

CHATTANOOGA RED WOLVES SC

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CHATTANOOGA RED WOLVES SC vs FORT WAYNE

SATURDAY AUGUST 15, 2026 | 7:30 P.M. EST | RUOFF MORTGAGE STADIUM | FORT WAYNE, IN

MATCH PREVIEW



CHATTANOOGA		FORT WAYNE
9-1-6	RECORD (W-D-L)	7-6-6
8TH	STANDING	9TH
Scott Mackenzie	HEAD COACH	Mike Avery
@ChattRedWolves	X HANDLES	@FortWayneFC

STAT COMPARISON

CHATTANOOGA	CATEGORY	FORT WAYNE
1.8	SCORING AVG	1.3
32	GOALS SCORED	25
1.4	GOALS CONCEDED	1.2
25	ASSISTS	17
4.1	SOG/GAME	4.5
39	YELLOW CARDS	56
1	RED CARDS	3

HIGHLIGHTS

- Player's Shield runner up for 2025 Season
- Scott Mackenzie named Coach of the Year in 2025
- Scott Mackenzie coached his 100th game with the club on July 25th at home against One Knoxville. He has also now become the head coach with the longest tenure for the club.

Last Match Summary

Chattanooga Red Wolves played against Union Omaha. After going down 1-0 in the first three minutes, the Red Wolves came back within 1 with a score of 2-1. With a close chance to equalize, Ropapa Mensah hit a shot off the post, and a late goal by Union Omaha, the final score was a loss 3-1.

Next Home Match Preview

August 22nd
vs New York Cosmos
CHI Memorial Stadium | 7 PM

Chattanooga Red Wolves SC defend the den against New York Cosmos for their first meeting of the season.

2026 SCHEDULE & RECORD

MARCH

SAT.	11	@ GREENVILLE TRIUMPH SC	1 - 2 (W)
SAT.	28	@ AV ALTA FC	2 - 2 (D)

APRIL

SAT.	11	VS. FORT WAYNE FC	0-1 (L)
SAT.	25	VS. CORPUS CHRISTI FC	0-1 (L)

MAY

SAT.	2	@ ATHLETIC CLUB BOISE	2-1 (L)
SAT.	9	VS SARASOTA PARADISE	4-1 (W)
SAT.	16	VS BIRMINGHAM LEGION	1-1, 2-3 PK (L)
SAT.	23	@ UNION OMAHA	2-0 (L)
WEDS.	27	VS RICHMOND KICKERS	5-0 (W)
SAT.	30	VS CHARLOTTE INDEPENDENCE	3-2 (L)

JUNE

WEDS.	10	@ONE KNOXVILLE SC	1-1, 4-5 PK (L)
SAT.	13	@ PORTLAND HEARTS OF PINE	2-1 (W)
SAT.	20	VS FC NAPLES	1-0 (W)

JULY

WEDS.	1	VS WESTCHESTER SC	2-0 (W)
SAT.	4	@ CORPUS CHRISTI FC	1-0 (L)
SAT.	11	@ SAN ANTONIO FC	2-0 (L)
WEDS.	15	VS AV ALTA FC	1-0 (W)
SAT.	18	@ CHARLOTTE INDEPENDENCE	4-2 (W)
SAT.	25	VS ONE KNOXVILLE SC	1-0 (W)
WEDS.	29	@ FORWARD MADISON FC	5-2 (L)

AUGUST

SAT.	1	VS SPOKANE VELOCITY	post-poned
SAT.	8	VS UNION OMAHA	3-1 (L)
SAT.	15	@ FORT WAYNE FC	7:30 PM
WEDS.	19	@ SARASOTA PARADISE	7:30 PM
SAT.	22	VS NEW YORK COSMOS	7 PM
SAT.	29	VS ATHLETIC CLUB BOISE	7 PM

SEPTEMBER

WEDS.	2	@ WESTCHESTER SC	7 PM
SAT.	5	VS GREENVILLE TRIUMPH	7 PM
SAT.	12	@ RICHMOND KICKERS	6 PM
WEDS.	16	VS FORWARD MADISON FC	7 PM
SAT.	19	VS PORTLAND HEARTS OF PINE	7 PM
SAT.	26	@ FC NAPLES	7 PM

OCTOBER

SAT.	3	VS CORPUS CHRISTI FC	3 PM
WEDS.	7	@ ONE KNOXVILLE SC	7 PM
SAT.	17	@ SPOKANE VELOCITY	9 PM
SAT.	24	@ NEW YORK COSMOS	4 PM

LAST MATCH

NEXT HOME MATCH



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Chattanooga Red Wolves SC Talking Points

The Gateway Entertainment District Featuring CHI Memorial Stadium

Privately funded and proudly rooted in Chattanooga, CHI Memorial Stadium stands as Tennessee's first professional soccer-specific stadium. It serves as the cornerstone of The Gateway Entertainment District—a 100+ acre, mixed-use development inspired by Atlanta's Battery, home of the Braves. The district is poised to deliver a vibrant live-work-play environment unlike anything else in the region.

While stadium-centric developments have become increasingly common, the Chattanooga Red Wolves SC ownership group was among the first—if not the first—within the USL system to introduce such a comprehensive and forward-thinking vision. Today, their model is considered a national blueprint, influencing professional soccer organizations across the country.

A True Path to Pro

The Chattanooga Red Wolves SC are building more than teams—they're building futures. The club has prioritized creating a complete developmental pathway within Chattanooga, complemented by satellite programs such as the Utah Red Wolves Academy.

This ecosystem allows young players to grow from local recreational leagues all the way to the professional ranks with Chattanooga Red Wolves SC in USL League One—or reach elite pre-professional levels in the USL W League. For aspiring female athletes, this pathway has already proven successful: more than five Chattanooga Lady Red Wolves alumni have signed professional contracts both domestically and internationally.

The club's developmental focus is evident in the current USL League One roster, homegrown or reserve team products include:

- Jason Smith (Goalkeeper)
- Omar Gomez (Midfielder)
- Omar Hernandez (Midfielder) known for set-piece precision
- Harry Jolley, former Park City Red Wolves player
- Greyson Mercer, former Park City Red Wolves star and conference-leading goal scorer in 2022 and 2023

Importantly, the club's path-to-pro model isn't limited to players. Head Coach Scott Mackenzie began his career as an Academy coach with the Utah Red Wolves before rising through the ranks—underscoring the club's holistic commitment to development.

As founding members of USL League One, the USL Academy, and the USL W League, Chattanooga Red Wolves SC has consistently led the charge in launching new platforms for aspiring professionals.

Chattanooga Red Wolves Academy College Scholarship Fund

In another step forward, the club recently launched the Chattanooga Red Wolves Academy College Scholarship Fund. This new initiative will provide up to \$20,000 in total scholarship support to as many as 20 graduating Academy seniors who are continuing their education at the collegiate level. This program aligns with the club's longstanding commitment to supporting youth athletes in the region. One such initiative, Pass It Forward, has already delivered need-based financial assistance to hundreds of Academy players—opening doors to college opportunities and helping many become first-generation college students.

QUICK FACTS

General Information

Name: Chattanooga Red Wolves SC

City/Zip: Chattanooga, TN 37412

Founded: August 1, 2018

Conference: USL League 1

Venue: CHI Memorial Stadium

Capacity: 4,400

Website:

www.chattanooga:redwolves-sc.com

Unavailable Players

Ualefi Dos Reis

Harry Jolley

Jesse Maldonado

Matthew Acosta

Chistian Engmann

Omar Gomez

Technical Staff

Head Coach: Scott Mackenzie, 3rd Year, previously with the Utah Red Wolves.

Assistant Coach: Luke Winter, has been involved with the organization (academy and Lady Red Wolves) since 2019, this will be his 2nd season as Assistant Coach for the Men's team

Assistant Coach: Greg Warden, also serving as Head Coach of the Chattanooga Red Wolves 2 team, 1st season

Operations Director: Amelia Stephenson, 2nd season

Equipment Manager: Nathaniel Chmielowicz, 1st season

Athletic Trainer: Abigail Rogers, 2nd season

2026 ROSTER

Roster Size: 26 | Returners: 16 | Newcomers: 10

ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	HOMETOWN
1	JASON SMITH	GK	6'1"	FRESNO, CALIFORNIA
2	TOBI ADEWOLE	D	6'3"	BALTIMORE, MARYLAND
4	JAMES VAUGHAN	M	6'0"	BEXHILL, ENGLAND
5	HARRY JOLLEY	D	5'11"	LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND
6	WYNAND WESSELS	M	6'2"	PRETORIA, SOUTH AFRICA
7	OMAR HERNANDEZ	M	5'10"	DALTON, GEORGIA
8	UALEFI REIS	M	5'10"	SAO PAULO, BRAZIL
9	GREYSON MERCER	F	6'3"	NAPLES, FLORIDA
10	MATTHEW BENTLEY	F	6'1"	LONDON, ENGLAND
11	JOSHUA RAMOS	D	6'1"	U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS
12	RICARDO JEREZ	GK	6'2"	GUATEMALA CITY, GUATEMALA
14	PEDRO HERNANDEZ	F	5'7"	BAY POINT, CALIFORNIA
17	OMAR GOMEZ	M	6'0"	OXNARD, CALIFORNIA
19	NATHAN DONOHO	M	5'7"	MUSCAT, OMAN
20	ROPAPA MENSAH	F	6'3"	ACCRA, GHANA
21	MATTHEW ACOSTA	M	5'9"	ANNANDALE, NEW JERSEY
22	ERIC KINZNER	D	6'2"	TACOMA, WASHINGTON
23	YANIS LELIN	D	6'0"	MADRID, SPAIN
27	JESSE MALDONADO	F	5'9"	SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
30	AARON LOMBARDI	F	5'11"	RASARIO, ARGENTINA
33	JORDAN AYIMBILA	D	6'1"	ACCRA, GHANA
35	ANGELO KELLY ROSALES	M	5'8"	HONDURAS
40	CHRISTIAN ENGMANN	D	6'3"	
45	TRISTIN TORRES	M	5'11"	
66	MICHAEL KNAPP	M	6'0"	
68	AUSTIN MONTOYA	GK	5'11"	

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Tobi ADEWOLE	ah-day-WOE-lay
WYNAND WESSELS	WY-nand WESS-uhlz
UALEFI Reis	wah-LEH-fee
Ricardo JEREZ	heh-RESS
Eric KINZNER	KENS-ner
YANIS LELIN	YAH-ness leh-LIN
Jordan AYIMBILA	ah-yim-BEE-lah



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JASON SMITH
GOALKEEPER
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- 2025 Goalkeeper of the Year
- Club all time leader in Clean Sheets
- 12 Clean Sheets in 2025 Season



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TOBI ADEWOLE
DEFENDER
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND
JOINED CLUB: 2026

- Most recent signing for the Red Wolves
- Played for Westchester and Charlotte in 2025 Season



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JAMES VAUGHAN
MIDFIELDER
BEXHILL, ENGLAND
JOINED CLUB: 2026

- Played for Richmond in 2025 Season



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HARRY JOLLEY
DEFENDER
LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND
JOINED CLUB: 2026

- Making Pro Debut in 2026.
- Previously played for Park City Red Wolves, product of Path to Pro



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WYNAND WESSELS
MIDFIELDER
PRETORIA, SOUTH AFRICA
JOINED CLUB: 2025

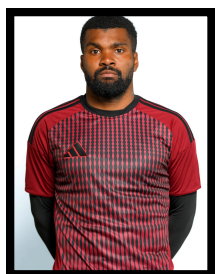
- Made his Pro Debut with the club in 2025



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OMAR HERNANDEZ
MIDFIELDER
DALTON, GEORGIA
JOINED CLUB: 2024

- From Dalton, GA
- Finalist for 2025 Goal of the Year
- Scored 7 Goals in 2025
- Scored first goal of the season in match against Greenville



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UALEFI REIS
MIDFIELDER
SAO PAULO, BRAZIL
JOINED CLUB: 2019

- With the club since the inaugural year
- Over 150 club appearances



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GREYSON MERCER
FORWARD
NAPLES, FLORIDA
JOINED CLUB: 2025

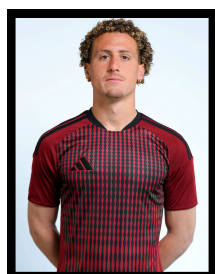
- Product of CRW Path to Pro
- Made Pro Debut with the club in 2025



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MATTHEW BENTLEY
FORWARD
LONDON, ENGLAND
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- Scored 10 goals in 2025 season, making him 7th overall goalscorer for the club, in his first year with the club
- Recorded his first three-goal and one-assist game against Sarasota Paradise, making him just the fourth player in league history to accomplish in one match



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JOSHUA RAMOS
DEFENDER
U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- Recently called up to the US Virgin Islands National Team
- 1 Goal and 4 Assists with the club in 2025



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RICARDO JEREZ
GOALKEEPER
GUATEMALA CITY, GUATEMALA
JOINED CLUB: 2023

- Played for the Guatemalan National Team



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PEDRO HERNANDEZ
FORWARD
BAY POINT, CALIFORNIA
JOINED CLUB: 2022

- Scored 10 goals in 2025 USL Regular Season



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OMAR GOMEZ
MIDFIELDER
OXNARD, CALIFORNIA
JOINED CLUB: 2023

- Brought up through Utah Red Wolves Path to Pro



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NATHAN DONOHO
MIDFIELDER
MUSCAT, OMAN
JOINED CLUB: 2026

- Academy Contract. First year with the club
- Made his first appearance for the club during the match against Corpus Christi on April 25th



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ROPAPA MENSAH
FORWARD
ACCRA, GHANA
JOINED CLUB: 2026

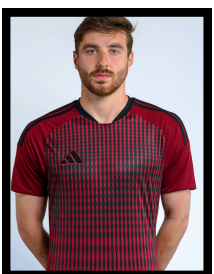
- Previously with the club in 2023/2024
- 2nd overall goalscorer in club history



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MATT ACOSTA
MIDFIELDER
ANNANDALE, NEW JERSEY
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- Mid Season signing in 2025



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ERIC KINZNER
DEFENDER
TACOMA, WASHINGTON
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- Finalist in 2025 for USL1 Young Player of the Year
- Player with the most minutes for the club in the 2025 season



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YANIS LELIN
DEFENDER
MADRID, SPAIN
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- 2 Goals & 6 Assists in 2025 Season



30 AARON LOMBARDI
FORWARD
ROSARIO, ARGENTINA
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- Also previously with the club in 2022/2023
- Rejoined the team midseason in 2025
- Scored 2 goals & 1 Assist after rejoining in 2025



33 JORDAN AYIMBILA
DEFENDER
ACCRA, GHANA
JOINED CLUB: 2025

- Joined the club on loan from Miami FC in 2025, then resigned for 2026 directly with the club



45 TRISTIN TORRES
MIDFIELDER
JOINED CLUB: 2026

- New Academy signing



68 AUSTIN MONTOYA
GOALKEEPER
JOINED CLUB: 2026

- New Academy Signing