



2025 ST. LOUIS CITY SC GAME NOTES

MATCHDAY 11 VS SEATTLE SOUNDERS

MAY 3, 2025 • 9:30 PM CST • LUMEN FIELD • SEATTLE, WA

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SCHEDULE

Overall: 2-4-4 • MLS: 2-4-4 • U.S Open Cup: 0-0-0

(MLS) Home: 1-2-2 • Away: 1-2-2

vs. East: 0-1-0 • vs. West: 2-3-4

February (0-0-1, GF: 0, GA: 0)

22 Sat Colorado Rapids T, 0-0

March (2-2-1, GF: 4, GA: 2)

1 Sat at San Diego FC T, 0-0

9 Sun at LA Galaxy W, 3-0

15 Sat Seattle Sounders W, 1-0

22 Sat at Philadelphia Union L, 0-1

30 Sun Austin FC L, 0-1

April (0-2-2, GF: 3, GA: 6)

5 Sat at Sporting KC L, 0-2

13 Sun Columbus Crew L, 1-2

19 Sat Vancouver Whitecaps T, 0-0

27 Sun at LAFC T, 2-2

May (0-0-0, GF: 0, GA: 0)

3 Sat at Seattle Sounders 9:30PM

10 Sat San Diego FC 7:30PM

14 Wed Sporting KC 7:30PM

17 Sat at Minnesota United 7:30PM

24 Sat at Colorado Rapids 8:30PM

31 Sat San Jose Earthquakes 1:30PM

June (0-0-0, GF: 0, GA: 0)

8 Sun at Portland Timbers 6:00PM

14 Sat LA Galaxy 3:30PM

25 Wed Orlando City 7:30PM

28 Sat at Houston Dynamo 7:30PM

July (0-0-0, GF: 0, GA: 0)

5 Sat at Real Salt Lake 8:30PM

13 Sun Portland Timbers 6:00PM

19 Sat at FC Dallas 7:30PM

26 Sat Minnesota United 7:30PM

August (0-0-0, GF: 0, GA: 0)

9 Sat Nashville SC 7:30PM

16 Sat at Chicago Fire 7:30PM

23 Sat at Vancouver Whitecaps 8:30PM

30 Sat Houston Dynamo 7:30PM

September (0-0-0, GF: 0, GA: 0)

6 Sat FC Dallas 7:30PM

13 Sat at Montreal 6:30PM

20 Sat at San Jose Earthquakes 9:30PM

27 Sat LAFC 7:30PM

October (0-0-0, GF: 0, GA: 0)

4 Sat at Austin FC 7:30PM

18 Sat Real Salt Lake 8:00PM

Home matches in **BOLD**

THE MATCHUP



ST. LOUIS CITY SC

2025 Regular Season Record: 2-4-4

Head Coach: Olof Mellberg

Years/ Record at STL: 1st/ 2-4-4

Overall Record: Same



SEATTLE SOUNDERS

2025 Regular Season Record: 3-3-4

Head Coach: Brian Schmetzer

Years/ Record at SEA: 10th/ 129-83-72

Overall Record: Same

COVERAGE

STREAM: MLS Season Pass (English)

Online: TV.APPLE.com

• Play-by-Play:

Mark Rogondino

• Analyst:

Heath Pearce

RADIO: KYKY (English)

Online: Audacy.com | Frequency: 98.1 FM

• Play-by-Play:

Joey Zanaboni

• Analyst:

Jennifer Siess

STREAM: MLS Season Pass (Spanish)

Online: TV.APPLE.com

• Play-by-Play:

Sergio Ruiz

• Analyst:

Walter Roque

RADIO: KXOK (Spanish)

Online: Audacy.com | Frequency: 102.9 FM

• Play-by-Play:

Santiago Beltran

• Analyst:

Hector Vega

PREGAME SPECIAL

- ▶ St. Louis CITY SC recorded their first win over the Seattle Sounders last month, but the overall series still favors Seattle, with CITY SC holding a 1-0-4 record all-time.
- ▶ Eduard Löwen jumpstarted the attack with a stunning free-kick goal in the 16th minute, while goalkeeper Ben Lundt recorded his first career MLS clean sheet and win.
- ▶ In five meetings since their inaugural matchup in 2023, the Sounders have outscored St. Louis 9-2.
- ▶ CITY SC will be aiming to score their first goal and secure their first road points against Seattle, having lost both previous away matches without finding the net.
- ▶ St. Louis CITY SC earned a hard-fought 2-2 draw against LAFC last Sunday at BMO Stadium, marking their first-ever away point against the Black and Gold.
- ▶ Cedric Teuchert opened the scoring in the 52nd minute, finishing a well-worked play assisted by Jannes Horn and Timo Baumgartl. LAFC's Denis Bouanga equalized in the 70th minute, but CITY responded with a go-ahead goal in the 90th, despite being down a man. Bouanga struck again in stoppage time to salvage a draw for the hosts.
- ▶ Goalkeeper Ben Lundt made his first career penalty save and tallied seven total stops, his second-highest single-game total of the season.
- ▶ Teuchert scored his seventh career regular-season goal on Sunday to go along with five assists.
- ▶ Teuchert's seven goals are the most by any St. Louis CITY SC player since his MLS debut last July while his five assists are tied with Marcel Hartel for most on the team in that time.

SCOUTING SEATTLE

- ▶ Seattle currently sits ninth in the Western Conference with a 3-3-4 record. At Lumen Field, Seattle boasts a 2-0-2 record.
- ▶ Seattle is unbeaten in 11 straight home matches across all competitions (5-0-6 record) dating back to September 2024.
- ▶ Forward Danny Musovski leads the team in goals scored (3), while forward Jesús Ferreira leads Seattle in assists (5).
- ▶ Danny Musovski has scored a goal in three consecutive regular-season matches for the first time in his MLS career. Only four players in Sounders history have scored in four consecutive regular-season matches, most recently Raúl Ruidíaz in May-July 2019.



ALPHABETICAL

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	Hometown	Status
21	Rasmus Alm	M	5-7	152	8/17/95	Landskrona, Sweden	International
32	Timo Baumgartl	D	6-3	192	3/4/96	Böblingen, Germany	International
11	Simon Becher	F	6-2	187	7/20/99	Brooklyn, Connecticut	
	<i>Njabulo Blom</i>	M	5-8	146	12/11/99	<i>Dobsonville, Gauteng, South Africa</i>	<i>International</i>
1	Roman Bürki	GK	6-2	198	11/14/90	Münsingen, Switzerland	TAM Player/International
8	Chris Durkin	M	6-0	165	2/8/00	Hampton, Virginia	U22 Initiative
3	Jake Girdwood-Reich	M	6-1	185	6/26/04	Clovelly, Australia	U22 Initiative
46	Caden Glover	F	6-1	175	3/8/07	St. Louis Missouri	Homegrown
17	Marcel Hartel	M	5-10	150	1/19/96	Koln Germany	Designated Player/International
22	Kyle Hiebert	D	6-0	188	7/30/97	Manitoba, Canada	
38	Jannes Horn	D	6-1	179	2/6/97	Braunschweig, Germany	International
59	Mykhi Joyner	M	5-10	150	8/30/06	Bloomington, Illinois	
5	Henry Kessler	D	6-4	185	6/25/98	New York City, New York	
9	João Klauss	F	6-3	185	3/1/97	Criciúma, Brazil	Designated Player/International
10	Eduard Löwen	M	6-2	208	1/28/97	Idar-Oberstein, Germany	TAM Player
39	Ben Lundt	GK	6-6	210	9/24/95	Berlin, Germany	
27	Alfredo Morales	M	6-0	170	5/12/90	Berlin, Germany	
4	Joakim Nilsson	D	6-1	172	2/6/94	Härnösand, Sweden	TAM Player
31	Christian Olivares	GK	6-4	194	2/4/02	Tacoma, Washington	
7	Tomáš Ostrák	M	5-9	163	2/5/00	Frýdek-Místek, Czech Republic	TAM Player
33	Tyson Pearce	M	5-8	135	8/12/07	St. Louis, Missouri	Homegrown
28	Miguel Perez	M	5-11	154	4/28/05	St. Louis, Missouri	Homegrown
70	<i>Selmir Pidro</i>	D	6-0	185	3/3/98	<i>Bugojno, Bosnia and Herzegovina</i>	<i>International</i>
12	Célio Pompeu	M	5-10	160	10/12/99	Fortaleza, Brazil	
99	Jayden Reid	D	5-11	185	8/30/01	Elmont, New York	
45	Xande Silva	F	5-10	170	3/16/97	Porto, Portugal	International
36	Cedric Teuchert	F	6-0	176	1/14/97	Coburg, Germany	TAM Player
29	<i>Nökkvi Þórisson</i>	F	6-2	160	8/13/99	<i>Dalvík, Iceland</i>	<i>International</i>
14	Tomas Totland	D	5-11	163	9/28/99	Bergen, Norway	
6	Conrad Wallem	M	5-11	160	6/9/00	Tønsberg, Norway	International
20	Akil Watts	M	5-10	169	2/4/00	Fort Wayne, Indiana	
40	Michael Wentzel	D	6-2	183	4/10/02	Baden-Württemberg Germany	
15	Josh Yaro	D	5-11	163	11/18/94	Kumasi, Ghana	
71	Joey Zalinsky	D	5-9	170	1/3/03	Brick Township, New Jersey	

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NUMERICAL WITH PRONUNCIATION

No.	Player	Pos.	Pronunciation	Age	Place of Birth	Previous Club
1	Roman Bürki	GK	Roh-mahn Bur-key	11/14/90 (32)	Münsingen, Switzerland	Borussia Dortmund
3	Jake Girdwood-Reich	M	GURD-wood-Rykh	6/26/04 (20)	Clovelly, Australia	Sydney FC
4	Joakim Nilsson	D	Yo-ah-kim KNEEL-son	2/6/94 (31)	Härnösand, Sweden	Arminia Bielefeld
5	Henry Kessler	D	KESS-lur	6/25/98 (26)	New York City, New York	New England Revolution
6	Conrad Wallem	M	VAH-lem	6/9/00 (24)	Tønsberg, Norway	SK Slavia Prague
	<i>Njabulo Blom</i>	M	<i>jah-BOOL-oh Blahm</i>	<i>12/11/99 (25)</i>	<i>Dobsonville, Gauteng, South Africa</i>	<i>Kaizer Chiefs F.C.</i>
7	Tomáš Ostrák	M	TOH-mahsh OH-strakh	2/5/00 (25)	Frýdek-Místek, Czech Republic	FC Koln
8	Chris Durkin	M		2/8/00 (25)	Hampton, Virginia	DC United
9	João Klauss	F	Shew-ow KI-OW-s	3/1/97 (28)	Criciúma, Brazil	Hoffenheim
10	Eduard Löwen	M	Eduard LUU-vin	1/28/97 (28)	Idar-Oberstein, Germany	VfL Bochum
11	Simon Becher	F	Beh-CHER	7/20/99 (25)	Topeka, Kansas	AC Horsens
12	Célio Pompeu	M	SELL-ee-oh pom-PAY-ou	10/12/99 (25)	Fortaleza, Brazil	St Louis CITY2
13	Michael Wentzel	D	MY-KUL VENT-ZUHL	4/10/02 (23)	Baden-Württemberg Germany	St Louis CITY2
14	Tomas Totland	D	Thomas	9/28/99 (25)	Bergen, Norway	BK Häcken
15	Josh Yaro	D	YARR-oh	11/18/94 (30)	Kumasi, Ghana	St Louis CITY2
17	Marcel Hartel	M	MAR-sell HAR-tuhl	1/19/96 (29)	Koln, Germany	FC St. Pauli
20	Akil Watts	M	AH-keel	2/4/00 (25)	Fort Wayne, Indiana	St Louis CITY2
21	Rasmus Alm	M		8/17/95 (29)	Landskrona, Sweden	IF Elfsborg
22	Kyle Hiebert	D	HE-bert	7/30/97 (27)	Manitoba, Canada	St Louis CITY2
27	Alfredo Morales	M		5/12/90 (34)	Berlin, Germany	San Jose Earthquakes
28	Miguel Perez	M	Mih-gehl	4/28/05 (20)	St. Louis Missouri	St. Louis CITY Academy
29	<i>Nökkvi Þórisson</i>	F	<i>NOOK-vee THOR-ee-sun</i>	<i>8/13/99 (24)</i>	<i>Dalvík, Iceland</i>	<i>Beerschot V.A.</i>
31	Christian Olivares	GK		2/4/02 (22)	Tacoma, Washington	St Louis CITY2
32	Timo Baumgartl	D		3/4/96 (29)	Böblingen, Germany	FC Schalke
33	Tyson Pearce	M		8/12/07 (16)	St. Louis, Missouri	St. Louis CITY Academy
36	Cedric Teuchert	F	SEH-drik TOY-khert	1/14/97 (28)	Coburg, Germany	Hannover 96
38	Jannes Horn	D	YA-ness	2/6/97 (27)	Braunschweig, Germany	1. FC Nurnberg
39	Ben Lundt	GK	LUUND-t	9/24/95 (29)	Berlin, Germany	Phoenix Rising FC
45	Xande Silva	F	SHAHN-day	3/16/97 (28)	Porto, Portugal	Atlanta United
46	Caden Glover	F		3/8/07 (18)	St. Louis, Missouri	St. Louis CITY Academy
59	Mykhi Joyner	F	MICK-eye JOIN-er	8/30/06 (18)	Bloomington, Illinois	St. Louis CITY Academy
70	<i>Selmir Pidro</i>	D	<i>SELL-meer PEE-droh</i>	<i>3/3/98 (26)</i>	<i>Bugojno, Bosnia and Herzegovina</i>	<i>FK Sarajevo</i>
71	Joey Zalinsky	D		1/3/03 (22)	Brick Township, New Jersey	Rutgers University
99	Jayden Reid	D		8/30/01 (23)	Elmont, New York	St Louis CITY2

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MELLBERG HEAD COACH



Mellberg was announced as St. Louis CITY SC's second-ever head coach on November 26, 2024. Mellberg began his managerial career in 2016 at IF Brommapojkarna, a club in the outskirts of Stockholm. Founded over 80 years ago, Brommapojkarna has a strong reputation for youth development, as it boasts the largest academy in Europe with nearly 250 teams and 3,000 players.

Mellberg took charge of the team in Ettan, Sweden's Third Division, and successfully led Brommapojkarna to back-to-back promotions in 2016 and 2017, winning the title in each division each year, to bring the club back to Allsvenskan, Sweden's Top Division. Over the course of those two seasons, Mellberg's side averaged 2.2 points per match with a 44-9-14 (W-L-D) record, 140

goals scored and 58 goals against.

Mellberg then took some time to complete his Coaching License, which included acting as Head Coach of Danish Superligaen (1st division) club BK Fremad Amager for eight matches. He returned to Sweden to coach Helsingborgs IF for a season-and-a-half and rejoined Brommapojkarna in January 2023. The team has competed in Sweden's Top Division during both of those years, with a 10th place finish this year. The 10th place finish is the club's highest table position since it began competing at the top division and it's the first time that the club will be spending three consecutive years in the Top Division.

Mellberg played as a center back in his playing days, having a successful career at the club and national team level. Featuring at notable clubs Aston Villa, Juventus, Olympiacos and Villarreal, he was most prominently known for his playing career at Villa. Mellberg recorded over 232 matches with eight goals at Aston Villa.

For his national team, Mellberg had a 12-year run with Sweden that eclipsed over 100 caps and eight goals as a defender. He featured in four UEFA European Championships (2000, '04, '08 & '12) and two FIFA World Cups (2002 & '06).

TECHNICAL STAFF

Sporting Director: Lutz Pfannenstiel

Technical Director: John Hackworth

Assistant Coach: Azrudin Valentić

Assistant Coach: Elvir Kafedžić

Goalkeeper Coach: Alex Langer

Director of Sports Performance: Jarryd Phillips

First Team Analyst: Aidan Reynolds

Video Analyst: Nico Pretelt



ASSEMBLING ST. LOUIS CITY SC					
Year	Signings	Trades/Transfer	Homegrown Players	MLS SuperDraft	MLS NEXT Pro
2022	Selmir Pidro (2/1) Tomás Ostrák (3/1) João Klauss (3/4) Roman Bürki (3/16) Joakim Nilsson (6/1) Eduard Löwen (6/24) Rasmus Alm (11/8)	Njabulo Blom (12/23)			Kyle Hiebert (8/3) Akil Watts (11/17) Célio Pompeu (11/17)
2023	Tomas Totland (12/21) Nökkvi Þórisson (7/21)	Ben Lundt (1/6) Chris Durkin (12/12)	Caden Glover (1/9) Miguel Perez (2/21) Tyson Pearce (8/17)		Josh Yaro (1/1) Christian Olivares (12/5)
2024	Cedric Teuchert (5/28) Jake Girdwood-Reich (6/3) Marcel Hartel (7/2) Simon Becher (7/23) Jannes Horn (8/2) Timo Baumgartl (11/29)	Henry Kessler (8/3)	Mykhi Joyner (7/17)		Michael Wentzel (7/3) Jay Reid (7/7)
2025	Conrad Wallem (1/17) Alfredo Morales (2/20)	Xande Silva (4/23)			

WELCOME TO CITY, XANDE

- St. Louis CITY SC acquired winger Xande Silva from Atlanta United prior to the close of Major League Soccer's Primary Transfer Window.
- In exchange, Atlanta United will receive a guaranteed \$100,000 in 2025 GAM, and up to \$150,000 in 2026 GAM based on incentives.
- Silva joined Atlanta United during the 2023 summer transfer window and went on to make 40 MLS appearances (27 starts), scoring four goals and adding seven assists.
- Silva netted his first MLS goal in his second career match for Atlanta and finished the 2023 regular season with two goals and three assists in 10 appearances (eight starts), while also adding two more goals during the MLS Cup Playoffs, scoring in both legs of Atlanta's Round One series against Columbus Crew.

SETTING THE TONE DEFENSIVELY

- St. Louis CITY SC kicked off the 2025 MLS season with an impressive defensive run, securing four consecutive clean sheets—a historic first for the club.
- With this strong start, CITY SC became just the third MLS team to begin a season with four straight shutouts, joining the ranks of the 2012 Vancouver Whitecaps and the 2007 New York Red Bulls.
- After two matches without conceding a goal and allowing only a single shot on target, St. Louis set a new MLS milestone as the first team ever to go scoreless and allow just one shot on goal over the opening two games of a season.
- St. Louis' defensive dominance continued as they've conceded just six goals through the first stretch of the season—tied for the fewest in MLS.
- Before his injury, Roman Bürki was in top form, recording three consecutive clean sheets to start the season—a first since joining the club on March 9. For context, it took Bürki and CITY SC eight regular-season matches in 2024 to reach three shutouts.
- After Bürki's injury, Ben Lundt stepped up in goal and earned his first MLS clean sheet and win on March 15, shutting out Seattle for the 1-0 victory, the first time CITY SC earned a victory over the Sounders.
- Lundt made his first MLS career penalty save last weekend against LAFC, stopping Denis Bouanga which eventually earned CITY their first point on the road against LAFC.

NEW HOME: ENERGIZER PARK

- From its inaugural season, CITY SC's home turf quickly earned a reputation as one of the toughest venues for visiting teams in MLS.
- Across the club's first two seasons, St. Louis CITY SC posted an impressive 18-9-7 record at home, scoring multiple goals in all 18 wins—including 12 matches with three goals or more. In total, CITY SC netted 64 goals over 34 matches at the stadium.
- In 39 regular-season home matches, CITY SC has compiled a 19-11-9 record while scoring with 66 total goals. Midfield maestro Eduard Löwen has been the engine at Energizer Park, leading the team in both categories with 9 goals and 13 assists at home.

- In fall 2024, the club announced a landmark partnership with longtime St. Louis brand Energizer, reintroducing the iconic stadium as Energizer Park.
- Energizer, a global leader in portable power with deep roots in St. Louis, joined forces with CITY SC to connect with the sport's growing fanbase and energize the city's continued renaissance.
- The stadium now known as Energizer Park sits at the heart of the largest urban professional sports campus in the U.S., and has become synonymous with electric crowds, sold-out matches, and one of the best fan experiences in North American soccer.
- With a 22,500-seat capacity, the venue has also become a go-to destination for marquee international matches, including U.S. Men's and Women's National Team fixtures. In 2024, it earned global recognition when UNESCO named it to the prestigious Prix Versailles "World's Most Beautiful Sports Venues" list.

MARCEL HARTEL: A GAME-CHANGER

- St. Louis CITY SC made a major move last summer, signing Marcel Hartel to a Designated Player contract after a standout career in Germany.
- Before joining CITY SC, Hartel was instrumental in FC St. Pauli's promotion to the Bundesliga, scoring 17 goals and providing 13 assists to lead the club back to Germany's top division for the first time since the 2010-11 season.
- Over three seasons with St. Pauli, Hartel amassed an impressive 59 goal contributions (28 goals, 31 assists) across all competitions.
- After stints with Union Berlin and Arminia Bielefeld, Hartel helped Bielefeld earn promotion to the Bundesliga in the 2019-20 season, contributing one goal and 13 assists along the way.
- Last season, Hartel made an incredible impact for CITY SC in just nine games, recording 10 goal contributions (3 goals, 7 assists).
- His performances tied the record for the fewest games played by a player to lead a team in goal contributions in a season, matching C. Mathis for the MetroStars in 2001 and D. Koevermans for Toronto FC in 2011.
- Hartel scored his first MLS goal, a game-winner, in a 2-1 home win over LA Galaxy.
- This season, he opened his account, netting his first goal of the campaign in a 3-0 road victory against the Galaxy.

FROM GERMANY TO THE LOU

- St. Louis CITY SC Sporting Director Lutz Pfannenstiel has leaned into familiar territory when building the club's roster, tapping heavily into the German football pipeline.
- Of the current squad, 12 players were either born in Germany or have spent time in the Bundesliga or 2. Bundesliga, a testament to Pfannenstiel's strong ties to the region.
- That group includes: Roman Bürki, Joakim Nilsson, Tomáš Ostrák,



Klauss, Eduard Löwen, Michael Wentzel, Marcel Hartel, Alfredo Morales, Timo Baumgartl, Cedric Teuchert, Jannes Horn, and Ben Lundt.

- ▷ German-born players Hartel, Teuchert, Löwen, Baumgartl, and Horn all featured for Germany's youth national teams, including time with the U-21 squad.
- ▷ Alfredo Morales, also born in Germany, spent most of his professional career in the Bundesliga, though he represented the U.S. Men's National Team at the international level.
- ▷ Players like Bürki, Nilsson, Klauss, and Ostrák, while not born in Germany, developed and competed in the Bundesliga system before joining CITY SC.
- ▷ There's also club chemistry already in place—Hartel and Nilsson were teammates at Arminia Bielefeld for two seasons before reuniting in St. Louis.

LET'S RUN IT BACK?

- ▷ St. Louis CITY SC found their rhythm late last season, hitting their stride in the attack and making a run to the second round of the Leagues Cup.
- ▷ The midseason arrivals of Simon Becher, Marcel Hartel, and Cedric Teuchert proved transformative—each hitting the ground running and giving CITY SC a dynamic new edge up front.
- ▷ In their final 14 matches of the 2024 season, St. Louis posted a 6-4-4 record, scoring 27 goals—nearly two per game. Of those, 18 goals came from the trio of Hartel, Teuchert, and Becher.
- ▷ Hartel led the team in goal contributions last season with 10 (3 goals, 7 assists) in just nine appearances, tying an MLS record for the fewest games played by a team's top contributor in a season (C. Mathis, 2001; D. Koevermans, 2011).
- ▷ Teuchert added five goals and four assists in only 10 regular-season matches, while Becher played a key role in CITY SC's late-season push.
- ▷ Combined, the trio tallied 29 goal contributions after joining in the summer transfer window.
- ▷ The chemistry continued into 2025, as all three scored in a statement 3-0 win over LA Galaxy on March 9—the club's first victory of the new season.
- ▷ That match marked the second time the trio all found the back of the net in the same game—the first coming in a 3-1 win against Portland Timbers on August 9, 2024.

SWISS WALL STANDS TALL

- ▷ In his debut MLS season, Roman Bürki was named the 2023 Allstate MLS Goalkeeper of the Year, edging out top contenders from FC Cincinnati and Orlando City.
- ▷ He was also honored with a spot on the MLS Best XI and selected as an All-Star in each of his first two seasons with St. Louis CITY SC.
- ▷ Bürki made an immediate impact in goal, leading the league in goals prevented and posting the most wins (17) by a goalkeeper in their first MLS season during the post-shootout era.

- ▷ He also set a league benchmark by conceding the fewest goals (42) among goalkeepers who played at least 30 games for an expansion team in a full 34-game season.
- ▷ Now in 2025, Bürki has picked up right where he left off—opening the season with three consecutive shutouts, the longest shutout streak of his professional career.
- ▷ As captain and defensive anchor, he's allowed one goal or fewer in seven of his last eight MLS appearances, reinforcing his status as one of the league's elite goalkeepers.

BACK IN THE MIX

- ▷ Tomáš Ostrák and Célio Pompeu both made their return to the pitch this preseason after missing significant time in 2024 due to season-ending injuries.
- ▷ Pompeu was sidelined for 235 days after suffering an ankle dislocation and fibula fracture that required surgery in June. He was in the midst of a breakout season, recording 3 goals, 3 assists, 15 starts, and 1,246 minutes—all career highs—before the injury.
- ▷ After more than nine months of recovery, Pompeu rejoined full training in preseason and featured in three matches at the Coachella Valley Invitational, where he logged two assists.
- ▷ Ostrák missed 263 days after undergoing surgery for an ankle injury sustained in training on May 24, 2024. Before the setback, he had made 12 appearances and tallied 1 goal and 2 assists.
- ▷ Both midfielders are back in the mix for 2025, aiming to build on their promising form from last season.

ST. LOUIS DEVELOPMENT PIPELINE

- ▷ Since its launch in 2022, St. Louis CITY2—the development team for St. Louis CITY SC—has played a key role in building the foundation of the first team while achieving early success on the field.
- ▷ In its inaugural MLS NEXT Pro season, CITY2 made an immediate statement by winning both the Western Conference regular-season title and the Western Conference tournament championship.
- ▷ That first-year squad produced five first-team signings heading into 2023: Kyle Hiebert, Josh Yaro, Célio Pompeu, Akil Watts, and Michael Creek (now with FC Tulsa).
- ▷ In 2024, John Klein, Michael Wentzel, and Jayden Reid joined the list of CITY2 alums earning first-team contracts, bringing the total to 10 players promoted from CITY2 to the senior squad.
- ▷ In total, 24 players have logged minutes for both CITY2 and the first team.

ACTIVE STREAKS

GOALS

Player	Games	Goals
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ASSISTS

Player	Games	Assists
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GOALS+ASSISTS

Player	Games	G/A
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SHUTOUTS

Player	Games	SO
Roman Bürki [^]	3	3

* Across all competitions

[^] League Play

2025 STREAK

GOALS

Player	Games	Date
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ASSISTS

Player	Games	Date
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GOALS+ASSISTS

Player	Games	Date
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SHUTOUTS

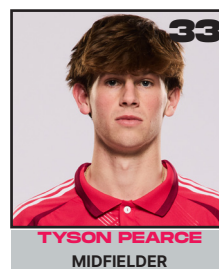
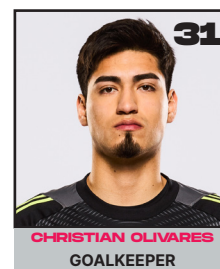
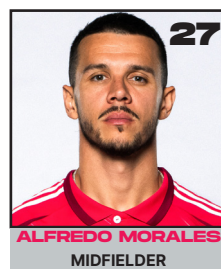
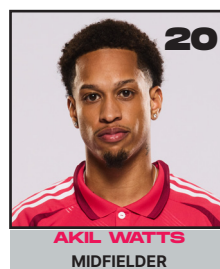
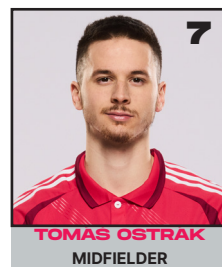
Player	Games	Date
Roman Bürki [^]	3	2/22-3/09

* Across all competitions

[^] League Play



HEADSHOTS





STATS LEADERS (REGULAR SEASON)

GOALS

Cedric Teuchert	2
Marcel Hartel	1
João Klauss	1
Simon Becher	1
Eduard Löwen	1

ASSISTS

Henry Kessler	1
Kyle Hiebert	1
Cedric Teuchert	1
Jannes Horn	1
Timo Baumgartl	1

MINUTES PLAYED

Marcel Hartel	893
Kyle Hiebert	878
Conrad Wallem	737
Henry Kessler	720
Akil Watts	694

GAMES PLAYED

Simon Becher	10
Marcel Hartel	10
Kyle Hiebert	10
Akil Watts	10
Alfredo Morales	10

GAMES STARTED

Marcel Hartel	10
Kyle Hiebert	10
Conrad Wallem	9
Henry Kessler	8
Jannes Horn	7

SHOTS

Marcel Hartel	19
João Klauss	17
Simon Becher	15
Conrad Wallem	11
Cedric Teuchert	11

SHOTS ON GOAL

Marcel Hartel	9
Simon Becher	8
João Klauss	8
Conrad Wallem	5
Cedric Teuchert	4

KEY PASSES

Marcel Hartel	23
Conrad Wallem	7
Eduard Löwen	6
Akil Watts	6
Kyle Hiebert	5

SAVES

Ben Lundt	24
Roman Bürki	9



ENERGIZER PARK



FAST FACTS

OPENING

- + Soft opening Nov. 16, 2022
- + Complete for 2023 MLS season

SITE SIZE

- + 31 acres / 12.5 hectares

STADIUM CAPACITY

- + 22,500 seats

COST

- + \$458 million

PREMIUM AMENITIES

- + 28 suites
- + 32 pitch boxes
- + Two club offerings
- + Safe standing supporter section

PUBLIC TRANSIT

- + Via Union Station MetroLink stop

TEAM FACILITIES

- + Union Plaza HQ (coming soon)
- + Washington University Orthopedics
- + High-Performance Center
- + Three training fields (two natural grass, one turf)
- + CITY Pavilion retail store and café
- + Premium parking garage (with electric charging and bike parking)

DESIGN TEAM

- + Snow Kreilich Architects + HOK

CONSTRUCTION TEAM

- + Mortenson Construction
- + Alberici
- + R. Keeley

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OVERVIEW

The STL CITY SC ownership group is committed to investing in the growth of the city they love and believe Energizer Park, St. Louis' state-of-the-art soccer stadium, plays an important role in continuing to build the positive momentum happening throughout the St. Louis region. As the team looks to fuel St. Louis' continued growth and renaissance, Energizer Park reflects many of St. Louis' most amazing attributes, including its diverse neighborhoods, growing culinary scene, innovative technology, inviting community and spirit of a new St. Louis.

Energizer Park and its surrounding stadium district is the largest urban professional sports campus in the U.S. and the only one with a stadium, team headquarters, and practice facility all within the same footprint. The 31 acre urban campus in Downtown West will help unite the region around its love of sports and serve as the heartbeat of St. Louis by creating a 24/7/365 fan and community experience that encourages visitors and development to Downtown St. Louis.

MLS Commissioner Don Garber said that this comprehensive stadium plan will "serve as a model for future professional sports teams in the U.S."

Anchored by a compact stadium that fits comfortably into its urban neighborhood, the district include spaces for hosting year-round community events, concerts, festivals and other outdoor activities. As a part of the stadium district design vision, every side of the stadium – North, East, South, West – will be open and inclusive and have no back door, with all back of house services occurring via a tunnel below Market Street and fans welcome from every side.

The 22,500-seat Energizer Park is open and transparent, with views into the field from the neighborhood and views out to the city from the seating bowl. The main concourse is level with the west end of Lou Fusz Plaza, reinforcing the pedestrian scale. Its sleek form features a portico along with tall, slender columns that frame the upper seating bowl. A flat canopy fabricated from material that reflects light like the Gateway Arch, provides protection for fans while letting in daylight and amplifies fan noise.

The stadium provides a range of fan experiences, including general seating areas, heart-pounding supporter section and across diverse premium offerings and clubs, include the VIP Pitch Club, Together Credit Union Club, ULTRA Club, and the CITY-owned brew pub.

The 100% local STLMade food experience at Energizer Park, designed by James Beard award-winning Chef Gerard Craft, brings to life the next generation of in-stadium convenience, with state-of-the-art "connected stadium" technologies and modern design features including: dedicated mobile-order ahead via the CITY mobile app, frictionless CITY Go walkout markets, self-service kiosks and mobile wallet/pay technologies to decrease transaction times and increase overall fan convenience.

Energizer Park's state-of-the-art Wi-Fi and communications technology are layered on top of the physical stadium, creating an exceptional fan experience. CITY SC worked with fans and members of the local community to develop everything from partner restaurants to the "music of St. Louis" setting the mood for a truly St. Louis experience.

The first majority female-owned club in MLS history is anchored in the STLMade movement, with a vision to be more than a soccer team and working to be something transformational for the St. Louis region. Energizer Park is our home.



TRENDS & MISCELLANEOUS

	Overall	Home	Road	Neutral
Overall:	2-4-4	1-2-2	1-2-2	-
US Open Cup:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
MLS Regular Season:	2-4-4	1-2-2	1-2-2	-
vs. West	2-3-4	1-2-2	1-1-2	-
vs. East:	0-1-0	0-0-0	0-1-0	-
Scoring First:	2-1-1	1-1-0	1-0-1	-
Opp. Scoring First:	0-3-0	0-1-0	0-2-0	-
Leading at Halftime:	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	-
Trailing at Halftime:	0-2-0	0-1-0	0-1-0	-
Tied at Halftime:	0-2-4	0-1-2	0-1-2	-
Leading at 75':	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	-
Trailing at 75':	0-4-0	0-2-0	0-2-0	-
Tied at 75':	0-0-4	0-0-2	0-0-2	-
One-Goal Games:	1-2-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	-
Scoring 0 Goals:	0-3-3	0-1-2	0-2-1	-
Scoring 1 Goal:	0-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0	-
Scoring 2 Goals:	0-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-1	-
Scoring 3+ Goals:	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	-
Allowing 0 Goals:	2-0-3	1-0-2	1-0-1	-
Allowing 1 Goal:	0-2-0	0-1-0	0-1-0	-
Allowing 2 Goals:	0-2-1	0-1-0	0-1-1	-
Allowing 3+ Goals:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
Day Games:	1-1-0	0-1-0	1-0-0	-
Night Games:	1-3-4	1-1-2	0-2-2	-
On Weekends:	2-4-4	1-2-2	1-2-2	-
Sunday Soccer:	1-2-1	0-2-0	1-0-1	-
Midweek:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In Primary Kit:	2-3-2	1-2-2	1-1-0	-
In Confluence Kit:	0-1-2	0-0-0	0-1-2	-
On FOX/Fox Sports 1:	0-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0	-
On MLS Season Pass	2-4-4	1-2-2	1-2-2	-
In February	0-0-1	0-0-1	0-0-0	-
In March	2-2-1	1-1-0	1-1-1	-
In April:	0-2-2	0-1-1	0-1-1	-
In May:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In June:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In July:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In August:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In September:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In October:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-
In November:	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	-

Quickest Goal:	Exact Time
7' - Klauss, CLB, Apr 13	6:30
15' - Eduard Löwen, SEA, Mar 15	14:28
44' - Cedric Teuchert, LA, Mar 9	43:35
49' - Marcel Hartel, LA, Mar 9	48:15
52' - Cedric Teuchert, LAFC, Apr 27	51:01

Quickest Goal Against:	
8' - Ian Glavinovich, PHI, Mar 22	7:48
33' - Myrto Uzuni, ATX, Mar 30	32:50
45+2' - Steven Moreira, CLB, Apr 13	46:08
55' - Diego Rossi, CLB, Apr 13	54:30
71' - Dejan Joveljic SKC, Apr 5	70:58

Gm. Winning Goals after 75':
-

Multi-Goal Games:
-

Multi-Goal Games Against:
Dejan Joveljic, SKC, Apr 5 (2)
Denis Bouanga, LAFC, Apr 27 (2)

Multi-Assist Games:
-

Multi-Assist Games Against:
-

Hat Tricks:
-

Hat Tricks Against:
-

Own Goals For:
Nathan Ordaz, LAFC, Apr 27

Own Goals Against:
-

Red Cards:
8' - Eduard Löwen, PHI, Mar 22

Opp. Red Cards:
-



ALL COMPETITION TOTALS

2025 ALL COMPETITIONS RECORD: 2-4-3 (HOME: 1-2-2; AWAY: 1-2-1; NEUTRAL: (0-0-0)

MLS REGULAR SEASON RECORD: 2-4-3 (HOME: 1-2-2; AWAY: 1-2-1; NEUTRAL: ---)

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT.	W-L-T	POS.	PTS	NOTES:
Sat.	Feb. 22	Colorado Rapids	T, 0-0	22, 423	0-0-1	8	1	-
Sat.	Mar. 1	at San Diego FC	T, 0-0	34, 506	0-0-2	11	2	-
Sun.	Mar. 9	at LA Galaxy	W, 3-0	19, 271	1-0-2	6	5	STL: Teuchert (44'), Hartel (49'), Becher (84')
Sat.	Mar. 15	Seattle Sounders	W, 1-0	22, 423	2-0-2	3	8	STL: Löwen (15')
Sat.	Mar. 22	at Philadelphia Union	L, 0-1	18, 639	2-1-2	5	8	PHI: Glavinovich (8')
Sun.	Mar. 30	Austin FC	L, 0-1	22, 423	2-2-2	9	8	ATX: Uzuni (33')
Sat.	Apr. 5	at Sporting KC	L, 0-2	18, 116	2-3-2	11	8	SKC: Joveljic (71', 88')
Sun.	Apr. 13	Columbus Crew	L, 1-2	22, 423	2-4-2	12	8	STL: Klauss (7'); CLB: Moreira (45+2'), Rossi (55')
Sat.	Apr. 19	Vancouver Whitecaps	T, 0-0	22, 423	2-4-3	12	9	-
Sun.	Apr. 27	at LAFC	T, 2-2	22, 212	2-4-4	12	10	STL: Teuchert (52'), Ordaz OG (89'); LAFC: Bouanga (70', 90+5')
Sat.	May 3	at Seattle Sounders	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	May 10	San Diego	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wed.	May 14	Sporting KC	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	May 17	at Minnesota United	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	May 24	at Colorado Rapids	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	May 31	San Jose	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sun.	Jun. 8	at Portland Timbers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Jun. 14	LA Galaxy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wed.	Jun. 25	Orlando City	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Jun. 28	at Houston Dynamo	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Jul. 5	at Real Salt Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sun.	Jul. 13	Portland Timbers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Jul. 19	at FC Dallas	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Jul. 26	Minnesota United	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 9	Nashville SC	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 16	at Chicago Fire	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 23	at Vancouver	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 30	Houston Dynamo	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 6	FC Dallas	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 13	at Montreal	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 20	at San Jose	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 27	LAFC	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Oct. 4	at Austin FC	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sat.	Oct. 18	Real Salt Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-

Bold - Home Game



STARTING XI GAME-BY-GAME

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	LINEUP
Sat.	Feb. 22	Colorado	T, 0-0	Bürki © Yaro Kessler Hiebert Totland Horn Löwen Watts Hartel Becher Klauss
Sat.	Mar. 1	at San Diego	T, 0-0	Bürki © Hiebert Kessler Horn Totland Wallem Löwen Watts Hartel Becher Teuchert
Sun.	Mar. 9	at LA Galaxy	W, 3-0	Bürki © Hiebert Kessler Horn Totland Wallem Löwen Durkin Hartel Klauss Teuchert
Sat.	Mar. 22	at Philadelphia	L, 0-1	Lundt Hiebert Kessler Horn Watts Wallem Löwen Durkin Hartel © Becher Teuchert
Sun.	Mar. 30	Austin	L, 0-1	Lundt Yaro Kessler Nilsson Watts Horn Wallem Durkin Morales Hartel © Becher
Sat.	Apr. 5	at Sporting KC	L, 0-2	Lundt Yaro Kessler Nilsson Watts Hiebert Horn Wallem Hartel © Wallem Pompeu Klauss
Sun.	Apr. 13	Columbus	L, 1-2	Lundt Yaro Kessler Baumgartl Watts Hiebert Morales Hartel © Wallem Pompeu Klauss
Sat.	Apr. 19	Vancouver	T, 0-0	Lundt Yaro Baumgartl Hiebert Watts Wallem Morales Hartel © Pompeu Teuchert Klauss
Sun.	Apr. 27	at LAFC	T, 0-0	Lundt Yaro Baumgartl Hiebert Horn Wallem Morales Ostrak Hartel © Teuchert Klauss
Sat.	May 3	at Seattle	-	-
Sat.	May 10	San Diego	-	-
Wed.	May 14	Sporting KC	-	-
Sat.	May 17	at Minnesota	-	-
Sat.	May 24	at Colorado	-	-
Sat.	May 31	San Jose	-	-
Sun.	Jun. 8	at Portland	-	-
Sat.	Jun. 14	LA Galaxy	-	-
Wed.	Jun. 25	Orlando	-	-
Sat.	Jun. 28	at Houston	-	-
Sat.	Jul. 5	at Real Salt Lake	-	-
Sun.	Jul. 13	Portland	-	-
Sat.	Jul. 19	at FC Dallas	-	-
Sat.	Jul. 26	Minnesota	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 9	Nashville	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 16	at Chicago	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 23	at Vancouver	-	-
Sat.	Aug. 30	Houston	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 6	FC Dallas	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 13	at Montreal	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 20	at San Jose	-	-
Sat.	Sep. 27	LAFC	-	-
Sat.	Oct. 4	at Austin	-	-
Sat.	Oct. 18	Real Salt Lake	-	-

Regular - 3-5-2 formation



2025 MLS REGULAR SEASON PLAYER STATS

#	POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHT	SOG	FC	FS	OFF	CK	C	E
21	M	Rasmus Alm	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	D	Timo Baumgartl	5	3	283	0	1	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
11	F	Simon Becher	10	4	429	1	0	15	8	6	13	6	0	2	0
1	G	Roman Buerki	3	3	270	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
8	M	Chris Durkin	5	4	343	0	0	4	0	10	5	1	0	2	0
3	M	Jake Girdwood-Reich	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
46	F	Caden Glover	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	M	Marcel Hartel	10	10	893	1	0	19	9	4	6	3	33	0	0
22	D	Kyle Hiebert	10	10	878	0	1	2	1	5	4	0	0	2	0
38	D	Jannes Horn	7	7	562	0	1	2	0	2	5	0	0	2	0
59	F	Mykhi Joyner	3	0	39	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
5	D	Henry Kessler	8	8	720	0	1	2	0	8	8	1	0	2	0
9	F	Joao Klauss	9	6	563	1	0	17	8	13	13	3	0	1	0
10	M	Eduard Loewen	5	5	348	1	0	3	1	6	4	0	10	2	1
39	GK	Ben Lundt	7	7	630	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
27	M	Alfredo Morales	10	5	522	0	0	2	0	7	6	0	0	2	1
4	D	Joakim Nilsson	5	2	111	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
31	GK	Christian Olivares	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	M	Tomas Ostrak	5	1	157	0	0	4	0	2	3	0	0	1	0
33	M	Tyson Pearce	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	M	Miguel Perez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	F	Celio Pompeu	7	3	322	0	0	4	1	8	7	0	1	1	0
99	D	Jayden Reid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45	F	Xande Silva	7	2	224	0	1	5	0	8	7	1	0	0	0
36	F	Cedric Teuchert	9	7	465	2	1	11	4	5	8	5	0	1	0
14	D	Tomas Totland	4	4	337	0	0	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
6	M	Conrad Wallem	10	9	737	0	0	11	5	19	16	3	0	3	0
20	M	Akil Watts	10	6	694	0	0	7	2	9	11	0	0	1	0
13	D	Michael Wentzel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	D	Joshua Yaro	10	5	566	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0
71	D	Joey Zalinsky	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Own Goals received						1									
TEAM			10	10	900	7	5	112	41	110	129	23	44	23	2
OPPONENT			10	10	900	8	9	140	41	129	110	12	55	23	0

GAME-WINNING GOALS: Cedric Teuchert, Eduard Löwen

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS: Henry Kessler

PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS: -

#	POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SV	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
1	GK	Roman Buerki	3	3	270	9	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3
39	GK	Ben Lundt	7	7	630	32	24	8	1.14	0	1	1	4	2	2
TEAM			10	10	900	41	33	9	0.8	0	1	2	4	4	5
OPPONENT			10	10	900	41	31	7	0.7	0	0	4	2	4	6