

DATE: 4/16/16 KICKOFF: 7:30pm VENUE: MICHAEL A. CARROLL STADIUM



MATCH INFORMATION

DATE: APRIL 16, 2016

LOCATION: : MICHAEL A. CARROLL STADIUM

KICKOFF: 7:30 PM ET TV: ONE WORLD SPORTS

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2	016 SPRING SCHEDULE	
SUN APR 3	VS OTTAWA FURY FC	W 3-0
SUN APR 10	VS JACKSONVILLE ARAMADA FC	M 5-0
SAT APR 16	AT INDY ELEVEN	7:30PM
SAT APR 23	AT MINNESOTA UNITED FC	8:00PM
SAT MAY 1	VS CAROLINA RAILHAWKS	6:00PM
SAT MAY 7	AT MIAMI FC	8:00PM
SUN MAY 15	AT FC EDMONTON	4:00PM
SUN MAY 22	VS TAMPA BAY ROWDIES	6:00PM
SAT. MAY 28	VS RAYO OKC	7:00PM
SAT JUNE 4	VS FT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	7:00PM

	2016 FALL SCHEDULE	
SAT JUL 2	VS OTTAWA FURY FC	7:00PM
SAT JUL 9	AT MIAMI FC	8:00PM
WED JUL 13	VS JACKSONVILLE ARMADA FC	7:30PM
SAT JUL 16	AT RAYO OKC	9:00PM
SAT JUL 23	AT TAMPA BAY ROWDIES	7:30PM
WED JUL 27	AT FC EDMONTON	9:00PM
SAT JUL 30	VS PUERTO RICO FC	7:00PM
SUN AUG 7	VS RAYO OKC	5:00PM
SAT AUG 13	VS TAMPA BAY ROWDIES	7:00PM
SAT AUG 20	AT PUERTO RICO FC	7:30PM
SAT AUG 27	VS CAROLINA RAILHAWKS	7:00PM
WED AUG 31	VS INDY ELEVEN	7:30PM
SAT SEP 3	AT FT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	7:00PM
SAT SEP 10	VS MINNESOTA UNITED FC	7:00PM
SAT SEP 17	VS FC EDMONTON	7:00PM
SAT SEP 24	AT INDY ELEVEN	7:30PM
WED SEP 28	AT CAROLINA RAILHAWKS	7:30PM
SUN OCT 2	VS FT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	6:00PM
SUN OCT 9	AT OTTAWA FURY FC	2:00PM
SAT OCT 15	AT JACKSONVILLE ARMADA FC	7:00PM
SAT OCT 22	VS MIAMI FC	7:00PM
SAT OCT 29	AT MINNESOTA UNITED FC	8:00PM

TECHNICAL STAFF					
NAME	POSITION				
GIOVANNI SAVARESE	HEAD COACH				
CARLOS LLAMOSA	ASSISTANT COACH				
ALECKO ESKANDARIAN	ASSISTANT COACH				
GUILLERMO VALENCIA	GOALKEEPER COACH				
LUIS GUTIERREZ	STRENGTH & CONDITIONING COACH				
JACK GAETA	MANAGER OF TEAM OPERATIONS				
LUKE SASSANO	ASSISTANT TECHNICAL DIRECTOR				
SERGIO IBARRA	ATHLETIC TRAINER				

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#	Р	NAME	HT	WT	DOB	HOMETOWN
1	G	JIMMY MAURER	6'2"	189 lbs	10/14/88	LAWRENCEVILLE, GA.
5	D	HUNTER FREEMAN	6'0''	169 lbs	1/8/85	TYLER, TEXAS
3	D	DAVID OCHIENG	6'2"	185 lbs	10/7/92	NAIROBI, KENYA
4	D	CARLOS MENDES	5'10"	184 lbs	12/25/80	MINEOLA, N.Y.
5	M	NIKO KRANJČAR	6'1"	176 lbs	8/13/84	ZAGREB, CROATIA
6	D	ROVÉRSIO	6'2"	185 lbs	1/17/84	ITAMARACA, BRAZIL
7	F	YASMANI DUK	5'10"	165 lbs	3/1/88	SANTA CRUZ DE LA SIERRA, BOLIVIA
8	M	MICHAEL LAHOUD	5'8''	162 lbs	9/15/86	FREETOWN, SIERRA LEONE
11	M	ANDRÉS FLORES	5'6''	149 lbs	8/31/90	SAN SALVADOR, EL SALVADOR
12	G	KYLE ZOBECK	6'0"	180 lbs	2/6/90	CORALVILLE, IOWA
13	M	SEBASTIÁN GUENZATTI	5'10"	149 lbs	7/8/91	MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY
14	M	DANIEL SZETELA	5'10"	167 lbs	6/17/87	CLIFTON, N.J.
15	M	RUBEN BOVER	5'10"	157 lbs	6/24/92	MALLORCA, SPAIN
16	M	ADAM MOFFAT	6'0"	173 lbs	5/15/86	GLASGOW, SCOTLAND
17	D	AYOZE	5'7''	149 lbs	11/22/85	PUERTO DE LA CRUZ, SPAIN
18	M	JUAN ARANGO	5'11"	168 lbs	5/16/80	MARACAY, VENEZUELA
19	M	YOHANDRY OROZCO	5'5"	130 lbs	3/19/91	MARACAIBO, VENEZUELA
21	D	DAVID DIOSA	5'6''	138 lbs	12/4/92	MEDELLIN, COLOMBIA
23	D	JIMMY OCKFORD	6'1"	185 lbs	6/10/92	YARDLEY, PA.
24	G	BRIAN HOLT	5'9"	165 lbs	11/14/88	OMAHA, NEB.
25	F	JAIRO ARRIETA	5'9''	150 lbs	8/25/83	NICOYA, COSTA RICA
26	M	ERIC CALVILLO	5'7''	138 lbs	1/2/98	PALMDALE, CALIF.
27	D	GABRIEL FARFÁN	5'10"	165 lbs	6/23/88	SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
29	D	ALEXIS VELELA	5'8''	155 lbs	4/17/98	SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
77	F	LUCKY MKOSANA	5'8''	170 lbs	9/30/87	BULAWAYO, ZIMBABWE

	2016 SPRING S	STA	ND)	ING	S		
#	TEAM	GP	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	NEW YORK COSMOS	2	5	0	0	5	6
2	CAROLINA RAILHAWKS	2	2	0	0	2	6
3	MINNESOTA UNITED FC	2	1	0	1	1	3
4	4 MIAMI FC		0	2	0	0	2
5	TAMPA BAY ROWDIES	2	0	2	0	0	2
6	INDY ELEVEN	2	0	2	0	0	2
7	FT LAUDERDALE STRIKERS	1	0	1	0	0	1
8	RAYO OKC	2	0	1	1	-1	1
9	FC EDMONTON		0	1	1	-2	1
10	OTTAWA FURY FC	2	0	1	1	-3	1
11	JACKSONVILLE ARMADA FC	1	0	0	1	-2	0

NASL PLAYER OF THE WEEK				
NAME	WEEK			
JUAN ARANGO	WEEK 1			

NASL TEAM OF THE WEEK						
NAME	WEEK					
JUAN ARANGO	WEEK 1					
JAIRO ARRIETA	WEEK 1, WEEK 2					
HUNTER FREEMAN	MEEK 5					
NIKO KRANJČAR	WEEK 2					



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PREVIOUS MATCH REPORT

HEMPSTEAD, N.Y. - The New York Cosmos remained atop of the NASL Spring Season standings after defeating Jacksonville Armada FC 2-0 at Hofstra University's Shuart Stadium Sunday evening.

Forward Jairo Arrieta scored his first Cosmos goal and midfielder Adam Moffat scored his second in as many matches.

Given the starting role up top for a second straight match, Arrieta opened the scoring in the 29th minute. Cosmos goalkeeper Jimmy Maurer played a ball deep inside Jacksonville Armada FC's territory that midfielder Juan Arango headed into space for Arrieta. The Costa Rican did not squander his chance, blasting a one-timer off the body of Armada goalkeeper Miguel Gallardo that trickled past the goal line for the go-ahead tally. Arrieta earned Emirates Man of the Match honors, while Maurer recorded his second consecutive shutout.

"We were fighting, and we found a goal in the first half that gave us some oxygen," said Cosmos Head Coach Giovanni Savarese after the match.

"I've tried to repay the coaching staff for trusting me," Arrieta said. "Juan [Arango] and I have formed a partnership where he moves ahead of me or vice-versa to try to confuse our opponent."

Halftime substitute Adam Moffat scored next to give New York some breathing room. In the 55th minute Croatian midfielder Niko Kranjčar, making his first Cosmos start, found a wide-open Moffat at the edge of the penalty area. The Scottish midfielder welcomed the look with a blast to the far side and past Gallardo.

"The second half was different. We looked more like ourselves," Savarese said. "The clean sheet for us was very important."

"It's great coming in and making an impact," said Moffat. "To have some effect on the game by scoring felt good."

Arrieta and Arango nearly combined for a third Cosmos goal in the 90th minute, when Arrieta

	COSMOS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE						
#	Р	NAME	FIRST	LAST			
1	G	JIMMY MAURER	Jimmy	Mow-er			
2	D	HUNTER FREEMAN	Hun-ter	Free-man			
3	D	DAVID OCHIENG	Da-vid	O-chee-eng			
4	D	CARLOS MENDES	Car-los	Men-dez			
5	M	NIKO KRANJČAR	Nee-koh	Kran-shaar			
6	D	ROVÉRSIO	Ro-verseeo				
7	F	YASMANI DUK	Yahs-maanee	Dook			
8	M	MICHAEL LAHOUD	Michael	La-hood			
11	M	ANDRÉS FLORES	Ahn-dréas	Flor-ez			
12	G	KYLE ZOBECK	Kyle	Zoh-behk			
13	M	SEBASTIÁN GUENZATTI	Suh-bash-chuhn	Gwen-zaati			
14	M	DANNY SZETELA	Dan-knee	Zee-tella			
15	M	RUBEN BOVER	Roo-ben	Bo-ver			
16	M	ADAM MOFFAT	Adam	Mahff-it			
17	D	AYOZE	Aigh-yo-say				
18	M	JUAN ARANGO	Wahn	Uh-rahn-go			
19	M	YOHANDRY OROZCO	Yo-hanh-dree	Oh-rahz-ko			
21	D	David Diosa	Da-vid	Dee-ohsa			
23	D	JIMMY OCKFORD	Jimmy	Ohk-ferd			
24	G	BRIAN HOLT	Bri-an	Hohlt			
25	F	JAIRO ARRIETA	High-roh	Arr-ee-ehta			
26	M	ERIC CALVILLO	Eric	Cal-veeyo			
27	D	GABRIEL FARFÁN	Gah-bree-el	Far-fáhn			
29	D	ALEXIS VELELA	Uh-leks-is	Veh-lel-uh			
77	F	LUCKY MKOSANA	Lucky	Ko-sana			

weaved through defenders and left the ball for Arango. The ensuing shot was partially blocked and caromed off the crossbar.

With the victory the Cosmos improve to 2-0-0 on the young NASL season, remaining atop the Spring Season standings with six points and a threegoal advantage on the Carolina RailHawks in goal differential.



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		2015 OVERALL INDI	EVIDUA	L STAT	s - cos	MOS			
#	Р	NAME	GP	GS	MIN	G	Α	γ	R
1	G	JIMMY MAURER	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
5	D	HUNTER FREEMAN	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
3	D	DAVID OCHIENG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	D	CARLOS MENDES	2	2	180	0	0	0	0
5	M	NIKO KRANJČAR	2	1	88	0	1	0	0
6	D	ROVÉRSIO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	F	YASMANI DUK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	M	MICHAEL LAHOUD	5	2	180	0	0	0	0
11	M	ANDRÉS FLORES	5	1	105	0	0	0	0
12	G	KYLE ZOBECK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	M	SEBASTIÁN GUENZATTI	5	2	170	0	0	1	0
14	M	DANNY SZETELA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	M	RUBEN BOVER	5	2	108	0	0	1	0
16	M	ADAM MOFFAT	5	0	72	2	0	0	0
17	D	AYOZE	5	2	180	0	0	0	0
18	M	JUAN ARANGO	5	2	167	2	1	0	0
19	M	YOHANDRY OROZCO	1	0	10	0	0	0	0
21	D	DAVID DIOSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	D	JIMMY OCKFORD	5	2	180	0	0	0	0
24	G	BRIAN HOLT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	F	JAIRO ARRIETA	5	2	176	1	1	5	0
26	M	ERIC CALVILLO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	D	GABRIEL FARFÁN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	D	ALEXIS VELELA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
77	F	LUCKY MKOSANA	1	0	4	0	0	0	0

SPRING 2016 D	ETAILED GA	ME STATS
4/3/16 vs OTT	NYC	OTT
GOALS	3	0
POSSESSION	52.7%	47.3%
CORNERS	2	7
SHOTS ON TARGET	7	3
SHOTS OFF TARGET	3	3
FOULS	14	10

4/10/16 vs JAX	NYC	JAX
GOALS	2	0
POSSESSION	49.5%	50.5%
CORNERS	0	10
SHOTS ON TARGET	4	1
SHOTS OFF TARGET	2	1
FOULS	16	12

	SPRING 2016 STARTING LINEUPS								
DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	GK	DEFENDERS	MIDFIELDERS	FORWARDS	GOALS	UNUSED SUBS	
4/3/16 vs OTT	Ottawa Fury FC	W 3-0	Maurer	Ayoze, C. Mendes, Ockford, Freeman			Arango - 36' (Arrieta), Arango - 38', Moffat - 71'	Holt, Ochieng, Orozco, Farfán	
4/10/16 vs JAX	Jacksonville Armada FC	M 5-0	Maurer	Ayoze, C. Mendes, Ockford, Freeman	Kranjčar (Flores 75'), Bover (Moffat 45'), Lahoud, Arango, Guenzatti (Orozco 80')	Arrieta	Arrieta - 29' (Arango), Moffat - 55' (Kranjčar)	Zobeck, Ochieng, Farfán, Mkosana	



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WORTH A NOTE

ROAD OPENER

Saturday's match against Indy Eleven is the first away fixture of the NASL season for the New York Cosmos, who opened 2016 with back-to-back wins at Hofstra's Shuart Stadium. The Cosmos head to Minnesota next before returning to New York for a May 1 encounter with the Carolina RailHawks.

SUPER JAIRO

Cosmos striker Jairo Arrieta, a new addition to the club for the 2016 season, leads the NASL with eight chances created. The Costa Rican international assisted on New York's first goal of the season, then bagged one of his own last Sunday in an Emirates Man of the Match performance against Jacksonville Armada FC. He has received consecutive NASL Team of the Week nods.

SHUTOUT STREAK

The Cosmos are the only team in the league that has yet to concede a goal this season. Cosmos goalkeeper Jimmy Maurer and the back line have blanked Ottawa and Jacksonville, allowing only three combined shots on target in two games.

ALL DRAWS

Six matches - three in New York, three in Indiana - and six draws. That's the entirety of the history between these two sides. The Cosmos came closest to taking a lead in the all-time series on Aug. 30, 2014. Two first-half scores had them up 2-0 at the break, but Indy stormed back at home, finding the equalizer in the 90th minute. The last time these two teams squared off was July 25, 2015, a 1-1 finish at "The Mike."

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		HOME	AWAY	OVERALL	
SCORING FIRST:	W	2	0	5	
	T	0	0	0	
	L	0	0	0	
CONCEDING FIRST:	W	0	0	0	
	T	0	0	0	
	L	0	0	0	
LEADING AT HT:	W	2	0	2	
	Τ	0	0	0	
	L	0	0	0	
TIED AT HT:	W	0	0	0	
	Τ	0	0	0	
	L	0	0	0	
DOWN AT HT:	W	0	0	0	
	Τ	0	0	0	
	L	0	0	0	

COSMOS RECORDS OVERALL 2013-2016

SCORING FIRST:	W	HOME	AWAY 9	OVERALL 30
	T	4	4	8
	L	0	0	0
CONCEDING FIRST:	W	3	4	7
	T	4	5	9
	L	4	8	12
LEADING AT HT:	W	16	5	21
	Τ	3	1	4
	L	0	0	0
TIED AT HT:	W	6	5	11
	T	4	9	13
	L	0	3	3
DOWN AT HT:	W	2	3	5
	Τ	3	4	7
	L	4	5	9

COSMOS GOALS BY PERIOD 2016

	SCORED	ALLOWED
MINS 1-15		
Mins 16-30	1	
Mins 31-45	2	
1H Stoppage		
Mins 46-60	1	
Mins 61-75	1	
Mins 76-90		
2H Stoppage		



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ABOUT THE COSMOS

The New York Cosmos are reigning champions of the North American Soccer League (NASL), having captured their second league title in three seasons and seventh overall on Nov. 15, 2015 with a 3-2 win over Ottawa Fury FC in The Championship Final at Hofstra University's James M. Shuart Stadium.

The Cosmos began play in 1971, spending 14 seasons in the NASL, winning five Soccer Bowl trophies and bringing some of the biggest names in world soccer to the USA. This included Pelé, Franz Beckenbauer, Giorgio Chinaglia and Carlos Alberto. It had been nearly 30 years since the Cosmos, an iconic global soccer club, played in a professional league. Yet throughout their absence, the club maintained a loyal and dedicated fan following.

On Aug. 3, 2013, the New York Cosmos returned to the NASL with a sellout win at Shuart Stadium, before embarking on a season that would see the Cosmos win the 2013 Soccer Bowl with a 1-0 victory against the Atlanta Silverbacks on Nov. 9, 2013 at Atlanta Silverbacks Park.

Raúl and Marcos Senna, legends at famed Spanish sides Real Madrid and Villarreal CF, each suited up in Cosmos colors for modern era championship runs, adding their names to the impressive list of global soccer stars to feature at the club.

The Cosmos submitted a privately-funded economic development proposal in 2013 to the State of New York to build a world-class 25,000-seat professional soccer stadium at Belmont Park. More information about the proposal and renderings can be found at newcosmosstadium.com.

For more information on the New York Cosmos, please visit the club's official website at www. newyorkcosmos.com, join us on Facebook or follow us on Twitter @NYCosmos.





ABOUT THE NASL

The new North American Soccer League (NASL) was officially founded in November 2009 when a group of 2nd division men's professional soccer team owners banded together to form North American Soccer League, LLC for the purpose of creating a team-owned and operated professional soccer league in the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.

In February 2011, the NASL received provisonal recognition from the United States Soccer Federation as the exclusive second division men's professional league (D-2) and the inaugural season kicked off on the evening of April 9, 2011.

The NASL member teams are:
Carolina RailHawks
FC Edmonton
Fort Lauderdale Strikers
Indy Eleven
Jacksonville Armada FC
Miami FC
Minnesota United FC
New York Cosmos
Ottawa Fury FC
Puerto Rico FC
Rayo OKC
San Francisco Deltas
Tampa Bay Rowdies

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