




# XI

MATCH PROGRAM

EDITION 3  
2017 SEASON

#18   
Rhett  
Bernstein

#17   
Daniel  
Vega

#15   
Hunter  
Freeman

# ONE GOAL

## UPCOMING HOME MATCHES



8/12  
vs Indy  
Eleven



9/2  
vs Puerto  
Rico FC



9/6  
vs New York  
Cosmos

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## It's Not Over Yet

**The 2017 NASL Spring Season was a historic one for Miami FC. The Orange and Blue captured its first trophy just one year after finishing in last place in the 2016 Spring Season.**

Miami's **7-0** title-clinching win over the San Francisco Deltas set a goals scored record for Miami and resulted in one of the most lopsided victories in NASL history.

Evidenced by an incredible **+22** goal differential, the Orange and Blue dominated its opponents on its way to its first hardware in franchise history.

Forwards Vincenzo Rennella and Stéfano Pinho combined for **18** goals during the season, while plenty of other Miami players rank in the top 10 in several categories, including assists, shots, chances created and total passes.

The second-year club will carry over a 10-point lead into the Fall Season, as it looks to finish atop the table again and secure its place as the best team in the league heading into the playoffs.

With a playoff spot and first-round home match secured, Miami's main goal in the Fall will be to continue its fine run of form and bring home another trophy.







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@DanielVegaok

# DANIEL VEGA

**Favorite player to watch?**

Messi

**If you could play with anyone in history, who would it be?**

Maradona

**Favorite Miami FC moment so far?**

Win over Atlanta United

**What other position would you choose?**

Forward

**Favorite hype song?**

Anything from Pink Floyd

**One word to describe Miami FC?**

Teamwork

**Favorite TV show?**

Game of Thrones

**Favorite Superhero?**

Batman

**Favorite Sportswear?**

Nike

**Skydive or bungee jump?**

Skydive

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**DEFENDER**

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**HUNTER  
FREEMAN**

**Favorite player to watch?**

Arjen Robben

**If you could play with anyone  
in history, who would it be?**

Brazilian Ronaldo

**Favorite Miami FC moment so far?**

Win over Atlanta United

**What other position would you choose?**

Forward

**Favorite hype song?**

It changes a lot. Just depends on  
what I am feeling at the moment.  
Could be EDM, rap or country

**One word to describe Miami FC?**

Vamos!

**Favorite TV show?**

Reality TV junky

**Favorite Superhero?**

Batman

**Favorite Sportswear?**

Adidas

**Skydive or bungee jump?**

Both



# Tropical Delight

A healthy, refreshing, classic recipe the whole family will enjoy.

## Grilled Mojo Chicken with Charred Pineapple Salsa

### Ingredients:

- ▶ 1 pkg. (1.5 lbs.) Boneless, Skinless Chicken Breasts
- ▶ 1 bottle (24.5 oz.) GOYA® Mojo Criollo
- ▶ GOYA® Adobo All-Purpose Seasoning with Pepper, to taste
- ▶ 1 can (20 oz.) GOYA® Sliced Pineapple rings in heavy syrup, drained
- ▶ 1 medium tomato, seeded and finely chopped (about ½ cup)
- ▶ ¼ red onion, finely chopped (about ⅓ cup)
- ▶ ½ GOYA® jalapeño pepper, seeded and finely chopped (optional)
- ▶ 3 tbsp. finely chopped fresh cilantro
- ▶ 1 tbsp. GOYA® Extra Virgin Olive Oil
- ▶ ½ lime, juiced (about 1 tbsp.)
- ▶ ¾ tsp. salt

### Directions

1. Add chicken to gallon-size zip-top bag; add Mojo and seal bag. Massage to coat chicken in marinade; transfer to

refrigerator. Marinate at least 2 hours, or until ready to grill; discard marinade.

2. Heat grill to medium-high heat. Season chicken lightly with Adobo. Add chicken to hot, greased grill grates. Grill, flipping once, until golden brown and cooked through (internal temperature registers 165° on quick-read thermometer when inserted into thickest part of breast), about 10 minutes. Grill pineapple rings, flipping once, until charred, about 4 minutes. Transfer chicken to platter; tent with foil to keep warm. Transfer pineapple to cutting board
3. Finely chop pineapple; transfer to medium bowl; stir in tomato, onion, jalapeño, cilantro, olive oil, lime juice and salt until well combined.
4. Top chicken with charred pineapple salsa. Serve



If it's **GOYA** ...it has to be good!





#18

DEFENDER

Rhett  
#18

@rhettbernstein

RHETT  
BERNSTEIN

**Favorite player to watch?**

Luka Modric

**If you could play with anyone in history, who would it be?**

Peter Schmeichel

**Favorite Miami FC moment so far?**

The win against Orlando City

**What other position would you choose?**

Striker

**Favorite hype song?**

Led Zeppelin "When the Levee Breaks"

**One word to describe Miami FC?**

Better

**Favorite TV show?**

Game of Thrones

**Favorite Superhero?**

Blankman

**Favorite Sportswear?**

Umbro

**Skydive or bungee jump?**

Skydive



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17



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Paolo  
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Head of  
Performance  
and Fitness

Federico  
Bertelet'

Technical  
Assistant



#5

Mason  
Trafford

Defender



#12

Tyler  
Ruthven

Defender



#15

Hunter  
Freeman

Defender



#18

Rhett  
Bernstein

Defender



#28

Gabriel  
Farfán

Defender



#22

Jonny  
Steele

Midfielder



#23

Blake  
Smith

Midfielder



#26

Michael  
Lahoud

Midfielder



#31

Michel

Midfielder

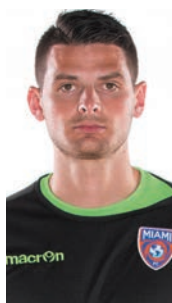


#6

Ariel  
Martínez

Midfielder





**#1**   
**Ryan Herman**  
 Goalkeeper



**#17**   
**Daniel Vega**  
 Goalkeeper



**#33**   
**Lionel Brown**  
 Goalkeeper



**#2**   
**Jonathan Borrajo**  
 Defender



**#3**   
**Brad Rusin**  
 Defender



**#7**   
**Dylan Mares**  
 Midfielder



**#10**   
**Kwadwo Poku**  
 Midfielder



**#14**   
**Robert Baggio Kcira**  
 Midfielder



**#20**   
**Richie Ryan**  
 Midfielder



**#21**   
**Calvin Rezende**  
 Midfielder



**#8**   
**Vincenzo Rennella**  
 Forward



**#9**   
**Jaime Chávez**  
 Forward



**#11**   
**Aaron Dennis**  
 Forward



**#29**   
**Stéfano Pinho**  
 Forward



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# Upcoming Home Opponents



## Head Coach

Colin Clarke

### 2017 Spring Season Record

6-3-7, 21 points (5th place in Spring Season)

## Key Players

**Matt Fondy (FWD), Lance Laing (MID), Brian Sylvestre (GK)**

The Miami FC and North Carolina FC have faced off five times and battled close, with the series deadlocked at 1-4-1

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North Carolina won the last matchup on their home turf, snapping Miami's 14-game unbeaten streak.

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After a hot start to their Spring Season, North Carolina lost five of their last eight matches and ended in fifth place.



## Head Coach

Tim Hankinson

### 2017 Spring Season Record

4-8-4, 20 points (6th place in Spring Season)

## Key Players

**Justin Braun (FWD), Ben Speas (MID), Nemanja Vuković (DEF)**

Miami FC holds a 3-1-1 series advantage over Indy Eleven.

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The Orange and Blue won their last matchup with a convincing 2-0 road victory.

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One year after winning the 2016 Spring Season and losing in penalties in the Soccer Bowl, Indy struggled heavily in the 2017 spring.



## Head Coach

Marco Vélez

### 2017 Spring Season Record

1-6-9, 9 points (8th and last place in Spring Season)

## Key Players

**Giuseppe Gentile (FWD), Jordi Quintilla (MID), Ramón Soria Alonso (DEF)**

The Miami FC is 3-2-1 all-time against Puerto Rico.

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The teams drew 1-1 at Riccardo Silva Stadium the last time they played each other, which snapped a five-game Miami win streak.

•••

Puerto Rico gave up a league-high 28 goals during the spring, but scored 19.



## Head Coach

Giovanni Savarese

### 2017 Spring Season Record

6-6-4, 24 points (3rd place in Spring Season)

## Key Players

**Emmanuel Ledesma (MID), Ayoze García Pérez (DEF), Jimmy Maurer (GK)**

The Cosmos own the all-time series lead against Miami, as it sits at 5-0-2 in New York's favor.

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Miami beat the Cosmos twice in the Spring, one of them being a 3-0 trashing in New York.

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The Cosmos won the 2016 NASL Championship, but came in third place in the Spring.

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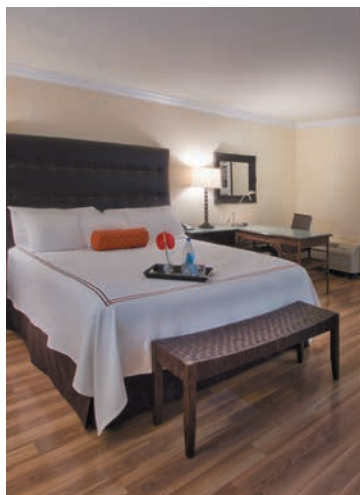
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# Upcoming Home Schedule & Promotions



**8.5**

7:30  
PM

## vs. North Carolina FC

Giveaways:

- Miami FC Scarf courtesy of TECO Peoples Gas and mini Colombia flags
  - Performance by Puerta de Oro de Colombia
- Food Truck: Aja!

Colombian  
Heritage  
Night

COMMUNITY PARTNER: GAME TIME FOUNDATION



**8.12**

7:30  
PM

## vs. Indy Eleven

Giveaways:

- Miami FC Cap courtesy of The CW South Florida and mini Mexico flags
  - Performance by Mariachi Mi Mexico and Ballet Folklorico Miami Inc.
- Food Truck: Taco Veracruz

Mexican  
Heritage  
Night

COMMUNITY PARTNER: TEACH FOR AMERICA



**9.2**

7:30  
PM

## vs. Puerto Rico FC

Giveaway:

- Miami FC Kids Drawstring Jersey Bag courtesy of Del Toro Insurance
- Food Truck: Vibe 305

Back To  
School  
Night

COMMUNITY PARTNER: COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS



**9.6**

8:00  
PM

## vs. New York Cosmos

Food Truck: Vibe 305

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New York Cosmos

**Sat | 7.29 | 7 PM**



North Carolina FC

**Sat | 8.5 | 7:30 PM**



Indy Eleven

**Sat | 8.12 | 7:30 PM**



North Carolina FC

**Tues | 8.15 | 7:30 PM**



Jacksonville Armada FC

**Sun | 8.20 | 6 PM**



Puerto Rico FC

**Sat | 8.26 | 7:30 PM**



Puerto Rico FC

**Sat | 9.2 | 7:30 PM**



New York Cosmos

**Wed | 9.6 | 8 PM**



San Francisco Deltas

**Sat | 9.9 | 8 PM**



San Francisco Deltas

**Sat | 9.16 | 7:30 PM**



Jacksonville Armada FC

**Sun | 9.24 | 4 PM**



Jacksonville Armada FC

**Sun | 10.1 | 6 PM**



San Francisco Deltas

**Sat | 10.7 | 7:30 PM**



Indy Eleven

**Sat | 10.14 | 3 PM**



FC Edmonton

**Sat | 10.21 | 9 PM**



FC Edmonton

**Sat | 10.28 | 7:30 PM**



Championship Semifinal

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**Weekend of 11.10-11.12**

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NASL Playoffs



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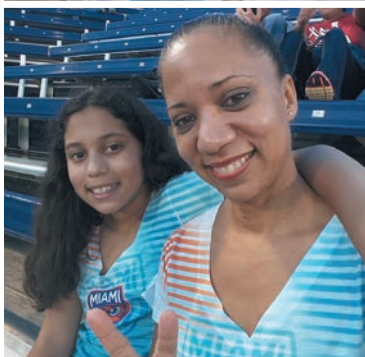
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