tetteh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	G	Andrew Weber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	M	Steve Zakuani	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Team totals	2	2	180	5	3	19	9	22	25	3	8	3	0
		Opponent totals	2	2	180	1	1	22	5	25	22	3	11	3	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: David Estrada 2
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Alvaro Fernandez 1, Marc Burch 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Brad Evans 1-1

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
1	G	Michael Gspurning	2	2	180	5	4	1	0.50	0	0	2	0	0	1
		Team totals	2	2	180	5	4	1	0.50	0	0	2	0	0	1
		Opponent totals	2	2	180	9	4	5	2.50	1	1	0	2	0	0

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2012 SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES STATISTICS (2-1-0, 6 pts.)

UNF	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
8	F	Chris Wondolowski	3	3	270	3	0	12	5	5	6	3	0	0	0
6	M	Shea Salinas	3	3	265	1	1	4	2	2	2	0	7	0	0
4	M	Sam Cronin	3	3	260	0	2	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
30	M	Rafael Baca	3	2	168	0	1	1	0	3	1	0	1	1	0
33	D	Steven Beitashour	3	3	270	0	1	0	0	4	2	0	0	1	0
81	M	Marvin Chavez	3	2	181	0	1	4	1	4	5	0	7	0	0
26	D	Victor Bernardez	3	3	270	0	0	4	2	1	3	0	0	0	0
18	G	Jon Busch	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
12	D	Ramiro Corrales	3	3	270	0	0	3	1	4	3	0	0	1	0
10	M	Simon Dawkins	2	0	31	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
9	F	Sercan Guvenisik	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
24	F	Steven Lenhart	3	3	249	0	0	6	1	8	7	4	0	2	0
11	M	Tressor Moreno	2	1	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	D	Justin Morrow	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
7	M	Khari Stephenson	3	1	102	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
14	F	Jean-Marc Alexandre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	M	Anthony Ampaipitakwong	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	David Bingham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	F	Sam Garza	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	M	Joey Gjertsen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	F	Alan Gordon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	D	Jason Hernandez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	F	Ellis McLoughlin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	G	Evan Newton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
55	D	Ike Opara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	F	Cesar Diaz Pizarro	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	M	Brad Ring	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	D	Josh Suggs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	D	Tim Ward	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Team totals	3	3	270	4	6	41	12	42	33	9	15	5	0
		Opponent totals	3	3	270	1	0	27	5	33	42	8	16	4	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Chris Wondolowski 2
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Shea Salinas 1, Sam Cronin 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
18	G	Jon Busch	3	3	270	5	4	1	0.33	1	1	2	1	0	2
		Team totals	3	3	270	5	4	1	0.33	1	1	2	1	0	2
		Opponent totals	3	3	270	12	8	4	1.33	0	0	1	2	0	1

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SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC 2012 SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	NOTES:
Sat.	Mar. 17	Toronto FC	W 3-1	39,232	1-0-0	T5	3	SEA: Estrada (17,51,63); TOR: Johnson (62)
Fri.	Mar. 23	Houston	W 2-0	38,304	2-0-0	T1	6	SEA: Estrada (23) Evans (27)
Sat.	Mar. 31	San Jose						
Sat.	Apr. 7	at D.C. United						
Sat.	Apr. 14	Colorado						
Sat.	Apr. 28	at Chicago						
Wed.	May 2	Los Angeles						
Sat.	May 5	Philadelphia						
Wed.	May 9	at FC Dallas						
Sat.	May 12	Real Salt Lake						
Sat.	May 19	at Vancouver						
Wed.	May 23	Columbus						
Sat.	May 26	at Chivas USA						
Sat.	June 16	at Montreal						
Wed.	June 20	Sporting KC						
Sun.	June 24	at Portland						
Sat.	June 30	at New England						
Wed.	July 4	at Real Salt Lake						
Sat.	July 7	Colorado						
Sun.	July 15	at New York						
Wed.	July 18	Real Salt Lake						
Sat.	July 28	at Colorado						
Sun.	Aug. 5	Los Angeles						
Sat.	Aug. 11	at San Jose						
Sat.	Aug. 18	Vancouver						
Sat.	Aug. 25	at Chivas USA						
Sun.	Sept. 2	at FC Dallas						
Sat.	Sept. 8	Chivas USA						
Sat.	Sept. 15	at Portland						
Sun.	Sept. 23	San Jose						
Sat.	Sept. 29	at Vancouver						
Sun.	Oct. 7	Portland						
Sun.	Oct. 21	FC Dallas						
Sun.	Oct. 28	at Los Angeles						

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES 2012 SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	NOTES:
Sat.	Mar. 10	New England	W 1-0	10,525	1-0-0	T1	3	SJ: Wondolowski (15)
Sat.	Mar. 17	Houston	L 0-1	21,816	1-1-0	T5	3	HOU: Davis (14)
Sat.	Mar. 24	at Toronto FC	W 3-0	20,070	2-1-0	0	6	SJ: Wondolowski (9,67) Salinas (56)
Sat.	Mar. 31	at Seattle						
Sat.	Apr. 7	Vancouver						
Sat.	Apr. 14	at New York						
Sat.	Apr. 21	Real Salt Lake						
Sat.	Apr. 28	at Philadelphia						
Wed.	May 2	D.C. United						
Sat.	May 5	at Vancouver						
Sun.	May 13	Chivas USA						
Sat.	May 19	Columbus						
Wed.	May 23	at Los Angeles						
Sun.	May 27	at Sporting KC						
Wed.	June 20	at Colorado						
Sat.	June 23	at Real Salt Lake						
Sat.	June 30	Los Angeles						
Tue.	July 3	at Portland						
Sat.	July 7	at FC Dallas						
Sat.	July 14	Real Salt Lake						
Wed.	July 18	FC Dallas						
Sun.	July 22	at Vancouver						
Sat.	July 28	Chicago						
Sat.	Aug. 11	Seattle						
Sat.	Aug. 18	at Montreal						
Sat.	Aug. 25	Colorado						
Sun.	Sept. 2	Chivas USA						
Sat.	Sept. 15	at Chivas USA						
Wed.	Sept. 19	Portland						
Sun.	Sept. 23	at Seattle						
Sat.	Sept. 29	FC Dallas						
Sat.	Oct. 6	at Colorado						
Sun.	Oct. 21	Los Angeles						
Sat.	Oct. 27	at Portland						

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAMES (2012)

Goals
3 David Estrada 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Assists
2 Alvaro Fernandez 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Shots
7 David Estrada 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Shots on Goal
5 David Estrada 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Fouls Committed
3 Patrick Ianni 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Fouls Suffered
4 Fredy Montero 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Offside
1 David Estrada 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1
1 Alvaro Fernandez 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1
1 Fredy Montero 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Saves
2 Michael Gspurning 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1
2 Michael Gspurning 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Shots Faced
3 Michael Gspurning 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Goals Allowed
1 Michael Gspurning 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

TEAM HIGH GAMES (2012)

Goals
3 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Assists
3 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Shots
12 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Shots on Goal
7 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Fouls Committed
12 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Fouls Suffered
14 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Corner Kicks
5 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Offside
3 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Saves
2 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1
2 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Shots Faced
3 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Goals Allowed
1 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

TEAM LOW GAMES (2012)

Shots
7 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Shots on Goal
2 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Fouls Committed
10 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Fouls Suffered
11 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Corner Kicks
3 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1

Offside
0 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Saves
2 03/17/2012 vs. TOR W 3-1
2 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

Shots Faced
2 03/23/2012 vs. HOU W 2-0

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAMES (2012)

Goals
2 Chris Wondolowski 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Assists
2 Sam Cronin 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Shots
6 Chris Wondolowski 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Shots on Goal
2 Chris Wondolowski 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1
2 Shea Salinas 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0
2 Chris Wondolowski 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Fouls Committed
4 Steven Beitashour 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0
4 Steven Lenhart 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Fouls Suffered
4 Steven Lenhart 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0

Offside
4 Steven Lenhart 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Saves
2 Jon Busch 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Shots Faced
3 Jon Busch 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Goals Allowed
1 Jon Busch 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

TEAM HIGH GAMES (2012)

Goals
3 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Assists
5 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Shots
24 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Shots on Goal
6 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Fouls Committed
18 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0

Fouls Suffered
14 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Corner Kicks
7 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Offside
4 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Saves
2 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Shots Faced
3 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Goals Allowed
1 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

TEAM LOW GAMES (2012)

Shots
6 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0

Shots on Goal
1 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0

Fouls Committed
8 03/17/2012 vs. HOU L 0-1

Fouls Suffered
6 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Corner Kicks
3 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0

Offside
2 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0

Saves
1 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0
1 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

Shots Faced
1 03/10/2012 vs. NE W 1-0
1 03/24/2012 at TOR W 3-0

2011 SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC VS. SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES (1-0-1)

UNF	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E	CP
3	MID	Brad Evans	2	2	180	1	1	6	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	FWD	Fredy Montero	1	1	90	1	0	5	1	2	4	1	0	0	0	0
19	FWD	Sammy Ochoa	1	0	22	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	FWD	O'Brian White	1	1	66	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	MID	Mauro Rosales	2	1	109	0	2	3	1	2	3	0	6	0	0	0
8	MID	Erik Friberg	1	1	45	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
27	MID	Lamar Neagle	1	1	89	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	0
11	MID	Steve Zakuani	1	1	90	0	1	4	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
6	MID	Osvaldo Alonso	2	2	180	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0
16	M/F	David Estrada	1	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	MID	Alvaro Fernandez	2	1	113	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	0
2	FWD	Mike Fucito	1	1	64	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
12	DEF	Leo Gonzalez	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
34	DEF	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
4	D/M	Patrick Ianni	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	0
21	FWD	Nate Jaqua	1	0	24	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
18	GK	Kasey Keller	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	DEF	Jeff Parke	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	D/F	James Riley	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	DEF	Zach Scott	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	DEF	Tyson Wahl	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

		Team totals	2	2	180	4	6	30	8	22	23	6	13	3	0	0
		Opponent totals	2	2	180	3	2	28	12	23	22	3	11	4	0	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Fredy Montero 1
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Lamar Neagle 1, Brad Evans 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO	O'TIME
18	GK	Kasey Keller	2	2	180	12	9	3	1.50	0	0	1	0	1	0	0-0-0

		Team totals	2	2	180	12	9	3	1.50	0	0	1	0	1	0	0-0-0
		Opponent totals	2	2	180	8	4	4	2.00	0	0	0	1	1	0	0-0-0

2011 SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES VS. SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC (0-1-1)

UNF	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E	CP
10	MID	Simon Dawkins	2	2	175	1	0	6	2	0	4	0	4	0	0	0
7	MID	Khari Stephenson	2	1	135	1	0	5	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
8	F/M	Chris Wondolowski	2	2	180	1	0	6	5	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
30	MID	Rafael Baca	1	1	90	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
11	MID	Bobby Convey	1	1	90	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
33	DEF	Steven Beitashour	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	DEF	Bobby Burling	1	1	90	0	0	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
18	GK	Jon Busch	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	DEF	Ramiro Corrales	1	1	90	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
4	MID	Sam Cronin	2	2	180	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
17	MID	Joey Gjertsen	1	1	45	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	DEF	Jason Hernandez	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	1	0	0
19	FWD*	Ryan Johnson	1	1	90	0	0	3	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0
3	DEF	Chris Leitch	1	1	70	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
14	MID*	Brandon McDonald	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	DEF	Justin Morrow	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
6	DEF	Ike Opara	1	0	20	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	MID	Brad Ring	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
9	FWD	Scott Sealy	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

		Team totals	2	2	180	3	2	28	12	23	22	3	11	4	0	0
		Opponent totals	2	2	180	4	6	30	8	22	23	6	13	3	0	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: None
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: None
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: None

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO	O'TIME
18	GK	Jon Busch	2	2	180	8	4	4	2.00	0	0	0	1	1	0	0-0-0

		Team totals	2	2	180	8	4	4	2.00	0	0	0	1	1	0	0-0-0
		Opponent totals	2	2	180	12	9	3	1.50	0	0	1	0	1	0	0-0-0

SJ EARTHQUAKES VS. SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC ALL-TIME REGULAR-SEASON RESULTS

Sounders FC 4 wins, 9 goals
Earthquakes 2 wins, 9 goals
Ties 1

04/25/2009	SEA 2 vs SJ 0	(Q)
06/13/2009	SEA 2 vs SJ 1	(Q)
08/02/2009	SJ 4 vs SEA 0	(BS)
05/22/2010	SJ 1 at SEA 0	(Q)
07/31/2010	SEA 1 at SJ 0	(BS)
04/02/2011	SJ 2 vs SEA 2	(BS)
10/15/2011	SEA 2 vs SJ 1	(Q)

HEAD-TO-HEAD:

	Sounders FC				Earthquakes			
Category	1	2	OT	Tot.	1	2	OT	Tot.
Goals	5	4	0	9	4	5	0	9
Shots	40	42	0	82	33	41	0	74
Shots on Goal	18	10	0	28	16	19	0	35
Fouls	43	36	0	79	38	47	0	85
Offsides	8	14	0	22	11	8	0	19
Corner Kicks	26	24	0	50	19	14	0	33

GOALS SCORED IN 15-MINUTE INTERVALS:

	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90	OT	Total
SEA	0	2	3	2	0	2	0	9
SJ	2	1	1	2	1	2	0	9

CAREER COACHING RECORDS:

Sigi Schmid vs. SJ	14-8-5 (1.74 pts./game)
Frank Yallop vs. SEA	2-4-1 (1.00 pts./game)

ALL-TIME SERIES LEADERS:

	Sounders FC		Earthquakes	
Goals	3	Fredy Montero	3	Chris Wondolowski
Assists	2	Rosales/Zakuani	3	Shea Salinas
Shots	16	Fredy Montero	13	Chris Wondolowski
Shots on Goal	8	Fredy Montero	9	Chris Wondolowski
Fouls Committed	11	Patrick Ianni	9	Chris Leitch
Fouls Suffered	12	Fredy Montero	8	3 players tied
Wins	4	Kasey Keller	2	Joe Cannon
Losses	2	Kasey Keller	2	Busch/Cannon
Shutouts	2	Kasey Keller	2	Joe Cannon
Saves	27	Kasey Keller	10	Jon Busch
Goals Allowed	9	Kasey Keller	5	Jon Busch

ALL-TIME SERIES GAME HIGHS:

	Sounders FC		Earthquakes	
Goals	1	9 players tied	1	8 players tied
Assists	1	14 players tied	2	Shea Salinas (8/2/09)
Shots	5	Fredy Montero (10/15/11)	5	Chris Wondolowski (10/15/11)
Shots on Goal	3	Fredy Montero (twice)	4	3 players tied
Fouls Committed	4	Evans/Montero	4	5 players tied
Fouls Suffered	4	4 players tied	4	Simon Dawkins (10/15/11)
Saves	10	Kasey Keller (8/2/09)	6	Jon Busch (7/31/10)
Goals Allowed	4	Kasey Keller (8/2/09)	2	4 players tied

2012 W-L-T BREAKDOWNS:

	SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC		SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES	
	W-L-T	Streak (started)	W-L-T	Streak (started)
At Halftime:				
Leading	2-0-0	7 Ws (6/23/2011)	2-0-0	3 Ws (10/22/2011
Tied	0-0-0	1 Ws (10/22/2011	0-0-0	1 Ts (10/1/2011)
Trailing	0-0-0	2 Ws (8/6/2011)	0-1-0	1 Ls (3/17/2012)
First Goal:				
Scored	2-0-0	10 Ws (5/21/2011)	2-0-0	3 Ws (10/22/2011
Allowed	0-0-0	1 Ws (10/15/2011	0-1-0	1 Ls (3/17/2012)
Goals Scored:				
0 goals	0-0-0	1 Ls (10/8/2011)	0-1-0	4 Ls (7/23/2011)
1 goals	0-0-0	1 Ls (9/10/2011)	1-0-0	1 Ws (3/10/2012)
2 goals	1-0-0	5 Ws (6/26/2011)	0-0-0	2 Ws (9/10/2011)
3 goals	1-0-0	10 Ws (6/28/2009)	1-0-0	4 Ws (9/25/2010)
4 or more	0-0-0	4 Ws (9/18/2010)	0-0-0	6 Ws (5/22/2004)
Goals Allowed:				
0 goals	1-0-0	3 Ws (8/20/2011)	2-0-0	3 Ws (9/10/2011)
1 goals	1-0-0	8 Ws (5/28/2011)	0-1-0	1 Ls (3/17/2012)
2 goals	0-0-0	2 Ls (9/10/2011)	0-0-0	1 Ws (10/22/2011
3 goals	0-0-0	1 Ls (7/30/2011)	0-0-0	8 Ls (5/23/2009)
4 goals	0-0-0	2 Ls (8/2/2009)	0-0-0	3 Ls (5/8/2009)

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC CAREER STATISTICS VS. SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES (4-2-1)

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT
Fredy Montero	6	6	482	3	1	16
Brad Evans	5	5	450	2	1	10
Steve Zakuani	6	6	483	1	2	11
Freddie Ljungberg	3	3	267	1	1	5
Sammy Ochoa	1	0	22	1	0	2
O'Brian White	1	1	66	1	0	3
Mauro Rosales	2	1	109	0	2	3
Erik Friberg	1	1	45	0	1	0
Patrick Ianni	6	6	540	0	1	2
Nate Jaqua	4	2	175	0	1	4
Sebastien Le Toux	3	2	203	0	1	1
Tyrone Marshall	5	4	402	0	1	1
Lamar Neagle	1	1	89	0	1	1
Sanna Nyassi	4	2	195	0	1	3
Osvaldo Alonso	6	5	465	0	0	4
David Estrada	1	0	7	0	0	1
Alvaro Fernandez	3	1	134	0	0	1
Mike Fucito	1	1	64	0	0	0
Leo Gonzalez	3	3	256	0	0	2
Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	4	3	273	0	0	0
Kasey Keller	7	7	630	0	0	0
Stephen King	2	1	123	0	0	1
Roger Levesque	2	0	16	0	0	0
Miguel Montano	1	0	28	0	0	3
Blaise Nkufo	1	1	86	0	0	2
Pat Noonan	1	0	14	0	0	0
Jeff Parke	2	2	135	0	0	1
James Riley	7	7	573	0	0	1
Zach Scott	1	0	1	0	0	0
Nathan Sturgis	3	3	270	0	0	4
Tyson Wahl	3	3	270	0	0	0
Team totals	7	7	630	9	14	82
Opponent totals	7	7	630	9	9	74

GOALKEEPER	GP	MIN	SHTS	SV	GAA	PG
Kasey Keller	7	630	35	27	1.29	0

Team totals	7	630	35	27	1.29	0
Opponent totals	7	630	28	19	1.29	0

CURRENT SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC PLAYERS CAREER STATISTICS VS. SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES (4-2-1)

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT
Brad Evans	7	6	588	3	1	17
Fredy Montero	6	6	482	3	1	16
Eddie Johnson	10	6	669	2	0	20
Steve Zakuani	6	6	483	1	2	11
Sammy Ochoa	1	0	22	1	0	2
Jeff Parke	7	7	582	1	0	7
Mauro Rosales	2	1	109	0	2	3
Patrick Ianni	8	6	569	0	1	2
Osvaldo Alonso	6	5	465	0	0	4
Marc Burch	4	4	301	0	0	4
David Estrada	1	0	7	0	0	1
Alvaro Fernandez	3	1	134	0	0	1
Leo Gonzalez	3	3	256	0	0	2
Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	4	3	273	0	0	0
Roger Levesque	2	0	16	0	0	0
Zach Scott	1	0	1	0	0	0
Team totals	7	7	630	9	14	82
Opponent totals	7	7	630	9	9	74

GOALKEEPER	GP	MIN	SHTS	SV	GAA	PG

Team totals	7	630	35	27	1.29	0
Opponent totals	7	630	28	19	1.29	0

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES CAREER STATISTICS VS. SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC (2-4-1)

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT
Chris Wondolowski	6	4	407	3	0	13
Darren Huckerby	2	2	180	2	0	4
Simon Dawkins	2	2	175	1	0	6
Cornell Glen	2	2	165	1	0	5
Khari Stephenson	2	1	135	1	0	5
Shea Salinas	3	2	187	0	3	7
Rafael Baca	1	1	90	0	1	1
Bobby Burling	3	3	270	0	1	3
Bobby Convey	5	5	450	0	1	1
Ryan Johnson	6	5	438	0	1	10
Brandon McDonald	4	4	315	0	1	0
Ramon Sanchez	1	1	90	0	1	0
Arturo Alvarez	3	2	225	0	0	3
Quincy Amarikwa	3	0	49	0	0	1
Steven Beitashour	2	1	125	0	0	0
Jon Busch	3	3	270	0	0	0
Pablo Campos	2	1	82	0	0	1
Joe Cannon	4	4	360	0	0	0
Ramiro Corrales	5	5	404	0	0	2
Sam Cronin	3	3	270	0	0	3
Eric Denton	1	1	90	0	0	1
Simon Elliott	1	0	45	0	0	0
Nick Garcia	1	1	90	0	0	0
Joey Gjertsen	3	3	190	0	0	2
Kelly Gray	1	1	90	0	0	0
Jason Hernandez	6	6	524	0	0	0
Chris Leitch	5	5	430	0	0	0
Andre Luiz	2	2	180	0	0	1
Justin Morrow	1	1	90	0	0	0
Ike Opara	2	1	110	0	0	3
Aaron Pitchkolan	1	1	90	0	0	0
Antonio Ribeiro	1	1	58	0	0	1
Brad Ring	2	1	91	0	0	0
Scott Sealy	3	1	71	0	0	1
Cam Weaver	1	0	13	0	0	0
Michael Zaher	1	1	81	0	0	0
Team totals	7	7	630	9	9	74
Opponent totals	7	7	630	9	14	82

GOALKEEPER	GP	MIN	SHTS	SV	GAA	PG
Joe Cannon	4	360	13	9	1.00	0
Jon Busch	3	270	15	10	1.67	0

Team totals	7	630	28	19	1.29	0
Opponent totals	7	630	35	27	1.29	0

CURRENT SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES PLAYERS CAREER STATISTICS VS. SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC (2-4-1)

PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT
Chris Wondolowski	6	4	407	3	0	13
Simon Dawkins	2	2	175	1	0	6
Alan Gordon	5	4	334	1	0	3
Steven Lenhart	4	2	216	1	0	8
Khari Stephenson	2	1	135	1	0	5
Shea Salinas	6	4	398	0	3	10
Rafael Baca	1	1	90	0	1	1
Jean-Marc Alexandre	2	1	64	0	0	2
Steven Beitashour	2	1	125	0	0	0
Jon Busch	5	5	450	0	0	0
Marvin Chavez	4	3	252	0	0	6
Ramiro Corrales	5	5	404	0	0	2
Sam Cronin	6	4	421	0	0	4
Joey Gjertsen	3	3	190	0	0	2
Jason Hernandez	6	6	524	0	0	0
Justin Morrow	1	1	90	0	0	0
Ike Opara	2	1	110	0	0	3
Brad Ring	2	1	91	0	0	0
Tim Ward	2	2	180	0	0	3
Team totals	7	7	630	9	9	74
Opponent totals	7	7	630	9	14	82

GOALKEEPER	GP	MIN	SHTS	SV	GAA	PG
Jon Busch	5	450	21	15	1.20	0

Team totals	7	630	28	19	1.29	0
Opponent totals	7	630	35	27	1.29	0

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2012 Sounders FC Schedule

2012 MLS RECORD: 2-0-0 (6 points)
(Home: 2-0-0 Away: 0-0-0)

2012 ALL-COMPETITIONS RECORD: 3-1-0
(Home: 3-0-0 Away: 0-1-0)

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (PT)	TV
Wed.	**3/7**	**SANTOS LAGUNA***	**W 2-1**	**FOX Soccer**
Wed.	3/14	at Santos Laguna*	L 6-1	FOX Soccer
Sat.	**3/17**	**TORONTO FC**	**W 3-1**	**KONG**
Fri.	**3/23**	**HOUSTON**	**W 2-0**	**NBCSN**
Sat.	**3/31**	**SAN JOSE**	**7:00 p.m**	**KONG/KOMO2**
Sat.	4/7	at DC United	4:30 p.m.	KONG/KOMO2
Sat.	**4/14**	**COLORADO**	**1:00 p.m.**	**KONG+**
Sat.	4/28	at Chicago	5:30 p.m.	KONG+
Wed.	**5/2**	**LA GALAXY**	**7:00 p.m.**	**KONG/KOMO2**
Sat.	**5/5**	**PHILADELPHIA**	**1:00 p.m.**	**NBCSN**
Wed.	5/9	at FC Dallas	5:30 p.m.	KONG
Sat.	**5/12**	**REAL SALT LAKE**	**7:00 p.m.**	**KING+**
Sat.	5/19	at Vancouver	2:00 p.m.	KONG/KOMO2
Wed.	**5/23**	**COLUMBUS**	**7:00 p.m.**	**KONG+**
Sat.	5/26	at Chivas USA	7:30 p.m.	KONG/KOMO2
Sat.	6/16	at Montreal	4:30 p.m.	KONG/KOMO2+
Wed.	**6/20**	**KANSAS CITY**	**7:00 p.m.**	**KONG+**
Sun.	6/24	at Portland	2:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sat.	6/30	at New England	4:30 p.m.	KONG
Wed.	7/4	at Real Salt Lake	7:00 p.m.	KONG/KOMO2+
Sat.	**7/7**	**COLORADO**	**8:00 p.m.**	**NBCSN**
Sun.	7/15	at New York	1:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sat.	7/28	at Colorado	6:00 p.m.	KONG/KOMO2+
Sun.	**8/5**	**LA GALAXY**	**7:00 p.m..**	**ESPN2**
Sat.	8/11	at San Jose	7:30 p.m.	KONG
Sat.	**8/18**	**VANCOUVER**	**1:00 p.m.**	**KING/KOMO2+**
Sat.	8/25	at Chivas USA	7:30 p.m.	KING
Sun.	9/2	at FC Dallas	4:00 p.m.	KONG
Sat.	**9/8**	**CHIVAS USA**	**1:00 p.m.**	**KING/KOMO2+**
Sat.	9/15	at Portland	12:30 p.m.	NBC
Sun.	**9/23**	**SAN JOSE**	**7:00 p.m.**	**KONG+**
Sat.	9/29	at Vancouver	6:00 p.m.	NBCSN
Sun.	**10/7**	**PORTLAND**	**6:00 p.m.**	**ESPN**
Wed.	**10/17**	**REAL SALT LAKE**	**7:00 p.m.**	**NBCSN+**
Sun.	**10/21**	**FC DALLAS**	**6:00 p.m.**	**ESPN**
Sun.	10/28	at LA Galaxy	6:00 p.m.	ESPN

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Match Information

Date: Saturday, March 31, 2012
Kickoff: 7:00 p.m. PT
Location: Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field, Seattle, Washington

Referee: Mark Kadlecik
Referee's Assistants: Adam Wienckowski, James Conlee
Fourth Official: Kevin Stott

Local TV: KONG 6/16 (Comcast channel 106)
Local Radio: 97.3 KIRO FM
Announcers: Ross Fletcher and Kasey Keller
Pre/postgame (TV): Chris Egan, Alan Hinton, Pete Fewing
Pregame (Radio): Matt Johnson, Jimmy Gabriel, Taylor Graham, Wade Webber

Spanish TV: KOMO2 (Comcast channel 114)
Announcers: Jaime Mendez and Hugo Alcaraz-Cuellar
Spanish Radio: La Gran D 99.3 FM
Announcers: Rene Aleman, Victor Hernandez and Noe Menendez

Sounders FC Probable Lineup

Reserves

Goalkeepers	Defenders	Midfielders	Forwards
29 - Ford	5 - Johansson	10 - Rosales	7 - Johnson
33 - Weber	12 - Gonzalez	11 - Zakuani	19 - Sodade
35 - Meredith	30 - Duran	14 - Tetteh	21 - Cato
	31 - Parke	22 - Seamon	26 - Ochoa
		23 - Carrasco	
		25 - Rose	
		27 - Caskey	
		28 - Sivebaek	

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2012 MLS Standings

Western Conference	W-L-D, P	Eastern Conference	W-L-D, P
Vancouver Whitecaps FC	2-0-1, 7	Sporting Kansas City	3-0-0, 9
Seattle Sounders FC	2-0-0, 6	Houston Dynamo	2-1-0, 6
Real Salt Lake	2-1-0, 6	Chicago Fire	1-0-1, 4
San Jose Earthquakes	2-1-0, 6	New York Red Bulls	1-2-0, 3
Colorado Rapids	2-1-0, 6	Columbus Crew	1-1-0, 3
Portland Timbers	1-1-1, 4	New England Revs	1-2-0, 3
FC Dallas	1-1-1, 4	D.C. United	0-2-1, 1
L.A. Galaxy	1-1-0, 3	Montreal Impact	0-2-1, 1
Chivas USA	1-2-0, 3	Philadelphia Union	0-3-0, 0
		Toronto FC	0-2-0, 0

Gameday at Xbox Pitch

National Anthem (Conductor) - Dr. Stephen Michael Newby
March to the Match - The March departs Occidental Park in Prioneer Square 60 minutes before kickoff.
Dream Team - Xbox hosts 22 children from local Boys & Girls Clubs to attend and participate in the pregame ceremony.
Autograph Alley - Following each match, fans 14-years of age and under have the opportunity to earn an "Autograph Alley" wristband by spinning the prize wheel at the Autograph Alley Booth in Soccer Celebration (a pregame activity for all fans located along Occidental Avenue and the North Plaza).

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Game Notes/Statistics

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Following the conclusion of the game, a postgame news conference with Head Coach Sigi Schmid will be held in the Sounders FC Media Room (NFL Visiting Media Room) near both the Home and Visiting Locker Rooms in the south end of CenturyLink Field. At the end of the news conference the locker room will be open to media. Sounders FC and visitor locker rooms are located near the Southeast tunnel on the field level. Your cooperation and professional courtesy is asked in maintaining a proper working atmosphere for postgame interviews. Absolutely no autographs or non-work related photos are allowed during media access periods.

No media may use a cell phone at any time inside the locker room. Media members may carry their cell phones into the locker room but may not use them to place or take calls, or to take photos.

Food Service

Food and beverages are available to working members of the media in the Press Box.

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Season media credentials will be issued to recognized newspapers, magazines, television and established radio stations making reasonable requests. To qualify, an outlet must cover a majority of the club's home games. Because of limited photo credentials, it is impossible to grant freelance photographer access unless assigned to shoot for a specific story or project.

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Network: Stadium
Username: stadium (case sensitive)
Password: 12thMan (case sensitive)

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This Week vs. San Jose Earthquakes

2012 MLS Team Vitals

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC	SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES
Overall: 2-0-0	**Overall:** 2-1-0
Last 5: W-W	**Last 5:** W-L-W
Home: 2-0-0	**Home:** 1-1-0
Away: 0-0-0	**Away:** 1-0-0
vs. East: 2-0-0	**vs. East:** 2-1-0
vs. West: 0-0-0	**vs. West:** 0-0-0
Goals For: 5	**Goals For:** 4
Goals Against:1	**Goals Against:** 1
+/-: 4	**+/-:** 3

Head Coaches (MLS Regular Season)

	Sigi Schmid	Frank Yallop
Years Coaching (Pro)	13	10
Career MLS Record	159-110-83	97-96-69
Years with Team	4	8
Record With Team	46-24-26	79-75-57
Record vs. Opponent	14-8-5	2-4-1
Head-to-Head	11-8-4	8-11-4

2012 MLS Team Stats

	SEATTLE	SAN JOSE
Games	2	3
Goals Scored	5 (T-2nd)	4 (T-6th)
Goals Scored Avg.	2.50 (1st)	1.33 (T-7th)
Goals Allowed Per Game	0.50 (T-4th)	0.33 (T-2nd)
Goal Differential	4 (2nd)	3 (T3rd)
Shots	19 (19th)	41 (4th)
Shots on Goal	9 (T-14th)	12 (T-7th)
Fouls Suffered	25 (18th)	33 (T-12th)
Fouls Committed	22 (18th)	42 (5th)
Yellow Card Cautions	3 (T-14th)	5 (T-4th)

2012 MLS Individual Leaders

	SEATTLE	SAN JOSE
Goals	Estrada (4; 1st)	Wondolowski (3; T-2nd)
Assists	Fernandez (2; T-2nd)	Cronin (2; T-2nd)
Shots	Estrada (8)	Wondolowski (12; 4th)
Shots on Goal	Estrada (6; T-4th)	Wondolowski (5; T-9th)
Game-Winning Goals	Estrada (2; T-1st)	Wondolowski (2; T-1st)
Game-Winning Assists	2 players (1; T-2nd)	2 players (1; T-2nd)
Fouls Suffered	Montero (7; T-8th)	Lenhart (7; T-8th)
Fouls Committed	2 players (4)	Lenhart (8; T-6th)
Yellow Card Cautions	3 players (1)	Lenhart (2; T-1st)

2012 MLS Goalkeeper Leaders

	SEATTLE	SAN JOSE
Minutes Played	Gspurning (180)	Busch (270; T-1st)
Goals Against Average	Gspurning (0.50; T-4th)	Busch (0.33; T-2nd)
Wins	Gspurning (2; T-2nd)	Busch (2; T-2nd)
Shutouts	Gspurning (1; T-5th)	Busch (2; T-1st)
Saves	Gspurning (4)	Busch (4)

Preview

Sounders FC is unbeaten (2-0-1) in its past three matchups with San Jose, holding a 4-2-1 all-time mark. Seattle has outscored the Earthquakes 6-3 at home, earning a memorable 2-1 comeback victory in front of 64,140 in Kasey Keller's regular season home finale on October 15, 2011. Each team has scored nine goals in the series, and each side has recorded two clean sheets. Sounders FC will host the Quakes again on September 23, with a trip to the Bay Area slated for August 11.

The Earthquakes' 4-1-2-1-2 formation features the lethal Chris Wondolowski up top, paired with the six-foot-one Steven Lenhart. The rebuilt midfield includes the return of Shea Salinas, the signing of former FC Dallas man and Honduran international Marvin Chaves and Colombian newcomer Tressor Moreno, along with midfielder Sam Cronin who has registered two assists (tied-second in MLS). Goalkeeper Jon Busch is tied-second in MLS with a 0.33 goals against average, with the lone goal allowed coming from the penalty spot.

Fredy Montero and Wondolowski lead all players with three goals in the series. Wondolowski, the Golden Boot winner in 2010 and runner-up in 2011 with 16 tallies, has scored three goals in his first three games this season (tied-second in MLS). Wondolowski and David Estrada are the only two players to net two game-winners in the first three weeks of the 2012 season. San Jose (2-1-0, 6 points) is coming off a dominating 3-0 victory over Toronto FC last Saturday with Wondolowski scoring a brace.

All-Time Series Leaders

	SEATTLE		SAN JOSE	
Goals	3	Montero	3	Wondolowski
Assists	2	Roasles/Zakuani	3	Salinas
Shots	16	Montero	13	Wondolowski
Shots on Goal	8	Montero	9	Wondolowski
Fouls Committed	11	Ianni	9	Leitch
Fouls Suffered	12	Montero	8	(3 players tied)
Wins	4	Keller	2	Cannon
Shutouts	2	Keller	2	Busch/Cannon
Saves	27	Keller	10	Busch
Goals Allowed	9	Keller	5	Busch

All-Time Single-Game Highs

	SEATTLE		SAN JOSE	
Goals	1	9 players tied	1	8 players tied
Assists	1	14 players tied	2	Salinas (8/2/09)
Shots	5	Montero (10/15/11)	5	Wondolowski (10/15/11)
Shots on Goal	3	Montero (twice)	4	3 players tied
Fouls Committed	4	Evans/Montero	4	5 players tied
Fouls Suffered	4	4 players tied	4	Dawkins (10/15/11)
Saves	10	Keller (8/2/09)	6	Busch (7/31/10)
Goals Allowed	4	Keller (8/2/09)	2	4 players tied

Sounders FC Injury Report

Probable:
None
Questionable:
DEF Adam Johansson (L hamstring strain)
FW Eddie Johnson (R hip strain)
Doubtful:
MID Mauro Rosales (R knee sprain)

Out:
GK Josh Ford (R knee stress fature)
DEF Andrew Duran (R knee surgery)
DEF/MF Michael Tetteh (L hamstring strain)
MF Steve Zakuani (R leg fracture)
FW Babayele Sodade (R knee sprain)

The Boys Are Back

The core of leaders returns to Sounders FC for the 2012 season. Striker Fredy Montero is joined in the attack by 2011 MLS Newcomer of the Year Mauro Rosales, Alvaro Fernandez and, eventually, winger Steve Zakuani. The backline is shored up by Jeff Parke and Jhon Kennedy Hurtado in the middle with Leo Gonzalez returning to the left. The ever-active central midfield of Osvaldo Alonso and Brad Evans rounds out the group of returning starters.

A group of newcomers have also joined the club, most notably the six-foot-five Austrian goalkeeper Michael Gspurning, Swedish right back Adam Johansson and Danish midfielder Christian Sivebaek. The Rave Green also added a goalscorer in U.S. international Eddie Johnson. And, as in years past, Seattle also has depth. The emergence of David Estrada has created more competition for minutes at forward, particularly with teammates Sammy Ochoa and Babayele Sodade.

Men In Kilts Fundraiser

Seahawks guard John Moffitt and Sounders FC forward Roger Levesque donned authentic kilts alongside other Seattle celebrities to raise money for the Seattle Ronald McDonald House and its mission of supporting families with seriously ill children.

Fans are encouraged to visit www.meninkilts.rmhcseattle.org until April 13 and cast a vote. Each vote is $25 and sponsors one night of housing for a family. All donations will benefit Ronald McDonald House Charities of Western Washington and Alaska.

The Seattle Ronald McDonald House is a home-away-from-home for more than 700 families each year while their children receive medical treatment. They also provide a van service for families staying in Anchorage while their children receive medical care.

The "King of the Kilt" will be announced on April 14 at the Georgetown Brewing Company.

To learn more about the Seattle Ronald McDonald House, visit www.rmhcseattle.org.

Starting with Scott

One constant of Sigi Schmid's Seattle squads has been depth at all positions, and the depth was tested again last week as starters Mauro Rosales and Adam Johansson were unavailable due to injury. Two former USL Sounders stepped up in their absence as Roger Levesque started at right mid and Zach Scott assumed the right back position. With Levesque and Scott holding down the right flank, last year's MVP finalist Brad Davis was unable to make an impact on the score line for Houston.

Scott makes a particularly notable impact when in the starting XI. Seattle is 13-3-4 all-time with Scott in the starting lineup, and 17-4-5 when he makes an appearance. Scott joined the backline on Friday night and led the group with 23 tackles with possession lost. And Levesque does his part, as well, as Seattle has won its last four with Levesque in the lineup and has gone 8-1-2 in his last 11 starts, dating back to May 7, 2011.

Sounders FC Record when Zach Scott...

Starts	**Sees Action**
2009: 3-2-1	2009: 4-3-2
2010: 3-0-1	2010: 3-0-1
2011: 6-1-2	2011: 9-1-2
2012: 1-0-0	2012: 1-0-0
Total: 13-3-4	**Total**: 17-4-5

March Madness

College basketball isn't the only sport with March Madness as Sounders FC personnel have added their own spin to the phrase. Led by MLS all-time winningest head coach Sigi Schmid, goal scorer Fredy Montero and 2011 Sounders FC team MVP Osvaldo Alonso, Sounders FC have set the month on fire.

MOST WINS IN MARCH, ALL-TIME

1.	**Sigi Schmid**	**Seattle**	**9**
2.	Bruce Arena	L.A. Galaxy	7
3.	Jason Kreis	Real Salt Lake	5
	Peter Vermes	Sporting KC	5
	Frank Yallop	San Jose	5
	Octavio Zambrano	MetroStars	5

MOST MLS GOALS IN MARCH, ACTIVE

1.	Omar Cummings	Colorado	6
	Chris Wondolowski	San Jose	6
3.	Kenny Cooper	New York	5
	Javier Morales	Salt Lake	5
5.	**David Estrada**	**Seattle**	**4**
	Fredy Montero	**Seattle**	**4**
	Davy Arnaud	Montreal	4

MOST MLS ASSISTS IN MARCH, ACTIVE

1.	**Osvaldo Alonso**	**Seattle**	**4**
	Graham Zusi	Sporting KC	4
	Six players tied		3

Stats Can't Explain the Whole Story

Great teams find a way to win, and last Friday's victory proved an example for Sounders FC. Despite losing the statistical battle, Seattle came out with the 2-nil advantage in the score line. Houston held 56% of the possession and made 108 more passes than Sounders FC, including six more open play crosses. Seattle had just two shots on goal, but finished both. Perhaps it shows the effectiveness of Sounders FC, much like the five winners on Saturday whose average possession was 45%.

One Sounders FC player who jumps out on the stats sheet is the industrious midfielder Osvaldo Alonso. Alonso packed the stats sheet again on Friday night, leading all Seattle players with 48 successful passes. He won five of six tackles, made 16 tackles where possession was lost, recovered 12 balls and made four interceptions.

Let's Get It Started

In its first three MLS seasons, Seattle has earned the second-most points in that span. Only the LA Galaxy (174) has earned more points than Seattle (158). Seattle is coming off its best season yet when the club amassed 63 points in 2011, including a league-high 56 goals (the most since D.C. United scored 58 in 2005). Seattle has scored 133 goals in MLS since joining in 2009, the second-most in that span to FC Dallas (134).

Supporters Ranks

* Sounders FC have sold out 52 consecutive MLS matches.
* Sounders FC attendance would rank seventh in EPL, fourth in Serie A, sixth in LA Liga and 13th in Bundesliga.
* Sounders FC would rank fourth in Major League Baseball.

Attendance Records Broken

Following a club record 18 MLS wins and third consecutive trip to the postseason in 2011, Rave Green supporters do not want to miss out on seeing their team in action in 2012. Seattle set a club record for a season opener with 39,232 fans on March 17, 2012, on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field, continuing its sellout streak of 52 consecutive MLS matches.

Seattle set an MLS record for attendance with an average of 30,897 during their inaugural season in 2009, only to surpass that mark in 2010 with an average of 36,173 and again in 2011 with an average of 38,498. The top regular-season crowd is 64,140 in a 2-1 win over San Jose during Kasey Keller's final home regular-season match last October.

Top-10 All-Time MLS Season Attendance Averages:

2011	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**38,498**
2010	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**36,173**
2009	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**30,897**
1996	Los Angeles Galaxy	28,916
2008	Los Angeles Galaxy	26,009
2007	Los Angeles Galaxy	24,252
2005	Los Angeles Galaxy	24,204
1996	MetroStars	23,898
2004	Los Angeles Galaxy	23,809
1997	New England Revolution	21,423

2011 MLB Attendance

1.	Philadelphia	45,440
2.	New York Yankees	45,107
3.	San Francisco	41,817
	Sounders FC (2012)	**38,768**
4.	Minnesota	39,112
5.	Los Angeles Angels	39,090
6.	St. Louis	38,196
7.	Milwaukee	37,918
8.	Boston	37,703
9.	Chicago Cubs	37,258
10.	Texas	36,382
11.	Los Angeles Dodgers	36,236
12.	Colorado	35,923
13.	Detroit	32,617
14.	New York Mets	30,108
15.	Atlanta	30,037
16.	Cincinnati	27,327
17.	San Diego	26,457
18.	Arizona	25,992
19.	Houston	25,518
20.	Washington	24,877
21.	Chicago White Sox	24,705
22.	Pittsburgh	24,255
23.	Seattle	23,411
24.	Cleveland	22,726
25.	Toronto	22,445
26.	Baltimore	21,943
27.	Kansas City	21,289
28.	Miami	19,007
29.	Tampa Bay	18,878
30.	Oakland	18,232

Keeping Pace With The World

ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE (thru March 25)

Club	Attendance
1. Manchester United	75,366
2. Arsenal	59,967
3. Newcastle United	49,306
4. Manchester City	46,989
5. Liverpool	44,800
6. Chelsea	41,564
Sounders FC	**38,768**
7. Sunderland	38,585
8. Tottenham Hotspur	36,069
9. Aston Villa	34,137
10. Everton	33,042

SPANISH LA LIGA (thru March 25)

Club	Attendance
1. Barcelona	81,445
2. Real Madrid	74,060
3. Atletico Madrid	46,821
4. Valencia	41,250
5. Real Betis	41,233
Sounders FC	**38,768**
6. Athletic Bilbao	37,533
7. Sevilla FC	36,321
8. Espanyol	27,729
9. Malaga	25,357
10. Real Sociedad	25,242

ITALIAN SERIE A (thru March 25)

Club	Attendance
1. AC Milan	51,355
2. Internazionale	48,975
3. Napoli	46,800
Sounders FC	**38,768**
4. AS Roma	34,349
5. Juventus	31,671
6. Lazio	31,285
7. Fiorentina	24,019
8. Genoa	22,128
9. Palermo	21,281
10. Bologna	18,574

GERMAN BUNDESLIGA (thru March 25)

Club	Attendance
1. Borussia Dortmund	80,460
2. Bayern Munich	69,000
3. Schalke 04	61,858
4. Hertha Berlin	54,858
5. VfB Stuffgart	54,566
6. Hamburg SV	53,152
7. Borussia Monchengladbach	51,599
8. FC Cologne	47,142
9. Hannover 96	44,018
10. Kaiserslautern	41,846
11. Werder Bremen	40,618
12. Nurnberg	40,497
Sounders FC	**38,768**

Forward David Estrada

The Maturation of a Goal Scorer

The long and winding road that led David Estrada to his breakout performance last Saturday began years ago as a youth soccer player in Salinas, Calif. One of the most prolific goal scorers in California high school soccer history, Estrada scored 66 goals as a senior (most in the nation) and also scored 11 goals in a single game. He went to walk-on as a freshman at UCLA where playing time was rare until a midseason injury to a teammate allowed for an opportunity. Estrada took full advantage and scored a UCLA record 12 goals as a freshman and earned Soccer America's Freshman of the Year. Despite earning Pac-10 honors all four years, Estrada has not played up top since his freshman year. In his first two years in Seattle, Estrada spent time in the midfield and also experimented at right back. Since returning to the forward position this preseason Estrada has scored seven goals with two assists in 10 games.

Estrada Named MLS Player of the Week

Seattle Sounders FC forward David Estrada was voted Major League Soccer Player of the Week by the North American Soccer Reporters (NASR) for Week 2 of the 2012 MLS season. Estrada became the third player in club history to score a hat trick as he lead Seattle to a 3-1 season-opening victory over Toronto FC on Saturday on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field.

The Player of the Week award is the first of Estrada's three-year MLS career. It is the 14th time that a Seattle player has won the award.

Estrada helped Seattle to its third season-opening victory in four years with his first three goals in MLS play. He opened his account in the 17th minute when he poked in a loose ball following a scramble in the box. He added a second tally in the 51st minute and completed the hat trick just moments after Toronto's lone goal in the 63rd minute.

Hat Trick with a Uruguayan Twist

The hat trick hero may garner most of the attention, but David Estrada knows he is in debt to midfielder Alvaro Fernandez for great set-up play. Fernandez was involved in all three goals, recording two assists for the first time in his MLS career. The creative Uruguayan showed his skill on the first goal as he beat his defender with a tricky back heel move and centered a low cross that Estrada finished past a crowd in the box. Fernandez began the second scoring play with a ball to Marc Burch and worked a neat one-two in the box to help Estrada complete his hat trick in the 63rd minute. Fernandez had previously recorded just one assist in league play over his first two seasons.

Estrada Strikes Back

Things are going pretty well for David Estrada this season. He is the leading goal scorer in Major League Soccer, scoring four goals through his first two games, and added a fifth against Mexico's Santos Laguna in the CONCACAF quarterfinals. The tireless work-rate of the third-year forward is paying off as the game rewarded him with a tricky, deflected goal to open the scoring on Friday night.

St. Hat Trick's Day

A decisive opening night victory was highlighted by the sudden success of an unsuspecting hero as David Estrada burst onto the MLS scene in his first league start at home on St. Patrick's Day. It took the third-year forward just 17 minutes to find the netting at CenturyLink Field; the first tally of his MLS career. Estrada added two more before full time to seal the victory.

Estada Notables:

* Four goals in MLS play in seven appearances (three starts; 283 total minutes)
* Four goals in first two home starts. Saturday marked his first MLS home start (first competitive home start was March 7 against Santos Laguna)
* Has scored four of Seattle's six goals in all competitions this season
* Led all players with seven total shots (one short of club record), including five on goal (ties club record)
* Seattle's first multi-goal scorer since back-to-back Fredy Montero braces (9/24/11 and 10/1/11)

Sounders FC All-Time Hat Tricks

Player	Opponent	Date
David Estrada	**vs. Toronto FC**	**03/17/12**
Lamar Neagle	vs. Columbus	08/27/11
Blaise Nkufo	at Columbus	09/18/10

All-time MLS Hat Tricks in an Opening Game

Player	Opponent	Date
David Estrada, Sea	**vs. Toronto FC**	**03/17/12**
Brian Ching, Hou (4)	vs. Colorado	04/02/06
Brian Kreis, Dal	vs. Kansas City	03/20/99

Quick Response

Sounders FC takes every opportunity to show its true character, and it's no more obvious than after conceding a goal. In the two home goals allowed by Seattle this season, both were followed by quick responses. Last Saturday against Toronto FC, David Estrada scored just 69 seconds after Ryan Johnson's goal, which was less than 40 seconds after the restart. A week and a half earlier Brad Evans regained the lead just two minutes after Santos Laguna struck.

Leading the League

MOST GOALS IN MLS IN 2012

Player	Team	GP	Goals
David Estrada	**SEA**	**2**	**4**
Kenny Cooper	NY	3	3
Chris Wondolowski	SJ	3	3
Fabian Espindola	RSL	3	2
Thierry Henry	NY	3	2
Kei Kamara	KC	3	2
Robbie Keane	LA	2	2
Dominic Oduro	CHI	2	2
C.J. Sapong	KC	3	2
Ricardo Villar	DAL	3	2

Getting Defensive

The offense may get most of the attention but the backbone of Seattle's success over the past three seasons has been its defense. This year the trend has continued as Seattle earned its first shutout of the season last Friday against Houston, and the team is tied-fourth with a 0.50 goals against average. Sounders FC has been among the league's top defenses since 2009 when the team ranked first with a 0.97 GAA, followed by a 1.09 GAA last season (tied-fourth in MLS).

2012 GOALS AGAINST AVERAGE

1.	Joe Cannon	Vancouver	0.00
2.	Jon Busch	San Jose	0.33
	Jimmy Nielsen	Sporting KC	0.33
4.	**Michael Gspurning**	**Seattle**	**0.50**
	Paolo Tornaghi	Chicago	0.50

Evans on the Mark

The sure foot of midfielder Brad Evans proved true again on Friday night as he stepped up and converted his first penalty kick of the season. Evans is a perfect 4-4 all-time from the spot and has emerged as one of Seattle's go-to-guys in the clutch. His four penalty kick goals over the past two seasons are tied for most in the league. Overall, Seattle is eight for 14 from the penalty spot, earning the second-most attempts in 2011 (nine), converting six (tied-third in MLS).

MOST PENTALY KICKS MADE SINCE 2011

1.	**Brad Evans**	**Seattle**	**4**
	Brad Davis	Houston	4
	Dwayne De Rosario	D.C. United	4
	Landon Donovan	L.A. Galaxy	4
	Shalrie Joseph	New England	4
	Sebastien Le Toux	Vancouver	4

Sounders FC Results

Most Points Since 2009

MOST MLS POINTS SINCE 2009

	CLUB	RECORD	POINTS
1.	L.A. Galaxy	50-19-27	177
2.	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**46-24-26**	**164**
3.	Real Salt Lake	43-28-26	155
4.	Columbus Crew	41-29-26	149
5.	FC Dallas	39-30-28	145
6.	Colorado Rapids	36-28-33	141
7.	Houston Dynamo	36-33-28	136
8.	Sporting Kansas City	35-35-27	132
9.	Chicago Fire	30-28-38	128
10.	New York Red Bulls	31-28-38	121

Going Streaking

When the Sounders FC head to the nation's capital next weekend, they will bring their five-game road-winning streak with them. With a win, Seattle will move into third place all-time. The streak began last August with a thrilling 2-1 win at Sporting Kansas City. Mauro Rosales (90') and Lamar Neagle (92') both scored in stoppage time to give Seattle the victory.

LONGEST ROAD MLS WINNING STREAK, ALL-TIME

	CLUB	No.	DATE
1.	D.C. United	7	7/7/99-9/25/99
	L.A. Galaxy	7	9/14/97-5/17/98
3.	San Jose Earthquakes	6	7/20/05-10/15/05
4.	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**5**	**8/6/11-Current**
	Sporting Kansas City	5	5/30/97-7/4/97
	L.A. Galaxy	5	4/20/96-6/9/96
	L.A. Galaxy	5	8/5/98-9/16/98
	New York Red Bulls	5	6/3/00-7/16/00

Home Cookin'

One thing that has been a constant for the Rave Green in their early history is playing well in front of its supporters. Sounders FC faithful have played their part as well, setting club attendance records for an MLS opener (39,232 vs. Toronto) and CONCACAF Champions League match (23,433 vs. Santos) this season. Seattle is 26-10-13 all-time in MLS matches at home with a plus-32 goal differential (79-47).

MOST MLS HOME POINTS SINCE 2009

	CLUB	RECORD	POINTS
1.	Real Salt Lake	31-5-13	106
2.	Columbus Crew	29-8-11	98
	L.A. Galaxy	29-9-11	98
4.	FC Dallas	26-9-13	92
5.	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**26-10-13**	**92**

Road Warriors

Sounders FC have made themselves at home while playing on the road. Last year, Seattle was 9-3-5 away from home, fourth-best winning percentage in MLS history (.676). Since entering the league in 2009, Sounders FC are second in the league with 76 road points, just one win (three points) behind the leader, L.A. Galaxy.

MOST MLS ROAD POINTS SINCE 2009

	CLUB	RECORD	POINTS
1.	L.A. Galaxy	21-10-16	79
2.	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**20-14-13**	**76**
3.	Chicago Fire	14-17-17	59
4.	FC Dallas	13-21-14	53
	Sporting KC	13-22-14	53

Recap: Sounders FC 2 vs. Houston 0

David Estrada scored his fourth goal in two games and Brad Evans converted the first penalty kick of the season as Sounders FC defeated the Houston Dynamo 2-0 in front of 38,304 on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field. Michael Gspurning notched the first clean sheet of his MLS career to help Sounders FC go to 2-0-0 in their debut on NBC Sports Network.

Sounders FC (2-0-0, 6 points) remain unbeaten on the young season and improves to 3-2-2 in the all-time regular season series with Houston.

Houston (2-1-0, 6 points) lost for the first time in 2012 and will resume MLS play on April 15 at Chicago.

Estrada's goal came on a volley after Houston cleared a Seattle corner kick in the 23rd minute. The low, hard shot deflected off Houston defender Geoff Cameron and into the right side of the net after keeper Tally Hall dove left.

The goal gives Estrada four goals through the first two games of the season, a first for a Sounders FC player.

Seattle made it 2-0 just three minutes later when Evans converted a penalty kick after Patrick Ianni was pulled down in the box as he rose to head a corner kick. Evans' shot went low and right, and despite guessing correctly, Hall couldn't make the save.

Evans is now 4-4 in his career on PK's, all coming with Seattle (3-3 in 2011).

The win marks the first time since their inaugural season in 2009 that Sounders FC has started 2-0-0. They have scored five goals through their first two games, also tying a record set in 2009. They have eight goals through four games across all competitions.

The result marks the first MLS clean sheet for Gspurning, the six-foot five-inch Austrian keeper in his first year with Sounders FC. In the 17th minute, Houston forward Will Bruin slammed a hard shot from the top of the box, but Gspurning jumped and punched it over the crossbar.

Despite only having two shots on goal, Houston put pressure on the net all game. Dynamo midfielder Brad Davis put multiple crosses accurately in the box, but Gspurning continually reached out or rose up to punch them clear.

Alvaro Fernandez, who had two assists in Seattle's opener, almost added to his total on a couple occasions. In the 40th minute, Marc Burch led Fernandez up the left side before he accurately crossed to a streaking Estrada, but a Houston defender was able to make the clearance. In the 53rd minute, Fernandez crossed to a wide-open Roger Levesque, starting for the injured Mauro Rosales, but his shot went wide.

Servando Carrasco and Christian Sivebaek made their second MLS appearance as substitutes when they came on for Evans and Fredy Montero, respectively. Leo Gonzalez made his 2012 MLS debut when he came on for Levesque in the 81st minute.

Throw-ins

Fredy Montero, Alvaro Fernandez, David Estrada and Leo Gonzalez will participate in a two man Xbox FIFA charity tournament against fans at the downtown Bellevue Microsoft Store on April 3 from 7-9 p.m. The event will benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society...Eddie Johnson turns 28 on Saturday, March 31...The Sounders U-23's will play eight home games - two at Cheney Stadium, five at Franklin Pierce High School and one at a Pierce County venue yet to be determined.

Chelsea is Coming to Seattle

Sounders FC announced they will host Chelsea FC on Wednesday, July 18 on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field. The match is part of the Sounders FC full 18-match season ticket package. The presenting partner for the Sounders FC international friendly match is AT&T.

Fans can guarantee seats for Chelsea by purchasing a 4-Match ticket package for $110 prior to the public on-sale of individual tickets on June 4.

Chelsea, the only English Premier League club still competing in the Champions League this season, were runners up in the League last season having been champions and FA Cup winners in 2010. The London club has many international players, from Europe, Africa and South America.

The 4-Match ticket package includes Sounders FC home matches versus Chelsea on July 18, Los Angeles Galaxy on August 5, Vancouver Whitecaps on August 18 and Portland Timbers on October 7. In anticipation of the high demand for tickets, seating at CenturyLink Field will be expanded to include the upper bowl for all four matches.

The 4-Match ticket package and full season ticket packages are available by phone at 1-877-MLS-GOAL or online at www.SoundersFC.com. Single match tickets exclusively for the Chelsea match will go on-sale Monday, June 4.

Single match tickets are now available for sale at the Downtown Pro Shop located at 410 Pike Street. There are no fees or surcharges associated with the ticket purchase. Fans who purchase tickets at the Downtown Pro Shop will receive a 10% discount on all regular-priced merchandise. The Downtown Pro Shop is open Monday-Saturday from 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. and on Sunday from 12 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Reserve League

Seattle Sounders FC kicked off the 2012 MLS Reserve League with a 1-1 draw against the Vancouver Whitecaps FC at the University of British Columbia's Thunderbird Stadium on Monday morning.

Alex Caskey gave Seattle a 1-0 lead, but a stoppage time equalizer from Vancouver's Carlyle Mitchell left the final score level.

Sounders FC controlled most of the play in the first half and had their best chance when Andy Rose slid in on a ball across the goal mouth by Caskey in the 37th minute, but the ball barely eluded him and the teams went into halftime scoreless.

In the 72nd minute, Caskey gave the Sounders the lead. Sounders FC U-18 forward Dominique Dismuke got the ball to Leo Gonzalez on an overlapping run into the box. The Vancouver defense clamped down on Gonzalez, but the ball fell to Caskey, who knocked in a thunderous shot to put Seattle up 1-0.

Seattle held the lead into stoppage time when Mitchell got on the end of a cross from Omar Salgado and hammered the header for the equalizer. Salgado retrieved a ball that was headed clear by Jeff Parke, then chipped a left-footed cross in from the left side, finding Mitchell streaking to the middle of the box for a header to the top left corner.

Seattle will host the Portland Timbers in their next Reserve League match on April 10. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m. PT at Starfire Stadium in Tukwila, Wash. There is no charge for admission at Sounders FC Reserves home matches. However donations will be accepted at the gate ($5 suggested) with proceeds directed toward the Sounders FC community partners. Parking is $5 or free with a Starfire membership.

Coaches Corner

Head Coach Sigi Schmid

Named the first head coach of Seattle Sounders FC on Dec. 16, 2008, Sigi Schmid is recognized as one of the most successful coaches in MLS history. Since 1999, Schmid's teams have won nine major titles, including two MLS Cups.

Schmid is the most successful active coach in MLS history and a two-time Coach of the Year. In the 2011 season he guided Sounders FC to the playoffs for the third consecutive year, becoming the first team in league history to reach the playoffs in its first three seasons.

The Sounders FC also became the first team in 42 years to win three straight Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup Championships when they beat Chicago, 2-0, in front of a record crowd on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field. Seattle defeated D.C. United, 2-1, on the road to win the 2009 title and Columbus at home, 2-1, to win the 2010 title. In 2008, Schmid led his former club, the Columbus Crew, to its first MLS Cup and Supporters' Shield, earning MLS Coach of the Year honors.

From 1999 through 2004 Schmid's L.A. Galaxy teams won four major competitions: 2002 MLS Cup, 2002 MLS Supporters' Shield, 2001 U.S. Open Cup and the 2001 CONCACAF Champions Cup.

He was voted the MLS Coach of the Year in his first season, 1999. Altogether, his Galaxy teams were 79-53-32 and reached the MLS Cup final four times and won three division crowns.

Schmid ranks No. 1 in MLS career victories (159). Overall, Schmid's record in MLS is 159-110-83. His combined postseason win total (19) is the second-highest in MLS history. Schmid (352) has surpassed Bob Bradley's MLS record of 272 career games coached.

Schmid is the only coach in MLS history to coach two different teams to MLS Cup titles. He is one of two to coach in four MLS Cup finals.

Twice Schmid has served as U.S. Under-20 National Team head coach, most recently in 2005 at the FIFA World Championships. At UCLA Schmid claimed three more national titles in 1985, '90 and '97. Schmid was named national coach of the year following the '97 championship.

Schmid is a member of both the National Soccer and UCLA halls of fame.

Schmid vs. MLS

Team	Regular Season	Postseason	Total
Chicago	14-9-8	2-0-1	16-9-9
Chivas USA	3-5-5		3-5-5
Colorado	18-10-7	5-1-0	23-11-7
Columbus	8-3-7		8-3-7
D.C. United	16-10-4	0-1-0	16-11-4
FC Dallas	13-8-10	2-0-1	15-8-10
Houston	4-3-5	0-1-1	4-4-6
Kansas City	18-15-5	4-2-1	22-17-6
L.A. Galaxy	4-4-4	0-2-0	4-6-4
Miami	4-1-1		4-1-1
New England	13-11-5	1-0-0	13-11-5
New York	11-14-5	2-1-1	13-15-6
Philadelphia	1-2-0		1-2-0
Portland	1-0-1		1-0-1
Real Salt Lake	5-4-3	1-1-0	6-5-3
San Jose	14-8-5	1-2-0	15-10-5
Tampa Bay	3-2-1	2-0-0	5-2-1
Toronto	8-1-4		8-1-4
Vancouver	1-0-1		1-0-1
TOTAL	**159-110-83**	**20-11-5**	**178-121-88**

**most wins in MLS history*

Most Career Regular Season Wins

Coach (Team)	Overall Wins (Home/Away)	
Sigi Schmid* (LAG, Columbus, SFC)	**159 (98/61)**	
Bruce Arena* (LAG)	129 (80/49)	
Bob Bradley (Chicago, NYM, Chivas)	124 (75/49)	
Steve Nicol (NER)	112 (71/41)	
Dominic Kinnear* (HOU)	102 (64/38)	
Bob Gansler (KC)	86 (58/28)	*active

The Staff

BRIAN SCHMETZER
Assistant Coach

Named the top assistant coach on Dec. 22, 2008. A Seattle native, he is one of the Puget Sound soccer community's most recognizable figures after playing and coaching for the region's top professional franchises since 1980.

Schmetzer was head coach of the USL-1 Sounders from 2002-08. He guided Seattle to USL-1 championships in 2005 and 2007, and U.S. Open Cup semifinal advancements in 2007 and 2008.

Schmetzer has 10 years of experience coaching and 15 years of playing experience at the professional level. He was a member of six championship teams during that span.

In addition to the two USL-1 championships, his teams also twice won the Commissioner's Cup for the best record and qualified for the playoffs six times. He was chosen USL-1 Coach of the Year in 2002 after going 23-4-1. The Sounders were league runners-up in 2004. His overall regular season record was 100-57-41.

EZRA HENDRICKSON
Assistant Coach

Announced as assistant coach on Jan. 20, 2009 after completing a 14-year professional career, including 12 seasons in Major League Soccer. Hendrickson earned his U.S. Soccer 'A' Coaching License in December of 2009.

Hendrickson played parts of eight seasons for Sigi Schmid, including three in Columbus prior to his retirement. He appeared in 266 regular season MLS matches (225 starts), scored 23 goals and added 30 assists. Hendrickson was a member of three MLS Cup championship teams: 2002 Los Angeles Galaxy, 2004 D.C. United and 2008 Columbus Crew. While with the Galaxy he also won the 2000 CONCACAF Champions Cup and the 2001 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup, when he was the team's MVP.

An All-American and business administration major at Drake University, Hendrickson first played professionally with New Orleans of the USISL Select League (1995-96). After earning his first international cap in 1995, he served 12 years as captain of the Saint Vincent and the Grenadines national team.

TOM DUTRA
Goalkeeper Coach

Named the goalkeeper coach on Dec. 29, 2008 after serving two seasons as keeper coach for the USL Sounders. Dutra has worked with Kasey Keller in offseason training sessions since 2002. Under Dutra's guidance in 2007 and 2008, Chris Eylander led USL-1 in saves and finished second in shutouts.

DAVID TENNEY
Fitness Coach

Named the fitness coach on January 9, 2009. He is one of Major League Soccer's most respected and highly-regarded fitness coaches following two years in Kansas City. During the 2007 and 2008 seasons Tenney served as both fitness and goalkeeper coach for Kansas City. He also holds an 'A' license from the Czech Republic F.A. and NSCAA 'Premier' Diploma.

Prior to MLS, Tenney held the same dual role as the George Mason University men's and women's teams for two seasons. He earned his B.I.S. in coaching science from George Mason in 2005 and his master's degree in exercise science from California University of Pennsylvania last year. While at George Mason, Tenney also served as director of coaching for the Washington Freedom youth teams from 2004-06 and as Maryland's girls director of ODP.

KURT SCHMID
Scout/Assistant Coach

Named to staff on March 12, 2009. Schmid scouts players from the youth to international level and coordinate the Match Analysis scouting system and also serves as a first team assistant. Kurt Schmid has been an assistant coach at the collegiate level, first at Saint Mary's College, then at UC Irvine.

2012 Transactions

DATE	TRANSACTION	PLAYER
January 3	Signed to contract	D Marc Burch
January 11	Signed to contract	M Christian Sivebaek
January 12	Selected in MLS SuperDraft	D Andrew Duran F Babayele Sodade
January 17	Selected in MLS Supplemental Draft	D Tim Pontius M Jason Banton F Abdul Aman D Wes Feighner
January 18	Signed to contract	F Cordell Cato
February 17	Traded to Montreal	F Mike Fucito M Lamar Neagle
	Acquired from Montreal	F Eddie Johnson
March 1	Signed to contract	D Andrew Duran F Babayele Sodade
March 2	Signed to contract	GK Andrew Weber
March 13	Signed to contract	M Alex Caskey M Andy Rose
March 22	Bought out contract	F O'Brian White

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Sounders FC Numerical Roster [as of March 29, 2012]

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	Hometown	Last Club
1	Michael Gspurning	G	6-5	205	5/2/1981	Graz, Austria	Skoda Xanthi FC (Greece)
3	Brad Evans	M	6-1	160	4/20/1985	Phoenix, Ariz.	Columbus
4	Patrick Ianni	D	6-1	183	6/15/1985	Lodi, Calif.	Houston
5	Adam Johansson	D	5-11	165	2/21/1983	Gothenburg, Sweden	IFK Göteborg (Sweden)
6	Osvaldo Alonso	M	5-11	155	11/11/1985	San Cristobal, Cuba	Charleston (USL-1)
7	Eddie Johnson	F	6-0	179	3/31/1984	Daytona Beach, Florida	Fulham (England)
8	Marc Burch	D	6-1	180	5/7/1984	Cincinnati, Ohio	D.C. United
10	Mauro Rosales	M	5-8	165	2/24/1981	Villa Maria, Argentina	River Plate (Argentina)
11	Steve Zakuani	M	6-0	160	2/9/1988	London, England	Akron (NCAA)
12	Leo Gonzalez	D	6-1	174	11/21/1980	San Jose, Costa Rica	Liberia Mia (C.R.)
14	Michael Tetteh	D/M	5-8	155	1/16/1989	Accra, Ghana	UC Santa Barbara (NCAA)
15	Alvaro Fernandez	M	6-1	159	10/11/1985	Soriano, Uruguay	Nacional (Chile)
16	David Estrada	F	5-8	155	2/4/1988	Salinas, Calif.	UCLA (NCAA)
17	Fredy Montero	F	5-9	160	7/26/1987	Barranquilla, Colombia	Deportivo Cali (Colombia)
19	Babayele Sodade	F	6-3	183	7/26/1990	Windsor, Ont.	Alabama Birmingham (NCAA)
20	Zach Scott	D	5-11	175	7/2/1980	Haiku, Hawaii	Seattle (USL-1)
21	Cordell Cato	F	5-9	150	7/15/1992	Carenage, Trinidad	Defence Force FC (Trinidad)
22	Michael Seamon	M	6-1	175	8/30/1988	Rahway, N.J.	Villanova (NCAA)
23	Servando Carrasco	M	5-10	175	8/13/1988	San Diego, Calif.	California (NCAA)
24	Roger Levesque	M/F	6-2	174	1/22/1981	Falmouth, Maine	Seattle (USL-1)
25	Andy Rose	M	6-2	170	2/13/1990	Bristol, England	UCLA (NCAA)
26	Sammy Ochoa	F	6-0	195	9/4/1986	Riverside, Calif.	Estudiantes Tecos (Mexico)
27	Alex Caskey	M	5-10	152	7/22/1988	Dunwoody, Georgia	Charleston (USL Pro)
28	Christian Sivebaek	M	6-3	194	2/19/1988	Vejle, Denmark	FC Midtjylland (Denmark)
29	Josh Ford	G	6-0	180	11/6/1987	Liverpool, N.Y.	Connecticut (NCAA)
30	Andrew Duran	D	6-1	160	10/26/1989	Mokena, Ill.	Creighton (NCAA)
31	Jeff Parke	D	6-1	185	3/23/1982	Downingtown, Penn.	Vancouver (USL-1)
33	Andrew Weber	G	6-2	190	8/9/1983	Phoenix, Ariz.	San Jose
34	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	D	6-0	183	5/16/1984	Palmira, Colombia	Deportivo Cali (Colombia)
35	Bryan Meredith	G	6-2	195	8/2/1989	Scotch Plains, N.J.	Kitsap Pumas (PDL)

Sounders FC Pronunciation Guide

No.	Name	Pronunciation
1	Michael Gspurning	guh-SHPOORN-ing
4	Patrick Ianni	ee-AWN-ee
5	Adam Johansson	Yo-HAWN-sun
6	Osvaldo Alonso	ahs-VAHL-doe
10	Mauro Rosales	MOU-ro roh-SAH-les
11	Steve Zakuani	zak-uh-WAH-nee
14	Michael Tetteh	TETT-tay
15	Alvaro Fernandez	AHL-bah-ro
17	Fredy Montero	mon-TARE-oh
19	Babayele Sodade	Bah-bye-elle-EE Sho-Dahd-DAY
23	Servando Carrasco	sir-VAWN-dough cuh-ROSS-coh
24	Roger Levesque	luh-VECK
28	Christian Sivebaek	SEE-veh-beck
34	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	JON her-TOD-oh

Head Coach: Sigi Schmid
Assistant Coach: Brian Schmetzer
Assistant Coach: Ezra Hendrickson
Goalkeeper Coach: Tom Dutra
Fitness Coach: David Tenney
Scout/Assistant Coach: Kurt Schmid

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2012 MLS Regular Season Statistics

UNF	POS	Player	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC/FS	OFF	CK	C/E
16	M	David Estrada	2	2	177	4	0	8	6	0/1	1	0	0/0
3	M	Brad Evans	2	2	151	1	0	1	1	1/2	0	0	0/0
15	M	Alvaro Fernandez	2	2	155	0	2	1	0	2/5	1	4	1/0
8	D	Marc Burch	2	2	180	0	1	1	0	2/1	0	0	0/0
6	M	Osvaldo Alonso	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	4/5	0	0	1/0
1	G	Michael Gspurning	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
34	D	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	3/1	0	0	0/0
4	D	Patrick Ianni	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	4/1	0	0	1/0
17	F	Fredy Montero	2	2	179	0	0	5	1	3/7	1	0	0/0
24	F	Roger Levesque	2	1	92	0	0	2	1	1/0	0	0	0/0
5	D	Adam Johansson	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
20	D	Zach Scott	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
10	M	Mauro Rosales	1	1	79	0	0	0	0	1/1	0	3	0/0
23	M	Servando Carrasco	2	0	32	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
28	M	Christian Sivebaek	2	0	26	0	0	0	0	1/0	0	0	0/0
12	D	Leo Gonzalez	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
27	M	Alex Caskey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
21	F	Cordell Cato	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
30	D	Andrew Duran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
29	G	Josh Ford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
7	F	Eddie Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
35	G	Bryan Meredith	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
26	F	Sammy Ochoa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
31	D	Jeff Parke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
25	D	Andy Rose	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
22	M	Mike Seamon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
14	D	Michael Tetteh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
33	G	Andrew Weber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
13	F	O'Brian White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
11	M	Steve Zakuani	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
		Team totals	**2**	**2**	**180**	**5**	**3**	**19**	**9**	**22/25**	**3**	**8**	**3/0**
		Opponent totals	**2**	**2**	**180**	**1**	**1**	**22**	**5**	**25/22**	**3**	**11**	**3/0**

GP-games played;GS-games started;MIN-minutes;G-goals;A-assists;SHT-shots,SOG-shots on goal;FC-fouls caused;FS-fouls suffered;OFF-offsides; C/E-cautions/ejections

GAME-WINNING GOALS: David Estrada 2
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Marc Burch 1, Alvaro Fernandez 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Brad Evans 1-1

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W -L-T	SO
1	G	Michael Gspurning	2	2	180	5	4	1	0.50	0	0	2-0-0	1
		Team totals	**2**	**2**	**180**	**5**	**4**	**1**	**0.50**	**0**	**0**	**2-0-0**	**1**
		Opponent totals	**2**	**2**	**180**	**9**	**4**	**5**	**2.50**	**1**	**1**	**0-2-0**	**0**

GP-games played;GS-goals scored;MIN-minutes;SHTS-shots;SV-saves;GA-goals allowed;GAA-goals against avg.;PG-penalty goals;
PA-penalty attempts;W/L/T-wins/losses.ties;SO-shutouts

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2012 MLS Regular Season Results

Day Date	Opponent	Result	Score	Attend.	Record	Goal scorers
Sat. 3/17	Toronto FC	W	3-1	39,232	1-0-0	SEA: Estrada (17, 51, 63); TOR: Johnson (61)
Fri. 3/23	Houston Dynamo	W	2-0	38,304	2-0-0	SEA: Estrada (23), Evans (27)

2012 MLS Regular Season Box Scores

Sounders FC 3 vs. Toronto FC 1

March 17, 2012, on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field (Seattle, Wash.) Att: 39,232 (sellout)

SCORING

SEA - Estrada 17', Estrdada (Burch, Fernandez) 51', Estrada (Fernandez) 63'

TOR - Johnson (Aceval) 61'

	Shots	Saves	Fouls	Offsides	Corners
SEA	12	2	12	3	3
TOR	13	4	14	4	5

STARTING LINEUP

GK Gspurning
D Johansson
D Ianni
D Hurtado
D Burch
M Rosales (Levesque, 79)
M Evans
M Alonso
M Fernandez (Sivebaek)
F Estrada (Carrasco, 87)
F Montero

Sounders FC 2 vs. Houston 0

March 23, 2012, on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field (Seattle, Wash.) Att: 38,304 (sellout)

SCORING

SEA - Estrada 23', Evans (penalty) 27'

HOU - None

	Shots	Saves	Fouls	Offsides	Corners
SEA	7	2	10	0	5
TOR	9	0	11	0	6

STARTING LINEUP

GK Gspurning
D Scott
D Ianni
D Hurtado
D Burch
M Levesque (Gonzalez, 81)
M Evans (Carrasco, 61)
M Alonso
M Fernandez
F Estrada
F Montero (Sivebaek, 90+)

Seattle Sounders FC vs. San Jose Earthquakes | Saturday, March 31, 2012 - 7:00 p.m. PT

2012 All Competition Statistics

UNF	POS	Player	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC/FS	OFF	CK	C/E
16	M	David Estrada	4	4	328	5	0	10	6	2/3	1	0	1/0
3	M	Brad Evans	4	4	331	2	0	7	3	2/4	0	0	0/0
15	M	Alvaro Fernandez	4	4	323	1	2	6	2	6/11	2	4	1/0
17	F	Fredy Montero	4	4	359	0	2	12	3	8/13	1	1	1/0
10	M	Mauro Rosales	3	3	259	0	1	1	1	4/5	0	12	0/0
12	D	Leo Gonzalez	3	2	176	0	1	0	0	6/0	0	0	2/0
8	D	Marc Burch	3	2	181	0	1	1	0	2/1	0	0	0/0
6	M	Osvaldo Alonso	4	4	360	0	0	3	0	7/8	0	0	1/0
1	G	Michael Gspurning	4	4	360	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
34	D	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	4	4	360	0	0	1	0	7/8	0	0	1/0
5	D	Adam Johansson	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	2/4	0	0	0/0
4	D	Patrick Ianni	2	2	180	0	0	0	0	4/1	0	0	1/0
31	D	Jeff Parke	2	2	180	0	0	1	0	2/4	0	0	0/0
24	F	Roger Levesque	3	1	101	0	0	2	1	1/0	0	0	0/0
20	D	Zach Scott	1	1	90	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
28	M	Christian Sivebaek	3	0	39	0	0	2	0	1/1	0	0	0/0
23	M	Servando Carrasco	2	0	32	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
7	F	Eddie Johnson	2	0	31	0	0	2	1	0/0	1	0	0/0
27	M	Alex Caskey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
21	F	Cordell Cato	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
30	D	Andrew Duran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
29	G	Josh Ford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
35	G	Bryan Meredith	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
26	F	Sammy Ochoa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
25	D	Andy Rose	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
22	M	Mike Seamon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
14	D	Michael Tetteh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
33	G	Andrew Weber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
13	F	O'Brian White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
11	M	Steve Zakuani	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0/0
		Team totals	**4**	**4**	**360**	**8**	**7**	**48**	**19**	**57/54**	**5**	**18**	**8/0**
		Opponent totals	**4**	**4**	**360**	**8**	**7**	**48**	**19**	**54/57**	**11**	**20**	**10/0**

GP-games played;GS-games started;MIN-minutes;G-goals;A-assists;SHT-shots,SOG-shots on goal;FC-fouls caused;FS-fouls suffered; OFF-offsides:C/E-cautions/ejections

GAME-WINNING GOALS: David Estrada 2, Brad Evans 1
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Marc Burch 1, Alvaro Fernandez 1, Mauro Rosales 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: Brad Evans 1-1

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

UNF	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W -L-T	SO
1	G	Michael Gspurning	4	4	360	19	12	8	2.00	0	0	3-1-0	1
		Team totals	**4**	**4**	**360**	**19**	**12**	**8**	**2.00**	**0**	**0**	**3-1-0**	**1**
		Opponent totals	**4**	**4**	**360**	**19**	**12**	**8**	**2.00**	**1**	**1**	**1 -3-0**	**0**

GP-games played;GS-goals scored;MIN-minutes;SHTS-shots;SV-saves;GA-goals allowed;GAA-goals against avg.;PG-penalty goals;PA-penalty attempts;W/L/T-wins/losses.ties;SO-shutouts

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2012 CONCACAF Champions League Results

Day Date	Opponent	Result	Score	Attend.	Record	Goal scorers
Wed. 3/7	Santos Laguna	W	2-1	23,433	1-0-0	SEA: Estrada (12), Evans (63); CSL: Gomez (61)
Wed. 3/14	at Santos Laguna	L	6-1	15,000	1-1-0	SEA: Fernandez (37); CSL: Suarez (8, 76), Peralta (10), Gomez (49, 67), Ochoa (81)

2012 CONCACAF Champions League Box Scores

Sounders FC 2 vs. Santos Laguna 1

March 7, 2012, on the Xbox Pitch at CenturyLink Field (Seattle, Wash.)
Att: 23,433

SCORING

SEA - Estrada (Montero, Gonzalez) 12', Evans (Rosales) 63'
CSL - Gomez (Crosas) 61'

	Shots	Saves	Fouls	Offsides	Corners
SEA	11	2	19	0	4
CSL	12	2	17	3	5

STARTING LINEUP

GK Gspurning
D Johansson
D Parke
D Hurtado
D Gonzalez
M Rosales
M Alonso
M Evans
M Fernandez (Johnson, 78)
F Estrada (Burch, 93)
F Montero

Sounders FC 1 at Santos Laguna 6

March 14, 2012, at Estadio Corona (Torreon, Mex.)
Att: 15,000

SCORING

SEA - Fernandez (Montero) 37'
CSL - Suarez 8', Peralta (Luduena) 10', Gomez (Suarez) 49', Gomez (Peralta, Estrada) 67', Suarez (Estrada) 76', Ochoa 81'

	Shots	Saves	Fouls	Offsides	Corners
SEA	18	4	16	0	6
CSL	19	5	20	5	3

STARTING LINEUP

GK Gspurning
D Johansson
D Parke
D Hurtado
D Gonzalez (Sivebaek, 77)
M Rosales
M Alonso
M Evans
M Fernandez
F Estrada (Johnson, 62; Levesque 81)
F Montero

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2012 MINI BIOS

SOUNDERS FC MINI BIOS

1 | MICHAEL GSPURNING

Position: Goalkeeper
Height: 6-5
Weight: 209
Born: May 2, 1981
Hometown: Graz, Austria
Citizenship: Austria
Pronunciation: guh-SHPOORN-ing

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on December 7, 2011.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: DSV Leoben (2001-04), ASKO Pasching (2004-06), Skoda Xanthi (2007-11)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Recorded first MLS shutout in 2-0 home win vs. HOU (3/23)
- Made MLS debut vs. TOR (3/17), recording two saves.
- Four saves in 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna in CCL Quarterfinals, 3/7

CAREER NOTES
- Capped three times by Austrian National Team
- Two-time foreign Goalkeeper of the Year in Greece's top league
- 16 shutouts in 26 games for Skoda in 2008-09

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (2), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Shutout: Seattle (1), 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (2), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Shutout: None

3 | BRAD EVANS

Position: Midfielder
Height: 6-1
Weight: 169
Born: April 20, 1985
College: UC Irvine
Hometown: Phoenix, Arizona
Citizenship: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected from Columbus in the MLS Expansion Draft on November 26, 2008

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Columbus (2007-08)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Converted penalty kick in 2-0 home win vs. HOU (3/23), improving to 4-4 all-time
- Game-winning goal in (63') in 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna in CCL Quarterfinals, 3/7/12

PRIOR
- Scored career-high five goals and three assists in 2011 MLS season
- Won MLS Cup 2008 with Columbus, and three US Open Cups
- Earned five U.S. National Team caps

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (91), played 61 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (15), 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Assist: Seattle (12), 3-1 win at CHV, 10/22/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (8), played 21 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/02/11
Playoff Goal: Columbus (1), 2-0 win vs. KC, 11/8/08

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (4), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: Seattle (2), 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna, 3/7/12
Assist: Seattle (1), 4-1 win vs. Comunicaciones, 8/16/11

4 | PATRICK IANNI

Position: Defender
Height: 6-1
Weight: 188
Born: June 15, 1985
College: UCLA
Hometown: Lodi, California
Citizenship: United States
Pronunciation: ee-AWN-ee

HOW ACQUIRED: Acquired via trade from the Houston Dynamo for conditional draft pick on January 26, 2009

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Houston (MLS, 2006-08)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Part of defense that recorded a shutout in 2-0 win vs. HOU (3/23)
- Started MLS opener for first time in career vs. TOR (3/17)

CAREER NOTES
- Started career-high 24 games in 2010
- Member of Houston's 2006 and 2007 MLS Cup championship teams
- No. 8 overall pick in the 2006 MLS SuperDraft

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (95), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (3), 2-1 win at RSL, 5/28/11
Assist: Seattle (3), 2-1 win vs. SJ, 6/13/09

Playoff Match: Seattle (3), played 77 minutes in 1-2 loss at LA, 11/7/10

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (7), played 23 minutes in 2-1 loss vs. Monterrey, 10/18/11
Goal: None
Assist: None

5 | ADAM JOHANSSON

Position: Defender
Height: 5-11
Weight: 165
Born: February 21, 1983
Hometown: Gothenburg, Sweden
Citizenship: Sweden
Pronunciation: Yo-HAWN-sun

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on December 29, 2011.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: IFK Goteborg (2005-11), Vastra Frolunda IF (2002-04)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Made MLS debut vs. TOR (3/17) and played all 90 minutes

CAREER NOTES
- Nine appearances for Swedish National Team
- Played seven years in Sweden's top flight, the Allvenskan

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (1), played 90 minutes in 3-1 win vs. TOR, 3/17/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (2), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

6 | OSVALDO ALONSO

Position: Midfielder
Height: 5-10
Weight: 147
Born: November 11, 1985
Hometown: San Cristóbal, Cuba
Citizenship: Cuba
Pronunciation: ahs-VAHL-doe

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed as free agent on January 26, 2009. Signed to contract extension on February 17, 2011.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: FC Pinar del Rio (Cuba, 2005-07); Charleston Battery (USL, 2008)

CAREER NOTES
- Led team with 48 successful passes vs. HOU (3/23)

CAREER NOTES
- 2011 MLS All-Star and voted team's Most Valuable Player for second straight season
- Capped 17 times by Cuban National Team and captain of U-23 team during 2008 Olympic qualifying

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LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (85), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (5), 3-2 win at POR, 7/10/11
Assist: Seattle (9), 6-2 win vs. CLB, 8/27/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (6), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11
Playoff Goal: Seattle (1), 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (13), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: Seattle (2), 2-2 draw at Comunicaciones, 9/27/11
Assist:Seattle (1), 1-0 win vs. Metapan, 7/28/10

7 | EDDIE JOHNSON

Position: Forward
Height: 6-0 **Weight**: 179
Born: March 31, 1984 **Hometown**: Daytona Beach, Florida
Citizenship: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained in trade with Montreal Impact on February 17, 2012.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: FC Dallas (2000-05), Kansas City (2006-07), Fulham (2007-11; loan to Cardiff City, 2008-09; loan to Aris, 2010; loan to Preston North End, 2011)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Played 12 minutes in first career CONCACAF Champions League match vs. Santos Laguna, 3/7/12

CAREER NOTES
- Has been capped 41 times by the US National Team, scoring 12 goals
- Spent previous four years playing in Europe
- Has scored 41 goals with 13 assists in 127 MLS appearances

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Kansas City (127), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win at DAL, 10/20/07
Goal: Kansas City (41), 3-2 win vs. CLB, 9/15/07
Assist: Kansas City (13), 1-1 draw vs. DC, 10/5/07

Playoff Match: Kansas City (6), played 90 minutes in 0-2 loss at HOU, 11/10/07
Playoff Assist: Kansas City (1), 4-2 win at DAL, 9/25/02

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (2), played 19 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12.
Goal: None
Assist: None

8 | MARC BURCH

Position: Defender
Height: 6-1 **Weight**: 185
Born: May 7, 1984 **Hometown**: Cincinnati, Ohio
Citizenship: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in stage two of the 2011 MLS Re-Entry Draft

PREVIOUS CLUBS: LA Galaxy (2006), Columbus Crew (2006-07), DC United (2007-11)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Part of defense that recorded a shutout in 2-0 win vs. HOU (3/23)
- Recorded assist in club debut vs. TOR (3/17)

CAREER NOTES
- 103 appearances and 83 starts in six-year MLS career
- Career-high 25 starts in 2009
- Won College Cup at Maryland in 2005

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (105), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: DC United (3), 1-4 loss at HOU, 4/29/11
Assist: Seattle (11), 3-1 win vs. TOR, 3/17/12

MLS Playoff Match: DC United (2), played 41 minutes in 2-2 draw vs. CHI, 11/1/07

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (7), played one minute in 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna, 3/7/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

10 | MAURO ROSALES

Position: Midfielder
Height: 5-8 **Weight**: 160
Born: February 24, 1981
Hometown: Villa Maria, Cardoba, Argentina
Citizenship: Argentina **Pronunciation**: MOU-ro Roh-SAH-les

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on March 18, 2011. Resigned on December 13, 2011.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Newell's Old Boys (1999-2004), Ajax (2004-07), River Plate (2007-10)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Game-winning assist (63') in 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna in CCL Quarterfinals, 3/7/12

CAREER NOTES
- Named MLS Newcomer of the Year in 2011
- Set club record with 13 assists in first MLS season
- Has played nearly 400 matches in South America and Europe
- Capped 10 times by the Argentina National Team

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (27), played 90 minutes in 3-1 win vs. TOR, 3/17/12
Goal: Seattle (5), 6-2 win vs. CLB, 8/27/11
Assist: Seattle (13), 2-1 win vs. SJ, 10/15/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (5), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: None
Assist: Seattle (2), 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna, 3/7/12

11 | STEVE ZAKUANI

Position: Midfielder
Height: 6-0 **Weight:** 159
Born: February 9, 1988 **College:** Akron
Hometown: London, England **Citizenship:** United Kingdom
Pronunciation: zak-uh-WAH-nee

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected with the 1st overall pick in the MLS SuperDraft, January 15, 2009

CAREER NOTES
- Played just six matches before suffering fractured right tibia and fibula in April 2011
- Finished 2010 season as team's co-leader with 10 goals and recorded a career-high six assists
- Top selection in 2009 MLS SuperDraft

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (64), played nine minutes in 1-0 win at COL, 4/22/11
Goal: Seattle (16), 2-1 win vs. CHI, 4/9/11
Assist: Seattle (12), 2-2 draw at SJ, 4/2/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (4), played 90 minutes in 1-2 loss at LA, 11/7/10
Playoff Goal: Seattle (1), 1-2 loss at LA, 11/7/10

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (3), played 45 minutes in 2-0 loss at Saprissa, 9/14/10
Goal: None
Assist: None

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12| LEO GONZALEZ

Position: Defender
Height: 6-1 **Weight**: 177
Born: November 21, 1980 **Hometown**: San Jose, Costa Rica
Citizenship: Costa Rica **Pronunciation**: LAY-o

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on July 2, 2009

PREVIOUS CLUBS: CS Herediano (Costa Rica, 2000-08), Municipal Liberia (Costa Rica, 2009)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Assisted goal in 12th minute in in 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna in CCL Quarterfinals, 3/7/12

CAREER NOTES
• Has started 50 of 52 appearances in three MLS seasons
• Capped 60 times by Costa Rica and played in 2006 FIFA World Cup
• Started club career in 2000 for CS Herdiano, making 154 appearances and scoring three goals over nine seasons

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (52), played 81 minutes in 3-1 win at CHV, 10/22/11
Goal: Seattle (1), 3-0 win vs. NE, 6/5/10
Assist: Seattle (2), 4-2 win vs. NY, 6/23/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (6), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (14), played 76 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: None
Assist: Seattle (2), 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna, 3/7/12

14 | MICHAEL TETTEH

Position: Defender/Midfielder
Height: 5-8 **Weight**: 155
Born: January 16, 1989 **College**: UC Santa Barbara
Hometown: Accra, Ghana **Citizenship**: Ghana
Pronunciation: TETT-tay

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the second round (20th overall) of the 2011 MLS SuperDraft on January 13, 2011

CAREER NOTES
• Generation adidas player selected with Seattle's top pick in the 2011 MLS SuperDraft
• Native of Ghana and three-year starter at UCSB
• Finished collegiate career having started 50 of 59 appearances and scored six goals with eight assists

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: None
Goal: None
Assist: None

Playoff Match: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: None
Goal: None
Assist: None

15 | ALVARO FERNANDEZ

Position: Midfielder
Height: 6-1 **Weight**: 159
Birthdate: October 11, 1985 **Birthplace**: Soriano, Uruguay
Citizenship: Uruguay **Pronunciation**: AHL-bah-ro

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on July 29, 2010

LAST CLUB: Universidad de Chile (Chile; on loan from Nacional) 2010

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Atenas (2006), Montevideo Wanderers (2007-08), Puebla (Mexico, 2008), Nacional (Uruguay, 2008-09), Vitoria Setubal (Portugal, 2009-10)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Recorded career-high two assists vs. TOR (3/17)
• Tied for team lead with three goals in CCL, including a goal at Santos Laguna (3/14)

CAREER NOTES
• Second on team with nine goals in 2011 MLS season
• Capped 11 times by Uruguay, including four appearances in 2010 FIFA World Cup
• Played 2010 season for Chile's Universidad, which finished second in Primera division

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (43), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (11), 3-1 win at CHV, 10/22/11
Assist: Seattle (3), 3-1 win vs. TOR, 3/17/12

Playoff Match: Seattle (4), played 14 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (16), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: Seattle (4), 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Assist: Seattle (5), 4-1 win vs. Comunicaciones, 8/16/11

16 | DAVID ESTRADA

Position: Forward/Midfielder
Height: 5-8 **Weight**: 155
Born: February 4, 1988 **College**: UCLA
Hometown: Salinas, California **Citizenship**: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected with the 11th overall selection in the 1st round of the 2010 MLS SuperDraft January 14, 2010. Signed on March 23, 2010.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Leads MLS with four goals and two game-winners
• Scored in second straight game vs. HOU (3/23)
• Became third player in club history to score hat trick vs. TOR (3/17)
• Scored goal in 12th minute of 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna in the CCL Quarterfinals, 3/7/11
• Second on team with three goals and two assists in 2012 preseason

CAREER NOTES
• Six MLS appearances in two MLS seasons
• Four-time All-Pac 10 honoree
• Selected 11th overall in 2010 MLS SuperDraft

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (8), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (4), 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Assist: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (6), played 61 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: Seattle (1), 2-1 win vs. Santos Laguna, 3/7/11
Assist: None

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17 | FREDY MONTERO

Position: Forward
Height: 5-9 **Weight**: 162
Born: July 26, 1987
Hometown: Campo de la Cruz, Colombia
Citizenship: Colombia **Pronunciation**: mon-TARE-oh

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on loan January 21, 2009

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Deportivo Cali (Colombia, 2005-09), Atlético Huila (Colombia, loan 2007)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Recorded assists in both legs of CCL quarterfinals vs. Santos Laguna (3/7 and 3/14).
• Tied for team lead with three goals and led team with four assists in 2011-12 CCL
• Led club in scoring during 2012 preseason with five goals, including braces against Atlante FC and Jaguares de Chiapas

CAREER NOTES
• Set club record with 33 points in 2011 MLS season
• Scored 18 goals and 11 assists in all competitions in 2011 and was named U.S. Open Cup Player of the Tournament
• Two-time MLS All-Star and 2009 Newcomer of the Year

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (88), played 89 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (34), 2-1 win vs. SJ, 10/15/11
Assist: Seattle (26), 3-1 win at CHV, 10/22/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (6), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (15), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: Seattle (4), 2-1 loss vs. Monterrey, 10/18/11
Assist:Seattle (5), 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12

19 | BABAYELE SODADE

Position: Forward
Height: 6-3 **Weight**: 183
Born: July 26, 1990 **College**: UAB
Hometown: Windsor, Ontario **Citizenship**: Canada and U.S.A.
Pronunciation: Bah-bye-elle-EE Sho-Dahd-DAY

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the second round (34th overall) of the 2012 MLS SuperDraft on January 12, 2012. Signed on February 29, 2012.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Called in to Canada's Olympic qualifying team; injured knee in 2-0 win vs. US (3/24)

CAREER NOTES
• Finished college career at UAB tied for fourth in school history with 29 goals and tied for fifth with 69 points
• Selected with 34th overall pick in 2012 MLS SuperDraft

20| ZACH SCOTT

Position: Defender
Height: 5-11 **Weight**: 179
Born: July 2, 1980 **College**: Gonzaga
Hometown: Haiku, Hawaii **Citizenship**: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on March 16, 2009

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Seattle Sounders (USL-1, 2002-08)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Part of defense that recorded a shutout in 2-0 win vs. HOU (3/23)

CAREER NOTES
• Made career-high 12 appearances with nine starts in 2011 MLS season
• Key defender for USL-1 Sounders during championship seasons of 2005 and 2007

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (26), played 90 minute in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (11), played 90 minutes in 2-1 loss vs. Monterrey, 10/18/11
Goal: None
Assist:None

21| CORDELL CATO

Position: Forward
Height: 5-9 **Weight**: 150
Born: July 15, 1992 **Hometown**: Carenage, Trinidad
Citizenship: Trinidad and Tobago

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on January 18, 2012.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Defence Force (Trinidad and Tobago, 2003-08), San Juan Jabloteh (Trinidad and Tobago, 2009-10)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
• Called in to Trinidad & Tobago's Olympic qualifying team

CAREER NOTES
• Chosen to Trinidad and Tobago's squad for the 2012 CONCACAF Olympic Qualifying and 2011 CONCACAF U-20 championships
• Trained with Sounders FC in summer 2011

22 | MICHAEL SEAMON

Position: Midfielder
Height: 6-1 **Weight**: 183
Born: August 30, 1988 **College**: Villanova
Hometown: Rahway, New Jersey **Citizenship**: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the 2010 MLS SuperDraft on January 14, 2009. Signed on June 2, 2010.

CAREER NOTES
• Started nine of 18 appearances in 2010 MLS season, recording assist in first start
• Taken with the 27th overall pick in the 2010 MLS SuperDraft

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (8), played 5 minutes in 0-0 draw vs. RSL, 9/9/10
Goal: None
Assist: Seattle (1), 1-1 draw vs. DAL, 7/11/10

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (7), played 90 minutes in 2-1 loss vs. Saprissa, 10/19/10
Goal: None
Assist: None

23 | SERVANDO CARRASCO

Position: Midfielder
Height: 5-10 **Weight**: 170
Born: August 13, 1988 **College**: California
Hometown: Tijuana, Mexico **Citizenship**: United States and Mexico
Pronunciation: sir-VAWN-dough cuh-ROSS-coh

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the second round (27th overall) of the 2011 MLS SuperDraft on January 13, 2011. Signed on March 2, 2011

CAREER NOTES
• Made seven MLS starts in rookie campaign
• Two-time All-Pac 10 second-team honoree

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LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (14), played 29 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (6), played 17 minutes in 2-2 draw at Comunicaciones, 9/27/11
Goal: None
Assist: Seattle (1), 1-0 win at Monterrey, 8/23/11

24 | ROGER LEVESQUE

Position: Midfielder/Forward
Height: 6-2 **Weight**: 169
Born: January 22, 1981 **College**: Stanford
Hometown: Portland, Maine **Citizenship**: United States
Pronunciation: luh-VECK

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on March 16, 2009.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: San Jose (MLS, 2003), Seattle Sounders (USL-1, 2004-08), San Jose (MLS, 2005)

CAREER NOTES
- Career-high 19 appearances and three goals in 2011 MLS season
- Scored brace at NY (6/23) and "Scuba Dive" celebration was named MLS Celebration of the Year
- Scored first MLS career goal to end record home unbeaten streak at CLB (10/3/09), and game-winner at KC (10/17/09) to clinch a postseason berth

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (55), played 81 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (6), 4-3 win vs. COL, 7/16/11
Assist: Seattle (2), 2-1 win vs. NE, 6/26/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (4), played 69 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (14), played 9 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: Seattle (1), 2-1 loss at Marathon, 8/19/10
Assist: Seattle (2), 2-1 win at Herediano, 9/14/11

26 | SAMMY OCHOA

Position: Forward
Height: 6-0 **Weight**: 190
Born: September 4, 1986 **Hometown**: Riverside, California
Citizenship: United States and Mexico

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected through MLS Allocation Process. Signed on August 26, 2011.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Estudiantes Tecos (Mexico, 2006-11)

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS
- Scored two goals in four MLS appearances
- Played five seasons in Mexican Primera Division

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (4), played 26 minutes in 3-1 win at CHV, 10/22/11
Goal: Seattle (2), 3-1 win at CHV, 10/22/11
Assist: None

Playoff Match: Seattle (2), played 14 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (3), played 23 minutes in 2-1 loss vs. Monterrey, 10/18/11
Goal: None
Assist: None

28 | CHRISTIAN SIVEBAEK

Position: Midfielder
Height: 6-3
Weight: 195
Born: February 19, 1988
Hometown: Vejle, Denmark
Citizenship: Denmark

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on January 11, 2012.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: FC Midtjylland (2006-11), Skive IK (2007-08, loan)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Made MLS debut vs. TOR (3/17)
- Scored two goals and one assist in 206 minutes in the 2012 preseason

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS
- Named top player on Midtylland in Spring 2009
- Won Danish National Championship two years in a row with Under-19s

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (2), played 1 minute in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Last Match: Seattle (1), played 13 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Last Goal: None
Last Assist: None

29 | JOSH FORD

Position: Goalkeeper
Height: 6-0 **Weight**: 175
Born: November 6, 1987 **College**: Connecticut
Hometown: Liverpool, New York **Citizenship**: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the first round (11th overall) of the 2011 MLS Supplemental Draft. Signed on March 14, 2011.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS
- 2010 Big East Goalkeeper of the Year
- Holds UConn career records in shutouts (50), consecutive starts (85) and wins (54)

30 | ANDREW DURAN

Position: Defender
Height: 6-1 **Weight**: 160
Born: September 26, 1989 **Hometown**: Mokena, Illinois
College: Creighton **Citizenship**: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the first round (15th overall) of the 2012 MLS SuperDraft on January 12, 2012.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS
- Captained Creighton to 21-2-1 record and NCAA Semifinal in 2011
- Selected 15th overall in 2012 MLS SuperDraft

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31 | JEFF PARKE

Position: Defender
Height: 6-1 **Weight**: 185
Born: March 23, 1982 **College**: Drexel University
Hometown: Downingtown, Pennsylvania
Citizenship: United States **Pronunciation**: PARK

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected from New York in the MLS Expansion Draft on November 26, 2008. Signed on May 13, 2010

PREVIOUS CLUBS: New York Red Bulls (MLS, 2004-08), Vancouver Whitecaps (USL-1, 2009)

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS
- Voted club's Defender of the Year in 2011
- Five-year starter for New York, including 23 starts for 2008 MLS Cup runner-up

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (180), played 90 minutes in 3-2 win at CHV, 10/22/11
Goal: Seattle (2), 1-0 win vs. KC, 5/21/11
Assist: Seattle (4), 2-1 win at CHV, 10/15/10

Playoff Match: Seattle (9), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (9), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

33 | ANDREW WEBER

Position: Goalkeeper
Height: 6-2 **Weight**: 190
Born: August 9, 1983 **Hometown**: Phoenix, Arizona
College: New Mexico

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on February 29, 2012.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: DC United (2005), Montreal Impact (USL-1, 2006-08), San Jose Earthquakes (2009-11)

CAREER NOTES
- Played three seasons for San Jose Earthquakes
- Played 29 games for Montreal Impact in USL-1

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: San Jose (2), played 90 minutes in 2-2 draw at CHV, 10/17/09
Shutout: None

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: None
Shutout: None

34 | JHON KENNEDY HURTADO

Position: Defender
Height: 6-0 **Weight:** 188
Born: May 16, 1984 **Hometown**: Palmira, Colombia
Citizenship: Colombia **Pronunciation**: jon her-TOD-oh

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed on February 18, 2009.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Unión Magdalena (Colombia, 2004), Monagas de Maturin (Colombia, 2005), Centauros Villavicencio (Colombia, 2006), Expreso Rojo (Colombia, 2006), Real Cartagena (Colombia, 2007), Deportivo Cali (Colombia, 2008-09)

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Part of defense that recorded a shutout in 2-0 win vs. HOU (3/23)

CAREER NOTES
- Came back from knee injury to start 23 games in 2011 MLS season
- Finalist for 2009 MLS Defensive Player of the Year and selected to MLS All-Star Game
- Played the 2008 season for Deportivo Cali, where he was a teammate of Fredy Montero

LAST TIME: MLS
Match: Seattle (61), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. HOU, 3/23/12
Goal: Seattle (1), 1-1 draw at DAL, 5/16/09
Assist: Seattle (2), 3-0 win at TOR, 4/30/11

Playoff Match: Seattle (4), played 90 minutes in 2-0 win vs. RSL, 11/2/11

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (6), played 90 minutes in 6-1 loss at Santos Laguna, 3/14/12
Goal: None
Assist: None

35 | BRYAN MEREDITH

Position: Goalkeeper **Height**: 6-2
Weight: 195 **Born**: August 2, 1989
Hometown: Scotch Plains, New Jersey
College: Monmouth

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the second round (29th overall) of the 2011 MLS SuperDraft on January 13, 2011. Signed on September 12, 2011.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Kitsap Pumas (USL-PDL, 2011)

CAREER NOTES
- Starting keeper for 2011 PDL champion Kitsap Pumas
- Made first start for Sounders FC vs. Monterrey (10/22)

LAST TIME: CONCACAF
Match: Seattle (1), played 90 minutes in 2-1 loss vs. Monterrey, 10/18/11
Shutout: None

25 | ANDY ROSE

Position: Midfielder
Height: 6-2 **Weight**: 170
Born: February 13, 1990 **Hometown**: Bristol, England
College: UCLA **Citizenship**: United Kingdom

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained from Real Salt Lake via trade after being selected in Supplemental Draft on January 17, 2012.

CAREER NOTES
- Twice named team captain and All-Pac 12 First Team at UCLA

27 | ALEX CASKEY

Position: Midfielder **Height**: 5-10
Weight: 152 **Born**: July 22, 1988
Hometown: Dunwoody, Georgia **College**: Davidson
Citizenship: United States

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the third round (47th overall) of the 2011 MLS SuperDraft on January 13, 2011.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS
- Scored lone goal in MLS Reserve League game at VAN (3/26)

CAREER NOTES
- Three-time All-Southern Conference first team and two-time NSCAA All-South Region second team selection
- Did not miss a match in his four-year career at Davidson

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#	Player	1 TOR 3-1	2 HOU 2-0
1	Michael Gspurning	90G	90G
3	Brad Evans	90M	61M
4	Patrick Ianni	90D	90D
5	Adam Johansson	90D	
6	Osvaldo Alonso	90M	90M
7	Eddie Johnson		
8	Marc Burch	90D	90D
10	Mauro Rosales	79M	
11	Steve Zakuani		
12	Leo Gonzalez		9
13	O'Brian White		
14	Michael Tetteh		
15	Alvaro Fernandez	65M	90M
16	David Estrada	87F	90F
17	Fredy Montero	90F	89F
19	Babayele Sodade		
20	Zach Scott		90D
21	Cordell Cato		
22	Mike Seamon		
23	Servando Carrasco	3	29
24	Roger Levesque	11	81M
25	Andy Rose		
26	Sammy Ochoa		
27	Alex Caskey		
28	Christian Sivebaek	25	1
29	Josh Ford		
30	Andrew Duran		
31	Jeff Parke		
33	Andrew Weber		
34	Jhon Kennedy Hurtado	90D	90D
35	Bryan Meredith		

"00" = minutes played
F/M/D/G = starting position

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC

Game log:

Game #1	03/17/2012	SEA 3 vs TOR 1	W	Estrada 1 (unassisted) 17; Estrada 2 (Burch 1, Fernandez 1) 51; Estrada 3 (Fernandez 2) 63
Game #2	03/23/2012	SEA 2 vs HOU 0	W	Estrada 4 (unassisted) 23; Evans 1 (penalty kick) 27

San Jose Earthquakes vs. Seattle Sounders FC, March 31, 2012, 7 p.m. PT

MATCHDAY INFO

San Jose Earthquakes at Seattle Sounders FC
Date: Saturday, March 31, 2012
Kickoff: 7 p.m. PT
Location: CenturyLink Field, Seattle, Wash.
Broadcast: Comcast SportsNet Bay Area, 1590 KLIV, 1370 KZSF

	San Jose Earthquakes	Seattle Sounders FC
Record (Pts.)	2-1-0 (6)	2-0-0 (6)
Leading Scorer	Chris Wondolowski (3)	David Estrada (4)
Assist Leader	Sam Cronin (2)	Alvaro Fernandez (2)
Head Coach	Frank Yallop	Sigi Schmid

Earthquakes vs. Seattle Sounders FC All-Time
MLS Regular Season: 2-4-1
Home: 1-1-1 (6 GF, 3 GA)
Away: 1-3-0 (3 GF, 6 GA)
Playoffs: 0-0-0**; US Open Cup:** 0-0-0
All-Time Scoring: San Jose – 9, Seattle Sounders FC – 9

San Jose's Record in March
The Quakes are 7-10-0 all-time in March in MLS play.

Comcast SportsNet Bay Area (TV): Jim Kozimor (play-by-play); Kelly Gray (analyst)
1590 KLIV (English Radio): Anthony Passarelli (play-by-play)
1370 KZSF (Spanish Radio): Carlos Cesar Rivera (play-by-play)
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2012 EARTHQUAKES RESULTS/SCHEDULE (2-1-0, 6 Pts.)

Date	Day	Opponent	Result/Time (PT)
March 10	**Sat.**	**New England Revolution**	**W, 1-0**
March 17	**Sat.**	**%Houston Dynamo**	**L, 0-1**
March 24	Sat.	at Toronto FC	W, 3-0
March 31	Sat.	at Seattle Sounders FC	7:00 p.m.
April 7	**Sat.**	**Vancouver Whitecaps FC**	**4:00 p.m.**
April 14	Sat.	at New York Red Bulls	4:00 p.m.
April 21	**Sat.**	**Real Salt Lake**	**7:30 p.m.**
April 28	Sat.	at Philadelphia Union	4:00 p.m.
May 2	**Wed.**	**D.C. United**	**7:30 p.m.**
May 5	Sat.	at Vancouver Whitecaps FC	4:00 p.m.
May 13	**Sun.**	**Chivas USA**	**4:00 p.m.**
May 19	**Sat.**	**Columbus Crew**	**7:30 p.m.**
May 23	Wed.	at LA Galaxy	7:30 p.m.
May 27	Sun.	at Sporting Kansas City	1:30 p.m.
June 20	Wed.	at Colorado Rapids	6:30 p.m.
June 23	Sat.	at Real Salt Lake	6:00 p.m.
June 30	**Sat.**	**#LA Galaxy**	**7:00 p.m.**
July 3	Tues.	at Portland Timbers	7:30 p.m.
July 7	Sat.	at FC Dallas	6:00 p.m.
July 14	**Sat.**	**Real Salt Lake**	**7:30 p.m.**
July 18	**Wed.**	**FC Dallas**	**8:00 p.m.**
July 22	Sun.	at Vancouver Whitecaps FC	4:00 p.m.
July 28	**Sat.**	**Chicago Fire**	**7:30 p.m.**
Aug. 11	**Sat.**	**Seattle Sounders FC**	**7:30 p.m.**
Aug. 18	Sat.	at Montreal Impact	4:30 p.m.
Aug. 25	**Sat.**	**Colorado Rapids**	**7:30 p.m.**
Sept. 2	**Sun.**	**Chivas USA**	**6:00 p.m.**
Sept. 15	Sat.	at Chivas USA	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 19	**Wed.**	**Portland Timbers**	**7:30 p.m.**
Sept. 23	Sun.	at Seattle Sounders FC	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 29	**Sat.**	**FC Dallas**	**7:30 p.m.**
Oct. 6	Sat.	at Colorado Rapids	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 21	**Sun.**	**LA Galaxy**	**4:00 p.m.**
Oct. 27	Sat.	at Portland Timbers	3:30 p.m.

Bold – Home Game
***US Open Cup**
****International Friendly**
% Match played at AT&T Park
 # Match played at Stanford Stadium

Last Game
Earthquakes 3, Toronto FC 0; March 24, 2012; BMO Field; Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Chris Wondolowski produced a two-goal brace, Shea Salinas tallied his first goal since his offseason return to San Jose, and Jon Busch collected his 62nd career shutout as the Earthquakes defeated Toronto FC, 3-0, in their first road test of the season at BMO Field on March 24. Wondolowski bookended the scoring through a header in the ninth minute from a whipped ball by Sam Cronin, and a left-footed finish in the 67th after a Rafael Baca cross. Cronin earned his second assist of the match against his former team by setting Baca loose on the latter goal. In between, Salinas powered a left-footed shot of his own low and inside the far post in the 56th following a 35-yard run down the right flank by Steven Beitashour and subsequent cross from Marvin Chavez. Three San Jose players achieved milestones during the match. Busch made his 200th MLS start, Colombian midfielder Tressor Moreno earned his first, and Chavez collected his first assist in a Quakes uniform. It was San Jose's biggest MLS road win since a 4-1 decision at Kansas City in 2003.

Last Game vs. Seattle Sounders FC
Earthquakes 1, Seattle Sounders FC 2; Oct. 15, 2011; CenturyLink Field; Seattle, Wash.
Two late goals gave Seattle Sounders FC a dramatic, come-from-behind 2-1 victory at CenturyLink Field last Oct. 15 in the Quakes' final road contest of the 2011 season. San Jose had taken a 1-0 lead through a Chris Wondolowski goal in the 24th minute that was assisted by Rafael Baca. The Earthquakes took their slim lead into the locker room at halftime, and hung on for much of the second stanza before the home side finally broke through in the 82nd minute as forward Sammy Ochoa tallied his first career goal, with fellow second-half substitute Mauro Rosales registering his team-best 13th assist. Five minutes later, the Sounders had their full three points, as star Colombian striker Fredy Montero notched his team-leading 12th goal of the season and third game-winner in as many years against San Jose. Assists were credited to Lamar Neagle and Brad Evans. Jon Busch made one save in the Quakes goal, while retiring counterpart Kasey Keller was called on to make a season-high seven saves in his final appearance in front of the home Seattle fans, numbering an incredible 64,140. San Jose produced an 8-3 advantage in shots on goal for the match.

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OPPONENT INFO

Seattle Sounders FC Scouting Report
Seattle Sounders FC are 2-0-0 (6 pts.) following a 2-0 victory at home against the Houston Dynamo on March 23. Seattle had previously posted a 3-1 victory over another early-season common opponent with the Quakes, Toronto FC, also at home, in its season opener on March 17. In that game, UCLA product David Estrada recorded just the third hat trick in club history and ultimately earned the season's first MLS Player of the Week award. Estrada provided the game-winner against the Dynamo as well, with Brad Evans adding a first-half goal from the penalty spot. Austrian Michael Gspurning has replaced retired U.S. MNT legend Kasey Keller in the Seattle goal, and kept his first MLS clean sheet against Houston. The Sounders will be hosting the Earthquakes for their third straight home contest inside CenturyLink Field to begin the 2012 campaign, having played in front of 39,232 and 38,304 fans, respectively, over their first two matches. Prior to its MLS opener, Seattle fell to Santos Laguna of Mexico, 7-3 on aggregate, in the quarterfinals of the CONCACAF Champions League. Sigi Schmid, MLS' all-time leader with 159 coaching victories, is in his fourth season in charge of Seattle Sounders FC, with previous successful terms at UCLA (1980-99), the LA Galaxy (1999-2004) and the Columbus Crew (2006-08).

History of the Quakes – Seattle Sounders FC Rivalry
The Quakes are 2-3-1 all-time against Seattle Sounders FC … The teams played three times in 2009, with Seattle taking both meetings at what was then called Qwest Field (2-0 on April 25 and 2-1 on June 13), before the Earthquakes registered a 4-0 triumph at Buck Shaw Stadium on Aug. 2 … In 2010, the Earthquakes edged Sounders FC at Qwest Field, 1-0 on May 22 thanks to a Chris Wondolowski goal, with Seattle returning the favor at Buck Shaw on July 31 through a Fredy Montero strike … A season ago, the two teams battled to a 2-2 draw at Buck Shaw on April 2, with Seattle taking a 2-1 decision at CenturyLink Field on Oct. 15 … The clubs have produced nine goals apiece in their seven match-ups, with talisman strikers Wondolowski and Montero each accounting for three of those markers for their respective sides.

Earthquakes Leaders vs. Seattle Sounders FC
Chris Wondolowski has scored three goals in six matches against Seattle Sounders FC in his career, with one coming in each of the past three seasons since Seattle joined MLS, including the 11th-minute game-winner in a 1-0 victory on May 22, 2010, at what was then Qwest Field … Shea Salinas has three assists in six meetings, all three of them coming in three appearances with San Jose in 2009 … Simon Dawkins scored his first career goal in his first of two appearances against Seattle on April 2, 2011 … Khari Stephenson has one goal in two appearances … Rafael Baca has one assist in his only appearance … Goalkeeper Jon Busch is 0-2-3 all-time against Seattle, with a road shutout while playing for the Chicago Fire on July 25, 2009, and 0-2-1 in three match-ups in a Quakes uniform.

Seattle Sounders FC Leaders vs. San Jose
Forward Fredy Montero has produced three goals and one assist in six matches against the San Jose Earthquakes in his career, with one goal, all of them game-winners, coming in each of the past three seasons since Seattle joined MLS … Montero's winners have included his 26th-minute strike in a 1-0 victory on July 31, 2010, at Buck Shaw Stadium, and an 87th-minute tally in a 2-1 win at CenturyLink Field in the most recent meeting on Oct. 15, 2011 … Midfielder Brad Evans has three goals and one assist in seven career appearances, including two goals and one assist in five matches with Seattle … Forward Sammy Ochoa scored the 82nd-minute equalizer in the 2-1 win on Oct. 15, 2011, for his only goal in his only appearance against San Jose … Argentinian midfielder Mauro Rosales assisted on a pair of goals in two meetings during his first MLS season a year ago … Defender Patrick Ianni has one assist in eight appearances (six with Seattle) … Forward Steve Zakuani, who is still recovering from a serious leg injury suffered at Colorado on April 22, 2011, and will not be available on March 31, has tallied one goal and two assists in six appearances … Goalkeeper Michael Gspurning has yet to appear against the Earthquakes.

Earthquakes – Seattle Sounders FC Connections
Seattle Sounders FC was brought into MLS as an expansion franchise ahead of the 2009 season, a year after the San Jose Earthquakes rejoined the league following a two-season absence … Sounders FC technical director Chris Henderson played with Quakes General Manager John Doyle in the early 1990s for the U.S. Men's National Team … Earthquakes forward Chris Wondolowski played with Sounders FC defender Patrick Ianni from 2006-08 for the Houston Dynamo … Wondolowski and Seattle forward Fredy Montero shared the MLS lead in road goals a season ago with nine each … Earthquakes midfielder Tressor Moreno and Seattle's Montero and Jhon Kennedy Hurtado are all citizens of Colombia, with all three having previously played for Colombian side Deportivo Cali … Earthquakes defender Ike Opara (U.S.) and Seattle forward Babayele Sodade (Canada) played against each other in Olympic qualifying on March 24 … Sounders FC goalkeeper Andrew Weber appeared in two MLS matches for the Earthquakes from 2009-11 … Seattle forward Roger Levesque, a Stanford product, played with the Earthquakes from 2003-05, appearing in four matches for San Jose … Earthquakes defender Jason Hernandez played with Sounders FC defender Jeff Parke for the New York/New Jersey MetroStars in 2005 … Earthquakes goalkeeper David Bingham and Seattle midfielder Servando Carrasco were teammates at Cal from 2008-10 … Earthquakes midfielder Sam Garza and Sounders FC midfielder Michael Tetteh played together at UC Santa Barbara during the 2010 season … Bingham (and Carrasco) played against Tetteh (and Garza) in the 2010 NCAA Championship Second Round on Nov. 21, 2010 … Tetteh (82nd) and Carrasco (89th) each scored late for their respective teams, with the host Cal Bears grabbing the winner with one tick remaining in the first overtime period to advance, 2-1 … Earthquakes midfielder Anthony Ampaipitakwong played with Sounders FC forward Steve Zakuani for two seasons at Akron in 2007 and 2008 … Zakuani (London), Seattle teammate Andy Rose (Bristol) and Earthquakes midfielder Simon Dawkins (Edgware) all list their hometowns in England … Earthquakes forward Steven Lenhart and Seattle midfielder Brad Evans played together for the Columbus Crew in 2008 … Earthquakes midfielder Khari Stephenson and Seattle's Swedish defender Adam Johansson played against each other in the Swedish Allsvenskan (2006-08) … Leading Sounders goal-scorer David Estrada grew up in Salinas, Calif., starring at Alisal High School before moving on to UCLA … Earthquake Ellis McLoughlin was born in Seattle, while Joey Gjertsen was born and raised in Tacoma, Wash., and rookie Jacob Hustedt was born in Bothell, Wash.

Heritage Cup 2012
The Heritage Cup, an annual rivalry between the San Jose Earthquakes and Seattle Sounders FC in honor of their NASL (North American Soccer League) lineages, continues in 2012. The competition began in 2009 when Seattle joined MLS. The Earthquakes won the inaugural cup on aggregate, 5-4, after a 4-0 home victory on Aug. 2, 2009. The teams split the two-game season series in 2010 (1-1 on aggregate). Sounders FC took the trophy via tiebreaker due to a higher position in the Western Conference standings. In 2011, the teams battled to a 2-2 draw on April 2 at Buck Shaw Stadium, with Sounders FC retaining the cup through a 2-1 home victory on Oct. 15. With the league's unbalanced schedule in 2012, the competition will include only the final two meetings (of three) of the season series, at Buck Shaw Stadium on Aug. 11, and back at CenturyLink Field on Sept. 23, with the initial March 31 match-up not automatically factoring in. Three points will be awarded for a win, and one point for a draw. In the event of a tie in the total number of aggregate points, the first two of eight tiebreakers in all will be total goals scored over the two matches, followed by away goals scored. The third tiebreaker would award the cup to the March 31 winner, if one should emerge.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

Still Undefeated in Toronto
With its most recent 3-0 triumph on March 24, San Jose remains unbeaten in five matches against Toronto FC at BMO Field (2-0-3) since 2008. The Quakes' first MLS match in Canada ended in a 0-0 draw on July 19, 2008. That result was followed by a 1-1 tie on Oct. 10, 2009. The Quakes then edged TFC, 3-2, on Sept. 25, 2010, with Chris Wondolowski scoring all three goals for his first MLS hat trick, and played to another 1-1 draw last Aug. 27, with Wondolowski again finding his way onto the scoresheet on an 87th-minute equalizer. Having tied at Vancouver Whitecaps FC, 1-1, last May 11, the Quakes are actually an undefeated 2-0-4 in MLS contests in Canada, with three more trips north of the border remaining for 2012.

Weekend Superlatives
Saturday's 3-0 win at Toronto FC marked San Jose's biggest road victory since a 4-1 decision at Kansas City on Sept. 20, 2003 … The Quakes struck for three goals away from home for the first time since a 4-2 win at D.C. United on June 11, 2011 … Chris Wondolowski increased his club-record total of game-winning goals to 17, and is now 17th on the all-time MLS chart … With his two goals, Wondolowski now has six strikes in six games against TFC as a member of the Quakes, and has scored more times against the Reds than any other MLS club, surpassing the five he has tallied against Chivas USA … All six goals that Wondolowski has scored against TFC, have come in his last three appearances at Toronto's BMO Field … Wondolowski has nine goals in eight games against Canadian opposition as a Quakes player (three in two games against Vancouver Whitecaps FC) … Wondolowski's two-goal performance marked the seventh multi-goal game of his career, and he is now one off of Ronald Cerritos' club mark of eight such games … Wondolowski's multi-goal game was San Jose's first since a Simon Dawkins brace in the 2011 finale versus FC Dallas … Sam Cronin produced his first career multi-assist game against Toronto FC, the team that selected him with the second overall pick of the 2009 MLS SuperDraft … Cronin's multi-assist game was San Jose's first since Anthony Ampaipitakwong aided on both goals in a 2-2 tie at the Chicago Fire on May 28, 2011 … Marvin Chavez's assist on Shea Salinas' goal marked his first helper for the club … For his role on Wondolowski's game-clinching goal in the 67th minute, three of Rafael Baca's four career assists have now come on Wondolowski scores.

Race for the Budweiser Golden Boot is ON!
Chris Wondolowski recorded a two-goal brace at Toronto FC on March 24, increasing his team-leading total to three through three games already this season. Wondolowski is tied with New York Red Bulls striker Kenny Cooper for second on the league scoring chart, one behind David Estrada of Seattle Sounders FC. Wondolowski and Estrada face off in Seattle this Saturday, March 31. Of his three goals, the well-rounded Wondolowski has scored one with his right foot (vs. NE), one with his head, and one with his left foot (at TFC).

Busch Earns 62nd Shutout in 200th MLS Start
The 3-0 victory at Toronto FC on March 24 meant a 62nd career shutout for veteran Earthquakes goalkeeper Jon Busch in his 200th MLS start. Busch is now tied with former U.S. Men's National Team net-minder Tony Meola for seventh in league history in clean sheets. Next on the list is former Quake Pat Onstad, with 64. On March 17, Busch became the second player on the current Quakes roster to make his 200th MLS appearance when he started against the Houston Dynamo. In his third season as the Quakes' goalkeeper, Busch has now played in 201 MLS matches for Columbus, Chicago and San Jose, joining team captain Ramiro Corrales (276) in the 200 Club.

Stellar Defense in the Early Going
Through 270 minutes of play thus far in 2012, San Jose has yet to allow a goal during the run of play, as the only score the Quakes have conceded came from a 14th-minute penalty by Brad Davis in the 1-0 Houston Dynamo defeat on March 17. Head coach Frank Yallop's defense has consisted of Jon Busch in goal, Victor Bernardez and Justin Morrow at the center back positions, Steven Beitashour at right back and captain Ramiro Corrales on the left for all 270 minutes of the first three contests. This is the best three-game defensive start for the Quakes in club history, having previously given up two goals over their first three games to begin the 2000, 2002 and 2003 seasons.

How Will the West Be Won?
Through the first three weeks of the 2012 MLS season (games played on March 25), the Western Conference has a decided edge over the Eastern Conference. The nine Western Conference teams have collected 45 points, compared to 30 by the 10 Eastern Conference squads, and have trotted out to an 11-5-1 record in games involving teams from both divisions. The Eastern Conference had its best showing in Week 3 this past weekend, posting a 3-2-1 mark against the Western Conference. San Jose and Seattle will both be facing their first Western Conference opposition of the new campaign when they go up against each other this Saturday, March 31. At six points apiece, the teams are in a four-way tie for second in the conference standings, behind Vancouver Whitecaps FC with seven.

Road Warrior
After completing the 2011 season in a tie with Fredy Montero of Seattle Sounders FC for the most goals scored away from home at nine apiece, Chris Wondolowski opened his new road account with a two-goal brace at Toronto FC in the Quakes' 2012 road debut on March 24. In 2011, Wondolowski collected his ninth in San Jose's last away game of the year with a 24th-minute strike against Seattle Sounders FC on Oct. 15 at CenturyLink Field, to pull even with Montero, who he will oppose again on that same field this Saturday, March 31. Wondolowski finished third in road goals in 2010 with eight, behind Dwayne De Rosario (10), then of Toronto FC, and Juan Pablo Angel (9), then of the New York Red Bulls.

Homecoming for Earthquakes Coaches
San Jose's trip last weekend to Toronto, Ontario, Canada, marked the first homecoming of four this season for Earthquakes head coach Frank Yallop and assistant coach Mark Watson. Yallop is an English-born (Watford) Canadian who grew up in Vancouver, British Columbia, and earned 52 caps for the Canada national team before serving as its head coach from 2004-06. He is now 4-2-5 all-time as a head coach against Toronto FC, and 4-2-7 against Canadian opposition in MLS matches. Watson, now in his third season on Yallop's staff, was born in Vancouver. With 77 appearances for Canada, he is the third-most capped player for his country.

Welcome Back, Shea
To mark his return to the franchise that selected him with its top pick (2nd Round, 15th Overall) of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft, Earthquakes midfielder Shea Salinas assisted on the game-winning goal against the New England Revolution at Buck Shaw Stadium on March 10. Salinas ran onto a loose ball inside the New England half, took two dribbles and fed Chris Wondolowski, with the star striker making no mistake for the game's lone score in the 15th minute. Salinas added his first goal of 2012 to double San Jose's advantage in the 56th minute en route to a 3-0 victory at Toronto FC on March 24, slamming a left-footed shot just inside the post following a Marvin Chavez cross. Salinas has started all three games thus far on the year, and played all but five minutes. He spent the first two seasons of his professional career in San Jose before being chosen by the Philadelphia Union during the 2009 MLS Expansion Draft. The Texas native played with the Union in 2010 and with Vancouver Whitecaps FC in 2011, before the Quakes reacquired him via trade on Nov. 30.

Hernandez Poised to Hit Century Mark
Earthquakes defender Jason Hernandez has started all 99 matches that he has played in over his first four seasons in San Jose. His next league appearance and start will thus mark milestone No. 100 for the franchise in each category. Meanwhile, Hernandez is steadily climbing the all-time club charts, as he is one start away from tying Eddie Lewis (1996-99) for No. 8 on that list, and ninth in minutes played (8,757), right behind Lewis (8,867).

Moreno, Guvenisik Make MLS Debuts
San Jose newcomers Tressor Moreno and Sercan Guvenisik each made their MLS debuts as second-half substitutes against the Houston Dynamo on March 17. Moreno came on for Khari Stephenson in the 63rd minute, while Guvenisik replaced Sam Cronin in the 80th. Guvenisik also made league history that day, becoming the first Turkish player to appear in an MLS match. Both were on the bench for San Jose's opener against New England on March 10, but did not get the nod from head coach Frank Yallop. Guvenisik originally signed with San Jose on Jan. 26, and Moreno followed suit a week later on Feb. 2. Moreno and Guvenisik are the second and third Quakes to have made their league debuts in the early going, following center back Victor Bernardez on March 10. Moreno drew his first MLS start at Toronto FC on March 24. Bernardez has played the full 90 minutes of all three matches thus far in 2012.

Honduran Hook-Up
San Jose's new Honduran connection of center back Victor Bernardez and midfielder Marvin Chavez made both their club and home debuts in front of the Earthquakes faithful at Buck Shaw Stadium against the New England Revolution on March 10. Bernardez recovered in time from an injury suffered during the second game of the Portland Preseason Tournament, to make his first MLS appearance and play a significant role in the 1-0 shutout victory, while Chavez also started and remained in the match for 63 minutes before being replaced by Simon Dawkins. Bernardez and Chavez both hail from the same northern port city of La Ceiba, Honduras.

Opara Completes Stint With U.S. U-23 Men's National Team
Earthquakes defender Ike Opara played the full 90 minutes at center back of all three matches during group play for the U.S. Under-23 Men's National Team during the CONCACAF Men's Olympic Qualifying tournament, but the U-23 MNT fell short of the desired result of entry into the 2012 Olympic Games. The U.S. was tasked with defeating El Salvador in its third match at LP Field in Nashville, Tenn., on March 26 in order to secure a berth in the tournament semifinals at LiveSTRONG Sporting Park in Kansas City, Kan., on March 31, with the two semifinal winners earning trips to England this July. A goal in the fourth minute of stoppage time, however, produced a 3-3 final and eliminated the U.S. (1-1-1, 4 pts.) from contention for one of those two spots. In the U.S.'s 6-0 defeat of Cuba to open the competition on March 22, Opara assisted on the game's fifth goal by Freddy Adu in the 62nd minute. The third-year Quake was among 20 players named by head coach Caleb Porter to the official U.S. U-23 roster for Olympic qualifying on March 20. Opara was previously in camp with the U-23s from Feb. 19-29. He wore the captain's armband and played all 90 minutes as the Americans blanked Mexico on Feb. 29, 2-0, at FC Dallas Stadium in Frisco, Texas. Opara was unavailable to the Earthquakes against the Houston Dynamo on March 17 as the U-23 group convened in Nashville on March 13, and also missed the Toronto FC match on March 24.

Earthquakes Reserves Blank Timbers, 1-0, to Open Reserve League Season
The San Jose Earthquakes reserves edged the Portland Timbers, 1-0, in the 2012 MLS Reserve League opener for both sides on Tuesday, March 27, at the Earthquakes Training Facility in San Jose. Jean-Marc Alexandre struck a left-footed shot from distance for the game's lone goal in the 53rd minute, with assists going to Alan Gordon and Anthony Ampaipitakwong. David Bingham made four saves in preserving the shutout in goal. Center back Jason Hernandez captained the side in his 2012 debut, with the match also marking

Gordon's return to competitive action after multiple surgeries had kept him out at length. The veteran striker rejoined the Quakes at training on March 19. This was the first of 10 matches for the Earthquakes reserves (1-0-0, 3 pts.) this season, again competing in the six-team Western Conference. Future home dates are April 8, May 14, Aug. 12 and Sept. 4, all scheduled for 11 a.m. starts at the Earthquakes Training Facility. Reserve League games in San Jose are open to the public and free of charge.

And Then There Was One
Ramiro Corrales is the lone remaining active player in MLS who participated in the league's inaugural 1996 season. Defender Frankie Hejduk and goalkeeper Zack Thornton made a handful of appearances for the LA Galaxy and Chivas USA, respectively, in 2011, but neither player currently appears on an MLS roster. Corrales was the youngest to play in MLS in 1996 as a 19-year-old.

Corrales Draws 200th Start for Quakes
Veteran defender and team captain Ramiro Corrales made the 200th start of his San Jose career against the Houston Dynamo on March 17. He thus became the 19th player in league history to draw 200 starts for one club. Corrales is the franchise's all-time leader in games played (219), starts (201) and minutes played (17,921). Now in his 11th season in San Jose, Corrales played in his 200th game for the Earthquakes on July 2, 2011, against the New York Red Bulls. He made his MLS debut as a 19-year-old on April 28, 1996, at the LA Galaxy. The list of players who have made 200-plus starts with one MLS club follows (**bold** are still active and with listed teams):

1. C.J. Brown – 290 starts for CHI
2. Jaime Moreno – 288 starts for DC
3. Cobi Jones – 281 starts for LA
4. Shalrie Joseph – 242 starts for NE
5. Kevin Hartman – 238 starts for LA
5. Jay Heaps – 238 starts for NE
7. Kerry Zavagnin – 228 starts for KC
8. Jason Kreis – 227 starts for DAL
9. Nick Garcia – 224 starts for KC
10. Matt Reis – 217 starts for NE
11. Mike Clark – 216 starts for CLB
12. Davy Arnaud – 213 starts for SKC
13. Chris Armas – 212 starts for CHI
13. Zach Thornton – 212 starts for CHI
13. Pablo Mastroeni – 212 starts for COL
16. Logan Pause – 207 starts for CHI
17. Jimmy Conrad – 203 starts for KC
18. Ramiro Corrales – 201 starts for SJ
19. Ben Olsen – 200 starts for DC

Home Sellout Streak at Buck Shaw Continues
The San Jose Earthquakes remain on a club-record streak of seven straight sellouts inside Buck Shaw Stadium. The Quakes extended their stretch of consecutive sellouts at their regular home venue in Santa Clara with another capacity crowd (10,525) on hand for MLS First Kick 2012 against the New England Revolution on March 10. The streak dates back to San Jose's game against D.C. United on July 30, 2011, and also includes matches against Portland on Aug. 6, Colorado on Aug. 13, Chicago on Sept. 10, Sporting Kansas City on Oct. 1 and FC Dallas on Oct. 22. With an added stand on the South End, the attendance for the 2011 season finale with FC Dallas actually rose to 10,744 spectators.

Wondolowski Sees End to Career-Best Scoring Streak
With a 1-0 defeat to the Houston Dynamo at AT&T Park on March 17, Quakes forward Chris Wondolowski saw an end to his club-record streak of games with at least one goal scored. His 15th-minute game-winner against the New England Revolution at Buck Shaw Stadium on March 10 had extended his then-MLS-best run to six dating back to last season. From Sept. 24 to Oct. 22, Wondolowski scored in the Quakes' last five matches of the 2011 campaign, with six strikes in all during that period. That five-game stretch tied Landon Donovan of the LA Galaxy for the longest in MLS in 2011, and was the longest active streak heading into 2012. A tally against Houston would have tied Wondolowski for the league record, shared at seven straight contests by Raul Diaz Arce (1997), Wolde Harris (2000) and Carlos Ruiz (2006). Wondolowski is no stranger to streaks. His previous best was a four-game run from April 17-May 8, 2010. More notably, from Sept. 15, 2010, through March 26, 2011, Wondolowski provided all 12 Quakes goals. He tallied the club's final 10 regular-season markers to close 2010, setting the all-time MLS record for the most consecutive goals scored by one player in league play. Wondolowski passed Carlos Ruiz, who scored nine straight for the LA Galaxy from 2002-03. He then extended his own standard by striking twice in the Quakes' second match of 2011 at FC Dallas, following a season-opening shutout defeat at home to Real Salt Lake. The incredible string was finally halted when Simon Dawkins found the back of the Seattle Sounders FC net in the 32nd minute on April 2, 2011.

AT&T Park Added to Quakes' Bay Area Tour
The Earthquakes' 1-0 defeat to the Houston Dynamo on March 17 marked the club's first-ever game at AT&T Park in San Francisco. Having called Buck Shaw Stadium in Santa Clara home since the franchise returned to MLS for the 2008 season, and spent the 1996-2005 seasons at Spartan Stadium in San Jose, the Earthquakes have also now played matches at AT&T Park, Candlestick Park, Kezar Stadium, Oakland Coliseum, Stanford Stadium, and even Negoesco Stadium in the City, among other venues. The Quakes are 2-3-3 all-time in San Francisco over five exhibitions, two MLS contests and one US Open Cup match. San Jose's only previous MLS regular-season game in San Francisco ended in a 3-0 loss to the Columbus Crew at Candlestick Park on Aug. 8, 2009.

Record-Breaking Winner for Wondo
Earthquakes forward Chris Wondolowski wasted little time in opening his goal-scoring account for the 2012 campaign, the two-time MLS leader needing just under 15 minutes of the season opener against the New England Revolution on March 10 to find the back of the net. The right-footed strike from just outside the penalty area moved Wondolowski into sole possession of the all-time club record for game-winning goals, which he previously shared with Quakes great Ronald Cerritos at 15 deciders apiece. Having tallied the opener in a 3-0 win at Toronto FC on March 24, Wondolowski now has 17 career game-winners, and is up to 17th on the all-time MLS chart.

Quakes Reverse Season-Opening Fortunes
In defeating New England for MLS First Kick 2012 at Buck Shaw Stadium on March 10, the Earthquakes put an end to several unsavory streaks. Prior to the 1-0 decision against the Revolution, the Quakes had not won in their season opener since a 2-1 triumph at the Colorado Rapids on April 12, 2003, going 0-5-1 to kick off the previous six campaigns. The stretch included four straight losses since returning to MLS for the 2008 season, the last three of them coming at home inside Buck Shaw, 1-0 to the Revs in 2009, 3-0 to Real Salt Lake in 2010, and 1-0 again to RSL a year ago. The Quakes also had not won a home opener since a 2-1 victory over the Revs on April 6, 2002, at Spartan Stadium, going 0-4-3 since then. In fact, prior to Chris Wondolowski's 15th-minute strike which ultimately proved to be the game-winner on March 10, the Quakes had not managed a goal over their previous four season openers or home openers since rejoining MLS. San Jose is now 6-8-1 all-time in season openers, and 5-7-3 in home openers.

Looking for Turnaround in Narrow Decisions
The San Jose Earthquakes' win over the New England Revolution to open the season on March 10 marked their first 1-0 victory in league play since Sept. 15, 2010, at home against the Philadelphia Union. The Quakes' only such scoreline in their favor a season ago came in overtime in a US Open Cup play-in contest at the Portland Timbers on May 3. San Jose is now already half-way to its 2011 total of one-goal victories in MLS matches, with each of those coming against New England as well, both by 2-1 counts. San Jose went 2-7 in one-goal games during its 2011 MLS campaign. The Quakes' first two matches of 2012 were each decided by a single tally.

Wondolowski Aiming for No. 1 on Quakes' Career Goals List
Chris Wondolowski continues to chase Ronald Cerritos for No. 1 on the franchise career goals list. The Danville native has scored nine goals over the last eight matches dating back to the end of the 2011 season, to increase his career haul in San Jose to 40. Cerritos is the club's all-time leader with 61 goals from 1997-2001 and 2005.

Wondolowski's 2011 Campaign Again Among the Most Prolific in Club History
For the second straight season in 2011, Chris Wondolowski posted one of the top five goal-scoring outputs in Earthquakes history. With his first-half penalty-kick goal against FC Dallas on Oct. 22 at Buck Shaw Stadium, Wondolowski put the finishing touches on San Jose's second-best single-season scoring performance, falling two strikes short only of his own standard in 2010. Wondolowski is the only player in Earthquakes history to score 15 goals or more twice in his career. He and Ronald Cerritos (12 in 1997, 13 in 1998, 15 in 1999 and 11 in 2001) are the only players in club history to produce multiple seasons with double-digit goal totals. The five best single-season goal outputs in club history follow:

1. Chris Wondolowski – 18 goals in 2010
2. Chris Wondolowski – 16 goals in 2011
3. Ronald Cerritos – 15 goals in 1999
4. Ariel Graziani – 14 goals in 2002
5. Ronald Cerritos – 13 goals in 1998
5. Paul Bravo – 13 goals in 1996

Wondolowski Joins Elite Goal-Scoring Club
Chris Wondolowski became the ninth player in MLS history to score 15 or more goals in back-to-back seasons with his strike against Seattle Sounders FC on Oct. 15, 2011, at CenturyLink Field. In addition, Wondolowski's two-year output of 34 goals in 2010-11, ranks No. 8 all-time. The Danville native scored 18 in 2010 to win the Budweiser Golden Boot and 16 more in 2011 for a share of the league lead. Below is a list of players who have scored 15 or more goals in back-to-back seasons, followed by the top 10 two-year performances in league history:

Chris Wondolowski – 2010 (18), 2011 (16)
Dwayne De Rosario – 2010 (15), 2011 (16)
Carlos Ruiz – 2002 (24), 2003 (15)
Taylor Twellman – 2002 (23), 2003 (15)
Diego Serna – 2000 (16), 2001 (15)
Roy Lassiter – 1998 (18), 1999 (18)
Stern John – 1998 (26), 1999 (18)
Jaime Moreno – 1997 (16), 1998 (16)
Raul Diaz Arce – 1996 (23), 1997 (15), 1998 (18)

1. Stern John – 44 goals in 1998-99
2. Carlos Ruiz – 39 goals in 2002-03
3. Raul Diaz Arce – 38 goals in 1996-97
3. Taylor Twellman – 38 goals in 2002-03
5. Roy Lassiter – 37 goals in 1996-97
6. Roy Lassiter – 36 goals in 1998-99
7. Mamadou Diallo – 35 goals in 2000-01
8. Chris Wondolowski – 34 goals in 2010-11
9. Juan Pablo Angel – 33 in 2007-08
9. Raul Diaz Arce – 33 in 1997-98

Wells Fargo Goals for Education
Wells Fargo has again pledged to donate $250 for each goal the Earthquakes score in 2012 through the Goals for Education Program. With four goals through three games, the current donated total for the new season stands at $1,000. Thanks to 40 goals in 2011, the partnership raised $10,000 for local youth soccer and athletic development programs a year ago. After fielding dozens of grant applications, the Earthquakes and Wells Fargo awarded 16 grants to deserving organizations, and with Quakes midfielder Anthony Ampaipitakwong on hand, made special check presentations at America SCORES Bay Area and Castro Valley Soccer Club in January.

Earthquakes, Wondolowski Support Street Soccer USA
Two-time MLS leading goal-scorer Chris Wondolowski and Street Soccer USA, a non-profit organization that seeks to end homelessness through sports, have partnered to make a difference in the lives of the homeless in the Bay Area through the "One Goal at a Time" campaign. For every goal Wondolowski scores during the 2012 season, the Quakes star has pledged a $100 donation to Street Soccer USA (SSUSA), and is asking fans to join in his mission. Additionally, the Earthquakes Community Fund will match Wondolowski's donations. Wondolowski, who has been a national ambassador for SSUSA since August of 2011, got an early start on his 2012 scoring account with a goal in San Jose's season opener on March 10, and added two more strikes at Toronto FC on March 24.

Busch Among MLS Career Leaders in Several Categories
With a current mark of .753, Earthquakes goalkeeper Jon Busch is second on Major League Soccer's all-time chart in career saves percentage. He trails only Brad Friedel, currently of Tottenham Hotspur of the English Premier League, who produced a mark of .756 over 38 games with the Columbus Crew in 1996-97. Busch picked up the 62nd clean sheet of his 11-year MLS career on March 24 at Toronto FC. He is tied for seventh with former MLS and U.S. Men's National Team standout Tony Meola among the all-time leaders. Busch has posted 16 shutouts in his two-plus seasons as the starter in San Jose, to go along with his 21 during three seasons (2007-09) with the Chicago Fire, and 25 in five seasons (2002-06) with the Columbus Crew. Next on the list is former Quake Pat Onstad with 64. Busch is also No. 8 all-time in saves in MLS history with 805 over his career.

Busch the Shot-Stopper
Third-year Earthquakes goalkeeper Jon Busch led the league in saves in 2011 with 113 in 33 matches, edging out New England Revolution net-minder Matt Reis, who finished with 111 saves in 27 games played.

Dawkins Back for a Second Season in MLS
On Feb. 14, the Earthquakes and English Premier League side Tottenham Hotspur reached a second season-long loan agreement to bring midfielder Simon Dawkins back to San Jose. Dawkins completed his first season in MLS with six goals, second-best on the team behind Chris Wondolowski's 16, and two assists over 26 games, 19 of them starts. The then-23-year-old native of Edgware, England, was named the 21st-best player in MLS under the age of 24 according to MLSsoccer.com's annual 24 Under 24 list unveiled in September of 2011. Dawkins originally joined the club on loan from Spurs on March 16, 2011.

Making the First One Count
The Earthquakes are 96-9-24 in their last 129 matches when scoring first, dating back to July 8, 2000. They finished 8-1-3 in 2008 when scoring first, 6-1-5 in 2009, an unbeaten 12-0-2 in 2010 and 7-4-5 last season. With a 1-0 triumph over the New England Revolution for MLS First Kick on March 10, and a 3-0 win at Toronto FC on March 24, they are off to a 2-0-0 start to the 2012 campaign. Prior to 2010, San Jose also went undefeated in 2001 (13-0-2), 2003 (11-0-1) and 2005 (14-0-5) when scoring first. The Earthquakes were 12-2-0 in 2002 when finding the back of the net first, only giving up leads two times in losing 2-1 at the LA Galaxy on July 4, and falling at Kansas City by the same score on July 27. In 2004, the Quakes went 8-1-1 when scoring first, the best mark in MLS. The Quakes surrendered a 1-0 advantage and dropped a 2-1 decision at the LA Galaxy on July 4, 2004, losing for just the first time since July 27, 2002, when striking first. The Quakes are also impressive in the playoffs when scoring first, posting an 8-0-1 record all-time.

Scoring First Under Yallop
During Frank Yallop's tenure with San Jose, the Earthquakes are one of the best teams in the league when scoring the first goal. The team went 36-2-3 from 2001-03 when producing the first goal of the contest. The Quakes only gave up leads two times in 2002, losing 2-1 at the LA Galaxy on July 4 and falling at Kansas City by the same score on July 27. Yallop's team was 8-1-3 in 2008 when scoring first, 6-1-5 in 2009, 12-0-2 in 2010, 7-4-5 in 2011, and 2-0-0 early in 2012. The Quakes are 71-8-18 (.825) in seven-plus seasons under Yallop when striking first.

Halftime Success
The Earthquakes remain amongst the best in league history in holding onto a halftime lead. Since the beginning of the 2000 season, the Earthquakes are 71-3-15 in games when leading at the half, including impressive marks of 7-0-2 in 2010, 4-0-3 in 2009, 7-0-3 in 2005, 7-0-1 in 2004 and 8-0-1 in 2003. They are off to a 2-0-0 start in 2012. Despite holding a 1-0 halftime lead on May 10, 2008, vs. Columbus, the Quakes were edged by the final score of 3-2. That game marked the team's first loss since 1999 when holding a halftime advantage.

Hat Trick Heroes
San Jose's striking tandem of Chris Wondolowski and Steven Lenhart each have the distinction of having produced a hat trick in a Quakes uniform. Of just five three-goal hat tricks in franchise history, the duo has accounted for three. Wondolowski has achieved the feat twice, at Toronto FC on Sept. 25, 2010, and at home against Chivas USA on Oct. 20, 2010, the latter in just 50 minutes on the pitch. Lenhart collected his hat trick in a resounding 4-2 victory at D.C. United on June 11, 2011.

Assist Anecdotes
Steven Beitashour, who led the Earthquakes with seven assists in 2011, tying for 11th in MLS, was not credited with his first career assist until June 4, 2011, marking the 12th game of the season … The first time that Beitashour was even on the bench for the Quakes in 2011 was the eighth game on May 11, making his season debut in a starting role … All seven of Beitashour's assists came in a furious stretch of 22 contests to close the season for the young right back, with the first three of them coming on Steven Lenhart goals … A total of 15 different Quakes players were credited with assists on Wondolowski's 16 strikes in 2011, with Rafael Baca, Ramiro Corrales, Simon Dawkins and former players Ryan Johnson and Jacob Peterson registering two apiece.

Wondolowski is Mr. October
Earthquakes forward Chris Wondolowski is earning the reputation of Mr. October for his fall goal-scoring sprees. He is tied for No. 1 all-time in MLS history for career regular-season goals scored in October, with 11. He shares that spot with Edson Buddle, back with the LA Galaxy for the 2012 campaign after a season in Europe, and D.C. United's Dwayne De Rosario, a former teammate. Wondolowski's first-half penalty-kick goal during a 4-2 win over FC Dallas last Oct. 22 in the 2011 season finale at Buck Shaw Stadium enabled him to pass Christian Gomez on the list and catch Buddle and De Rosario at the top. Wondolowski's entire October haul has come in nine appearances over the last two seasons, more than double the next player on the list (DeRosario with five) over that same time period.

2012 Newcomers
General Manager of Soccer Operations John Doyle and head coach Frank Yallop brought in a number of new acquisitions through several transactions during a busy offseason to bolster the Earthquakes lineup and add bench depth. They first traded for Shea Salinas, who was selected by the Quakes in the second round of the 2008 MLS SuperDraft and spent two seasons in San Jose prior to being picked up by the Philadelphia Union in the 2009 MLS Expansion Draft. In December, the Quakes negotiated trades for a midfield tandem with MLS Cup Playoffs experience in Jean-Marc Alexandre and Marvin Chavez, formerly of Real Salt Lake and FC Dallas, respectively. At the end of the month, San Jose signed Chavez's Honduran compatriot, veteran center back Victor Bernardez. The team then inked Turkish forward Sercan Guvenisik in January and Colombian playmaker Tressor Moreno in February. In early March, the club signed a pair of trialists and second-year professionals in goalkeeper Evan Newton and defender Josh Suggs.

2012 Draft Class
The San Jose Earthquakes' 2012 draft class is headlined by winger Sam Garza, the No. 6 overall selection in the 2012 MLS SuperDraft. Garza is a Generation adidas player who spent his sophomore and junior seasons of eligibility at UC Santa Barbara after earning conference newcomer of the year honors as a true freshman at Denver in 2008, and missing 2009 through injury. The Quakes also signed midfielder Jacob Hustedt, a second-round pick (No. 25 overall) in the SuperDraft out of Washington, and forward Cesar Diaz Pizarro, their top selection in the 2012 MLS Supplemental Draft (2nd round, No. 25) from UC Riverside.

Quakes Set Career Milestones for Minutes Played
A number of current Earthquakes set new all-time career highs for minutes played in a single season in 2011. The list includes:

Steven Beitashour – 1,655; Previous record: 640 in 2010
Jon Busch – 2,970; Previous high: 2,700 in 2008 and 2009 with Chicago Fire
Jason Hernandez – 2,491; Previous high: 2,451 in 2008
Justin Morrow – 810; Previous high: 59 in 2010
Brad Ring – 1,600; Previous high: 435 in 2010
Khari Stephenson – 2,256; Previous high: 776 in 2010
Chris Wondolowski – 2,672; Previous high: 2,308 in 2010

Ramiro Corrales' 2,552 minutes were the single-season high of his San Jose career, but fell short of the 2,659 minutes he played in New York/New Jersey in 1999. Likewise, Sam Cronin played 1,903 minutes, a high for his Earthquakes career, but short of his 2,363 minutes as a rookie in 2009 for Toronto FC. Additionally, newcomers Jean-Marc Alexandre (703; Previous high: 494 in 2010), Marvin Chavez (2,521; Previous high: 818 in 2010) and Shea Salinas (1,695; Previous high: 1,306 in 2009 with San Jose Earthquakes) recorded career highs in minutes in 2011 for their former clubs, Real Salt Lake, FC Dallas and Vancouver Whitecaps FC, respectively.

Cristian Cruz Named to U.S. U-18 Men's National Team
Earthquakes Youth Development Academy product Cristian Cruz was named on March 23 to the U.S. U-18 Men's National Team roster. Head coach Javier Perez selected a squad of 35 players for a week-long training camp at The Home Depot Center in Carson, Calif., from March 25-April 1. Cruz was one of nine forwards to make the list. A native of Hercules, Calif., he is currently a junior at Hercules High School. Cruz has two goals in 19 appearances, 17 of them starts, for the Earthquakes Academy U-16 side this season.

Earthquakes Announce Inaugural 5K/10K Challenge
The San Jose Earthquakes have announced that the club will stage its first annual Quakes 5K/10K Challenge, benefitting The Health Trust and the San Jose Earthquakes Community Fund, on Sunday, May 27. More information and a registration link are available at www.quakeschallenge.com. The 5K/10K Challenge begins at 8 a.m. with three options for runners of all ages. The costs of entry are $45 for the 10K, $35 for the 5K, and $10 for a Kids Fun Run. All participants get a race t-shirt, a ticket to a future Earthquakes home game at Buck Shaw Stadium, and access to a post-race celebration. The Memorial Day Weekend event will start and finish at the site of the Quakes' planned new stadium at 1125 Coleman Avenue in San Jose. Supervisor Ken Yeager of District 4 will serve as honorary chair.

Quakes Join Up With Aurasma
The Earthquakes and Aurasma, the world's leading augmented reality platform, recently announced a partnership to transform the club's logo and promotional materials into cross-media experiences that will draw fans closer to their favorite Major League Soccer team in 2012. Using the free Aurasma Lite app for iPhone, iPad and Android, fans can now aim their devices at San Jose Earthquakes logos anywhere in the world and view special video messages from Quakes players, game highlights, and more.

Quakes Get Go-Ahead from San Jose Planning Commission on New Stadium
The San Jose Planning Commission voted 6-0 to uphold the Earthquakes' Planned Development Permit on Feb. 22, paving the way for the club to break ground on its new stadium at 1125 Coleman Avenue. The Earthquakes' PD Permit was initially consented for approval by city planners on Dec. 14, but was appealed by a Newhall Neighborhood Association member on Jan. 1. Fans clad in Earthquakes colors filled the council chambers to capacity. Owner Lew Wolff, Club President Dave Kaval and MLS President Mark Abbott spoke on behalf of the Quakes, among numerous community members and stakeholders, for over two hours before the commission closed discussion and took action on the appeal. The club has already sold 10 of 12 available field-level luxury suites for its new stadium, generating over $3.5 million in revenue for the project. For more information about the remaining suites, visit www.sjearthquakes.com/newstadium, email suites@sjearthquakes.com or call 408-556-7700.

Quakes Feature Comprehensive Broadcast Partnerships in 2012
For the first time in club history, the San Jose Earthquakes have all of their games on television, English radio and Spanish radio during the 2012 season. The Quakes have partnerships this year with Comcast SportsNet (CSN), 1590 KLIV and KZSF 1370 AM. Marking the most comprehensive regional television schedule in team history, CSN is televising 29 Earthquakes games in 2012 in High Definition, with 18 on CSN California, eight on CSN Bay Area and three more on CSN Plus. The remaining five contests will have national television audiences, with four on NBC Sports Network and the June 30 California Clasico against the LA Galaxy at Stanford Stadium on ESPN2. Two of the CSNCA tilts will also air nationally on Spanish-language Galavision. The club's local broadcast team consists of Jim Kozimor (play-by-play), Kelly Gray (color analyst) and Dan Dibley (sideline reporter). La Kaliente will cover all 34 Quakes games in Spanish for the second straight season. On the English side, KLIV returns as the broadcast partner for the first time since 2005, having carried Quakes matches in 2004 and 2005. Anthony Passarelli serves as the primary play-by-play commentator on KLIV, while Carlos Cesar Rivera is back for his fifth consecutive season as the Spanish voice of the Quakes, and his eighth overall.

Quakes President Dave Kaval's Office Hours
Earthquakes President Dave Kaval's office hours continue during the 2012 season. Fans can drop by his office at 451 El Camino Real, Suite 220 in Santa Clara, Calif., on Tuesdays between 3 and 5 p.m. PT. Participants will be seen on a first-come, first-served basis. Be sure to follow his blog, Kaval's Kickoff, exclusively at www.sjearthquakes.com, and new this year, follow him on Twitter: @QuakesPrez.

Dayak Joins Doyle, Cerritos in Earthquakes Hall of Fame
The San Jose Earthquakes inducted star defender and member of the 2001 and 2003 MLS Cup champion teams, Troy Dayak, to the Earthquakes Hall of Fame in 2011. He was first honored at the Soccer Silicon Valley Community Foundation Dinner on Oct. 19, before the club unveiled his jersey at Buck Shaw Stadium three days later during a halftime ceremony at the Quakes' season finale against FC Dallas. Dayak ranks No. 7 all-time in minutes played (10,830) and games started (122), and No. 8 in appearances (129). He was selected as an MLS All-Star and was named the MLS Comeback Player of the Year in 2001. He is the third player to be inducted into the Earthquakes Hall of Fame, alongside current General Manager John Doyle in 2005 and all-time leading scorer Ronald Cerritos in 2010.

Up Next: Earthquakes Host Vancouver Whitecaps FC
Following a March 17 date with the Houston Dynamo at AT&T Park in San Francisco and a two-game road stretch, the Earthquakes return to the friendly confines of Buck Shaw Stadium on Saturday, April 7, welcoming Vancouver Whitecaps FC at 4 p.m.

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@QuakesMatchday – ***NEW!*** this season, follow for live updates on game days
@QuakesPrez – Club President Dave Kaval is now on Twitter
@KelGray22 – Club ambassador, Quakes television color analyst and former Quakes defender Kelly Gray
@AnthonyAmpai – Second-year midfielder Anthony Ampaipitakwong
@SamGarza19 – The Quakes' first-round selection in the 2012 MLS SuperDraft, Sam Garza
@JGjertsen17 – Earthquakes winger Joey Gjertsen
@SercanGuvenisik – First Turkish player in MLS, newcomer Sercan Guvenisik
@J_Hernandez_21 – Veteran center back and social maven Jason Hernandez
@Lenny24balls – Second-year strike Steven Lenhart
@EMacMac25 – Second-year Quake Ellis McLoughlin
@TressorMoreno10 – New Colombian playmaker Tressor Moreno
@JMo_row_15 – Third-year defender Justin Morrow
@NewtonEvan13 – San Jose goalkeeper Evan Newton
@IkeOpara – Third-year defender and U.S. U-23 national team player Ike Opara
@CesarDPizarro – Quakes' top selection in the 2012 MLS Supplemental Draft, Cesar Diaz Pizarro
@BradRing87 – Fourth-year central midfielder Brad Ring
@SalinasSJ11 – In his return to the franchise that drafted him, winger Shea Salinas
@ChrisWondo – Two-time MLS goal-scoring leader Chris Wondolowski

Earthquakes Recent Transactions
Nov. 23, 2011: D Bobby Burling selected by the Montreal Impact in MLS Expansion Draft.
Nov. 30, 2011: Signed F Steven Lenhart to a new contract; Acquired M Shea Salinas from Vancouver Whitecaps FC for allocation money.
Dec. 1, 2011: Acquired M Jean-Marc Alexandre from Real Salt Lake for first-round pick (6th overall) in 2012 MLS Supplemental Draft.
Dec. 2, 2011: Traded M Bobby Convey to Sporting Kansas City for an international player slot.
Dec. 16, 2011: Acquired M Marvin Chavez from FC Dallas for allocation money.
Dec. 28, 2011: Signed D Victor Bernardez.
Dec. 31, 2011: Declined options for M Andre Luiz, F Matt Luzunaris, F Scott Sealy and GK Andrew Weber.
Jan. 12, 2012: Signed F Alan Gordon to a new contract; Selected M Sam Garza (1st round, 6th overall), M Jacob Hustedt (2nd round, 25th overall) and GK Chris Blais (2nd round, 33rd overall) in 2012 MLS SuperDraft.
Jan. 17, 2012: Selected F Cesar Diaz Pizarro (2nd round, 25th overall), D David Tiemstra (3rd round, 44th overall), D James Kiffe (4th round, 63rd overall) and D Tyler Krumpe (4th round, 73rd overall) in 2012 MLS Supplemental Draft.
Jan. 26, 2012: Signed GK Jon Busch to a new contract; Signed F Sercan Guvenisik.
Feb. 2, 2012: Signed M Tressor Moreno.
Feb. 9, 2012: Signed F Chris Wondolowski to a new contract.
Feb. 14, 2012: Reacquired M Simon Dawkins on loan from Tottenham Hotspur.
Feb. 28, 2012: Signed F Cesar Diaz Pizarro.
Mar. 9, 2012: Signed GK Evan Newton and D Josh Suggs.
Mar. 10, 2012: Signed M Jacob Hustedt.

QUAKES ALL-TIME LEADERS

Games Played
1. Ramiro Corrales 219
2. Joe Cannon 171
3. Richard Mulrooney 163
4. Ronald Cerritos 148
5. Wade Barrett 142
6. John Doyle 132
7. Ian Russell 131
8. Troy Dayak 129
9. Eddie Lewis 115
10. Dwayne De Rosario 108

Minutes Played
1. Ramiro Corrales 17,921
2. Joe Cannon 15,561
3. Richard Mulrooney 14,204
4. Ronald Cerritos 12,382
5. Wade Barrett 12,218
6. John Doyle 11,385
7. Troy Dayak 10,830
8. Eddie Lewis 8,867
9. Jason Hernandez 8,757
10. Ian Russell 8,146

Games Started
1. Ramiro Corrales 201
2. Joe Cannon 171
3. Richard Mulrooney 155
4. Ronald Cerritos 142
5. Wade Barrett 136
6. John Doyle 129
7. Troy Dayak 122
8. Eddie Lewis 100
9. Jason Hernandez 99
10. Ian Russell 91

Goals Scored
1. Ronald Cerritos 61
2. Chris Wondolowski 40
3. Landon Donovan 32
4. Dwayne De Rosario 27
5. Brian Ching 25
6. Eric Wynalda 21
7. Jeff Baicher 20
8. Ryan Johnson 17
9. Ramiro Corrales 14
9. Ariel Graziani 14
9. Manny Lagos 14
9. Lawrence Lozzano 14

Game-Winning Goals
1. Chris Wondolowski 17
2. Ronald Cerritos 15
3. Landon Donovan 10
4. Dwayne De Rosario 8

All-Time MLS Shutout Leaders

Player	Team	GP	SO
1. Kevin Hartman	**FCD**	**389**	**106**
2. Nick Rimando	**RSL**	**291**	**88**
3. Joe Cannon	**VAN**	**309**	**79**
4. Zach Thornton	CHV	282	76
5. Matt Reis	**NE**	**257**	**65**
5. Pat Onstad	HOU	223	64
7. Jon Busch	**SJ**	**201**	**62**
7. Tony Meola	NY	250	62
9. Scott Garlick	RSL	237	48
10. William Hesmer	**CLB**	**133**	**42**

Note: Players in **Bold** are Active

Earthquakes Head Coach:

Frank Yallop San Jose Earthquakes 10th Season (8th with SJ)

MLS Coaching Career:

YEAR	CLUB	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
2001	San Jose Earthquakes	13	7	6	.615	47	29
2002	San Jose Earthquakes	14	11	3	.554	45	35
2003	San Jose Earthquakes	14	7	9	.617	45	35
2006	LA Galaxy	9	7	5	.548	37	37
2007	LA Galaxy	9	14	7	.417	38	48
2008	San Jose Earthquakes	8	13	9	.417	32	38
2009	San Jose Earthquakes	7	14	9	.383	36	50
2010	San Jose Earthquakes	13	10	7	.550	34	33
2011	San Jose Earthquakes	8	12	14	.441	40	45
2012	San Jose Earthquakes	2	1	0	.667	4	1
MLS Coaching Totals:		**97**	**96**	**69**	**.502**	**358**	**351**

MLS Cup Playoffs:

YEAR	CLUB	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
2001	San Jose Earthquakes	5	1	0	.833	13	3
2002	San Jose Earthquakes	0	2	0	.000	2	4
2003	San Jose Earthquakes	3	1	0	.750	12	8
2010	San Jose Earthquakes	1	2	0	.333	3	3
MLS Coaching Totals:		**9**	**6**	**0**	**.600**	**30**	**18**

Earthquakes Player Bios:

#14 JEAN-MARC ALEXANDRE M 5-11 190 DOB 8-24-86 DELRAY BEACH, FL

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his first season with the Earthquakes and fourth in MLS after being acquired in a trade with RSL on 12/1/11 … Played three previous seasons with RSL, advancing to the MLS Cup Playoffs each year … **Reserves:** Played 90 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 and scored the game's lone goal in the 53rd minute on a left-footed shot from 25 yards into the lower corner … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 10/14/11 at COL (with RSL); **Last Goal:** 6/4/11 vs. VAN (with RSL); **Last Assist:** 6/11/11 at PHI (with RSL).
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#23 ANTHONY AMPAIPITAKWONG M 5-8 160 DOB 6-14-88 CARROLLTON, TX

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his second professional season with the Earthquakes after being San Jose's top selection (2nd Round, 33rd Overall) during the 2011 MLS SuperDraft … **Reserves:** Started and played 74 minutes vs. POR on 3/27, assisting on the game's lone goal in the 53rd minute … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 7/30/11 vs. DC; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** 5/28/11 at CHI.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#30 RAFAEL BACA M 5-8 160 DOB 9-11-89 LAWNDALE, CA

MLS: Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 … Started and played the first half vs. HOU on 3/17 … Came on as a substitute in the 57th minute at TFC on 3/24 and assisted on the game's final goal in the 67th minute … In his second professional season with the Earthquakes after being signed on 7/8/11 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 10/22/11 vs. FCD; **Last Assist:** 3/24/12 at TFC.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** 1 (3/24 at TFC).

#33 STEVEN BEITASHOUR D 5-10 170 DOB 2-1-87 SAN JOSE, CA

MLS: Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … Notched his first assist of 2012 on the second goal in the 56th minute at TFC on 3/24 … In his third professional season with the Earthquakes … Team's assist leader in 2011 with a career-high seven … Only San Jose native on the current Quakes roster … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 4/24/10 at CHV; **Last Assist:** 3/24/12 at TFC.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** 1 (3/24 at TFC)**.**

#26 VICTOR BERNARDEZ D 6-2 190 DOB 5-24-82 LA CEIBA, HONDURAS

MLS: Made his MLS debut vs. NE on 3/10, playing 90 minutes … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his first season with the Earthquakes after being signed on 12/28/11 … Only player on the current Quakes roster to have appeared in a FIFA World Cup, playing all 90 minutes against Switzerland in 2010 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#1 DAVID BINGHAM GK 6-2 185 DOB 10-19-89 PLEASANTON, CA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his second professional season with the Earthquakes after being awarded to the franchise via the MLS weighted lottery system on 1/26/11 … Made MLS debut at NE on 10/8/11, and notched first career assist in a 2-1 victory … Also scored a much-replayed goal from 90 yards out in the third minute of a 2-1 home exhibition victory over West Bromwich Albion of the English Premier League on 7/12/11 … **Reserves:** Played all 90 minutes vs. POR on 3/27, making four saves in keeping the shutout … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 10/8/11 at NE; **Last Shutout:** --; **Most Saves:** 4.
2012 MLS Game Highs: SV: -- … **SOG:** --.

#18 JON BUSCH GK 5-10 165 DOB 8-18-76 ALBANY, NY

MLS: Played 90 minutes and earned the shutout in a 1-0 home win over NE on 3/10 … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 … Kept his second shutout of 2012 in the 3-0 win at TFC on 3/24, needing to make just one save … In his third season with the Earthquakes and 11th year in MLS overall … Played the full 90 minutes of every league contest a season ago, except 10/8 at NE, and led the league with 113 saves … Oldest player on the current Quakes roster … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Shutout:** 3/24/12 at TFC; **Most Saves:** 12 (8/29/04 at MET for CLB).
2012 MLS Game Highs: SV: 2 (3/17 vs. HOU) … **SOG:** 3 (3/17 vs. HOU).

#81 MARVIN CHAVEZ M 5-5 145 DOB 11-3-83 LA CEIBA, HONDURAS

MLS: Made his Earthquakes debut vs. NE on 3/10, starting and playing 63 minutes … Came on as a halftime substitute vs. HOU on 3/17 and took three shots … Started and played 72 minutes at TFC on 3/24, providing his first assist in a Quakes uniform in the 56th minute … In his first season with the Earthquakes after being acquired in a trade with FCD on 12/16/11 … Played two-plus previous seasons in MLS with FCD … Shortest player on the current Quakes roster … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 10/15/11 vs. VAN (with FCD); **Last Assist:** 3/24/12 at TFC.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** 1 (3/24 at TFC).

#12 RAMIRO CORRALES D 6-0 180 DOB 3-12-77 SALINAS, CA

MLS: Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17, marking the 200th start of his San Jose career … Played 90 minutes at TFC on 3/24 … In his fifth consecutive season with the Earthquakes and 11th year in the organization … Team captain … In his 17th professional campaign and 14th in MLS, is the only active player remaining from the inaugural 1996 MLS season … Club record-holder for career games played (219), starts (201) and minutes played (17,921) … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 9/10/11 vs. CHI; **Last Assist:** 5/28/11 at CHI.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#4 SAM CRONIN M 5-10 165 DOB 12-12-86 WINSTON-SALEM, NC

MLS: Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 … Started and played 80 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 … Played all 90 minutes at TFC on 3/24, producing his first career two-assist game against the club that selected him with the second overall pick in the 2009 MLS SuperDraft … Assisted on Chris Wondolowski's game-winner in the ninth minute at TFC, as well as Wondolowski's 67th-minute clincher … In his third season with the Earthquakes … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 6/13/09 vs. NY; **Last Assist:** 3/24/12 at TFC.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** 2 (3/24 at TFC).

#10 SIMON DAWKINS M 5-10 160 DOB 12-1-87 EDGWARE, ENGLAND

MLS: Came on as a substitute for the final 27 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 … DNP vs. HOU on 3/17 … Came on as a substitute for the final five minutes at TFC on 3/24 … In his second season with the Earthquakes following a second loan agreement with England's Tottenham Hotspur on 2/14/12 … **Reserves:** Played all 90 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 10/22/11 vs. FCD; **Last Assist:** 10/8/11 at NE.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#19 SAM GARZA M 5-11 160 DOB 10-17-90 HIGHLAND VILLAGE, TX

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his rookie season with the Earthquakes after being the club's top selection (1st Round, 6th Overall) during the 2012 MLS SuperDraft … **Reserves:** Played all 90 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: --; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#17 JOEY GJERTSEN M 5-9 165 DOB 6-13-82 TACOMA, WA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 (R knee surgery) … In his third season with the Quakes … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 10/22/11 vs. FCD; **Last Goal:** 8/13/11 vs. COL; **Last Assist:** 9/17/11 at HOU.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#16 ALAN GORDON F 6-3 190 DOB 10-16-81 LONG BEACH, CA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 (R hip surgery) … Rejoined training on 3/19 … In his first full season with the Earthquakes after being acquired in a trade with TFC on 7/14/11 and missing the end of the 2011 season through injury … **Reserves:** Started and played 61 minutes vs. POR on 3/27, assisting on the game's lone goal in the 53rd minute … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 8/6/11 vs. POR; **Last Goal:** 8/6/11 vs. POR; **Last Assist:** 4/23/11 vs. CLB (with TFC)
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#9 SERCAN GUVENISIK F 5-9 157 DOB 3-1-80 DUSSELDORF, GERMANY

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10 … Made MLS debut vs. HOU on 3/17, coming on as a substitute for the final 10 minutes … DNP at TFC on 3/24 … In his first season with the Earthquakes and in MLS after being signed on 1/26/12 … First Turkish national to appear in an MLS match … Reserves: Started and played 24 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 before having to leave the game with an injury … Scored a first-half brace in a 3-0 win vs. LA Galaxy on 6/6/11, in his MLS Reserve League debut while on a one-week trial in San Jose … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/17/12 vs. HOU; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#21 JASON HERNANDEZ D 5-11 170 DOB 8-26-83 ENGLEWOOD, NJ

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his fifth season with the Earthquakes … Next game played and started will each mark No. 100 in San Jose … **Reserves:** Played 90 minutes and captained the side vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 10/22/11 vs. FCD; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** 7/10/10 at PHI
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#2 JACOB HUSTEDT M 5-9 170 DOB 1-30-90 SANDY, UT

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 (L ankle surgery) … In his rookie season with the Earthquakes after being selected in the second round (25th Overall) of the 2012 MLS SuperDraft … **Reserves:** Came on as a substitute in the 90th minute vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: --; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#24 STEVEN LENHART F 6-1 190 DOB 8-28-86 JACKSONVILLE, FL

MLS: Started and played the first 70 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 and took four shots … Played 90 minutes at TFC on 3/24 … In his second season with the Earthquakes … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 7/2/11 vs. NY; **Last Assist:** 7/20/11 vs. VAN.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#25 ELLIS MCLOUGHLIN F/M 5-10 165 DOB 7-8-90 SEATTLE, WA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his second season with the Earthquakes … **Reserves:** Came on as a substitute for the final 29 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 10/22/11 vs. FCD; **Last Goal:** 5/21/11 vs. NE; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#11 TRESSOR MORENO M 5-8 170 DOB 1-11-79 RIOSUCIO, COLOMBIA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10 … Made MLS debut vs. HOU on 3/17, coming on as a substitute for the final 27 minutes … Drew his first MLS start at TFC on 3/24, playing the first 57 minutes … In his first season with the Earthquakes and in MLS after being signed on 2/2/12 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#15 JUSTIN MORROW D 5-9 165 DOB 10-4-87 CLEVELAND, OH

MLS: Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10, starting at center back for the first time in his MLS career after nine starts at left back in 2011 … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his third professional season with the Earthquakes … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#13 EVAN NEWTON GK 6-2 185 DOB 4-1-88 VIRGINIA BEACH, VA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his first season with the Earthquakes after being signed on 3/9/12 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: --; **Last Shutout:** --; **Most Saves:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: SV: -- … **SOG:** --.

2011: MLS: Did not appear in any league matches for the Houston Dynamo as a rookie after being drafted in the first round (No. 7 overall) of the 2011 MLS Supplemental Draft … Joined FC Tampa Bay of the North American Soccer League (NASL) on loan on 5/5 … Made his debut with six saves in the second half of a 1-0 combined shutout against Bolton Wanderers of the English Premier League in an exhibition match on 7/14 … Played all 90 minutes of two league matches, recording a win and a tie, including a 4-0 clean sheet at Atlanta on 8/6 … Produced 12 saves and a 1.50 goals-against average … **College:** Spent five years at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Va., where he finished as the program's all-time leader in saves (254) and shutouts (36) … Guided the Monarchs to three NCAA Championship berths … **2010:** NSCAA All-South Atlantic Region Second Team and All-Colonial Athletic Association First Team … Posted six shutouts and a 1.07 GAA … Made four saves in a 1-0 road upset of defending national champion Virginia in NCAA Tournament First Round … Old Dominion was eliminated in the next round by Penn State … **2009:** All-CAA Third Team … Led CAA with nine shutouts … **2008:** Redshirted due to injury … **2007:** NSCAA All-South Atlantic Region Third Team and All-CAA Second Team … Posted league-leading 11 shutouts and a career-best 0.63 GAA … Led ODU to CAA title … Named to CAA All-Tournament Team … Virginia Sports Information Directors Association (VaSID) All-State First Team … **2006:** Started 17 games as a true freshman, producing 10 shutouts and a 0.97 GAA … CAA All-Rookie Team … Helped ODU reach NCAA Championship Third Round, advancing past Winthrop via penalty kick tiebreaker after a 0-0 tie, and posting a 1-0 upset of No. 10 North Carolina on the road … The Monarchs lost to eventual national champion UC Santa Barbara, 2-1 … **Amateur:** Named Premier Development League Goalkeeper of the Year in 2007 after allowing only three goals in 14 games for the Hampton Roads Piranhas … **International:** Former member of the U.S. U-17 residency program in Bradenton, Fla. … **High School/Club:** Graduated from Edison Academic Center in Bradenton, Fla. … ESP All-Star selection in 2005 … Three-time NSCAA/adidas Youth All-American in 2002-03 and 2005 … **Personal:** Parents are Stephen and Tammy Newton … Has one brother, Clayton … Earned his degree at ODU in sports management … Interned in the ODU marketing and promotions office while in college.

#55 IKE OPARA D 6-2 180 DOB 2-21-89 DURHAM, NC

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10 … DNP vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 while with the U.S. U-23 Men's National Team in Nashville, Tenn. … In his third professional season with the Earthquakes after being selected third overall during the 2010 MLS SuperDraft … Changed his jersey number from 6 to 55 ahead of the 2012 season … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** -- … **International:** Played 90 minutes for the U.S. U-23 MNT vs. Cuba on 3/22, vs. Canada on 3/24 and vs. El Salvador on 3/26 in CONCACAF Olympic qualifying in Nashville … Credited with an assist in the 6-0 win vs. Cuba … Was among 20 players named to the official U.S. U-23 MNT roster for Olympic qualifying on 3/20 … Was previously in camp with the U-23s from Feb. 19-29 … Captained the U-23s to a 2-0 shutout victory over Mexico at FC Dallas Stadium in Frisco, Texas, on 2/29.
Last MLS Game: 5/28/11 at CHI; **Last Goal:** 7/3/10 vs. DC; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#27 CESAR DIAZ PIZARRO F 6-1 175 DOB 9-15-90 CHINO, CA

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his rookie season with the Earthquakes after being the club's top selection (2nd Round, 25th Overall) during the 2012 MLS Supplemental Draft … Youngest player on the current San Jose roster … **Reserves:** Came on as a substitute for the final 66 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: --; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#5 BRAD RING M 5-10 165 DOB 4-7-87 ROCKFORD, IL

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his third full professional season with the Earthquakes after being picked in the second round (17th Overall) of the 2009 MLS SuperDraft and missing all of that season with an injury … **Reserves:** Started and played 89 minutes at right back vs. POR on 3/27 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 10/15/11 at SEA; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** 5/14/11 vs. CLB.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#6 SHEA SALINAS M 5-10 150 DOB 6-24-86 GRAPEVINE, TX

MLS: Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10, assisting on Chris Wondolowski's 15th-minute game-winner … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 … Started and played 85 minutes at TFC on 3/24, producing his first goal of the season with a left-footed shot in the 56th minute … In his third season with the Earthquakes, and first year back after being reacquired from VAN on 11/30/11 … Originally San Jose's top selection (2nd Round, 15th Overall) during the 2008 MLS SuperDraft … Played for SJ in 2008 and 2009, PHI in 2010 and VAN in 2011 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Assist**: 3/10/12 vs. NE.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: 1 (3/24 at TFC) … **A:** 1 (3/10 vs. NE).

#7 KHARI STEPHENSON M 6-1 185 DOB 1-18-81 KINGSTON, JAMAICA

MLS: Came on as a substitute for the final 20 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 … Started and played 63 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17 … Came on as a substitute for the final 18 minutes at TFC on 3/24 … In his third season with the Earthquakes … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 9/21/11 at POR; **Last Assist**: 10/22/11 vs. FCD.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#32 JOSH SUGGS D 6-0 170 DOB 4-26-89 LAS CRUCES, NM

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 … In his first season with the Earthquakes and in MLS after being signed on 3/9/12 … **Reserves:** Started and played 81 minutes vs. POR on 3/27 at left back … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: --; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist:** --.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

2011: MLS: During a week-long trial with the San Jose Earthquakes, played the full 90 minutes of a 1-0 loss at Vancouver Whitecaps FC in an MLS Reserve League match on 9/6, earning an invite back for 2012 training camp … **Professional Experience: 2011:** Played for the Los Angeles Blues during the inaugural season of the United Soccer Leagues Professional Division (USL PRO) … **College:** Played four years at Humboldt State University in Arcata, Calif. … As a midfielder and forward, completed career with 22 goals and seven assists, finishing No. 6 on the program's all-time goal-scoring chart … Started 63 of 73 games played … **2010:** Started 17 of 18 games played … Led the Lumberjacks with eight goals and one assist, earning All-California Collegiate Athletic Association Second Team distinction … Produced a three-goal hat trick in a 5-1 win at Cal State Monterey Bay on 10/29 … **2009:** Played in all 20 games, starting 19 … Led Jacks with nine goals and three assists … All-CCAA Second Team … **2008:** Appeared in 18 matches, making 17 starts … Contributed five goals and two assists … All-CCAA Honorable Mention … **2007:** Started 10 of 17 matches … Assisted on one goal … **High School/Club:** Earned one varsity letter at Las Cruces (N.M.) High School … Honored as a second-team All-State performer as a senior … Was a member of the New Mexico ODP state team for five years, captaining the side for three years … Selected to the ODP regional pool in 2006 and 2007 … **Personal:** Parents are Wayne and Kiki Suggs … Majored in criminal justice at Humboldt State, with an eye on a career in law enforcement after soccer.

#20 TIM WARD D 6-0 165 DOB 2-28-87 WAUKESHA, WI

MLS: DNP vs. NE on 3/10, vs. HOU on 3/17 and at TFC on 3/24 (L non-specific soft tissue injury) … In his third season with the Earthquakes after being acquired from CHI on 8/6/10 … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** --.
Last MLS Game: 7/30/11 vs. DC; **Last Goal:** --; **Last Assist**: 10/9/10 at DC.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: -- … **A:** --.

#8 CHRIS WONDOLOWSKI F 6-0 165 DOB 1-28-83 DANVILLE, CA

MLS: Needed just 15 minutes to open his 2012 goal-scoring account after finishing each of the past two seasons with at least a share of the league lead … Played 90 minutes vs. NE on 3/10 and tallied his club-record 16th game-winner in the 1-0 victory … Strike also extended his personal-best and club-record goal-scoring streak to a then-league-best six games, dating back to the last five matches of 2011 … Played 90 minutes vs. HOU on 3/17, taking a game-high five shots … Played 90 minutes at TFC on 3/24, recording a two-goal brace with a header in the ninth minute and a left-footed shot in the 67th … In his third full season back with the Earthquakes since being reacquired from HOU on 6/9/09 … Rewarded with new contracts prior to the 2011 and 2012 seasons … **Open Cup Qualifying:** -- … **Exhibition:** -- … **International:** Drew two caps for the U.S. Men's National Team during a second straight January Camp, in consecutive 1-0 victories vs. Venezuela (1/21) and at Panama (1/25), and has now earned seven full caps for the U.S. MNT.
Last MLS Game: 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Goal:** 3/24/12 at TFC; **Last Assist**: 9/10/11 vs. CHI.
2012 MLS Game Highs: G: 2 (at TFC on 3/24) … **A:** --.

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	Hometown	College	Status
14	Jean-Marc Alexandre	M	5-11	190	8-24-86	Delray Beach, FL	Lynn University	
23	Anthony Ampaipitakwong	M	5-8	160	6-14-88	Carrollton, TX	Akron	
30	Rafael Baca	M	5-8	160	9-11-89	Lawndale, CA	Loyola Marymount	INTL
33	Steven Beitashour	D	5-10	170	2-1-87	San Jose, CA	San Diego State	
26	Victor Bernardez	D	6-2	190	5-24-82	La Ceiba, Honduras	--	INTL
1	David Bingham	GK	6-2	185	10-19-89	Pleasanton, CA	California	GA
18	Jon Busch	GK	5-10	165	8-18-76	Albany, NY	UNC Charlotte	
81	Marvin Chavez	M	5-5	145	11-3-83	La Ceiba, Honduras	--	INTL
12	Ramiro Corrales	D	6-0	180	3-12-77	Salinas, CA	--	
4	Sam Cronin	M	5-10	165	12-12-86	Winston-Salem, NC	Wake Forest	
10	Simon Dawkins	M	5-10	160	12-1-87	Edgware, England	--	INTL
19	Sam Garza	M	5-11	160	10-17-89	Highland Village, TX	UC Santa Barbara	GA
17	Joey Gjertsen	M	5-9	165	6-13-82	Tacoma, WA	Evergreen State College	
16	Alan Gordon	F	6-3	190	10-16-81	Long Beach, CA	Oregon State	
9	Sercan Guvenisik	F	5-9	157	3-1-80	Dusseldorf, Germany	--	INTL
21	Jason Hernandez	D	5-11	170	8-26-83	Englewood, NJ	Seton Hall	
2	Jacob Hustedt	M	5-9	170	1-30-90	Sandy, UT	Washington	
24	Steven Lenhart	F	6-1	190	8-28-86	Yorba Linda, CA	Azusa Pacific	
25	Ellis McLoughlin	F/M	5-10	165	7-8-90	Seattle, WA	Washington	
11	Tressor Moreno	M	5-8	170	1-11-79	Riosucio, Colombia	--	INTL
15	Justin Morrow	D	5-9	165	10-4-87	Cleveland, OH	Notre Dame	
13	Evan Newton	GK	6-2	185	4-1-88	Virginia Beach, VA	Old Dominion	
55	Ike Opara	D	6-2	180	2-21-89	Durham, NC	Wake Forest	GA
27	Cesar Diaz Pizarro	F	6-1	175	9-15-90	Chino, CA	UC Riverside	
5	Brad Ring	M	5-10	165	4-7-87	Rockford, IL	Indiana	
6	Shea Salinas	M	5-10	150	6-24-86	Grapevine, TX	Furman	
7	Khari Stephenson	M	6-1	185	1-18-81	Kingston, Jamaica	Williams College	
32	Josh Suggs	D	6-0	170	4-26-89	Las Cruces, NM	Humboldt State	
20	Tim Ward	D	6-0	165	2-28-87	Waukesha, WI	Saint Louis	
8	Chris Wondolowski	F	6-0	165	1-28-83	Danville, CA	Chico State	

EARTHQUAKES NUMERICAL ROSTER AND PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

No.	Player	Pos.	Pronunciation	Place of Birth	Last Club
1	David Bingham	GK	BING-um	Castro Valley, CA	California
2	Jacob Hustedt	M	HUGH-sted	Bothell, WA	Washington
4	Sam Cronin	M		Atlanta, GA	Toronto FC
5	Brad Ring	M		Rockford, IL	Indiana University
6	Shea Salinas	M	SHAY	Lubbock, TX	Vancouver Whitecaps FC
7	Khari Stephenson	M	CAR-ee	Kingston, Jamaica	Aalesunds FK (Norway)
8	Chris Wondolowski	F	wan-dough-LOWW-skee	Danville, CA	Houston Dynamo
9	Sercan Guvenisik	F	SER-john gu-VEN-ah-shuck	Ankara, Turkey	Preussen Muenster (Germany)
10	Simon Dawkins	M		Edgware, England	Tottenham (England)
11	Tressor Moreno	M	TRESS-er	Riosucio, Colombia	Santiago Wanderers (Chile)
12	Ramiro Corrales	D		Los Angeles, CA	S.K. Brann (Norway)
13	Evan Newton	GK		Virginia Beach, VA	Houston Dynamo
14	Jean-Marc Alexandre	M	(French pronunciation)	Verrettes, Haiti	Real Salt Lake
15	Justin Morrow	D	MO-row	Cleveland, OH	Notre Dame
16	Alan Gordon	F		Long Beach, CA	Toronto FC
17	Joey Gjertsen	M	JURT-son	Tacoma, WA	Montreal Impact (USL)
18	Jon Busch	GK		Queens, NY	Chicago Fire
19	Sam Garza	M		Carrollton, TX	UC Santa Barbara
20	Tim Ward	D		Waukesha, WI	Chicago Fire
21	Jason Hernandez	D		New York City, NY	Chivas USA
23	Anthony Ampaipitakwong	M	am-PIE-pi-talk-wong	Carrollton, TX	Akron
24	Steven Lenhart	F	LEN-heart	Jacksonville, FL	Columbus Crew
25	Ellis McLoughlin	F/M	mick-LOFF-lin	Seattle, WA	Hertha BSC (Germany)
26	Victor Bernardez	D		La Ceiba, Honduras	RSC Anderlecht (Belgium)
27	Cesar Diaz Pizarro	F		Chiclayo, Peru	UC Riverside
30	Rafael Baca	M	BOCK-uh	Tuxpan, Mexico	Loyola Marymount
32	Josh Suggs	D		Las Cruces, NM	Los Angeles Blues (USL)
33	Steven Beitashour	D	BAY-tah-sure	San Jose, CA	San Diego State
55	Ike Opara	D	oh-PAR-ah	Durham, NC	Wake Forest
81	Marvin Chavez	M	CHAW-vez	La Ceiba, Honduras	FC Dallas

Key: GA = Generation adidas; GC = Green Card; INTL = International;

Head Coach: Frank Yallop
Assistant Coach: Ian Russell
Assistant Coach: Mark Watson
Goalkeeper Coach: Jason Batty

Fitness Coach: Greg Tella
Head Athletic Trainer: Bruce Morgan
Assistant Athletic Trainer: Hank House
Team Administrator: Joe Dincecco

Video Analyst: Sean Rubio
Equipment Manager: Jose Vega

2012 SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES RESERVES STATISTICS (1-0-0, 3 PTS.)

Through March 27, 2012

POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
M	Jean-Marc Alexandre	1	1	90	1	0	1	0
F	Alan Gordon	1	1	61	0	1	0	0
M	Anthony Ampaipitakwong	1	1	74	0	1	0	0
M	Simon Dawkins	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
M	Sam Garza	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
D	Jason Hernandez	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
D/M	Brad Ring	1	1	89	0	0	1	0
D	Josh Suggs	1	1	81	0	0	0	0
F	Sercan Guvenisivik	1	1	24	0	0	0	0
F	Cesar Diaz Pizarro	1	0	66	0	0	0	0
F/M	Ellis McLoughlin	1	0	29	0	0	0	0
M	Jacob Hustedt	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
D	^Kyle Kaveny	1	1	90	0	0	1	0
F	*Julio Cervantes	1	0	16	0	0	0	0
D	*Christian De Luna	1	0	9	0	0	0	0
GK	David Bingham	1	1	90	0	0	0	0
GK	Evan Newton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Own goal	-	-	--	-	-	-	-
	Team Totals	**1**	**1**	**90**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**0**

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Jean-Marc Alexandre 1
GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Anthony Ampaipitakwong 1, Alan Gordon 1
PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: N/A

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES RESERVES INDIVIDUAL GOALKEEPING

POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
GK	David Bingham	1	1	90	0	0.00	0	0	1	0	0	1
GK	Evan Newton	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team Totals		**1**	**1**	**90**	**0**	**0.00**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

2012 SAN JOSE RESERVE LEAGUE RESULTS (1-0-0, 3 PTS.)

Date	Opponent	Score	Record	Goals	Site
March 27	Portland Timbers	1-0 W	1-0-0	Alexandre	Earthquakes Training Facility, San Jose, Calif.
April 8	Vancouver Whitecaps FC				Earthquakes Training Facility, San Jose, Calif.
May 8	at LA Galaxy				TBD, Carson, Calif.
May 14	Chivas USA				Earthquakes Training Facility, San Jose, Calif.
June 8	at Chivas USA				The Home Depot Center, Carson, Calif.
Aug. 12	Seattle Sounders FC				Earthquakes Training Facility, San Jose, Calif.
Aug. 26	at Portland Timbers				JELD-WEN Field, Portland, Ore.
Sept. 4	LA Galaxy				Earthquakes Training Facility, San Jose, Calif.
Sept. 10	at Vancouver Whitecaps FC				Univ. of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C.
Sept. 25	at Seattle Sounders FC				Starfire Sports Stadium, Seattle, Wash.

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

#	Player	1	2	
		NE	HOU	
		1-0	0-1	
1	David Bingham			
4	Sam Cronin	90M	80M	90M
5	Brad Ring			
6	Shea Salinas	90M	90M	85M
7	Khari Stephenson	21	63M	18
8	Chris Wondolowski	90M	90F	90F
9	Sercan Guvenisik		10	
10	Simon Dawkins	26		5
11	Tressor Moreno		27	57M
12	Ramiro Corrales	90D	90D	90D
13	Evan Newton			
14	Jean-Marc Alexandre			
15	Justin Morrow	90D	90D	90D
16	Alan Gordon			
17	Joey Gjertsen			
18	Jon Busch	90G	90G	90G
19	Sam Garza			
20	Tim Ward			
21	Jason Hernandez			
23	Anthony Ampaipitakwong			
24	Steven Lenhart	69F	90F	90F
25	Ellis McLoughlin			
26	Victor Bernardez	90D	90D	90D
27	Cesar Diaz Pizarro			
30	Rafael Baca	90M	45M	33
32	Josh Suggs			
33	Steven Beitashour	90D	90D	90D
55	Ike Opara			
81	Marvin Chavez	64M	45	72M

"00" = minutes played
F/M/D/G = starting position

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES

Game log:

Game #1	03/10/2012	SJ 1 vs NE 0	W	Wondolowski 1 (Salinas 1)	15
Game #2	03/17/2012	SJ 0 vs HOU 1	L		
Game #3	03/24/2012	SJ 3 at TOR 0	W	Wondolowski 2 (Cronin 1)	9; Salinas 1 (Chavez 1, Beitashour 1) 56; Wondolowski 3 (Baca 1, Cronin 2) 67