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The Sacramento Spirits hope to continue their winning ways next Wednesday night (May 19) when they host the Utah Golden Spikers in a Pacific Coast Cup contest at Sacramento State University stadium. Kickoff time is scheduled for 7:30 P.M.

Coach Dick Ott's team has now recorded successive American Soccer League home field victories over Oakland and New York with an exciting six goal shooting spree. The Spirits sank the Buccaneers 3 to 2 and defeated the defending league champions Apollos 3 to 1.

The Spirits tied for second place with Tacoma in the ASL western division behind the Los Angeles Skyhawks, seem to be gaining momentum with a 'set' starting lineup. The winning combination includes Gary Allison, goalie; Rafael Avila, Robert Steinberg, Reinhard Seyffertitz, and Miro Odich, backs; Wolfgang Gartner, Anatole Hulewsky, and Larry Caldwell, midfielders; David Lyon, Mingo Fajardo and Otey "Boom Boom" Cannon, forwards.

Cannon has become the 'big gun' of the entire league with three goals and two assists for a total of eight points. Ted Nahorski of New York is second in the scoring column with two goals and one assist good for five points. The Spirits remaining three goals have been scored by Wolfgang Gartner, Larry Caldwell and Oscar Caceres.

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Spirits statistics show Mingo Fajardo to be the team's leading shooter with 13 shots on goal followed by Wolfgang Gartner, 11, "Boom Boom" Cannon, 8 and Anatole Hulewsky, 6. The Spirits have taken a total of 63 shots compared to 40 scoring attempts by the four opponents.

Gary Allison, one of the league's outstanding goal keepers, has played a total of 380 minutes. Four goals have been scored against the "Green Giant" out of 50 shots taken by Spirits foes. Allison has totaled 20 saves and compiled a goal average of 0.95, second best in the entire league.

After the game with the Golden Spikers the Spirits take to road for an exhibition contest against the Denver All-Stars at Colorado Springs (May 20), and league tilts at Chicago (May 22), Cleveland (May 26), New Jersey (May 28), and Rhode Island (May 29).

The Spirits return home for an International game against the Cork Hibernians of Ireland on Monday, May 31st.