



## GAME NOTES

### Game 15

Philadelphia Independence vs Sky Blue FC  
Saturday, July 24, 2010 | 7:00pm ET  
John A. Farrell Stadium | West Chester, PA

## 2010 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
<b>SUN April 11</b>	<b>Atlanta Beat</b>	<b>T(0-0)</b>
SUN April 18	Boston Breakers	T(1-1)
<b>SUN April 25</b>	<b>Washington Freedom</b>	<b>W(3-1)</b>
<b>SAT May 1</b>	<b>Atlanta Beat</b>	<b>W(1-0)</b>
SAT May 8	Saint Louis Athletica	L(1-2)
SAT May 15	Chicago Red Stars	W(1-0)
SUN May 30	Washington Freedom	L(1-2)
<b>SUN Jun 6</b>	<b>Sky Blue FC</b>	<b>W(2-1)</b>
<b>SUN Jun 13</b>	<b>FC Gold Pride</b>	<b>L(1-3)</b>
SAT Jun 19	Sky Blue FC	W(4-1)
WED Jun 23	Atlanta Beat	T(2-2)
<b>SAT Jun 26</b>	<b>Washington Freedom</b>	<b>W(3-2)</b>
<b>SUN July 4</b>	<b>Boston Breakers</b>	<b>L(1-2)</b>
SAT July 17	FC Gold Pride	L(0-2)
<b>SAT July 24</b>	<b>Sky Blue FC</b>	<b>7pm</b>
<b>WED July 28</b>	<b>Chicago Red Stars</b>	<b>7pm</b>
WED Aug 4	Washington Freedom	7:30pm
<b>SUN Aug 8</b>	<b>Boston Breakers</b>	<b>8:00pm</b>
WED Aug 11	Chicago Red Stars	8:30pm
<b>SUN Aug 15</b>	<b>Atlanta Beat</b>	<b>6pm</b>
SUN Aug 22	Sky Blue FC	4pm
<b>SUN Aug 29</b>	<b>Boston Breakers</b>	<b>6pm</b>

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Philadelphia	Head-to-Head	New Jersey
6-5-3	Record	5-6-3
2	League Standing	3
21	Goals Scored (Season)	12
19	Goals Against (Season)	16
L(0-2)	Latest Result	L(0-1)
Rodriguez	Goals Leader	Kalmari
Lindsey	Assists Leader	O'Reilly
LeBlanc	Saves Leader	Bardsley
<b>Last Meeting W(4-1)</b>		

## Projected Lineup



### Players

#4 Buczkowski  
#16 Patterson  
#17 Lohman  
#5 Senty  
#10 Sanderson  
#24 Johnson  
#15 Krzysik  
#23 LeBlanc  
#3 Falk  
#25 T. DiMartino  
#9 Seger

### Discipline

### Injury Report

### National Team Duty

#2 Mitts  
#7 Larsson



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### Independence Game Roster

#	Name	Pos	College/Country
19	Danesha Adams	F	UCLA
4	Jen Buczkowski	M	Notre Dame
25	Tina DiMartino	M	UCLA
3	Allison Falk	D	Stanford
18	Kelly Henderson	M	Boston College
1	Val Henderson	GK	UCLA
24	Estelle Johnson	D	Univ. of Kansas
15	Nikki Krzysik	D	University of Virginia
23	Karina LeBlanc	GK	Univ. of Nebraska
6	Lori Lindsey	M	Univ. of Virginia
17	Joanna Lohman	M	Penn State
26	H. Magnusdottir	D	Iceland
11	Karina Maruyama	F	Japan
16	Lyndsey Patterson	F	Univ. of Tennessee
8	Amy Rodriguez	F	Univ. of Southern Cal.
10	Lianne Sanderson	F	England
9	Caroline Seger	M	Sweden
5	Sara Senty	D	University of Virginia

### Coaching Staff

Paul Riley, Head Coach  
Paul Royal, Assistant Coach  
Skip Thorp, Assistant Coach

### Sky Blue FC Game Roster

#	Name	Pos	College/Country
13	Averbuch, Yael	M	UNC
1	Bardsley, Karen	GK	Cal State, Fullerton
23	Branam, Jenni	GK	UNC
2	Dallstream, Kiersten	D/F	Washington State
17	Dowling, Keeley	D	Tennessee
5	Fletcher, Kendall	D/M	UNC
15	Johnson, Danielle	D	Mississippi
6	Kai, Tasha	F	Hawaii
21	Kalmari, Laura	F	Portland
4	Koster, Daphne	D	Netherlands
10	Lloyd, Carli	M	Rutgers
18	Luckenbill, Kristin	GK	Dartmouth
0	Myers, Shannon	GK	Syracuse
9	O'Reilly, Heather	M	UNC
96	Panico, Patrizia	F	Italy
3	Rampone, Christie	D	Monmouth
11	Rosana	M	Brazil
26	Salem, Angela	M	Francis Marion
7	Schnur, Meghan	D	UConn
14	Taylor, Brittany	D	UConn
20	Trotter, India	F/M	Florida State
8	White, Kacey	M	UNC

### Coaching Staff

Rick Stainton, Head Coach  
Jesse Kolmel, Assistant Coach

### Referees

Tony Crush, Referee  
Adam Brugman, Bench Side  
Stanford Nagle III, Far Side  
Darth Newman, 4th Official



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### Independence Player Stats

#	Pos.	Player	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	SHTS	SOG	FC	FS	C	E
19	M	Danesha Adams	7	3	277	1	2	5	3	2	2	0	0
4	M	Jen Buczkowski	13	10	953	0	1	4	0	20	8	1	1
12	F	Gina DiMartino	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	M	Tina DiMartino	12	11	856	2	0	12	6	5	7	1	0
3	D	Allison Falk	13	13	1107	2	1	4	3	6	1	0	0
24	D	Estelle Johnson	6	4	335	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
15	M	Nikki Krzysik	13	12	1130	0	0	4	3	4	2	0	0
7	D	Sara Larsson	10	10	900	0	0	1	1	5	2	0	0
6	M	Lori Lindsey	13	13	1153	2	5	23	10	4	11	1	0
17	D	Joanna Lohman	14	12	1073	2	0	13	3	7	6	0	0
26	F	Holmfridur Magnusdottir	12	11	963	0	0	8	5	19	8	1	0
11	F	Karina Maruyama	4	1	87	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
2	D	Heather Mitts	11	9	770	0	0	1	1	4	2	1	0
16	M	Lyndsey Patterson	10	2	248	1	1	5	3	1	1	0	0
20	D	Katherine Reynolds	3	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	F	Amy Rodriguez	13	13	1140	7	3	41	28	5	2	0	0
10	F	Lianne Sanderson	13	8	787	3	2	10	7	4	8	0	0
9	M	Caroline Seger	10	9	796	0	1	7	2	16	6	1	1
5	D	Sarah Senty	7	4	351	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>			<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1260</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>

### Independence Goalkeeper Stats

#	P	Player	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SHO
1	GK	Val Henderson	5	5	450	26	20	6	1.20	1	1	3	2	0	1
23	GK	Karina LeBlanc	9	9	810	50	38	13	1.44	2	2	3	3	3	2
<b>Totals</b>			<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1260</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1.36</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>

### Player Legend

GP = Games Played  
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### Sky Blue FC Player Stats

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13	M	Yael Averbuch	13	13	1144	0	0	19	3	8	7	0	0
2	F	Kiersten Dallstream	11	5	484	0	1	4	3	1	2	0	0
17	D	Keeley Dowling	10	9	782	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0
5	D	Kendall Fletcher	11	7	673	0	0	0	0	7	3	0	0
15	D	Danielle Johnson	6	5	398	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	0
6	F	Tasha Kai	10	7	615	3	0	24	13	8	9	0	0
21	F	Laura Kalmari	12	12	947	4	0	19	9	8	6	1	0
4	D	Daphne Koster	12	12	1051	0	0	0	0	17	5	2	0
12	F	Jessica Landstrom	9	3	382	0	2	4	3	7	7	0	0
10	M	Carli Lloyd	3	3	171	0	0	2	1	3	0	1	0
9	F	Heather O'Reilly	12	12	1080	1	3	18	9	8	5	1	0
96	F	Patrizia Panico	3	2	216	0	0	5	4	1	3	0	0
3	D	Christie Rampone	6	4	438	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	M	Rosana	14	11	992	3	1	28	9	13	13	0	0
26	F	Angela Salem	3	0	29	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
7	M	Meghan Schnur	8	7	666	0	0	1	1	1	9	0	0
22	F	Katie Schoepfer	5	0	45	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
16	F	Meagan Snell	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	D	Brittany Taylor	14	14	1260	0	0	4	2	6	3	0	0
20	M	India Trotter	12	7	624	0	0	4	2	6	2	0	0
8	M	Kacey White	14	13	1125	0	1	13	4	4	3	0	0
Totals			14	14	1260	12	8	147	64	107	89	5	0

### Sky Blue FC Goalkeeper Stats

#	P	Player	GP	GS	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SHO
1	GK	Karen Bardsley	10	10	900	72	56	9	0.90	1	2	5	3	2	5
18	GK	Kristin Luckenbill	4	4	360	31	24	7	1.75	0	0	0	3	1	1
Totals			14	14	1260	103	80	16	1.14	1	2	5	6	3	6

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### Game At-A-Glance

#### U.S.A. RETURNS...

The Independence U.S. National Team players return to the Independence roster this week after a stint with their country over the past two weeks. Lori Lindsey, Heather Mitts, and Amy Rodriguez were all absent from the lineup against FC Gold Pride in California. The Independence players showed well in the two international friendly matches against Sweden. Amy kept her scoring streak going, netting the only goal for the U.S. in the first match. In the second meeting of the two powerhouse countries, Lori Lindsey served up an assist for one of Abby Wambach's two goals.

#### CLOSING THE GAP...

The gap between the teams at the top of the standings and the bottom of the pack is shrinking. Last weekend, the bottom teams in the league, Boston, Chicago, and Atlanta, all picked up three points and prevented top teams from pulling further ahead. Only FC Gold Pride looks to be out of reach now, pulling twelve points ahead of second-place Philadelphia with a win over the Independence last weekend and another win over Boston mid-week. After being at the bottom of the table for the entire season, Atlanta has earned six points in the past week and is catching up to the rest of the table. With only ten remaining regular season matches for the Independence, every single game is crucial toward earning a playoff spot.

#### ROUND THREE...

Saturday's game is the third contest between the Independence and Sky Blue FC, and the Independence captured victory in both of the first two meetings. In the first contest, the

Independence came back from a one goal deficit to earn a 2-1 victory at home. In the second meeting, Philly earned a decisive 4-1 win on the road and set the tone for the regional rivals. Philly and New Jersey have home venues less than 80 miles apart and are the two WPS teams located closest in proximity. This weekend will be the third of four regular season battles between the teams this season.

#### SIMILAR STORIES...

Both the Independence and Sky Blue FC have maintained good footholds in WPS, and have been neck in neck for the entire season. Heading into this weekend's match, the Independence is sitting in second place while Sky Blue FC holds third. The first time they faced off, the two teams were tied with 11 points, and when they played the second time their records were still identical. This time, the Independence is just three points ahead of Sky Blue and is looking to protect its second-place standing.

#### COACHING CHANGEOVER...

Sky Blue FC has new leadership this weekend, announcing the promotion of Goalkeeper Coach Rick Stainton to the Head Coaching position this week. Pauliina Miettinen and assistant coach Anne Parnila were relieved of their coaching duties with the team mid-week, and Stainton will step into the Head Coach role for the remainder of the season. Sky Blue FC is no stranger to coaching changeover. After going through three coaches last season, Player/Coach Christie Rampone led the team to capture the 2009 WPS Championship.