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ASL SETS ALL-STAR GAME AND PLAY-OFF FORMAT

ROCHESTER, N.Y. -- The American Soccer League will hold its annual All-Star Game on Wednesday, August 18th at Rochester, N.Y.

The Rochester Flash will play the ASL All-Stars that will be selected by Carolina coach Rodney Marsh, who piloted the Lightnin' to last season's ASL title.

The first four teams in the final ASL standings will compete in the play-offs. Team winning the title will play the fourth place team while the second and third place finishers will meet in the other semi-final rounds.

Both the semi-final and championship rounds of the play-offs will be best of three. The team finishing higher in the regular season will host both game number one and if needed game number three. Dates will be announced after the completion of the regular season.

Last week's ASL action saw the Detroit Express catch first place Georgia. Both teams have 70 points. Andy Chapman and Brian Tinnion each scored two goals as the Express handled Nashville 4-0 on Wednesday night.

The Pennsylvania Stoners finally cooled the hot Detroits in an 0-0 tie last Sunday at Bethleham. In that game ASL Co-Player-of-the-Week Tad Delorm made 15 saves for the Express to record his second shutout of the week.

Co-ASL Player-of-the-Week Jeff Bourne of the Oklahoma City Slickers scored three goals as the Slickers beat Nashville 3-0 on Friday and tied them 2-2 on Sunday. Bourne had two markers in the Friday contest and one on Sunday.

Rochester's Jim Perriello recorded his fifth shutout of the season as the Flash beat Pennsylvania 1-0 at Bethlehem on Friday night.

This week's action will be highlighted by Sunday night's game featuring Detroit at Oklahoma City. For the first time in a month the Georgia Generals will have a home game Friday night when they host Pennsylvania.

In other action Friday Oklahoma City will play at Carolina. Saturday's lone contest finds Rochester playing at Detroit. Sunday night Pennsylvania will play at Nashville and Carolina meets Rochester.

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ASL STANDINGS

	GAMES	WON	LOST	TIED	GF	GA	BONUS POINTS	TOTAL POINTS
Detroit	14	8	3	3	30	14	24	70
Georgia	14	7	4	3	31	25	29	70
Oklahoma City	16	8	5	3	24	27	23	69
Pennsylvania	13	7	3	3	23	15	22	63
Rochester	12	5	5	2	23	17	19	48
Nashville	16	2	12	2	18	40	16	32
Carolina	13	3	8	2	11	22	11	30

ASL awards 5 points for a win, 2 for a tie and 1 bonus point for each goal scored up to a maximum of three per team, per game.

THE SCOREBOARD

Wed., Jul 7	DETROIT 4 Nashville 0 at Pontiac (4,529)
Fri., Jul 9	ROCHESTER 1 Pennsylvania 0 at Bethlehem (3,242)
Fri., Jul 9	OKLAHOMA CITY 3 Nashville 0 at Nashville (302)
Sun., Jul 11	Oklahoma City 2 Nashville 2 at Nashville (356)
Sun., Jul 11	Pennsylvania 0 Detroit 0 at Bethlehem (1,500)

The Georgia @ Carolina game scheduled for July 9th was postponed because of lightning and will be rescheduled.

THIS WEEK

Fri., Jul 16	Pennsylvania @ Georgia (8:00 P.M.)
Fri., Jul 16	Oklahoma City @ Carolina (8:05 P.M.)
Sat., Jul 17	Rochester @ Detroit (8:00 P.M.)
Sun., Jul 18	Detroit @ Oklahoma City (7:35 P.M.)
Sun., Jul 18	Pennsylvania @ Nashville (7:35 P.M.)
Sun., Jul 18	Carolina @ Rochester (8:05 P.M.)

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ASL SCORING LEADERS

	GOALS	ASSISTS	POINTS
Brian Tinnion, Det.	11	6	28
Andy Chapman, Det.	12	1	25
Jeff Bourne, OKC	11	1	23
Jose Neto, Ga.	8	3	19
Ernie Buriano, Roch.	6	3	15
Kevin Fouser, Ga.	6	2	14
Rich Reice, Pa.	5	2	12
Roman Urbanczuk, Pa.	3	6	12

ASL GOALKEEPERS STATS

	GAMES	MIN	SAVES	GA	SO	RECORD	AVERAGE
T. Delorm, Det.	14	1320	82	14	5	8-3-3	0.95
T. Reynolds, Pa.	4	380	29	4	0	1-3-0	0.95
J. Perriello, Roch.	7	670	36	8	5	4-2-1	1.08
G. Taratsides, Pa.	9	870	55	11	3	6-0-3	1.14
G. Tutt, Ga.	12	1094	37	18	1	7-2-2	1.48
P. Parkes, OKC	16	1520	85	27	6	8-5-3	1.60
S. Manning, Car.	13	1230	67	23	2	3-8-2	1.69
N. Owcharuk, Roch.	5	490	20	9	0	1-3-1	1.66
F. Armstrong, Nash.	12	1120	83	29	2	2-9-1	2.33
C. Scarpelli, Ga.	3	246	12	7	0	0-2-1	2.57
B. McInerney, Nash.	4	380	39	11	0	0-3-1	2.61

ATTENDANCE

For the 43 games played by the seven franchises this season, the ASL has drawn 156,902 fans for an average of 3,649 fans per game.

LINE SCORES

Wednesday, July 7, 1982

Nashville Diamonds 0 DETROIT EXPRESS 4 @ Pontiac att. 4,529

NASH: Armstrong, Finneyfrock, Harderson, Swanbeck, Garrigan (Lito 62:00), Green (Gilbert 50:00), Strecker, Simon, Iwelumo, Ochoa, Lawson
DET: Delorm (Turin 60:12), Westbrook, Franklin, Schnettgoecke, Tyson, Watson, Bolevic, Moffat, Powers, Tinnion, Chapman

SCORING: Det - Andy Chaoman 11 (Tinnion) 47:22; Det.- Andy Chapman 12 (Powers) 49:00; Det.- Brian Tinnion 10 (Watson) 54:18; Det.- Brian Tinnion 11 (Tyson) 68:29

SHOTS: Detroit- 25 Nashville -7 Yellow Cards- Franklin 55:00
SAVES: Delorm -4/Turin-2 Armstrong-5

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Rochester Flash 1 Pennsylvania Stoners 0 @ Bethlehem att: 3,242 Friday July 9, 1982

ROCH: Perriello, Sansone (Martello 94:06), Buriano, Gehling, Laschev, Horvath, Ku Tausch, Ka Tausch (Paonessa 94:06), Vayman, Martin, Cupello
PA: Reynolds, Tiger (Forbes 66:17), Urbanczuk (Papadimitriou 94:52), Shkreli, Collins, Kadupski, Reice, Rhodes, McDonald, , Ost, Hilton

SCORING: Roch.- Fran Paonessa 2 (unassisted) 98:45

SHOTS: Rochester -15 Pennsylvania-33 Yellow Cards- Collins 75:18; Forbes 104:40; Sansone 31:31; Gehling 36:08; Cupello 109:38
SAVES: Reynolds - 6 Perriello-16

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Friday, July 9, 1982

Oklahoma City Slickers 3 Nashville Diamonds 0 @ Nashville att: 302

OKC: Parkes, Alioto, Millinder (Knezic 45:00), Husband, Elder, Liotart (Kramer 58:25), Sautter, Dolinsky, Kerlin, Rausch, Bourne
NASH: McInerney, Simon, Harderson, Strecker, Yepez, Ochoa (Gilbert 45:00), O'Toole, Gaviria, Garrigan, Lito (Green 38:00), Taylor

SCORING: OKC -Tommy Alioto 1 (Kerlin) 24:49; OKC - Jeff Bourne 9 (Sautter) 26:16; OKC-Jeff Bourne 10 (Sautter) 81:06

SHOTS: Nashville - 12 Oklahoma City - 16
SAVES: McInerney - 9 Parkes - 4

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Sunday July 11, 1982

Oklahoma City Slickers 2 Nashville Diamonds 2 @ Nashville att: 356

OKC: Parkes,Alioto,Knezic,Husband (Killingsworth 86:45), Elder, Liotart (Kramer 45:00), Sautter,Dolinsky,Kerlin,Rausch,Bourne

NASH: McInerney,Simon,Harderson,Strecker (Gilbert 90:00), Yepez,Iwelumo,O'Toole,Gavaria, Garrigan,Green (Taylor 86:50), Lito

SCORING: Nash.- Juan Yepez 3 (unassisted) 36:45; OKC- Joe Rausch 3 (Husband) 57:05; OKC- Jeff Bourne 11 (Unassisted) 106:05; Nash.- Mike Harderson 2 (Iwelumo) 108:35

SHOTS: Nashville - 28 Oklahoma City - 15
SAVES: McInerney- 9 Parkes-11

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Sunday, July 11, 1982

Detroit Express 0 Pennsylvania Stoners 0 @ Bethlehem att: 1,500

DET: Delorm,Westbrook,Franklin,Schnettgoecke,Tyson,Schlothauer,Tinnion,Watson,Bolevic (Gabarra 85:11),Chapman,Powers

PA: Taratsides,Smith, Tiger,Shkreli,Papadimitiou (Hilton 69:15), Kadupski,Reice,Urbanczuk, Forbes (Collins 56:22),Costello,McDonald

SHOTS: Pennsylvania- 45 Detroit-22
SAVES: Taratsides - 10 Delorm-15

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