# ORLANDO VALKYRIES

MATCH NOTES



FEBRUARY 16TH, 2024



ORLANDO VALKYRIES







Addition Arena





## MATCH FOUR Orlando Valkyries (1-2) vs Columbus Fury (0-1)



Friday, February 16 at 7 PM ET Additional Financial Arena • Orlando FL

Orlando Head Coach	Amy Pauly
Valkyies Record (1st season)	1-2 (.333)
College Record (3rd season)	23-30 (.445)

Fury Head Coach......Ángel Pérez Fury Record (1st season)......0-1 (.000)

**SERIES NOTES:** This is the first meeting between the Orlando Valkyries and the Colombus Fury. It also marks the fourth match in history for the Valkyries franchise. It will be the first of four contests between the two squads during the inaugural campaign.

#### STREAMING INFORMATION

Today's match will be the fourth of twenty-four to be streamed for the Valkyries season. Today's announcer team includes: Shawn Davison (Play-by-Play) and Madison Fitzpatrick (Color Analyst).

#### **WELCOME TO PROFESSIONAL VOLLEYBALL**

The Orlando Valkyries are one of seven teams taking the court in the inaugural season of Pro Volleyball Federation. Below are a few facts about Orlando and the Pro Volleyball Federation.

- Pro Volleyball Federation head coaches have combined for more than 2,500 career victories.
- The League boasts 17 players from the United States who have played with the National Team. Overall, there are 35 players who have been part of an Olympic or National Team.
- Orlando is home to the AAU Junior National Volleyball Championships.
- The Valkyries are the fourth professional football team to be based out of Orlando (Orlando Magic, Orlando City Soccer, Orlando Pride).

#### **ORLANDO - FURY CONNECTIONS**

This might mark the first time the Valkyries and the Fury have played on the court, but there are several connections with the teams and coaching staff.

- Aury Cruz, the Valkyries' Outside Hitter, was once coached by Fury's Assistant Coach Carlos Cardona during her time with the Puerto Rico women's national volleyball team.
- Valkyries Outside Hitter Adora Anae is a former teammate of Fury's Valeria León, playing together in the Liga de Voleibol Superior Femenino.
- Both the Valkyries and the Fury feature a trio of players who are from Puerto Rico.

#### **ORLANDO VALKYRIES COMMUNICATIONS**

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## REAL PRO VOLLEYBALL

#### **2024 SCHEDULE**

		Opponent	Time	Watch/Result
1.26	vs	Atlanta	7:00 PM	L 3-2
2.10	vs	Las Vegas	7:00 PM	W 3-1
2.12	at	Atlanta	7:00 PM	L 3-2
2.16	VS	Columbus	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
2.18	at	Omaha	9:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
2.22	at	Las Vegas	10:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
2.25	VS	Omaha	3:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.1	VS	Grand Rapids	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.3	VS	Columbus	3:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.9	VS	Omaha	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.11	at	San Diego	10:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.16	at	Omaha	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.21	at	Atlanta	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
3.29	at	Columbus	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
4.6	at	Grand Rapids	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
4.11	VS	Grand Rapids	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
4.14	VS	San Diego	3:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
4.18	at	Grand Rapids	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
4.21	VS	Atlanta	3:00 PM	VouTube
4.26	at	Columbus	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
4.29	at	San Diego	10:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
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5.9	VS	San Diego	7:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube
5.11	VS	Las Vegas	4:00 PM	<b>►</b> YouTube

All times Eastern and subject to change

## **UPCOMING SCHEDULE FOR THE ORLANDO VALKYRIES**

**2.15**Media Availability

Practice

**2.16**MATCH DAY!

Addition Financial

Arena at 7pm ET

2.18
MATCH DAY!
at Omaha
at 9pm ET

2.22 MATCH DAY! at Vegas at 10pm ET **2.25 MATCH DAY!**Addition Financial
Arena at 3pm ET

**2.27**Media Availability
Practice

Media Availability Practice

2.28

#### SETTING THE STAGE

- Against the Vegas Thrill, the Valkyries recorded their first win in franchise history in a 3-1 contest.
- Adora Anae is the first Orlando player to clinch the Pro Volleyball Federation's Player of the Week title, winning the honors in week 3 of the 2024 season. In week 3, the outside hitter led both teams in points in each match while starting every set.
- The Valkyries debuted in front of an enthusiastic crowd of 5,284 fans for their inaugural home opener.
- M'Kaela White etched her name in history by securing the Valkyries' first-ever point with an ace during their debut game.
- Rookies Georgie Murphy and Jill Gillen, both drafted in the Pro Volleyball Federation College Player Draft, have quickly risen to become key starters for the team.

#### PLAYER SPOTLIGHTS

- Kaz Brown is a Middle Blocker with an impressive five-year stint
  in professional volleyball. From the University of Kentucky, she is
  a three-time All-SEC and AVCA All-Region honoree, capping her
  collegiate career as the record-holder for total blocks, solo blocks,
  and block assists.
- Aury Cruz, with 26 years of professional experience spanning Puerto Rico, Italy, Spain, South Korea, and Turkey, brings the most experience to the Valkyries roster. A three-time SEC Player of the Year and three-time AVCA All-American during her tenure at the University of Florida, she was inducted into the UF Hall of Fame.
- Georgia Murphy, libero for the Valkyries, emerged as a standout from the inaugural Pro Volleyball Federation Draft. While at the University of Oregon, she was a two-time AVCA Pacific North All-Region Honorable Mention, a two-time All-Pac-12 Honorable Mention and was named to the All-Pac-12 Team.

#### EXPERIENCED ROSTER FOUNDATION

Valkyries' 14-player roster has a combined professional experience exceeding **58 years**, providing a solid foundation for the team as they enter their inaugural season.

#### **WORLDWIDE EXPERTISE**

Valkyries' roster comprises players with extensive professional experience on the international stage. These athletes have played in various countries, including Turkey, Puerto Rico, France, Italy, Japan, the Philippines, Poland, Taiwan, and Bulgaria.

#### **VALKYRIES DREAM TEAM**

There is a seasoned mix of the Valkyries players among them are All-Americans and Olympians who have competed on the international stage, and players who have represented their nations on the national team.

#### REPRESENTATION ON THE COURT

The Valkyries boast a geographically diverse roster, featuring players from various regions across the globe and within the United States.

- Puerto Rico is well-represented by libero Paula Cerame, outside hitter Aury Cruz, and setter Wilma Rivera.
- Making a considerable journey, outside hitter Shaianh Joseph finds herself roughly 1,400 miles away from her home in Canada.
- The Lone Star State is the common origin for libero Georgia Murphy and setter Carly Graham, both hailing from Texas.
- Venturing to the Midwest, our team includes Kaz Brown from Iowa, Jill Gillen from Kansas, and Carly Skjodt from Indiana. Meanwhile, two players proudly represent the West – Melissa Evans from California and Abby Hansen from Arizona.
- The final trio of athletes, Blake Mohler, M'Kaela White, and Adora Anae, call Mississippi, Maryland, and Hawaii their respective homes.

## **PROJECTED STARTERS**



ADORA ANAE



BROWN



GILLEN
OUTSIDE HITTER



SHAÏNAH JOSEPH



GEORGIA MURPHY



RIVERA



M'KAELA
WHITE
MIDDLE BLOCKER



### PRO VOLLEYBALL FEDERATION



Pro Volleyball Federation is REAL PRO VOLLEYBALL and the premier women's professional volleyball league in North America. Pro Volleyball Federation will begin play in January 2024 with world class players and coaches, including

some of America's greatest volleyball players and elite players from around the world. Our entire focus is on ensuring that our level and quality of play, our treatment of players, the quality of our event presentations, and our day-to-day fan experience is world class and the very best offered in North America. For more information, visit ProVolleyball.com.



COMING IN 2025

Dallas Indianapolis

Kansas Citv

Grand Rapids at San Diego 10:00pm EST

#### **2024 Pro Volleyball Federation Standings**

	w	L	PCT	Home	Away
Atlanta Vibe	4	1	.800	2-1	2-0
Grand Rapids Rise	2	1	.667	1-1	1-0
Omaha Supernovas	2	2	.500	1-2	1-0
Vegas Thrill	1	1	.500	0-0	1-1
Orlando Valkyries	1	2	.333	1-1	0-1
Columbus Fury	0	1	.000	0-0	0-1
San Diego Mojo	0	2	.000	0-0	0-2

Standings as of February 12th

#### **UPCOMING PRO VOLLEYBALL FEDERATION SCHEDULE**

Thursday, February 15 ► YouTube Monday, February 19 YouTube 8:00pm EST 7:00pm EST Omaha at Las Vegas San Diego at Las Vegas Friday, February 16 NouTube Wednesday, February 21 NouTube 10:00pm EST Columbus at Orlando 7:00pm EST Omaha at Columbus Thursday, February 22 Sunday, February 18 VouTube **₽** YouTube Atlanta at Grand Rapids 4:00pm EST Orlando at Las Vegas 10:00pm EST Sunday, February 18 🔼 YouTube Friday, February 23 NouTube

7:00pm EST

Orlando at Omaha

#### PARTNERSHIP WITH BOLT6

Pro Volleyball Federation began the inaugural season in partnership with Bolt6, a sports technology leader that delivers services in tracking, video replay and XR products.

Bolt6 is providing the League with video replay officiating that utilizes broadcast and 14 specialist 4K cameras placed around the court. While the video is made available to anyone with a device and internet connection, the Pro Volleyball Federation is using a centralized replay center – a world first for volleyball. Bolt6 will also provide the output of the decision to broadcast, instadium displays, and first referee.

## CBS SPORTS AS PRO VOLLEYBALL FEDERATION'S FIRST MEDIA RIGHTS PARTNER

CBS Sports is the first partner to be announced as part of Pro Volleyball Federation's media rights package, which is expected to include both domestic and international rights. The multi-year CBS Sports agreement includes a minimum of 10 matches to be aired in 2024, plus the semifinals and championship match of Pro Volleyball Federation's championship weekend.

The CBS Sports matches will be aired primarily on CBS Sports Network in 2024, with opportunities for matches to also be aired on CBS throughout the term of the partnership. The League's complete national broadcast schedule, along with additional media rights partners, will be announced at a later date.

#### LANDMARK AGREEMENT WITH VOLLEYSTATION

VolleyStation will provide a centralized data management system to help the League create a database of teams, players, and matches. This information will be shared via Pro Volleyball Federation digital platforms seconds after the conclusion of a point. Data will be pushed in real-time to both teams, websites, and the media and can seamlessly integrate with television broadcast outlets to allow for in-depth analysis during a match.

VolleyStation is not limited to match statistics, as coaches can use data to scout opponents as well as evaluate players on their own rosters. In addition, the system will provide video as well as live webinars to train officials to work comprehensively with the system.

## PRO VOLLEYBALL FEDERATION, USA VOLLEYBALL ANNOUNCE ALLIANCE

Pro Volleyball Federation has teamed up with USA Volleyball – the national governing body of the sport in the U.S. – to promote volleyball at its highest level.

USA Volleyball will support Pro Volleyball Federation's professional league in America, which launches in January. The partnership reinforces the League's commitment to work with USA Volleyball clubs, athletes and regions while USAV supports Pro Volleyball Federation's commitment to providing top professional opportunities to America's greatest female volleyball players.

Pro Volleyball Federation currently boasts 17 players from the United States who have spent time in the U.S. National Team gym. Overall, there are 35 domestic and international players in the League who have been part of their respective country's Olympic or national team system.

More than 135 athletes have signed contracts to play in the inaugural season of Pro Volleyball Federation. They will be led by a group of accomplished coaches who have combined for more than 2,500 career victories.





## MATCH FOUR PREVIEW - VALKYRIES VS FURY

In their fourth match in the inaugural season of the Pro Volleyball Federation, the Orlando Valkyries are slated to face off against the Colombus Fury on Friday, February 16 at 7 p.m. The match will take place at Addition Financial Arena and will be streamed on YouTube. Tickets for the game are still available and fans can visit the Orlando Valkyries website for additional information.

The Valkyries come into this match off the back of a historic first franchise win against the Vegas Thrill and a closely contested loss against the Atlanta Vibe. Against the Vibe, it was a back-and-forth battle, with Orlando taking the match's second and fourth sets, and Atlanta winning sets one, two, and five.

This match serves as the second appearance in the 2024 season for the Fury, following a loss in their debut against the Grand Rapids Rise (17-25,23-25,19-25).



#### **Valkyries Players to Watch:**

**Adora Anae** is the first Orlando player to clinch the Pro Volleyball Federation's Player of the Week title, winning the honors in week 3 of the 2024 season. In week 3 against the Vegas Thrill, she recorded 18 points (13 kills, two blocks, three aces) leading Orlando to its first victory of the season. Anae brings six years of professional volleyball experience from various countries including South Korea, Turkey, Puerto Rico, Ukraine, and Greece to the team. Prior to her professional career, Anae excelled at the University of Utah, where she earned recognition as the first-ever player named to the 1st-Team Pac-12 All-Freshman Team. She holds the record for the school's all-time single-season kills leader with 501 kills and was the first player in program history to achieve consecutive AVCA All-American honors, as well as being named to the All-AVCA First Team.

**Shainah Joseph** recorded nine kills, one block, and an ace in the Valkyries' last match. She brings over seven years of experience to Orlando, playing professionally with teams in France, Japan, the Philippines, Taiwan, and Bulgaria, and currently represents the Canadian National Team. Noteworthy achievements from her collegiate career at the University of Florida include being named to the SEC All-Conference, and AVCA All-American Second Team, along with being a pivotal member of the NCAA runner-up team in 2017.



## MATCH FOUR PREVIEW - VALKYRIES VS FURY



#### **Fury Players to Watch:**

**Reagan Cooper** was drafted to the Fury in the first-ever Pro Volleyball Federation College Player Draft. Her achievements include being named a third-team All-American in 2023 during her time with the Jayhawks. Prior to joining Kansas, she spent three seasons at Texas Tech after a one-year stint at Washington State. At Texas Tech, she totaled 702 kills and 118 blocks while ranking among the team's leaders in kills. During her lone season at Kansas, Cooper finished second on the team in kills with 363 and led in kills per set with an average of 3.86 on a .346 hitting percentage.

**Kaitlyn Hord** holds an impressive track record in collegiate volleyball and brings one year of professional experience to the Fury. She has been recognized three times as an AVCA All-American, earning first-team honors in 2019, second-team in 2021, and third-team in 2020. Additionally, Hord has received five selections to the AVCA All-Region team. During her senior season at Nebraska, she led the nation in blocks with an average of 1.61 per set. Hord's career statistics include 1.175 kills and 697 blocks.

The two teams will face off three more times during the 2024 season.

## ORLANDOVALKYRIES.COM MATCH FOUR: VS COLUMBUS FURY

### **ALPHABETICAL ROSTER**

\* - Franchise Player • FA = Free Agency • DR = Draft • TR = Trade

#	NAME	POS	нт	EXP	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	ACQUIRED	INSTAGRAM
14	Adora Anae*	OH	6-2	6	Laie, HI	Utah	FA	anaeadora
11	Kazmiere Brown	MB	6-4	5	Waterloo, IA	Kentucky	FA	kazbrown
20	Paula Cerame	L	5-8	R	San Juan, PR	Indiana	FA	paulacerame
8	Aurea Cruz	OH	5-10	26	Levittown, Toa Baja, PR	Florida	FA	azcruz
3	Melissa Evans	OPP	6-1	1	Porter Ranch, CA	NC State	FA	melissaa.iris
10	Jill Gillen	OH	5-7	R	Stilwell, KS	Arkansas	DR	jillygillen
22	Carly Graham	S	6-0	1	Spring, TX	Rice	FA	carlygraham22
19	Abby Hansen	MB	6-5	R	Phoenix, AZ	UCF	DR	abbyyyhansen
15	Shaïnah Joseph*	OPP	6-1	6	Ottawa, Ontario, CA	Florida	FA	shainahjoseph
5	Georgia Murphy	L	5-6	R	The Woodlands, TX	Oregon	DR	g.murphy10
12	Wilma Rivera	s	5-9	5	Carolina, PR	Louisville	FA	wilmariveraa
18	Carly Skjodt	OH	6-1	2	Indianapolis, IN	Michigan	FA	carlyskjodt
9	M'Kaela White	MB	6-4	3	Riverdale, MD	JMU	FA	official.mk
PRA	CTICE PLAYERS							
21	Azhani Tealer	МВ	5-10	R	Grand Prairie, TX	Kentucky	DR	azhanitealer
13	Kalyah Williams	OPP	6-0	R	Long Beach, CA	USC	DR	alyahkmx_
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7	Blake Mohler	МВ	6-2	3	Ocean Springs, MS	Purdue	FA	blakemohler

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8	Aurea Cruz
9	M'Kaela White
10	Jill Gillen
11	Kazmiere Brown
12	Wilma Rivera
13	Kalyah Williams
14	Adora Anae
15	Shaïnah Joseph
18	Carly Skjodt
19	Abby Hansen
20	Paula Cerame
21	Azhani Tealer
22	Carly Graham

### FROM WHERE?

Puerto Rico	3
Texas	3
California	2
Arizona	1
Canada	1
Hawaii	1
Indiana	1
Iowa	1
Kansas	1
Maryland	1
Mississippi	1



#### **COACHING STAFF**









#### **PLAYER PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

Name	Pronunciation
Melissa Evans	muh-LISS-uh EH-vanz
Georgia Murphy	jor-juh mur-fee
Blake Mohler	
Áury Cruz	owd-ree krooz
M'Kaela White	muh-KAY-luh white
Jill Gillen	jihl gil-in
Kaz Brown	caz brown
Wilma Rivera	wil-mah rih-vair-uh
Kalyah Williams	kuh-LEE-uh WILL-yuhms
Adora Anae	
Shaïnah Joseph	shy-nah joe-sef
Carly Skjodt	CAR-lee scott
Abby Hansen	AB-ee HAN-sen
Paula Cerame	
Azhani Tealer	uh-shah-nee tee-lur
Carly Graham	CAR-lee gram

## **HEAD COACH AMY PAULY**

Amy Pauly is recognized as one of the top up-and-coming coaches in college volleyball and is now the first head coach of the Orlando Pro Volleyball Federation team. Formerly the associate head coach for USC's women's volleyball program, Pauly brings her exceptional recruiting and talent identification skills to Orlando, where she also serves as the Vice President of Volleyball Operations.

Pauly's coaching extends beyond her USC tenure, where she played a crucial role in securing the nation's top-rated recruiting class in 2022. Her national acclaim includes being listed on VolleyballMag.com's 2020 Under 40 Coaching Hotshots and the 2016 American Volleyball Coaches Association 30 Under 30 list. With previous coaching experiences at the University of Alabama-Birmingham and Villanova, Pauly's impressive career began as a graduate assistant at South Carolina in 2010, following a successful playing career at Alabama.





### **DUICK HITS**

Hometown	Burr Ridge, Illinois
Alma Mater	University of Alabama (2009)
High School	Hinsdale South (2004)
Date of Birth	November 14, 1986
Husband	Ahen Kim

#### COACHING HISTORY

2023-present	Orlando Valkyries (Head Coach)
2020-23	USC (Associate Head Coach)
2018-19	UAB (Head Coach)
2012-2017	Villanova University (Assistant Coach)

#### COLLEGE CAREER RECORDS

YEAR	SCHOOL	OVERALL	CONFERENCE	HOME RECORD	POSTSEASON
2019	UAB	12-15	4-10 / C-USA	7-5	
2018	UAB	13-15	5-9 / C-USA	4-3	
TOTALS	2 Years	25-30	9-19	11-8	
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DID YOU KNOW?

Pauly is a high school badminton champion





## Addition Arena

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Addition Financial Arena is located on the campus of the University of Central Florida, one of the largest universities in the nation. In Orlando, FL, Addition Financial Arena boasts 10,000 seats, 18 luxury suites, two loge boxes, and club seating with lounge access.

The OVG360 - managed Addition Financial Arena is home to the UCF Men's and Women's basketball programs, as well as concerts, family shows, and other attractions for the Central Florida area. Offering a diverse lineup of shows and athletic events, Addition Financial Arena is considered one of the top college venues in the country.

#### **ORLANDO VALKYRIES QUICK FACTS**

Location	Orlando, Florida
First Season	2024
Colors	Iron Grey, Gold, Dark Blue, Light Blue
Home Arena	Addition Financial Arena (Orlando, FL)
Capacity	10,000
Website	OrlandoValkyries.com
Ownership Group	David Forman

#### **ORLANDO VALKYRIES STAFF**

Chief Revenue Officer	Darrell Harbin
Chief Financial Officer	Carly Griffin
Director, Partnership Marketing & Community Relations	Matt Saccavino
Director, Business Operations	Kerstin Denney
Director, Creative Services	David Crilly
Sr. Manager, Ticket Sales & Services	Shannon Lawson
Sr. Manager, Ticket Sales & Services	Josh Olson
Manager, Ticket Sales & Services	LJ (Elizeu Baia)
Mgr, Partnership Mktg, Game Ops, & Merchandising	Anna Van Zyverden
Manager, Ticket Operations & Box Office	Valerie Herrera
Coordinator, Content Development & Business Operations	Ally Judkins
Social Media Specialist	Kylie Richelle
Manager, Team Operations & Brand Ambassador	Jordan Manias
Coordinator, Team Operations	Emily Erickson
Technical Coordinator	Erin Olson
Team Doctor	Dr. Nicole Wilson
Athletic Trainer	Emily Summerlin

















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**MELISSA** 

EXP

OPPOSITE

- Starting right-side player for Tauron Liga, where she earned two MVP awards during her
- College Captain from 2019 to 2021, All-time kill leader
- · While she was in college she earned two degrees in five years.

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MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	ВР	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
2/10 vs Las Vegas	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			1	0	0	0	0%	0%	0	0
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## **GEORGIA**

EXP R

HEIGHT: 5-6 COLLEGE: OREGON HOMETOWN: THE WOODLANDS, TX

LIBERO

- 2024 PVF Draft Pick, Round 2, Pick 10
- Two-time AVCA Pacific North All-Region Honorable Mention, Two-time All-Pac-12 Honorable Mention, All-Pac-12 Team
- Starred for the nationally-ranked Texas Tornados club team since eighth grade

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#### **AUREA** CRUZ

**HEIGHT:** 5-10

COLLEGE: FLORIDA HOMETOWN: LEVITTOWN, TOA BAJA, PR

EXP **26** 



**OUTSIDE HITTER** 

• She competed in the 2016 Olympic Games with the Puerto Rico National Team

Former Teams: Llaneras de Toa Baja Terra Sarda Tortolì, Lines Ecocapitanata Altamura, Suwon Hyundai EGC Hillstate, MC-Carnaghi Villa Cortese, Rabita Baku, Igor Gorgonzola Novara, Savino Del Bene Scandicci, Sar yer Belediyesi, Bosca San Bernardo Cuneo, Golden Tulip Volalto, Amazonas de Trujillo Alto, Valencianas de Juncos, Changas de Naranjito / University of Florida

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## **M'KAELA**

HOMETOWN: RIVERDALE, MD

**EXP** 3



MIDDLE BLOCKER

- Former Teams: LP Viesti, VBC Casalmaggiore, CSO Voluntari
- She competed with the CSO Voluntari, helping her team finish as the Supercup Runner up
- She competed with the team LP Viesti, contributing to the team becoming the League Champions

		POINTS			SE	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	ВР	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	10	5	9	20	1	2	10%	5	0	80%	40%	18	0	3	6	33%	17%	2	2
2/10 vs Las Vegas	8	3	7	19	1	0	□%	0	0			11	0	0	7	64%	64%	1	5
2/12 at Atlanta	7	5	5	12	2	0	-17%	1	0	0%	0%	11	0	1	3	27%	18%	4	4
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JILL GILLEN EXP R

OUTSIDE HITTER

SEC All-Freshman Team selection

Three-time AVCA All-South Region Team Selection

Three-time All-SEC Team Selection

**HEIGHT:** 5-7 COLLEGE: ARKANSAS HOMETOWN: STILLWELL, KS

		POINTS			SEF	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	17	8	7	16	4	2	-6%	33	2	33%	15%	48	3	1	15	31%	23%	0	4
2/10 vs Las Vegas	15	5	8	12	4	1	-25%	20	1	55%	35%	40	2	2	14	35%	25%	0	4
2/12 at Atlanta	20	7	17	15	1	1	0%	34	1	50%	24%	40	1	3	17	42%	33%	2	2
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## **KAZMIERE**

**EXP** 5

- Former Teams: USC Munster, VC Khimik, Beziers Angels, AEK Athens
- Selected to the USA Collegiate National Team 2016 /2017
- AVCA All-American Honorable Mention

HEIGHT: 6-4 COLLEGE: KEN' HOMETOWN: W		IA				MIDDL	E BLOCKEF				an Honoi			Ieam 201	6 /201/	,			
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1/26 vs Atlanta	10	4	4	18	2	1	0%	2	1	0%	0%	20	3	0	7	35%	20%	2	2
2/10 vs Las Vegas	15	8	10	8	2	0	-12%	0	0			21	3	2	10	48%	24%	5	1
2/12 at Atlanta	11	3	7	10	3	0	-20%	0	0			24	1	4	8	33%	12%	3	4
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#### WILMA RIVERA

**HEIGHT:** 5-9

COLLEGE: LOUISVILLE HOMETOWN: CAROLINA, PR EXP 5 12

SETTER

- Former Teams: Amazonas de Trujillo Alto, Valencianas de Juncos, Volley-Ball Club Chamalières, Rote Raben Vilsbiburg
- Playing for the Puerto Rico National Team she was named Best Server for the World Olympic Qualification 2024
- Puerto Rico National Team: MVP NORCECA Women's Final Four International League

		POINTS	3		SE	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	.OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	8	5	4	20	4	1	-10%	0	0			9	0	0	6	67%	67%	1	2
2/10 vs Las Vegas	4	3	1	18	3	2	6%	0	0			5	0	0	1	20%	20%	1	1
2/12 at Atlanta	0	0	0	12	0	0	8%	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
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#### ADORA ANAF

HEIGHT: 6-2 COLLEGE: UTAH HOMETOWN: LAIE, HI EXP

14

OUTSIDE HITTER

- · USA National Team
- Hwaseong IBK Altos, Bolu Bld, Criollas de Caguas, SC Prometey, Greece Panathinaikos
   Her championships include with Criollas de Caguas in 2021 and Greece Panathinaikos in 2022

		POINTS	3		SE	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	.OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	21	6	15	16	2	1	19%	25	0	52%	20%	64	4	4	18	28%	16%	2	1
2/10 vs Las Vegas	18	8	14	21	1	3	14%	30	1	50%	33%	33	2	1	13	39%	30%	2	2
2/12 at Atlanta	30	13	13	22	6	3	-14%	35	5	49%	11%	68	6	5	26	38%	22%	1	0
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#### SHAÏNAH JOSEPH

EXP

HEIGHT: 6-1 COLLEGE: FLORIDA HOMETOWN: OTTAWA, ON, CA OPPOSITE

- Former Teams: Sta. Lucia Lady Realtors, Top Speed, VC Maritza, Saitama Ageo Medics, VCNB Vandoeuvre Nancy, Louves Marq-en-Baroeul
- Currently part of the Canadian National Team
- She has played professionally with teams in France, Japan, the Philippines, Taiwan, and

		POINTS	3		SE	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	.OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	ВР	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	11	4	2	13	8	1	-54%	0	0			34	1	5	6	18%	0%	4	4
2/10 vs Las Vegas	5	3	1	11	2	0	-18%	0	0			23	2	2	5	22%	4%	0	3
2/12 at Atlanta	11	3	9	10	1	1	0%	1	0	100%	0%	28	1	3	9	32%	18%	1	4
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## **CARLY**

**EXP** 2

- Played professional beach volleyball with AVP Beach Volleyball, where she has a firstplace finish at the Laguna Beach Open and a third-place ranking at AVP Central Florida
- University of Michigan two-time team captain
- Unanimous 2018 All-Big Ten Conference First Team

HEIGHT: 6-1 COLLEGE: MICH HOMETOWN: IN		LIS. IN				OUTSI	DE HITTER				higan tw All-Big T			ptain First Tea	m				
		POINTS			SE	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	.OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	0	0	0	3	0	0	0%	0	0			0	0	0	0	•		0	0
2/10 vs Las Vegas	0	0	-1	1	1	0	-100%	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
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## **ABBY**

COLLEGE: UCF HOMETOWN: PHOENIX, AZ

**HEIGHT:** 6-5

EXP R

MIDDLE BLOCKER

- The No. 27 ranked recruit in the country according to PrepVolleyball.com
- · First-team Under Armour All-American
- Starred for the nationally-ranked Texas Tornados club team since eighth grade

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MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
2/10 vs Las Vegas	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
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## **PAULA**

**EXP** 

- Currently plays for the Puerto Rico National Team
- At the University of Florida, she contributed to her team's Sweet 16 Appearance in 2018 and 2019 and their Elite 8 Appearance in 2020  $\,$
- · Involved with CAP Foundation, Red Cross, UNICEF, and the Special Olympics

HEIGHT: 5-8 COLLEGE: INDI. HOMETOWN: S		PR				L	IBERO				eir Elite 8 P Founda			i 2020 s, UNICEF	, and th	ne Specia	al Olymp	ics	
		POINTS	:		SE	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0	•		0	0
2/10 vs Las Vegas	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
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## CARLY **GRAHAM**

EXP

**HEIGHT:** 6-0 COLLEGE: RICE HOMETOWN: SPRING, TX SETTER

- · Played with Galeb Liko Soho Group of the Montenegro League
- Two-time AVCA All-American Honorable Mention, Three-time Conference USA Setter of the Year, Named to the 2022 US Women's Collegiate National Team
- Carly is the youngest of 4 siblings and her oldest brother was a professional baseball player for the San Francisco Giants

		POINTS			SEF	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BL	.OCK
MATCH BY MATCH	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TOUCH
1/26 vs Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
2/10 vs Las Vegas	0	0	0	3	0	0	0%	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
2/12 at Atlanta	0	0	-3	18	2	0	-11%	0	0			3	1	0	0	0%	-33%	0	2
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## MATCH ONE RECAP Orlando Valkyries vs Atlanta Vibe



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ORLANDO	25	25	25	25	12	2
ATLANTA	20	27	27	16	15	3

## **VALKYRIES PUT ON A SHOW IN INAUGURAL MATCH**

In their home opener, the Orlando Valkyries (O-1) were defeated by the Atlanta Vibe (2-0), at Addition Financial Arena on Friday night in front of 5,284 fans. Orlando started off strong, taking the match's first set, however, Atlanta managed to win sets two, three, and five.

Adora Anae led the Valkyries with 21 total points (18 kills, two blocks, and one ace) in the contest.

#### Set 1

The Valkyries opened their inaugural match with an ace by M'Kaela White and scored the first two points of the initial set. Orlando led by as many as eight points, and held on to take the first set, 25-20. Adora Anae led the Valkyries in the opening set win with six points.

#### Set 2

The second set was back and forth at the beginning before the Vibe pulled ahead by as many as six points. The Valkyries came back, and the set was knotted at 25 a piece before the Vibe took the last two points to even the match.

#### Set 3

The third set was closely contested, with numerous lead changes. For the second set in a row, The Valkyries came back to tie it at 25, but the Vibe took the last two points of the set to go up 2-1.

#### Set 4

In the fourth set, the Valkyries took the largest lead of the match by 10 (17-7). The Valkyries continued to dominate and tied the match at two, closing out the set 25-16.

#### Set 5

The Vibe took an early three-point advantage in the fifth set. The two teams traded points and the Valkyries were able to tie it at 6-6. The Vibe scored the final two points, ending the match with an ace.





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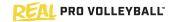
ORLANDO	25	25	25	25	12	2
ATLANTA	20	27	27	16	15	3

### **ORLANDO VALKYRIES**

				SETS				POINTS			SEF	PVF			RECE	PTION				SPI	KF			BLC	ıck
#	PLAYER	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	SUM	ВР	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TCH
3	Melissa Evans						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
5	Georgia Murphy	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	-2	0	0	0		21	2	67	38	0	0	0	0			0	0
7	Blake Mohler						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
8	Aurea Cruz		*	*		*	1	1	-1	7	1	1	0	10	0	70	30	9	1	0	0	0	-11	0	0
9	M'Kaela White	1	2	1	2	1	10	5	9	20	1	2	10	5	0	80	40	18	0	3	6	33	17	2	2
10	Jill Gillen	3	4	3	4	3	17	8	7	16	4	2	-6	33	2	33	15	48	3	1	15	31	23	0	4
11	Kazmiere Brown	4	5	4	5	4	10	4	4	18	2	1	0	2	1	0	0	20	3	0	7	35	20	2	2
12	Wilma Rivera	5	6	5	6	5	8	5	4	20	4	1	-10	0	0			9	0	0	6	67	67	1	2
13	Kalyah Williams						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
14	Adora Anae	6	1	6	1	6	21	6	15	16	2	1	19	25	0	52	20	64	4	4	18	28	16	2	1
15	Shainah Joseph	2	3	2	3	2	11	4	2	13	8	1	-54	0	0			34	1	5	6	18	0	4	4
18	Carly Skjodt		*		*		0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
19	Abby Hansen						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
20	Paula Cerame						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
22	Carly Graham						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0

## **ATLANTA VIBE**

				SETS				POINTS			SEI	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BLC	ICK
# PLAYER		S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TCH
1 L. Member-Menel	ı				*		0	0	0	0	0	0		3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 Shelly Fanning		3	5	5	5	5	13	6	10	18	1	3	17	0	0			19	2	1	8	42	26	2	3
8 Kamaile Hiapo		*	*	*		*	1	1	1	9	0	1	11	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
9 Morgan Hentz		*	*	*	*	*	0	0	-3	0	0	0		22	3	36	18	0	0	0	0			0	0
12 Tori Stringer		1	3	*		*	1	1	-2	8	0	0	0	0	0			7	3	0	1	14	-29	0	2
13 Leah Edmond		2	4	4	4	4	12	7	-3	18	3	1	-6	52	3	48	12	51	8	5	10	20	-6	1	5
16 Karis Watson		6	2	2	2	2	14	2	8	12	1	0	-8	0	0			19	3	0	10	53	37	4	2
17 Alli Linnehan		5	1	1	1	1	10	5	6	14	1	0	7	13	2	31	23	36	1	2	7	19	11	3	2
18 Chiamaka Nwokol	О						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
20 Grace Cleveland							0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
21 Marlie Monserez			*	3	3	3	5	1	2	10	1	0	-10	1	1	0	0	10	1	0	4	40	30	1	2
22 Yossiana Pressley	,	*	6	6	6	6	12	7	6	10	2	0	-10	0	0			32	4	1	10	31	16	2	7
23 Kacie Evans			*	*			0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
24 Regan Pittman		4					2	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0			9	0	2	2	22	0	0	1





## MATCH TWO RECAP Orlando Valkyries vs Vegas Thrill



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ORLANDO	25	25	23	25	-	3
LAS VEGAS	23	10	25	21	-	1

## ORLANDO VALKYRIES SLOW DOWN VEGAS'S MOMENTUM CONTAINING THEM IN A 3-1 WIN FOR THEIR FIRST FRANCHISE VICTORY

ORLANDO, Fla. – The Orlando Valkyries recorded its first win in franchise history against the Vegas Thrill on Saturday night. Full statistics for the game can be found here.

#### Set 1

The Valkyries opened the match with the first point with a kill by Shainah Joseph. They went on to control the first half of the set with a 7-point lead at 14-7. Thrill managed to pull ahead tying it at 17-17 and continued to go on a 3-point run. At 23-23, the teams were tied for the third time in the set. After a battle at the net, Kaz Brown would go on to score the final point of the set, securing the set point for the Valkyries.

#### Set 2

The Valkyries started with the first point of the set for the second time of the night. Orlando would go on to dominate the rest of the set with the biggest lead (25-10) of the match. Leading the charge were Valkyries Wilma Rivera and Kaz Brown, tallying six and five points in the set.

#### Set 3

The Vegas Thrill would start the third set with a 3-point run. They would continue to take the lead until a service error by Thrill tied it at 13-13. Adora Anae would go on to score an ace, giving the Valkyries the first lead of the set (14-13). The two teams would go on to trade points until an attack by Saskia Hippe gave Thrill their first set of the night.

#### Set 4

The fourth set served as the toughest set in the match. The Thrill and Valkyries continued to trade points back and forth up until the last two points. Jill Gillen would go on to close the set and give the Valkyries their first franchise win, putting their record at 1-1.

#### **Players of the Match**

Adora Anae led both teams with 18 total points (13 kills, two blocks, and three aces) in the contest. Kaz Brown followed behind her with 15 total points with the combination of 10 kills, and five blocks.





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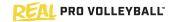
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### **ORLANDO VALKYRIES**

				SETS				POINTS			SEI	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BLC	JCK
#	PLAYER	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	SUM	ВР	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TCH
3	Melissa Evans	*					0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Georgia Murphy	*	*	*	*		0	0	-1	0	0	0		14	1	21	21	0	0	0	0			0	0
8	Aurea Cruz	*		*	*		0	0	-1	4	1	0	-25	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
9	M'Kaela White	3	2	3	2		8	3	7	19	1	0	0	0	0			11	0	0	7	64	64	1	5
10	Jill Gillen	5	4	5	4		15	5	8	12	4	1	-25	20	1	55	35	40	2	2	14	35	25	0	4
11	Kazmiere Brown	6	5	6	5		15	8	10	8	2	0	-12	0	0			21	3	2	10	48	24	5	1
12	Wilma Rivera	1	6	1	6		4	3	1	18	3	2	6	0	0			5	0	0	1	20	20	1	1
14	Adora Anae	2	1	2	1		18	8	14	21	1	3	14	30	1	50	33	33	2	1	13	39	30	2	2
15	Shainah Joseph	4	3	4	3		5	3	1	11	2	0	-18	0	0			23	2	2	5	22	4	0	3
18	Carly Skjodt				*		0	0	-1	1	1	0	-100	0	0			0	0	0	0	0		0	0
19	Abby Hansen						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0	0		0	0
20	Paula Cerame						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0	0		0	0
22	Carly Graham	*			*		0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0		0	0

## **VEGAS THRILL**

				SETS				POINTS			SEF	RVE			RECE	PTION				SPI	KE			BLC	JCK
# PLAYER		S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	SUM	ВР	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR		PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TCH
1 Khat Bell							0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	•		0	0	0	0			0	0
4 Kylie Murr		*	*	*	*		0	0	0	0	0	0		12	0	42	25	0	0	0	0			0	0
5 Molly McCag	ge	1	6	1	6		7	4	3	8	3	0	-38	3	0	33	0	18	1	2	5	28	11	2	0
6 Alisha Glass	Childress	2	1	2	1		3	3	-2	14	3	0	-21	1	1	0	0	3	1	0	1	33	0	2	3
7 Layne Van E	Buskirk	4	3				2	0	-2	5	1	0	-20	0	0			9	3	1	1	11	-33	1	0
8 Janet Kalan	iuvalu						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
10 Paulina Prie rame	to-Ce-		*				0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	-33	0	0
11 Hannah Mad	ddux	3	2	3	2		12	3	3	13	3	1	-15	31	3	35	26	34	3	1	10	29	18	1	1
12 Berkeley Ob	lad	*		4	3		4	2	0	10	3	1	-20	0	0			7	1	0	2	29	14	1	1
15 Gabby Gonz	ales	6	5	6	5		11	4	5	16	2	0	-6	30	2	30	20	29	2	1	11	38	28	0	1
21 Ainise Havili	i						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
22 Anna Churcl	h						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
24 Meghan Jen	mison		*				0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	33	0	0	0	0	0			0	0
91 Saskia Hipp	е	5	4	5	4		13	3	8	12	1	1	17	1	0	0	0	39	4	3	12	31	13	0	3





## MATCH THREE RECAP Orlando Valkyries at Atlanta Vibe



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ATLANTA	25	19	25	22	17	3
ORLANDO	21	25	21	25	15	2

## VALKYRIES ENGAGE IN HARD-FOUGHT BATTLE, FALLS SHORT TO VIBE IN FIVE THRILLING SETS

In their first away match, the Orlando Valkyries (1-2) were defeated by the Atlanta Vibe (4-1), at Atlanta's Gas South Arena on Monday night. It was an intense battle, with Orlando taking the match's second and fourth set, and Atlanta winning sets one, two, and five.

Valkyries Adora Anae led both teams in total points and kills with a tally of 30 points, 26 of which came from kills.

#### Set 1

In the opening set, the Valkyries and the Vibe were in a close contest marked with frequent lead changes. Atlanta would claim the opening point of the match and from then on, the two teams would continue to trade points early in the set. The Valkyries gained their first lead at 10-9 following a pivotal block by M'Kaela White. The Vibe would reclaim the lead at a scoreline of 13-12. The teams remained neck and neck, until Atlanta would go on a 6-point run, ending the set 25-21.

#### Set 2

Starting the second set, Atlanta's Leah Edmond made a service error, allowing the Valkyries to secure the first point of the set. Following this, both teams traded points until the Valkyries went on a 4-point run, extending their lead to 14-9, the largest of the set. The Valkyries maintained their advantage throughout, ultimately ending the set with at 25-19, tying the match.

#### Set 3

In the third set, The Vibe surged ahead early on, but the Valkyries fought back, tying the score at 11-11 with a kill by Kaz Brown. Atlanta then capitalized on a 3-point run, establishing a lead they maintained until the end of the set, closing it out at 25-21.

#### Set 4

In the beginning of the fourth set, both the Valkyries and Vibe frequently tied the score or exchanged narrow leads. However, an attack error by Atlanta allowed Orlando to edge ahead, securing a two-point lead at 17-15. With a kill by Anae, the Valkyries extended their lead to 20-16, marking the first 4-point advantage of the set. Despite Atlanta's attempts to mount a comeback, a kill by Jill Gillen evened the match.

#### Set 5

The fifth set would continue the trend of the two teams tying the match back and forth, mirroring the preceding sets. The Valkyries would lose their lead at 15-14 with the Vibe scoring the last three points, winning the match 3-2.





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3	Melissa Evans					*	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
5	Georgia Murphy	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0		22	0	50	18	0	0	0	0	-		0	0
8	Aurea Cruz		*	*	*	*	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
9	M'Kaela White	3	2	2	4	5	7	5	5	12	2	0	-17	1	0	0	0	11	0	1	3	27	18	4	4
10	Jill Gillen	5	4	4	6	1	20	7	17	15	1	1	0	34	1	50	24	40	1	3	17	42	33	2	2
11	Kazmiere Brown	6	5	5	1	2	11	3	7	10	3	0	-20	0	0			24	1	4	8	33	12	3	4
12	Wilma Rivera	1	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	12	0	0	8	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
14	Adora Anae	2	1	1	3	4	30	13	13	22	6	3	-14	35	5	49	11	68	6	5	26	38	22	1	0
15	Shainah Joseph	4	3	3	5	6	11	3	9	10	1	1	0	1	0	100	0	28	1	3	9	32	18	1	4
18	Carly Skjodt					*	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
19	Abby Hansen						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
20	Paula Cerame						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
22	Carly Graham	*	6	6	2	3	0	0	-3	18	2	0	-11	0	0			3	1	0	0	0	-33	0	2

## **ATLANTA VIBE**

		SETS					POINTS				SERVE			RECEPTION					SPIKE					BLOCK	
#	PLAYER	S1	S2	S3	<b>S4</b>	S5	SUM	BP	BAL	SUM	ERR	ACE	EFF%	SUM	ERR	POS%	PERF%	SUM	ERR	BLOCK	PTS	KILL%	EFF%	PTS	TCH
1	Leketor Member-Meneh	4	4	4	4	1	24	14	19	20	0	2	30	23	1	43	9	46	4	1	20	43	33	2	0
3	Shelly Fanning	2	2	2		5	4	0	0	9	2	0	-22	0	0			17	2	3	3	18	-12	1	4
8	Kamaile Hiapo	*		*	*	*	1	1	1	7	0	1	14	4	0	100	100	0	0	0	0			0	0
9	Morgan Hentz	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0		22	0	59	27	0	0	0	0			0	0
12	Tori Stringer						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
13	Leah Edmond	1	1	1	1	4	25	7	12	18	4	1	17	43	4	44	12	65	4	3	20	31	20	4	0
15	Magdelena Jehlářová			*	2		2	0	1	6	1	0	0	0	0			4	0	1	2	50	25	0	1
16	Karis Watson						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
17	Alli Linnehan						0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
20	Grace Cleveland	3	3	3	3		7	3	3	16	3	0	-12	0	0			24	1	1	5	21	12	2	2
21	Marlie Monserez	6	6	6	6	3	4	1	3	14	1	0	-7	0	0			10	0	0	3	30	30	1	3
22	Yossiana Pressley					6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0			4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
23	Kacie Evans			*	*	*	1	1	-1	4	2	1	-25	0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0
24	Regan Pittman	5	5	5	5	2	14	6	12	12	1	1	0	0	0			19	0	2	7	37	26	6	2

