



GAME NOTES
NEW YORK at PHILADELPHIA
JULY 16, 1980

Member North American Soccer League

Tonight's referee is Mr. William Maxwell. The senior linesman is Mr. Gaetano Anelli and the junior linesman is Mr. Gerhard Ternette. The fourth official is Mr. Jim Fitzpatrick.

Mr. Ed DeSeve, Director of Finance for the City of Philadelphia, will be throwing out tonight's game ball. The City issued a proclamation declaring today, July 16th, as "Soccer Day in Philadelphia."

The Fury will be looking for revenge this evening after dropping a hard fought 2-1 decision to the Cosmos last Wednesday night at the Meadowlands. Giorgio Chinaglia overcame a strong marking effort by Bobby Smith to score both New York goals and retake the NASL scoring leadership. Tony Glavin netted the only Philadelphia goal on a brilliant individual play after taking a pass from Fran O'Brien. The three stars for the game were: 1) Chinaglia, 2) Glavin, and 3) O'Brien.

Philadelphia is still looking for their first ever victory over the Cosmos. In last year's meeting at Veteran's Stadium on July 21st the Cosmos prevailed by a 1-0 score. Johan neesken's tally at 81:17 provided all the scoring that Hubert Birkenmeier needed in recording the shutout, negating the marvelous performance turned in by Bob Rigby who recorded a club record 14 saves.

The leading scorer in the series is Chinaglia with 7 goals for 14 points. Erol Yasin turned in a pair of shutouts while Birkenmeier has one to his credit.

The results:

6/11/78	@ N.Y.	0-1	4/29/79	@ N.Y.	2-4	7/9/80	@ N.Y.	1-2
7/15/78	@ Phil	0-3	7/21/79	@ Phil	0-1			

Fury Head Coach Eddie Firmani is 2 victories shy of the magical 100 mark in the NASL. Firmani has recorded 83 regular season victories in less than six full seasons of coaching in addition to 15 playoff wins. In three seasons with New York he turned in a 36-11 mark and was 11-1 in the playoffs.

8 of Philadelphia's 15 victories this season have been by a one goal margin, including overtime losses to Vancouver and Washington.

Bob Rigby has spearheaded a tough Fury defense all season, compiling a 1.89 goals against average which belies his outstanding play. Rigby was named the game's second star in a 4-0 loss in New England on June 28th after being called upon to make numerous acrobatic saves.

Andy Lynch has converted all three of his penalty kick attempts this season and now has a consecutive streak of 21. He has scored on 25 of 26 attempts in his professional career.

Radi Martinovic is sitting out tonight's game serving the second game of a two game suspension which resulted from an incident in the June 22nd game vs. San Diego. Bobby Smith will begin serving his two game suspension on Saturday evening when the Fury host the California Surf. Smith will also miss the contest next Wednesday against Edmonton.

Fury forward Pat Fidelia has resumed workouts with the club. Fidelia sustained a fractured left ankle in a game at RFK Stadium in Washington on April 13th. Trainer Bruce Hayne indicates that Fidelia may be ready to see action in two weeks.

Next Wednesday's game with the Edmonton Drillers has been switched from a 8:05 start to a 7:35 kickoff in order to accomodate the Driller's travel plans.

The Fury returns to action on Saturday evening when they square off with the California Surf in a 8:05 contest at Veteran's Stadium. The division leading Surf are paced by the high scoring Englishman Laurie Abrahams who is the American Conference's point leader with 44 on 17 goals and 10 assists.

New York's Giorgio Chinaglia is slightly behind the scoring pace which took him to several NASL scoring marks in 1978. To date Chinaglia has 54 points on 23 goals and 8 assists and is chasing his marks of 34 goals and 79 points.

260 NASL games have been played to date:

- 104 of the games (40%) have resulted in a shutout with the home team winning 71 times.
- 53 games have gone into overtime with the visitors taking 11 of the 20 decisions.
- 33 have been decided in the shootout with the home team capturing 18.
- The National Conference holds a 62-56 edge over the American Conference in their meetings.

Applications for press credentials are now available from Bob Wahlquist or Carole Jarden. The Soccer Bowl will be played on Sunday September 21st at RFK Stadium in Washington, D.C.

FURY STATISTICS (As of Tuesday, July 15, 1980)

	GP	GS	MIN	SH	FL	C/E	PK/PKA	SO/SOA	G	A	PTS
11 Bob Vosmaer	14	14	1179:17	27	18	1/0	0/0	0/0	3	5	11
3 Fran O'Brien	19	19	1673:46	38	40	1/1	0/0	0/0	3	4	10
12 Andy Lynch	19	19	1724:40	21	39	3/0	3/3	0/0	4	1	9
22 Tony Glavin	21	20	1800:33	49	29	2/0	0/1	0/0	3	3	9
10 Joe Kokovic	21	15	1449:23	19	21	1/0	0/0	0/0	1	6	8
9 Andy Parkinson	15	9	895:54	19	20	0/0	0/0	0/0	3	0	6
6 Dave MacWilliams	11	9	778:57	18	16	1/0	0/0	0/0	2	0	4
17 Demetrios Kolovos	18	17	1568:50	8	27	3/0	0/0	0/0	1	1	3
23 Steve Reid	10	4	414:25	9	6	0/0	0/0	0/0	1	0	2
5 John Dempsey	17	17	1568:50	6	29	5/1	0/0	0/0	1	0	2
15 Ossama Khalil	10	10	773:35	17	14	1/0	0/0	0/0	0	1	1
7 Radi Martinovic	16	14	1331:35	2	36	4/2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
20 Mike Robinson	1	0	5:10	0	0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
19 Glenn Savage	1	0	34:44	1	0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
13 Pat Fidelia	2	2	115:53	5	2	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
18 Frank D'Amelio	6	2	247:44	1	0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
4 Niki Nikolic	4	2	265:14	0	6	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
8 Curtis Leeper	10	4	469:11	2	6	2/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
16 Dan Salvemini	13	13	1168:14	13	29	2/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
14 Bobby Smith	18	18	1599:56	1	35	2/2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0
1 Bob Rigby	20	20	1814:40	0	0	1/0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0

FURY TOTALS				256	373	29/6	3/4	0/0	23	22	68
OPPONENTS TOTALS				323	344	34/1	2/3	0/0	39	45	123

* - Includes Own Goal

GOALKEEPERS	GP	GS	MIN	SH	SA	GA	PK/PKA	SO/SOA	SO	GAA
1 Bob Rigby	20	20	1814:40	310	126	38	2/3	0/0	3	1.89
31 Peter Arnautoff	0	0	0:00	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0.00
OTHERS	1	1	90:00	13	6	1	0/0	0/0	0	1.00
				323	132	39	2/3	0/0	3	1.84

SCORING BY PERIODS	1st	2nd	OT	SO	TG	OG	CK	OF
PHILADELPHIA	10	13	0	0	23	1	122	64
OPPONENTS	13	24	2	0	39	0	145	40

GAME BY GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	ATT	SCORING
4/5	@ Tampa Bay	1-3 (L)	23,105	Dempsey(O'Brien)
4/13	@ Washington	1-3 (L)	24,203	Parkinson(Kokovic)
4/19	MEMPHIS	0-1 (L)	9,574	-----
4/26	@ Dallas	0-2 (L)	6,500	-----
4/30	CHICAGO	1-0 (W)	2,478	Reid(Kokovic)
5/4	@ Rochester	0-1 (L)	8,489	-----
5/11	TAMPA BAY	1-2 (L)	2,676	Kolovos(Kokovic)
5/14	VANCOUVER	0-1 (L) (OT)	2,454	-----
5/17	ATLANTA	2-0 (W)	2,309	O'Brien(Lynch); Parkinson(Glavin)
6/1	NEW ENGLAND	5-2 (W)	2,738	Parkinson(Glavin); O'Brien(Vosmaer); Vosmaer(Glavin); Vosmaer(O'Brien); Lynch(Pen.Kick)
6/4	WASHINGTON	1-2 (L) (OT)	2,942	Glavin
6/10	@ Edmonton	0-5 (L)	10,202	-----
6/14	@ San Jose	1-2 (L)	15,163	Glavin(Vosmaer)
6/18	LOS ANGELES	1-2 (L)	4,223	O'Brien(Kokovic)
6/22	SAN DIEGO	4-2 (W)	2,371	Lynch(Pen.Kick); Lynch(Vosmaer); Vosmaer(Khalil); Kokovic(Vosmaer, O'Brien)
6/25	@ Detroit	2-1 (W)	6,254	Own Goal; Lynch(Pen.Kick)
6/28	@ New England	0-4 (L)	5,293	-----
7/2	FT. LAUDERDALE	2-0 (W)	4,173	MacWilliams(Kolovos, Kokovic); MacWilliams(Kokovic, Vosmaer)
7/6	@ Toronto	0-2 (L)	13,202	-----
7/9	@ New York	1-2 (L)	31,783	Glavin(Martinovic, O'Brien)
7/11	@ Houston	0-2 (L)	4,680	-----

NO	NAME	POS	AGE	HT	WT	CITIZENSHIP
1	Bob Rigby	G	28	6-1	180	United States
3	Fran O'Brien	M	25	5-8	141	Ireland
4	Niki Nikolic	D	30	5-10	176	Yugoslavia
5	John Dempsey	D	34	6-0	165	England
6	Dave MacWilliams	F	22	5-9	155	United States
7	Radi Martinovic	D	30	5-10	162	Yugoslavia
8	Curtis Leeper	M	24	5-11	160	United States
9	Andy Parkinson	F	20	6-0	178	South Africa
10	Joe Kokovic	F	26	5-10	154	Yugoslavia
11	Bob Vosmaer	F	28	5-11	149	Holland
12	Andy Lynch	D	29	5-10	165	Scotland
13	Pat Fidelia	F	20	5-9	173	United States
14	Bobby Smith	D	28	5-11	165	United States
15	Ossama Khalil	F	26	5-11	160	Egypt
16	Dan Salvemini	D	22	5-11	175	United States
17	Demetrios Kolovos	M	25	5-8	148	Greece
18	Frank D'Amelio	D	22	5-9	173	United States
19	Glenn Savage	M	19	5-10	165	United States
20	Mike Robinson	F	22	5-9	150	United States
22	Tony Glavin	F	21	5-5	142	Scotland
23	Steve Reid	M	24	5-9	155	United States
31	Peter Arnautoff	G	28	6-0	175	United States