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USA and Dominican Republic are undefeated

United States swept Canada 3-0 (25-22, 25-16, 25-18) to remain undefeated after three outings. The Canadians fell to a 2-1 win-loss record.

The American side held the advantage in blocks (9-3) and aces (7-2) while committing 23 unforced errors compared to 35 by the Canadian team.

Danielle Cuttino was the main offensive and defensive weapon for United States with 12 points, including a tournament-high 6 blocks. Symone Williams-Abbott added 8 while Shelly Stafford, Lindsay Stalzer and Allison Bastianelli chipped in with 6 points apiece.

Nyadholi Thokbuom topped the scoring of Canada with 9 points, followed by Hillary Howe and Melissa Langegger each with 7 points.

Dominican Republic 3, Puerto Rico 0
Host Dominican Republic swept Puerto Rico 3-0 (25-11, 25-10, 25-20) to join United States as undefeated teams following three days of actions.

It was a one-sided match with the Dominicans dominating in blocking 11-4, service winners 7-0 and attacks 36-16. Each team finished with 21 unforced errors.

Yonkaira Peña led the winners with 14 points followed by Gaila Gonzalez who registered 13, including 4 aces. Prisilla Rivera and Jineiry Martinez each contributed 7 points to the win despite playing only the first two frames. Aida Bauza led Puerto Rico with 9 points and Gabriela Alicea added 6 points in the loss.

Mexico 3, Cuba 2
Samantha Bricio fired 25 points, including five aces, carrying Mexico to a 3-2 (22-25, 26-24, 17-25, 25-16, 15-10) victory

over Cuba in a match between winless teams at the Women's Volleyball Pan American Cup on Wednesday.

Cuba had the upper hand in attacks 61-47 and blocks 13-9 while Mexico held the advantage in the services category 10-8 and fewer errors 25 to 32 by the defeated side.

Mexicans Maria Rodriguez, Grecia Castro and Karina Flores contributed 16, 15 and 14 points in the victory. Claudia Tarin led Cuba with 18 points followed by Yensy Kindelan with 12, including a tournament-high five blocks, and Thalia Moreno with 11 tallies.