

## PITTSBURGH RIVETERS SC (5-1-2) at FC BUFFALO (4-2-1)

Saturday, June 21 >> 6 p.m. ET >> Coyer Field >> Buffalo, N.Y.  
Streaming: SportsEngine Play

### INSIDE THE MATCH



**PITTSBURGH**

**BUFFALO**

5-1-2	Record	4-2-1
1st	Div. Standing	2nd
4-0-1	Last Five	3-1-1
W3	Streak	W3
Scott Gibson	Head Coach	Greg Margolis
@RivetersSC	X/Twitter	@FCBuffaloWomen

#### All-Time Head-to-Head

Referee	1-0-0
David Rousseau	
Assistant referees	
Owen Reinartz, Antonio Triana	
Fourth official	
Benjamin Eisenhant	
Riveters injuries/inactives	None

### LOOKING BACK

#### Riveters' Last Game

**Riveters SC 7, Erie Sports Center 0**  
Highmark Stadium, Pittsburgh, Pa. • June 15, 2025  
Game 8

The Riveters were rolling with six of their goals coming in a 29-minute span from the 40th to 69th minutes. Sabrina Bryan and Gina Proviano each had two goals, and Tanum Nelson, Olivia Damico and Tessa Dellarose also scored. Bailey Herfurth made three saves for her first clean sheet with the Riveters.

#### Last Meeting with Buffalo

**Riveters SC 3, FC Buffalo 0**

Highmark Stadium, Pittsburgh, Pa. • June 8, 2025  
Game 6

Tanum Nelson completed the first hat trick in Riveters history in a span of 32 minutes, scoring in the ninth, 20th and 41st minutes to supply all the scoring. Pauline Nelles made three saves to record her third clean sheet of the season as the Riveters remained undefeated and with zero goals allowed at home.



### GAME 9 - QUICK STRIKES

- The Riveters enter today's match needing four points — a win and a draw — to be assured of winning the Great Forest Division title and clinching a berth in the USL W League Playoffs.
- The team's 7-0 win over Erie in their last match was the largest win in team history and was the second-largest margin of victory for any senior-level club match in Highmark Stadium history.
- After missing four matches through injury, **Sabrina Bryan** is back in form with three goals and an assist in the past two matches.
- Anna Korney** became the youngest Riveters goal scorer ever when the 15-year-old scored the opening goal in her team debut on June 11 in the 3-1 win at Steel City FC.
- Tanum Nelson**, who scored the team's first goal on May 16 and the team's first hat trick on June 8 in the first meeting with Buffalo, leads the Riveters with six goals on the season. That places her tied for the division lead with Buffalo's **Carissima Cutrona**, and that pair enters the weekend in a much larger tie for fourth in the W League overall.
- Bella Vozar** was named to the USL W League Team of the Month for May after an outstanding start to the season. Vozar has started every match at right back and has helped the team to four clean sheets.
- Olivia Damico**, is second on the team in scoring with four goals and three assists, and she has a goal contribution in six of the team's eight matches, the most of any Riveters player.
- Gina Proviano** had two goals off the bench against Erie, making her the first substitute and third player overall with a multi-goal game for the Riveters.
- Goalkeeper **Pauline Nelles**, a former Germany Under-20 international, has three clean sheets on the season. Fellow GK **Bailey Herfurth** claimed her first shutout in her second start Sunday against Erie.
- Twenty-nine players have appeared for the Riveters through eight matches, but only 17-year-old defender **Natalia DiSora** has played all 720 minutes.
- Captain **Tessa Dellarose** — fresh off winning the \$1 million, 7v7 The Soccer Tournament with US Women alongside FIFA Women's World Cup winners Ali Kriger, Heather O'Reilly and Carli Lloyd — netted her first Riveters goal from the penalty spot against Erie.

## Why the Riveters?

The name of the Pittsburgh Riveters Soccer Club was selected as the result of a fan vote that occurred in 2024 after four finalists were decided. The name "Riveters" won a clear majority in that vote, making that the name of the Pittsburgh's new W League team.

The Riveters name harkens back to the World War II image of "Rosie the Riveter," the most famous version of which came from the "We Can Do It!" poster commissioned in 1943 by Pittsburgh-based Westinghouse Electric Company. Since then, the image of Rosie has expanded to represent more than the war effort; it has become an emblem of women's empowerment and their contribution to the work force at large.



### 2025 SCHEDULE & RECORD

#### USL W League Record: 5-1-2

Home: 3-0-1 • Away: 2-1-1 • All competitions: 5-1-2

#### MAY

Fri. 16	Cleveland Force SC	SNP+	D, 0-0
Sat. 24	@Flower City 1872		W, 3-2
Wed. 28	@Cleveland Force SC		L, 2-3
Fri. 30	Flower City 1872	SNP+	W, 2-0

#### JUNE

Thurs. 5	@Erie Sports Center		D, 1-1
Sun. 8	FC Buffalo	SNP	W, 3-0
Wed. 11	@Steel City FC		W, 3-1
Sun. 15	Erie Sports Center	SNP	W, 7-0
Sat. 21	@FC Buffalo		6 p.m.
Fri. 27	Steel City FC	SNP+	7 p.m.

#### JULY

Fr-Su. 4-6	Conference Playoffs Begin	TBD
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### 2025 LEADERS

Goals	Tanum Nelson, 6
Assists	O.Damico/A. Tylenda, 3
Goal contributions (G+A)	Tanum Nelson, 8
Shots	Tanum Nelson, 16
Minutes played	Natalia DiSora, 720
Goals against avg.	Pauline Nelles, 0.83
Save pct.	Pauline Nelles, .750
Yellow cards	Bella Vozar, 2
Red cards	None

### CLUB HISTORY

#### Career records

Most Appearances	Multiple players, 8
Most Goals	Tanum Nelson, 6
Most Assists	Olivia Damico & Alexis Tylenda, 3
Most Clean Sheets	Pauline Nelles, 3
Most Coaching Wins	Scott Gibson, 5
All-time record (2025-present)	5-1-2
Record at Highmark Stadium	3-0-1

FAST FACTS

General Information

Name: Pittsburgh Riveters SC  
City/Zip: Pittsburgh, PA 15219  
Founded: April 27, 2024  
First match: May 16, 2025  
Nickname: Riveters  
Colors: Black, Yellow & Red  
Division: Great Forest Division  
Venue: Highmark Stadium  
Seating capacity: 5,000  
Owner: Tuffy Shallenberger  
Website: www.riveterssc.com

RECORD IN 2025 WHEN...

At home .....	3-0-1
On road .....	2-1-1
In games decided by one goal or fewer .....	1-1-2
In games decided by two goals or more .....	4-0-0
vs. clubs with winning records .....	2-0-0
vs. clubs with losing records .....	1-0-1
vs. clubs with .500 records .....	2-1-1
Scoring first .....	5-1-1
Conceding first .....	0-0-0
Leading at half .....	5-1-0
Trailing at half .....	0-0-0
Tied at half .....	0-0-2
Leading with 10:00 remaining .....	5-0-1
Trailing with 10:00 remaining .....	0-1-0
Tied with 10:00 remaining .....	0-0-1
Leading with 5:00 remaining .....	5-0-1
Trailing with 5:00 remaining .....	0-1-0
Tied with 5:00 remaining .....	0-0-1
Outshooting opponent .....	4-1-2
Being outshot by opponent .....	0-0-0
Tying in shots with opponent .....	1-0-0
Scoring no goals .....	0-0-1
Scoring one goal .....	0-0-1
Scoring two goals .....	1-1-0
Scoring three goals .....	3-0-0
Scoring four or more goals .....	1-0-0
Allowing no goals .....	3-0-1
Allowing one goal .....	1-0-1
Allowing two goals .....	1-0-0
Allowing three goals .....	0-1-0
Allowing four or more goals .....	0-0-0
In games reduced to 10 players .....	0-0-0
In games opponent was reduced to 10 players .....	0-0-0
On weekdays .....	2-1-2
On weekends .....	3-0-0
In May .....	2-1-1
In June .....	3-0-1

Miscellaneous

Current Streak .....	W3
Home Streak .....	W3
Road Streak .....	W1

ACTIVE ROSTER

Roster Size: 39

NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Height	Age	Hometown (Previous team)
1	Bailey Herfurth	GK	6'0"	21	Northport, N.Y. (West Virginia Univ./Tampa Bay United)
2	Kennedy Neighbors	M	5'7"	20	Newburgh, Ind. (Indiana University)
3	Sydney Lindeman	D	5'8"	21	Murrysville, Pa. (Towson University)
4	Kelsey Salopek	D	5'4"	20	Munhall, Pa. (Kent State University)
5	Kate Friday	M	5'7"	19	Fox Chapel, Pa. (Xavier University)
6	Emily Kirkpatrick	D	5'5"	22	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Towson University)
7	Sabrina Bryan	F	5'3"	26	Cecil, Pa. (Hofstra University)
8	Carolina Lucci	F	5'4"	26	Monaca, Pa. (Chowan Univ./Swan City SC)
9	Abi Hugh	M	5'4"	22	Huntington, W.Va. (N.C. State University)
10	Carola Fontán	M	5'2"	20	Les Franqueses del Vallés, Spain (Univ. of Cumberlands)
11	Lucia Wells	F	5'4"	20	Pittsburgh, Pa. (University of Pittsburgh)
12	Bella Vozar	D	5'1"	19	Pittsburgh, Pa. (American University)
13	Holly Pascoe	F	5'4"	26	Christchurch, New Zealand (Point Park University)
14	Tanum Nelson	M	5'8"	20	Duxbury, Vt. (Cornell University)
15	Alexis Tylanda	F	5'6"	19	Pittsburgh, Pa. (University of Kentucky)
16	Pauline Nelles	GK	5'10"	23	Bonn, Germany (Arizona State University)
17	Gina Proviano	M	5'6"	22	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Long Island University)
18	Robin Reilly	F	5'6"	18	Latrobe, Pa. (West Virginia University)
20	Annamarie Williams	M	5'9"	19	Natrona Heights, Pa. (University of Virginia)
21	Ella Bulava	D		19	Latrobe, Pa. (University of Maryland)
22	Piper Coffield	D	5'8"	19	Mars, Pa. (Indiana University)
23	Gill Stewardson	D	5'6"	21	Campbell River, B.C. (Point Park Univ./Harbourside FC)
24	Chloe Kuminkoski	D	5'11"	23	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Loyola University, Md.)
25	Ashlyn Basinger	F	5'3"	20	Waynesburg, Pa. (University of Cincinnati)
26	Aris Lamanna	GK	5'11"	19	Murrysville, Pa. (Coastal Carolina University)
27	Natalia DiSora	D	5'4"	17	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Upper St. Clair HS)
28	Reagan Casper	D	5'5"	20	N. Huntingdon, Pa. (Univ. of Maryland-Baltimore Co.)
29	Jayden Sharpless	M	5'7"	21	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Duquesne University)
31	Ava Boyd	F	5'7"	19	Pittsburgh, Pa. (University of Pittsburgh)
32	Aleena Ulke	D	5'4"	21	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Syracuse University)
33	Lilly Bane	F	5'9"	18	Canonsburg, Pa. (Canon-McMillan HS)
34	Tessa Dellarose	M	5'5"	21	Grindstone, Pa. (University of North Carolina)
35	Olivia Damico	M	5'4"	23	Victor, N.Y. (Penn State University)
37	Ishpreen Marwah	F		19	Tampa, Fla. (University of Southern Mississippi)
38	Mackenzie Dupre	M	5'8"	21	Upper St. Clair, Pa. (Syracuse University)
39	Sydney Ritter	F	5'7"	20	Berlin, N.J. (West Virginia University)
43	Minah Syam	M	5'3"	19	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Bowling Green University)
58	Caitlyn Thompson	GK		17	McDonald, Pa. (South Fayette HS)
94	Anna Korney	F		15	DuBois, Pa. (DuBois Area HS)

\*Ages listed as of the start of the season

TECHNICAL STAFF

Head Coach: Scott Gibson  
Assistant Coach: John Rotz  
Assistant Coach: Mike Proviano  
Goalkeeper Coach: Reagan Duval  
Sporting Director: Dan Visser

▶ 2025 USL W LEAGUE STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL

No.	Name	GP	MIN	G	A	PTS	SH	SOG	FC	PK	PKG	YC	RC
2	Kennedy Neighbors	7	435	1	1	3	9	4	5	0	0	0	0
3	Sydney Lindeman	4	65	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
4	Kelsey Salopek	4	168	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
5	Kate Friday	7	99	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
7	Sabrina Bryan	4	174	3	1	7	6	4	2	0	0	0	0
8	Carolina Lucci	1	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
9	Abi Hugh	7	594	0	1	1	6	1	3	0	0	0	0
10	Carola Fontan	2	70	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
11	Lucia Wells	7	371	1	0	2	3	2	6	0	0	0	0
12	Bella Vozar	8	658	0	0	0	6	2	6	0	0	2	0
14	Tanum Nelson	8	576	6	2	14	16	12	8	0	0	0	0
15	Alexis Tylenda	5	360	2	3	7	7	5	7	0	0	0	0
17	Gina Proviano	5	70	2	0	4	5	3	1	0	0	0	0
18	Robin Reilly	5	141	0	0	0	3	2	3	0	0	0	0
20	Annamarie Williams	8	527	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	1	0
21	Ella Bulava	2	43	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Piper Coffield	7	630	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
25	Ashlyn Basinger	1	25	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
27	Natalia DiSora	8	720	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0
29	Jayden Sharpless	2	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	Ava Boyd	4	51	0	1	1	1	1	4	0	0	0	0
33	Lilly Bane	4	149	0	0	0	6	3	2	0	0	0	0
34	Tessa Dellarose	5	369	1	1	3	5	3	4	1	1	0	0
35	Olivia Damico	8	500	4	3	11	12	6	4	0	0	0	0
39	Sydney Ritter	3	39	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
43	Minah Syam	6	129	0	0	0	4	2	3	0	0	1	0
94	Anna Korney	2	143	1	1	3	6	4	1	0	0	0	0

GOALKEEPERS

No.	Name	GP	MIN	GA	SV	CS	PKS	SV%	GAA	YC	RC
1	Bailey Herfurth	2	180	2	3	1	0	.600	1.00	0	0
16	Pauline Nelles	6	540	5	15	3	0	.750	0.83	0	0

▶ 2025 HONORS

USL W LEAGUE TEAM OF THE MONTH

May - Bella Vozar - Defender

*\*\*italics denote Bench selection*

## HEAD COACH SCOTT GIBSON



Scott Gibson was named the first head coach in Riveters history on Sept. 25, 2024, giving him the reins as preparations for Pittsburgh's new women's soccer team kicked into gear ahead of the 2025 USL W League season.

Gibson is the longtime Director of the Riverhounds Academy, a role he has held since the Academy's launch in 2007, and he also the head of the Academy's girls program in the Elite Clubs National League. He has played a part in the development of more than 100 young women who have progressed to college soccer careers, including top athletes at elite programs such as North Carolina, Notre Dame, Pitt, Rutgers and Indiana. More than a half dozen girls from the Hounds Academy have been invited to U.S. Youth National Team camps, and in the past year and a half, two have represented the United States in competition — Tessa Dellarose in the U-20 age group and Sierra Dupre at the U-16 level.

**Experience:**  
First season

**Date Hired:**  
Sept. 25, 2024

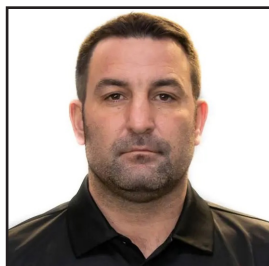
**Hometown:**  
Saltburn, England

**Alma Mater:**  
Duquesne University

A native of Saltburn, England, Gibson came to the U.S. to play collegiately at Duquesne University. After his college career, Gibson had a stint as a pro player with the Pittsburgh Riverhounds in the USL Second Division, while at the same time moving into his role as Riverhounds Academy Director. As the director, Gibson has overseen the growth of the Academy from its roots strictly as a training program to a comprehensive developmental and team model serving more than 1,100 boys and girls annually.

Teams that Gibson coached include the first Hounds girls team, which in 2013 won the U-15 US Club Soccer National Championship, as well as the 2007 Girls team that reached the final of the ECNL North American Cup in 2023. He also served as an assistant coach with the Riverhounds pro team during the 2014 season, and he has been selected to coach in the ECNL's National Selection Game — all-star events at the league's annual college showcases — in Houston in 2023 and Dallas in 2024.

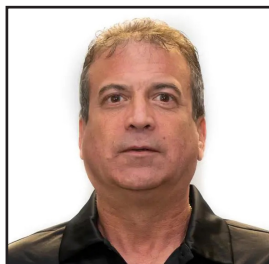
## ASSISTANT COACH JOHN ROTZ



## GOALKEEPER COACH REAGHAN DUVAL



## ASSISTANT COACH MIKE PROVIANO



## SPORTING DIRECTOR DAN VISSER



## ▶ 2025 GREAT FOREST DIVISION STANDINGS

Team	GP	RECORD	PTS	GF	GA	GD
Pittsburgh Riveters SC	8	5-1-2	17	21	7	+14
FC Buffalo	7	4-2-1	13	18	7	+11
Steel City FC	7	3-1-3	12	11	8	+3
Cleveland Force	7	2-2-3	9	9	15	-6
Flower City 1872	7	2-5-0	6	8	13	-5
Erie Sports Center	8	0-5-3	3	5	22	-17

*\*Standings through Thursday, June 19*

## ▶ 2025 GOAL LOG

### RIVETERS SC

5/24: @FLC - Tanum Nelson 31' (Piper Coffield)  
 5/24: @FLC - Tanum Nelson 32' (Kennedy Neighbors)  
 5/24: @FLC - Lucia Wells 80'  
 5/28: @CLE - Kennedy Neighbors 25' (Alexis Tylenda)  
 5/28: @CLE - Alexis Tylenda 31' (Olivia Damico)  
 5/30: FLC - Alexis Tylenda 20'  
 5/30: FLC - Olivia Damico 45+1' (Tanum Nelson)  
 6/5: @ESC - Olivia Damico 58' (Alexis Tylenda)  
 6/8: BUF - Tanum Nelson 9' (Alexis Tylenda)  
 6/8: BUF - Tanum Nelson 20' (Olivia Damico)  
 6/8: BUF - Tanum Nelson 41'  
 6/11: @STC - Anna Korney 21'  
 6/11: @STC - Olivia Damico 36' (Abi Hugh)  
 6/11: @STC - Sabrina Bryan 90+1' (Ava Boyd)  
 6/15: ESC - Sabrina Bryan 16' (Tanum Nelson)  
 6/15: ESC - Tanum Nelson 40' (Anna Korney)  
 6/15: ESC - Olivia Damico 45' (Tessa Dellarose)  
 6/15: ESC - Tessa Dellarose 51' (penalty)  
 6/15: ESC - Sabrina Bryan 55' (Olivia Damico)  
 6/15: ESC - Gina Proviano 67' (Sabrina Bryan)  
 6/15: ESC - Gina Proviano 69' (Kelsey Salopek)

### OPPOSITION

5/24: @FLC - Sam Cipolla 83' (Maria Karipidis)  
 5/24: @FLC - Sam Cipolla 90+2'  
 5/28: @CLE - Hannah Pachan 51' (penalty)  
 5/28: @CLE - Reagan Pentz 57'  
 5/28: @CLE - Brynn Severance 72'  
 6/5: @ESC - Leya Bretz 90+2' (Olivia Dixon)  
 6/11: @STC - Margherita Memoli 86' (Lucy Ream)

## May 16: Cleveland Force SC (D, 0-0)

Pauline Nelles  
Abi Hugh  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar  
Tessa Dellarose  
Annamarie Williams (Lilly Bane 46')  
Lucia Wells (Sabrina Bryan 46', Sydney Ritter 85')  
Carola Fontan (Tanum Nelson 46')  
Olivia Damico (Robin Reilly 62')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Kate Friday 71')

## May 24: @Flower City 1872 (W, 3-2)

Bailey Herfurth  
Abi Hugh (Sydney Ritter 81')  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar  
Tessa Dellarose (Ava Boyd 81')  
Annamarie Williams (Kate Friday 72')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Lucia Wells 65')  
Tanum Nelson (Minah Syam 72')  
Olivia Damico (Lilly Bane 46')  
Robin Reilly (Sydney Lindeman 46')

## May 28: @Cleveland Force SC (L, 2-3)

Pauline Nelles  
Abi Hugh  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar (Kelsey Salopek 46')  
Tessa Dellarose (Lilly Bane 46', Kate Friday 75')  
Annamarie Williams (Sydney Ritter 65')  
Alexis Tylanda  
Tanum Nelson (Lucia Wells 81')  
Olivia Damico (Carola Fontan 65')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Ashlyn Basinger 65')

## May 30: Flower City 1872 (W, 2-0)

Pauline Nelles  
Lucia Wells (Sydney Lindeman 87')  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar  
Tessa Dellarose  
Annamarie Williams (Minah Syam 72')  
Alexis Tylanda (Ava Boyd 72')  
Tanum Nelson (Gina Proviano 87')  
Olivia Damico (Ella Bulava 61')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Robin Reilly 61')

## June 5: @Erie Sports Center (D, 1-1)

Pauline Nelles  
Lucia Wells  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar (Kelsey Salopek 87')  
Abi Hugh (Sydney Lindeman 79')  
Annamarie Williams (Minah Syam 61')  
Alexis Tylanda (Gina Proviano 87')  
Tanum Nelson (Kate Friday 79')  
Olivia Damico (Robin Reilly 61')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Lilly Bane 61')

## June 8: FC Buffalo (W, 3-0)

Pauline Nelles  
Lucia Wells (Sydney Lindeman 84')  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar  
Abi Hugh (Kate Friday 84')  
Annamarie Williams (Jayden Sharpless 62')  
Tanum Nelson (Minah Syam 72')  
Alexis Tylanda (Carolina Lucci 84')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Sabrina Bryan 62')  
Olivia Damico (Gina Proviano 72')

## June 11: @Steel City FC (W, 3-1)

Pauline Nelles  
Abi Hugh (Kate Friday 80')  
Natalia DiSora  
Piper Coffield  
Bella Vozar  
Annamarie Williams (Robin Reilly 80')  
Jayden Sharpless (Kelsey Salopek 60')  
Tanum Nelson (Minah Syam 71')  
Anna Korney (Ava Boyd 80')  
Kennedy Neighbors (Sabrina Bryan 60')  
Olivia Damico (Gina Proviano 71')

## June 15: Erie Sports Center (W, 7-0)

Bailey Herfurth  
Kelsey Salopek  
Natalia DiSora  
Abi Hugh  
Bella Vozar (Ella Bulava 76')  
Tessa Dellarose (Minah Syam 63')  
Annamarie Williams (Kate Friday 70')  
Tanum Nelson (Lucia Wells 70')  
Anna Korney (Alexis Tylanda 63')  
Sabrina Bryan (Ava Boyd 76')  
Olivia Damico (Gina Proviano 63')