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## WEEK 19 REVIEW

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Welcome to the Major Arena Soccer League 2 2025-26 season, our ninth season of action from Baltimore to California, and Minnesota to Mexico City.

The 2025-26 season features longstanding teams, new faces in new places, and the pride of being part of the premier pyramid of professional indoor soccer in North American, with four leagues with 69 teams in total playing under the Major Arena Soccer League brand.

The competition figures to be fierce in all three divisions in 2025-26. starting in the east with the return of stellar clubs including Utica's United Elite

Krajisnik (official affiliate of the MASL's Utica City FC), Danbury's Spice City FC and the Salisbury Steaks. New is FC Baltimore 1729 who will serve as the official affiliate of the MASL Baltimore Blast and of course the Harrisburg Heat, who drop to MASL 2 for one season and will play in a familiar spot, Hersheypark Arena in Hershey.

Two new faces are both old friends coming back into the MASL family in the Iowa Raptors in Cedar Rapids and the Omaha Kings. The pair have previously played in MASL 2, and will join the always tough Iowa Demon Hawks, Minnesota Blizzard and iconic Wichita Wings in the Midwest Division.



Out west, several teams will make their MASL debut including a team in the largest city in North America, Mexico City. They will be joined by Soles de Sonora who is loading up on MASL talent, and a new team in Guadalajara which will make for plenty on intense “national pride” matchups. The OKC Certified Lions move into their brand new 4,500 seat arena in downtown Oklahoma City this year – with teams in both MASL 2 and MASL 3 – and the Turlock Cal Express return as well. Longtime MASL face in the Dallas area, Ed Puskarich, a former coach for the MASL Sidekicks, brings the Texas Spurs to MASL 2 this year and Northern California gets in on the fun in 2025-26 too with the debut of the Soccer Central Black Hawks in the Monterrey region.

Each MASL 2 team plays a 12-game regular season schedule, with a national playoffs to conclude the year.



## FC Baltimore 1729 1 at Harrisburg Heat 14



Friday, April 10

Hersheypark Arena, Hershey, Pennsylvania

**>>GAME RECAP:** Harrisburg cruised to its 11<sup>th</sup> win of the season by building a 9-0 lead at the half, and with an airtight defense that allowed Baltimore just nine shots on goal. Thiago Freitas led the way with four goals and one assist. Seth Crabbe had one goal and three assists while R.J. Fuentes had two goals and one assist. Player/coach Hugo Silva got the win in goal.

**>> UP NEXT:** FC Baltimore 1729 end regular season / Harrisburg Heat vs. Salisbury Steaks on Saturday, April 11 at 7 p.m. EDT at Hersheypark Arena, Hershey, Pennsylvania.

# United Elite Krajisnik 8 at Spice City FC 6

Saturday, April 11

Danbury Arena, Danbury, Connecticut



# United Elite Krajisnik 5 at Spice City FC 8

Sunday, April 12

Danbury Arena, Danbury, Connecticut

>>**GAME RECAP:** These two were both alive for a post-season berth, but Utica took out any chance Spice had of a late season rally as United Elite Krajisnik took an 8-6 win. Most of the scoring came late, as Utica had a 4-1 lead at the half. They got the game winner from Jorge Lozado on a two-on-one break, as he got a pretty feed from Miller Howard to give Krajisnik a 7-2 lead in the fourth, their largest of the game. On Sunday, it was just 1-1 at intermission before the offenses heated up. Adhemar Costa and Matheus Ruiz each scored twice for Spice, who led 5-3 going to the fourth. Elizandro Cardoso led Krajisnik with two goals.

>> **UP NEXT:** End regular season for both teams.

# Iowa Raptors 8 Minnesota Blizzard 11

Saturday, April 11

Centennial Sports Arena, Circle Pines, Minnesota



>>**GAME RECAP:** Minnesota continued its surge of entertaining, and most importantly, winning soccer as they defeated yet another rival above them in the Midwest Division standings. It was back and forth early, and in fact the teams were tied 7-7 after Sarrive Rukakiza scored with 5:12 to go in the third, but Minnesota got four of the game's final goals, including the eventual game winner from Francesco Esteban with just under nine

minutes to go in the final quarter. That finished off a great night for the Minnesota forward who scored four goals and added an assist. Hubert Oduya, Kevin Ortiz and Jordan Maldonado all chipped in with a goal and an assist each for the Blizzard. Daniel Orozco picked up the win in goal. Jonah Dancer had a strong night for Iowa with four goals while teammate Emmanuel Krahe had a hat trick.

>> **UP NEXT:** Iowa Raptors end regular season / Minnesota Blizzard vs. Iowa Demon Hawks on Sunday, April 12 at 5 p.m. CDT at Centennial Sports Arena, Circle Pines, Minnesota.

## Salisbury Steaks 5 Harrisburg Heat 20



Saturday, April 11

Hersheypark Arena, Hershey, Pennsylvania

>>**GAME RECAP:** Harrisburg wrapped up a perfect regular season, and the No. 1 seed for the league playoffs, with another dominant home win, keeping Salisbury off the scoresheet until the third quarter. Seth Crabbe led the way for the Heat with four goals and three assists while Andrea Disomma had four goals as well, with one helper. Malcom Harris contributed with a goal and three assists. Josh Danza earned third star of the game honors with his two goals for Salisbury.

>> **UP NEXT:** End regular season for both teams.

## Iowa Demon Hawks 8 Minnesota Blizzard 4



Sunday, April 12

Centennial Sports Arena, Circle Pines, Minnesota

>>**PREVIOUS MEETINGS:** Iowa followed Harrisburg's lead earlier in the day to finish a perfect 12-0 regular season. The Demon Hawks led just 3-2 midway through the second, but then scored the game's next five goals to pull away. Jeanderson Pereira had a goal and three assists to lead the Demon Hawks. Vitor Santos had the hat trick as well, and Iowa got the win in goal for Rainer Hauss, who also spent time in the MASL this season for Utica City FC. Devan DiGrado finished his fine sophomore season with two goals for the Blizzard. Spencer Overturf chipped in with two assists.

>> **UP NEXT:** End regular season for both teams.

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## **MASL 2 PLAYOFFS**

Friday, April 17 Mexico City (3) vs. Omaha Kings (6), 4 p.m. CDT

Friday, April 17 OKC Certified Lions (4) vs. United Elite Krajisnik (5), 7:30 p.m. CDT

>> *First round games at SIG Sportsplex, Des Moines, Iowa.*

Saturday, April 18 Iowa Demon Hawks (2) vs. Highest remaining seeded team, 4 p.m. CDT

Saturday, April 19 Harrisburg Heat (1) vs. Lowest remaining seeded team, 7 p.m.

Sunday, April 20 MASL 2 Championship Game-winner

>> *Semifinals and championship game at Baxter Arena, Omaha, Nebraska*

# THE STATS

## OUR NINTH SEASON

### » EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	RW	GF	GA	DIF
Harrisburg Heat	12	12	0	0	36	12	146	39	+107
United Elite Krajisnik	12	8	4	0	24	8	95	79	+16
Spice City FC*	9	4	5	0	12	4	74	54	+20
Salisbury Steaks	12	2	10	0	6	2	36	133	-97
FC Baltimore 1729*	9	1	8	0	3	1	33	79	-46

### » MIDWEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	RW	GF	GA	DIF
Iowa Demon Hawks	12	12	0	0	36	12	103	33	+70
Omaha Kings	12	5	6	1	14	5	66	70	-4
Iowa Raptors	12	6	6	0	15	3	78	87	-9
Wichita Wings	12	4	6	2	14	4	69	88	-19
Minnesota Blizzard	12	3	9	0	9	3	66	104	-38

### » SOUTH DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	RW	GF	GA	DIF
Mexico City	12	11	1	0	33	11	102	38	+64
OKC Certified Lions	12	10	2	0	29	9	76	41	+35
Soles de Sonora	12	7	4	1	21	6	79	74	+5
Guadalajara Mariachis	12	4	6	2	14	4	74	73	+1
Turlock Cal Express	12	4	7	1	12	3	77	86	-9
Soccer Central Blackhawks	12	3	8	1	10	3	63	102	-39
Texas Spurs	12	3	9	0	7	1	52	108	-57

\*Make up games from previously postponed games were not made up since they did not have any bearing on the post-season.

## 2025-26 GOAL LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>GL</u>
Jeanderson Pereira	Iowa Demon Hawks	11	25
Thiago Freitas	Harrisburg Heat	12	22
Jose Penalver	OKC Certified Lions	9	21
Ronaldo Rojas	Iowa Raptors	11	19
Francesco Pagano	United Elite Krajisnik	4	18
Devan DiGrado	Minnesota Blizzard	12	16
Jonah Dancer	Iowa Raptors	11	16
Francesco Esteban	Minnesota Blizzard	10	14
Guillherme Lopes	Iowa Demon Hawks	10	13
Seth Crabbe	Harrisburg Heat	10	13
Luis Brambila	Turlock Cal Express	11	12
Eden Sandoval	Turlock Cal Express	11	12
Wyatt Fowler	Texas Spurs	12	12
RJ Fuentes	Harrisburg Heat	12	12

## 2025-26 ASSIST LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>AS</u>
Thiago Frietas	Harrisburg Heat	12	30
Alvaro Luevano	OKC Certified Lions	9	15
Jeanderson Pereira	Iowa Demon Hawks	11	12
Elizandro Cardoso	United Elite Krajisnik	10	11
Spencer Oveturf	Minnesota Blizzard	9	11
David Lucio	Wichita Wings	11	10
Guillherme Lopes	Iowa Demon Hawks	10	10
Malcom Harris	Harrisburg Heat	10	10
Roshawn Panton	Harrisburg Heat	10	10

## 2025-26 POINTS LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Thiago Freitas	Harrisburg Heat	12	52
Jeanderson Pereira	Iowa Demon Hawks	11	37
Ronaldo Rojas	Iowa Raptors	11	26
Jose Penalver	OKC Certified Lions	9	26
Francesco Pagano	United Elite Krajisnik	4	24
Devan DiGrado	Minnesota Blizzard	12	24
Jonah Dancer	Iowa Raptors	11	24
Guillherme Lopes	Iowa Demon Hawks	10	23
Seth Crabbe	Harrisburg Heat	10	22
Luis Brambila	Turlock Cal Express	9	20

Alvaro Luevano	OKC Certified Lions	9	20
Francesco Esteban	Minnesota Blizzard	10	20

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## 2024-25 GOAL LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>GL</u>
Jeanderson Pereira	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	41
Luan Silva	Iowa Demon Hawks	11	35
Gabriel Martinez Camarillo	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	34
Mershad Ahmadi	United Elite Krajisnik	9	26
Devan Digrado	Minnesota Blizzard	11	24
Caio Ferreira	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	23
Caique Trivelato	Wichita Wings	9	22
Ruben Torres	OKC Certified Lions	9	22
Cam Will	Muskegon Risers	10	22

## 2024-25 ASSIST LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>AS</u>
Luan Silva	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	33
Ricky Orozco	United Elite Krajisnik	10	29
Jeanderson Pereira	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	23
Alvaro Luevano	Chihuahua Savage	12	21
Caio Ferreira	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	21
Thiago Freitas	Iowa Demon Hawks	4	20

## 2024-25 TOTAL POINTS LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>TP</u>
Luan Silva	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	68
Jeanderson Pereira	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	64
Gabriel Martinez Camarillo	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	46
Caio Ferreira	Iowa Demon Hawks	12	44
Devan Digrado	Minnesota Blizzard	11	39
Ricky Orozco	Utica United Elite	10	37
Ruben Torres	OKC Certified Lions	9	35
Alvaro Loevano	Chihuahua Savage	9	34

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