



#23 Cavalier (JAM) vs. Moca FC (DOM)

National Stadium, Kingston, JAM

All-time series:

They will meet for the third time in the Caribbean Cup. They drew 0-0 in the first leg of the 2024 Concacaf Caribbean Cup semifinals at Moca 85 Stadium on October 24, 2024.

Cavalier FC won 3-0 in the first encounter in Group A of the 2023 edition with a hat-trick from Shaniel Thomas at Sabina Park Stadium, Kingston, JAM (9-19-2023).



CAVALIER (JAM)

Cavalier FC achieved the runner-up position in the 2023 edition and was the team with the most goals scored (16). With 27 goals across two editions, it stands as the team with the best offensive power.

Cavalier FC has won 3 out of 5 matches in the 2024 edition (victories: 0-2 vs. Mt. Pleasant, 4-1 vs. Police FC, and 1-4 vs. Arnett Gardens). They achieved one home win in their last 4 matches (4-1 vs. Police FC on Matchday 2 of Group A).

Cavalier FC kept a clean sheet in the CCC semifinals and secured the most lopsided win (5-0) against Harbour View (Shaniel Thomas, Jalmaro Calvin, own goal by Keven Clarke, Jeovanni Laing, and Dwayne Allen) in the first leg of the 2023 edition.

Concacaf Caribbean Cup participations: 2 (2023 and 2024).

Best result in the CCC: 2023 (Runner-up).

CCC Record: MP-13 W-7 D-3 L-3 (GF-27 GA-11).

Top scorers in the CCC: Shaniel Thomas (JAM) 8, Jalmaro Calvin (ATG) 5, Shaquille Stein (SUR) 4, Dwayne Atkinson (JAM) 4, Christopher Ainsworth (JAM) 2.

Assists: Jalmaro Calvin (ATG) 4, Nicholas Hamilton (JAM) 2, Orlando Russell (JAM) 2, Dwayne Atkinson (JAM) 2, Ronaldo Robinson (JAM) 1, Christopher Ainsworth (JAM), Dwayne Allen (JAM), Shaquille Stein (SUR), Jaheem Frazer (JAM).

Players with the most CCC appearances: Dwayne Allen, Christopher Ainsworth, Jalmaro Calvin (13 matches), Jeovanni Laing, Shamar Watson (12), Jerome McLeary (11), Vino Barclett (10).

Saves: Vino Barclett (LCA) 33 (5 in the 2024 edition), Jeadine White (JAM) 8 (8 in the 2024 edition).

Top scorers in the 2024 edition: Shaquille Stein (SUR) 4, Dwayne Atkinson (JAM) 4, Jalmaro Calvin (ATG) 2, Christopher Ainsworth (JAM) 1.

Assists: Dwayne Atkinson (JAM) 2, Jalmaro Calvin (ATG) 1, Christopher Ainsworth (JAM), Dwayne Allen (JAM), Shaquille Stein (SUR), Jaheem Frazer (JAM).

Goal-scoring opportunities (49). Shots on target (17).

Hat-tricks: (2) Shaniel Thomas (JAM) vs. Moca FC and Golden Lion (Group A 2023).

Semifinal appearances: (2). They defeated Harbour View (JAM) with a 5-0 aggregate score in the 2023 edition.

Top scorers in Semifinals: Shaniel Thomas (JAM) 1, Jalmaro Calvin (ATG), Jeovanni Laing (JAM), Dwayne Allen (JAM).

Youngest goal scorer in the CCC: Christopher Ainsworth (JAM) vs. AC Port of Spain (Group A - Round 2 - CCC 2023) - 18 years old.

Oldest goal scorer in the CCC: Marvin Bellance (FRA) vs. Golden Lion (Group A - Round 5 - CCC 2023) - 24 years and 323 days old.

Players to watch:

Dwayne Atkinson (JAM): Led the shots list (4) in the first leg of the semifinals against Moca. The forward had direct involvement in 6 of the last 8 goals in the competition (4 goals and 2 assists).

Jeovanni Laing (SUR): Was the player with the best record in passing (44) and recoveries (2) in the first semifinal match against Moca FC. He has 12 appearances in the tournament.

Vino Barclett (LCA): With 33 saves, he is the defensive backbone of the Jamaican team. He has played 10 matches in the tournament's history (conceding 8 goals) and kept 4 clean sheets, 3 of which were in the semifinals (vs. Harbour View and Moca).



MOCA FC (DOM)

Moca FC was eliminated in penalties (3-2) after a 1-1 aggregate draw in the semifinals of the 2023 edition by the eventual champion SV Robinhood of Suriname.

The team coached by Mexican manager **Hiram Apaiz** is unbeaten in the 2024 edition with three wins and two draws. Moca FC has won three of its last four matches (3-2 vs. AC Port of Spain, 3-1 vs. Ouanaminthe, and 2-1 vs. Grenades FC). It is the team with the most points accumulated across both editions (27) and the most wins (8).

Moca FC kept a clean sheet in 6 of its 13 previous matches. The Dominican team is unbeaten in 7 games with four wins and three draws, with 58% of its most recent goals coming from set pieces (4 headers and 3 penalties). Out of the 18 goals scored across both editions, 8 were headers, with the rest from open play.

Concacaf Caribbean Cup participations: 2 (2023 and 2024).

Best result in the CCC: 3rd place (2023).

CCC Record: MP-13 W-8 D-3 L-2 (GF-18 GA-10).

Top scorers in the CCC: Gustavo Ascona (ARG) 7, Víctor Sánchez (DOM) 3, Guillermo de Peña (DOM) 2, Manuel Vidal (DOM) 1, José Francisco (DOM), Sebastián Valencia (COL), Clifford Thomas (HAI), Alan Aciar (ARG), Jason Yambatis (DOM).

Assists: Alejandro Carrera (VEN) 2, José Francisco (DOM) 2, Víctor Sánchez (DOM), Gustavo Ascona (ARG), Juan de Jesús (DOM), Clifford Thomas (HAI).

Players with the most CCC appearances: Miguel Báez, Juan Ángeles, Gustavo Ascona (13 matches), Carlos Rossell (12), Víctor Sánchez, Clifford Thomas, Guillermo de Peña, José Francisco (11).

Saves: Miguel Báez (DOM) 44 (19 in the 2024 edition).

Top scorers in the 2024 edition: Gustavo Ascona (ARG) 3, Clifford Thomas (HAI) 1, Alan Aciar (ARG), Jason Yambatis (DOM), Víctor Sánchez (DOM), Guillermo de Peña (DOM), José Francisco (DOM).

Assists: Víctor Sánchez (DOM) 1, Gustavo Ascona (ARG), Juan de Jesús (DOM), Clifford Thomas (HAI).

Goal-scoring opportunities (43). Shots on target (15).

Penalty shootouts: (1) Loss (3-2) vs. Robinhood (SUR) after a 1-1 aggregate draw in the 2023 semifinals.

Top scorers in Semifinals: Gustavo Ascona (ARG) 1.

Youngest goal scorer in the CCC: Guillermo de Peña (DOM) vs. Defence Force (Group A - Round 5 - CCC 2023) - 20 years, 74 days.

Oldest goal scorer in the CCC: Gustavo Ascona (ARG) vs. Grenades FC (Group B - Round 5 - CCC 2024) - 37 years, 227 days.

Players to watch:

Gustavo Ascona (ARG): He is the club's top scorer in the competition's history (7 goals in 13 appearances). He scored 3 goals from open play, 2 from penalties, and 2 headers. He was involved in 3 of the last 4 goals (2 goals and 1 assist) and leads his team in shots (12).

Clifford Thomas (HAI): The 26-year-old midfielder contributed 1 shot, 1 ball recovery, 58 accurate passes, and a 92% passing success rate. He leads the team in ball recoveries (10) and accurate passes (223).

Jesús Correa (COL): He has played all 5 matches in the current tournament and is the second-highest in total passes for Moca FC (248). He ranks first in fouls suffered (14) in the 2024 CCC.