



**U-21 Men**  
**Pan American Cup**  
**Guatemala City**  
**21-29 Jun-2026**

**DAILY BULLETIN 2**  
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GROUP-A												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
1	23-jun	14:00	MEXICO	vs	VENEZUELA	3-0	25-23	25-17	25-19		75-59	01:12
2	23-jun	16:00	UNITED STATES	vs	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	3-0	25-13	25-9	25-21		75-43	01:06
5	24-jun	14:00	UNITED STATES	vs	VENEZUELA	0-0						
6	24-jun	16:00	MEXICO	vs	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	0-0						
9	25-jun	14:00	VENEZUELA	vs	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	0-0						
10	25-jun	16:00	UNITED STATES	vs	MEXICO	0-0						
GROUP-B												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
3	23-jun	18:00	CANADA	vs	NICARAGUA	3-0	25-12	25-15	25-15		75-42	01:01
4	23-jun	20:00	GUATEMALA	vs	COSTA RICA	0-3	16-25	12-25	14-25		42-75	01:06
7	24-jun	18:00	CANADA	vs	COSTA RICA	0-0						
8	24-jun	20:00	GUATEMALA	vs	NICARAGUA	0-0						
11	25-jun	18:00	COSTA RICA	vs	NICARAGUA	0-0						
12	25-jun	20:00	CANADA	vs	GUATEMALA	0-0						
QUARTERFINALS												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
13	26-jun	17:00	2ND A	vs	3RD B	0-0						
14	26-jun	19:00	2ND B	vs	3RD A							
CLASSIFICATION 5/8												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
15	27-jun	14:00	4TH A	vs	LOSER OF M13 OR (M14)	0-0						
16	27-jun	16:00	4TH B	vs	LOSER OF M14 OR (M13)							
SEMIFINALS												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
17	27-jun	18:00	1st. A	vs	WINNER OF M13 OR (M14)	0-0						
18	27-jun	20:00	1st. B	vs	WINNER OF M14 OR (M13)	0-0						
FINAL CLASSIFICATION 7/8												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
19	28-jun	10:00	LOSER OF M15	vs	LOSER OF M16	0-0						
FINAL CLASSIFICATION 5/6												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
20	28-jun	12:00	WINNER OF M15	vs	WINNER OF M16	0-0						
FINALS												
No.	Date	Time	Teams		Set	Result per set (points)						
						1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
21	28-jun	14:00	LOSER OF M17	vs	LOSER OF M18	0-0						
22	28-jun	16:00	WINNER OF M17	vs	WINNER OF M18	0-0						



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**Q-1** VOLLEYBALL - Uniform colors



### Pool A

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
1	23-Jun-2026	14:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	MEX	Green	Red
					VEN	Blue	White
2	23-Jun-2026	16:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	USA	White	Red
					DOM	Red	Yellow
5	24-Jun-2026	14:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	USA	Navy	White
					VEN	White	Red
6	24-Jun-2026	16:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	MEX	Red	White
					DOM	Navy	Green
9	25-Jun-2026	14:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	VEN	Red	Blue
					DOM	White	Yellow
10	25-Jun-2026	16:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	USA	Red	Navy
					MEX	White	Green

### Pool B

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
3	23-Jun-2026	18:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	CAN	White	Black
					NCA	Blue	White
4	23-Jun-2026	20:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	GUA	Blue	White
					CRC	White	Red
7	24-Jun-2026	18:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	CAN	Red	White
					CRC	Blue	White
8	24-Jun-2026	20:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	GUA	White	Light Blue
					NCA	Navy	White
11	25-Jun-2026	18:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	CRC	Red	Blue
					NCA	White	Blue
12	25-Jun-2026	20:00	Guatemala City	Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores	CAN	Black	Red
					GUA	Light Blue	Blue



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P-4 Collated results & ranking

Results as of 23 June 2026



## MATCHES RESULTS

### Pool A

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
1	23-Jun-2026	MEX - VEN	3-0	25-23	25-17	25-19			75-59	1:12	300
2	23-Jun-2026	USA - DOM	3-0	25-13	25-9	25-21			75-43	1:06	500
5	24-Jun-2026	USA - VEN							-		
6	24-Jun-2026	MEX - DOM							-		
9	25-Jun-2026	VEN - DOM							-		
10	25-Jun-2026	USA - MEX							-		

### Pool B

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
3	23-Jun-2026	CAN - NCA	3-0	25-12	25-15	25-15			75-42	1:01	500
4	23-Jun-2026	GUA - CRC	0-3	16-25	12-25	14-25			42-75	1:06	1000
7	24-Jun-2026	CAN - CRC							-		
8	24-Jun-2026	GUA - NCA							-		
11	25-Jun-2026	CRC - NCA							-		
12	25-Jun-2026	CAN - GUA							-		

## TEAM RANKING

### Pool A

Rk	Code	Team	Matches				Pts	Results details						Sets			Points		
			W	L	T			3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio
1	USA	United States	1	0	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	MAX	75	43	1.744	
2	MEX	Mexico	1	0	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	MAX	75	59	1.271	
3	VEN	Venezuela	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0.000	59	75	0.786		
4	DOM	Dominican Republic	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0.000	43	75	0.573		

### Pool B

Rk	Code	Team	Matches				Pts	Results details						Sets			Points		
			W	L	T			3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio
1	CAN	Canada	1	0	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	MAX	75	42	1.785	
	CRC	Costa Rica	1	0	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	MAX	75	42	1.785	
3	GUA	Guatemala	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0.000	42	75	0.560		
	NCA	Nicaragua	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0.000	42	75	0.560		





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[P-2] Match result

Pool A

**Match:** 1    **Date:** 23/06/2026    **Spectators:** 300  
**City:** Guatemala City  
**Hall:** Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 14:00    **End:** 15:12    **Total:** 1:12

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>MEX</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	25			75
<b>VEN</b>	<b>0</b>	23	17	19			59
<b>Duration:</b>		0:20	0:22	0:24			1:06

**Referees:** 1st: Jason Dodd (CAN) 2nd: María Alejandra Izquierdo Arce (NCA)

MEX - Mexico													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Granados	MB	1					2					2
2	Cadena	OP	3	2	3			2	6	4			12
3	Arevalo	OH	1										
5	Fajardo (L)	L	L	L	L								
6	Bernal (C)	S	2	1	2				1				1
7	Partida	MB	6	1	2					3			3
8	AYALA	OH	6	5	6			2	3	2			7
11	Escoto	S											
12	GRAJEDA	OH			2								
15	Cravioto	MB	4	3	4			3	4	2			9
18	Vicencio	OP											
81	GARZA	OP	5	4	5			4	8	7			19

**Head Coach:** Erick Eduardo Hernández Guerrero (MX)  
**Assistant:** Jesus Armando Rubio Guerrero (MX)

VEN - Venezuela													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Angel	MB	5	6	5			3	4	3			10
18	Rolando (C) (L)	L	L	L	L								
21	Castellano	S	1	2	1			2	1				3
22	Yoisbel	OP	4	5	4			5	2	2			9
24	Flores	MB		34									
25	De Roux	OP		21	22				1				1
28	Zabala	OH	2	3				2					2
29	Avedaño	S		22	21								
30	Sanabria	OP			2					5			5
34	Garcia	MB	3	4	3			2		2			4
42	Carrillo	OH	34		34								
67	Torres	MB	6	1	6			2	1	2			5

**Head Coach:** Luis Antonio Arias Guzman (VE)  
**Assistant:** Daniel Alejandro Lopez Uribe (VE)

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>45</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
16	28	81	GARZA
10	18	2	Cadena
9	13	15	Cravioto
<b>5</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	8	81	GARZA
1	3	1	Granados
1	2	2	Cadena
<b>3</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
1	13	2	Cadena
1	15	6	Bernal
1	11	81	GARZA
<b>22</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>75</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	

Scoring Skills
<b>Attack</b>
<b>Block</b>
<b>Serve</b>
<b>Opp. error</b>
<b>Total</b>
<b>Best scorers</b>

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>32</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
10	24	2	Angel
8	20	22	Yoisbel
4	7	30	Sanabria
<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	5	67	Torres
1	5	22	Yoisbel
1	2	30	Sanabria
<b>2</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
1	12	21	Castellano
1	7	34	Garcia
0	8	2	Angel
<b>20</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>59</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	

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[P-2] Match result

Pool A

**Match:** 2    **Date:** 23/06/2026    **Spectators:** 500  
**City:** Guatemala City  
**Hall:** Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 16:00    **End:** 17:06    **Total:** 1:00

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
USA	3	25	25	25			75
DOM	0	13	9	21			43
<b>Duration:</b>		0:19	0:17	0:24			1:00

**Referees:** 1st: Cinthya Hernandez Rojas (CRC) 2nd: Walda Ioanna Maldonado Lam (GUA)

USA - United States													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Kosty	S	2	1				4					4
3	Foley (L)	L				L							
7	Fuerbringer	OH				3				6			6
9	T. Jordan	MB	4	3			2	1					3
10	Dykstra (L)	L	L	L									
12	Urbina	S			18	2		1					1
14	Mikhailenko	OH	6	5			7	1					8
15	Fahlbusch	OH	3	2			1	4					5
18	Wade (C)	OP	5	4			6	2					8
20	Lamoureux	OH			14	6		1	2				3
21	Cryst	MB	1	6	1		2	3	5				10
22	Bradford	OP			1	5		2	2				4
24	Powell	MB											
28	Henige	MB				4							

**Head Coach:** Donan Cruz (US)  
**Assistant:** Ryan Ammerman (US)  
Rory Prager (US)

DOM - Dominican Republic														
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.	
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5		
2	Rodriguez	OH				6								
4	De Jesus	MB												
5	Figueroa (L)	L	L	L	L									
6	Reyes	OP	4	5	4		1	1	6				8	
7	Rodriguez	MB				10					1		1	
8	Compres	MB	5	6	5		2	1	2				5	
10	Rodriguez	MB	6	1	6									
12	Aquino	OH				15								
14	Britton	OP	2	3	2		7	2	3				12	
15	Montilla	MB	3	4	3					1	1		2	
18	Mercedes	S	1	2	1					2			2	
19	De Jesus (C)	OH												

**Head Coach:** Francisco Jose Lerebours (DO)  
**Assistant:** Luiyi David Tolentino (DO)

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>32</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
7	10	21	Cryst
5	9	14	Mikhailenko
4	5	7	Fuerbringer
<b>9</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
3	3	14	Mikhailenko
3	10	21	Cryst
1	1	7	Fuerbringer
<b>11</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
4	9	1	Kosty
4	8	18	Wade
1	4	7	Fuerbringer
<b>23</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>75</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	

10	24	21	Cryst
8	15	14	Mikhailenko
8	19	18	Wade

Scoring Skills	Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>Attack</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
	12	26	14	Britton
	7	18	6	Reyes
	4	18	8	Compres
<b>Block</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
	1	3	6	Reyes
	1	2	7	Rodriguez
	1	1	8	Compres
<b>Serve</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
	0	0	2	Rodriguez
	0	0	4	De Jesus
	0	0	5	Figueroa
<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	

Best scorers	Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
	12	37	14	Britton
	8	28	6	Reyes
	5	25	8	Compres

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[P-2] Match result

Pool B

**Match:** 3    **Date:** 23/06/2026    **Spectators:** 500  
**City:** Guatemala City  
**Hall:** Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 18:00    **End:** 19:01    **Total:** 1:01

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>CAN</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	25			75
<b>NCA</b>	<b>0</b>	12	15	15			42
<b>Duration:</b>		0:18	0:19	0:18			0:55

**Referees:** 1st: Ana Marleny Rodriguez Torres (DOM) 2nd: José Blanco Gonto (VEN)

CAN - Canada														
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.	
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5		
1	Baraniuk	OH	4	3	4			4	2	2				8
2	Barrett	OH			9					2				2
3	Basilio (C)	OH	5	4	5			4	3	3				10
4	Navarro (L)	L												
8	Brown	S	1	6	1			1	2					3
9	Dezutter	OH	2	1	2			2	5	2				9
10	Siebenga	MB	3	2	3			3	4	6				13
11	Hughes	MB												
12	Riolino	OP		8					2					2
15	Low-Ring	S		1										
17	Harris	MB	6	5				3	1					4
20	Czepuryk	OH												
24	Ocampo (L)	L	L	L	L									
95	Mcdonald	MB		17	6					2				2

**Head Coach:** Mike Hawkins (CA)  
**Assistant:** Graham Vigrass (CA)  
**2nd Assistant:** Reece Wilson (CA)

NCA - Nicaragua														
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.	
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5		
1	VELASQUEZ	OH		9										
2	RIVAS	OH	4	5	4			1	1					2
3	PADILLA	OP			14									
4	PAVON	S			1									
5	ZELEDON	OP			1									
6	HUETE	OH	10	11				2	1					3
7	QUESADA (C)	MB	3	4	3			1	1					2
8	ZAPATA	OH	5	3	5			2	4	3				9
9	ARBIZU	S	1	2	4									
10	PADILLA	OH		2										
11	CORDON	OH	6	6	6			1		3				4
12	MARCENARO (L)	L	L	L	L									
13	ALVARADO	OH	7	7	11									
14	HODGSON	OP			2					1				1

**Head Coach:** Jorge Luis Mena (NI)  
**Assistant:** AXEL ENRIQUE ZAMORA MORALES (NI)

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>34</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
10	19	3	Basilio
7	11	9	Dezutter
6	12	1	Baraniuk
<b>11</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
6	13	10	Siebenga
2	5	17	Harris
1	1	2	Barrett
<b>8</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	16	1	Baraniuk
2	16	9	Dezutter
1	11	8	Brown
<b>22</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>75</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	

Scoring Skills
<b>Attack</b>
<b>Block</b>
<b>Serve</b>
<b>Opp. error</b>
<b>Total</b>
<b>Best scorers</b>

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>16</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
8	15	8	ZAPATA
3	8	6	HUETE
2	10	11	CORDON
<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	3	11	CORDON
1	1	2	RIVAS
1	7	7	QUESADA
<b>0</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
0	0	1	VELASQUEZ
0	6	2	RIVAS
0	1	3	PADILLA
<b>21</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>42</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
9	24	8	ZAPATA
4	15	11	CORDON
3	12	6	HUETE

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[P-2] Match result

Pool B

**Match:** 4    **Date:** 23/06/2026    **Spectators:** 1,000  
**City:** Guatemala City  
**Hall:** Gim. Teodoro Palacios Flores  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 20:00    **End:** 21:06    **Total:** 1:06

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>GUA</b>	<b>0</b>	16	12	14			42
<b>CRC</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	25			75
<b>Duration:</b>		0:18	0:22	0:20			1:00

**Referees:** 1st: William Thornburgh (USA) 2nd: Jorge David Montoro Garcia (MEX)

GUA - Guatemala															
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.		
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5			
2	Carranza	OH	5									1			1
4	Alvarado	S			14									2	1
5	González (C) (L)	L	L	L	L										
6	Samayoa	OP	2	3	4			2	5	3					10
7	Mendoza	OP	10												
9	Asencio	MB	6	1	6			3	1						4
10	Zuñiga	S	1	2	1										
12	Alvarez	MB	3	4	3			4	3	1					8
13	Mena	OH	2	6	2					1					1
14	Mendizabal	OP	4	5											
15	Gonzalez	OP													
17	Izaguirre (L)	L													
18	Pazos	S	14												
20	Oscar	MB			9	9									

CRC - Costa Rica															
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.		
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5			
3	A. Porras	S													
4	J.Gutiérrez (L)	L	L	L	L										
5	E. Barrantes	S	6	6	6					3		3			6
7	Jarrett	OP													
9	Antoine	MB	2	2	2						1	2			3
10	J. Antonio	MB	5	5	5					1	2	3			6
11	Bolaños	OP	3	3	3					1	2	3			6
12	M.Sánchez	OP			5						2				2
14	G. Córdoba	S			11										
18	IESQUIVEL	S													
20	Zúñiga	MB													
21	I.Sánchez (C)	OH	4	4	4					4	5	7			16
22	Grant	OH	1	1	1					4	5	6			15

**Head Coach:** Reider Lucas Mora (CU)  
**Assistant:** Luis Fernando Castañeda Maldonado (GT)  
**2nd Assistant:** William Fernandez Pizat (CU)

**Head Coach:** Jorge Arturo Solano López (CR)  
**Assistant:** LUIS MARIO MORALES SANCHEZ (CR)

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>20</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
8	28	6	Samayoa
6	6	12	Alvarez
3	10	9	Asencio
<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	8	12	Alvarez
1	5	6	Samayoa
0	0	2	Carranza
<b>2</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
1	7	6	Samayoa
1	5	9	Asencio
0	3	2	Carranza
<b>17</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>42</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
10	40	6	Samayoa
8	20	12	Alvarez
4	17	9	Asencio

Scoring Skills
<b>Attack</b>
<b>Block</b>
<b>Serve</b>
<b>Opp. error</b>
<b>Total</b>
<b>Best scorers</b>

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>43</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
14	22	21	I.Sánchez
13	19	22	Grant
5	9	10	J. Antonio
<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
3	6	5	E. Barrantes
2	3	11	Bolaños
2	2	22	Grant
<b>2</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
1	22	10	J. Antonio
1	14	21	I.Sánchez
0	0	3	A. Porras
<b>21</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>75</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
16	38	21	I.Sánchez
15	25	22	Grant
6	20	5	E. Barrantes

■ Starting line-up with position    Atts = Attempts    (C) = Captain    MB = Middle blocker    S = Setter  
□ Substitute with shirt number    Opp. = Opponent    (L) / L = Libero    OP = Opposite    OH = Outside Hitter





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## Best Scorers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	81	GARZA COVARRUBIAS EDUARDO ABRAHAM	OP	MEX	16	2	1	19
2	21	Morales Sánchez Ignacio	OH	CRC	14	1	1	16
3	22	Grant Brown Stanley	OH	CRC	13	2	0	15
4	10	Siebenga Matthew	MB	CAN	6	6	1	13
5	14	Britton Sosa Malik Zahir	OP	DOM	12	0	0	12
	2	Cadena Avalos Cristian Fernando	OP	MEX	10	1	1	12
7	3	Basilio William	OH	CAN	10	0	0	10
	6	Samayoa Rizzo José Luis	OP	GUA	8	1	1	10
	21	Cryst Jackson	MB	USA	7	3	0	10
	2	Matute Virquez Angel David	MB	VEN	10	0	0	10
11	9	Dezutter Tyson	OH	CAN	7	0	2	9
	15	Cravioto Ross Daniel	MB	MEX	9	0	0	9
	8	Zapata Braun Inti Yali	OH	NCA	8	1	0	9
	22	Galeno Zambrano Yoisbel Josue	OP	VEN	8	1	0	9
15	1	Baraniuk Ethan	OH	CAN	6	0	2	8
	6	Reyes Vargas Franklyn De Jesus	OP	DOM	7	1	0	8
	12	Alvarez López Christian Saúl	MB	GUA	6	2	0	8
	14	Mikhailenko Aleksey	OH	USA	5	3	0	8
	18	Wade Kyler	OP	USA	4	0	4	8
20	8	AYALA CORDOVA LUIS ARMANDO	OH	MEX	7	0	0	7
21	5	Barrantes Barrantes Edser	S	CRC	3	3	0	6
	10	Vanega Romero Jeremy Antonio	MB	CRC	5	0	1	6
	11	BOLAÑOS ALVARADO FELIPE	OP	CRC	4	2	0	6
	7	Fuerbringer Mateo	OH	USA	4	1	1	6
25	8	Compres Gomez Wayner Johan	MB	DOM	4	1	0	5
	15	Fahlbusch Blake	OH	USA	4	0	1	5
	30	Sanabria Flores Jean Franco	OP	VEN	4	1	0	5
	67	Larez Torres Harold Alonso	MB	VEN	3	2	0	5
29	17	Harris Owen	MB	CAN	2	2	0	4
	9	Asencio Artola Elfido Jose Antonio	MB	GUA	3	0	1	4
	11	Cordon Bermudez Bradley Jahir	OH	NCA	2	2	0	4
	1	Kosty Cameron	S	USA	0	0	4	4
	22	Bradford Grayson	OP	USA	4	0	0	4
	34	Garcia Oropeza Alberth Cheysu	MB	VEN	2	1	1	4
35	8	Brown Matthew	S	CAN	1	1	1	3
	9	Molina Mcdonald Antoine	MB	CRC	2	1	0	3
	7	Partida Alcazar David Alejandro	MB	MEX	2	1	0	3
	6	Huete Duarte Anthony Odanel	OH	NCA	3	0	0	3
	9	Jordan Trevell	MB	USA	2	1	0	3
	20	Lamoureux Grant	OH	USA	2	0	1	3
	21	Villegas Castellano Jorge Sebastian	S	VEN	2	0	1	3
42	2	Barrett Marcus	OH	CAN	1	1	0	2
	12	Riolino Massimiliano	OP	CAN	1	0	1	2
	95	Mcdonald Grayson	MB	CAN	0	1	1	2
	12	Monge Sánchez Ángel Caleb	OP	CRC	2	0	0	2
	15	Montilla Lara Rubel Salvador	MB	DOM	1	1	0	2
	18	Mercedes Zorrilla Kelvin Miguel	S	DOM	1	1	0	2
	1	Granados Ruiz Santiago	MB	MEX	1	1	0	2
	2	Rivas Espinoza Joshuan Jael	OH	NCA	1	1	0	2
	7	Quesada Perez Alvaro Jafrank	MB	NCA	1	1	0	2
<b>Total tournament</b>					247	52	28	327





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## Best Attackers

Limit:15.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	21	Cryst Jackson	MB	USA	7	0	3	10	70.00
2	15	Cravioto Ross Daniel	MB	MEX	9	1	3	13	69.23
3	22	Grant Brown Stanley	OH	CRC	13	1	5	19	68.42
4	9	Dezutter Tyson	OH	CAN	7	2	2	11	63.64
	21	Morales Sánchez Ignacio	OH	CRC	14	3	5	22	63.64
6	10	Siebenga Matthew	MB	CAN	6	0	4	10	60.00
7	81	GARZA COVARRUBIAS EDUARDO ABRAHAM	OP	MEX	16	6	6	28	57.14
8	2	Cadena Avalos Cristian Fernando	OP	MEX	10	3	5	18	55.56
9	8	Zapata Braun Inti Yali	OH	NCA	8	3	4	15	53.33
10	3	Basilio William	OH	CAN	10	3	6	19	52.63
<b>Total tournament</b>					247	117	204	568	43.49



## Best Blockers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	10	Siebenga Matthew	MB	CAN	6	3	4	13	2.00
2	5	Barrantes Barrantes Edser	S	CRC	3	2	1	6	1.00
	14	Mikhailenko Aleksey	OH	USA	3	0	0	3	1.00
	21	Cryst Jackson	MB	USA	3	5	2	10	1.00
5	17	Harris Owen	MB	CAN	2	3	0	5	0.67
	11	BOLAÑOS ALVARADO FELIPE	OP	CRC	2	0	1	3	0.67
	22	Grant Brown Stanley	OH	CRC	2	0	0	2	0.67
	12	Alvarez López Christian Saúl	MB	GUA	2	6	0	8	0.67
	81	GARZA COVARRUBIAS EDUARDO ABRAHAM	OP	MEX	2	4	2	8	0.67
	11	Cordon Bermudez Bradley Jahir	OH	NCA	2	0	1	3	0.67
<b>Total tournament</b>					52	71	45	168	2.17



## Best Servers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	1	Kosty Cameron	S	USA	4	0	5	9	1.33
	18	Wade Kyler	OP	USA	4	3	1	8	1.33
3	1	Baraniuk Ethan	OH	CAN	2	3	11	16	0.67
	9	Dezutter Tyson	OH	CAN	2	2	12	16	0.67
5	8	Brown Matthew	S	CAN	1	2	8	11	0.33
	10	Siebenga Matthew	MB	CAN	1	4	5	10	0.33
	12	Riolino Massimiliano	OP	CAN	1	1	0	2	0.33
	95	Mcdonald Grayson	MB	CAN	1	0	8	9	0.33
	10	Vanega Romero Jeremy Antonio	MB	CRC	1	0	20	21	0.33
	21	Morales Sánchez Ignacio	OH	CRC	1	3	10	14	0.33
<b>Total tournament</b>					28	81	378	487	1.17





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### Best Diggers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	24	Ocampo Parker Josef	L	CAN	15	0	1	16	5.00
2	5	Ramirez Figueroa Emanuel	L	DOM	14	1	0	15	4.67
3	5	Fajardo Martinez Daniel Alejandro	L	MEX	12	1	1	14	4.00
4	10	Dykstra Jonathan	L	USA	9	1	0	10	3.00
	18	Bello Zapata Rolando Jose	L	VEN	9	6	2	17	3.00
6	9	Dezutter Tyson	OH	CAN	7	3	0	10	2.33
	22	Grant Brown Stanley	OH	CRC	7	1	0	8	2.33
8	4	Gutiérrez Gómez Jose Andrés	L	CRC	6	1	1	8	2.00
	5	Barrantes Barrantes Edser	S	CRC	6	0	0	6	2.00
	6	Samayoa Rizzo José Luis	OP	GUA	6	1	0	7	2.00
<b>Total tournament</b>					205	75	13	293	8.54



### Best Setters

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	6	Bernal Llera Santiago	S	MEX	17	0	53	70	5.67
2	8	Brown Matthew	S	CAN	12	0	38	50	4.00
3	10	Zuñiga Cambara Juan David	S	GUA	10	2	46	58	3.33
4	5	Barrantes Barrantes Edser	S	CRC	3	1	38	42	1.00
	1	Kosty Cameron	S	USA	3	0	21	24	1.00
	21	Villegas Castellano Jorge Sebastian	S	VEN	3	3	52	58	1.00
7	12	Urbina Rafael	S	USA	2	0	22	24	0.67
8	15	Low-Ring Jordan Koray	S	CAN	1	0	4	5	0.33
	18	Mercedes Zorrilla Kelvin Miguel	S	DOM	1	2	58	61	0.33
	12	Marcenaro Lackwood Amir Caleb	L	NCA	1	0	5	6	0.33
<b>Total tournament</b>					53	11	482	546	2.21



### Best Receivers

Limit:20.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	2	Cadena Avalos Cristian Fernando	OP	MEX	9	0	3	12	75.00
2	3	Basilio William	OH	CAN	6	0	3	9	66.67
	9	Dezutter Tyson	OH	CAN	6	0	3	9	66.67
4	4	Gutiérrez Gómez Jose Andrés	L	CRC	7	0	4	11	63.64
5	21	Morales Sánchez Ignacio	OH	CRC	11	1	4	16	62.50
6	5	Fajardo Martinez Daniel Alejandro	L	MEX	11	0	7	18	61.11
7	8	Zapata Braun Inti Yali	OH	NCA	11	0	9	20	55.00
8	24	Ocampo Parker Josef	L	CAN	8	0	7	15	53.33
9	5	Gonzalez Mendez Josue Fernando	L	GUA	8	0	8	16	50.00
10	18	Bello Zapata Rolando Jose	L	VEN	13	1	11	25	48.00
<b>Total tournament</b>					176	21	202	399	38.85





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## Best Liberos

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	24	Ocampo Parker Josef	L	CAN	23	0	8	31	7.67
	5	Fajardo Martinez Daniel Alejandro	L	MEX	23	1	8	32	7.67
3	18	Bello Zapata Rolando Jose	L	VEN	22	7	13	42	7.33
4	5	Ramirez Figueroa Emanuel	L	DOM	17	4	5	26	5.67
5	4	Gutiérrez Gómez Jose Andrés	L	CRC	13	1	5	19	4.33
6	5	Gonzalez Mendez Josue Fernando	L	GUA	12	3	8	23	4.00
7	12	Marcenaro Lackwood Amir Caleb	L	NCA	11	3	5	19	3.67
	10	Dykstra Jonathan	L	USA	11	1	1	13	3.67
9	3	Foley Drake	L	USA	2	1	2	5	0.67
<b>Total tournament</b>					134	21	55	210	5.58





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All matches



## Best Scorers

Rk	Team	Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	CRC Costa Rica	43	9	2	54
2	CAN Canada	34	11	8	53
	MEX Mexico	45	5	3	53
4	USA United States	32	9	11	52
5	VEN Venezuela	32	5	2	39
6	DOM Dominican Republic	25	5	0	30
7	GUA Guatemala	20	3	2	25
8	NCA Nicaragua	16	5	0	21
<b>Total tournament</b>		247	52	28	327



## Best Attackers

Limit:15.00%

Rk	Team	Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	CRC Costa Rica	43	8	20	71	60.56
2	MEX Mexico	45	15	22	82	54.88
3	CAN Canada	34	9	21	64	53.13
4	USA United States	32	7	25	64	50.00
5	VEN Venezuela	32	14	27	73	43.84
6	DOM Dominican Republic	25	18	25	68	36.76
7	GUA Guatemala	20	23	36	79	25.32
8	NCA Nicaragua	16	23	28	67	23.88
<b>Total tournament</b>		247	117	204	568	43.49



## Best Blockers

Rk	Team	Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	CAN Canada	11	9	6	26	3.67
2	CRC Costa Rica	9	5	7	21	3.00
	USA United States	9	15	8	32	3.00
4	DOM Dominican Republic	5	5	7	17	1.67
	MEX Mexico	5	12	4	21	1.67
	NCA Nicaragua	5	4	5	14	1.67
	VEN Venezuela	5	8	6	19	1.67
8	GUA Guatemala	3	13	2	18	1.00
<b>Total tournament</b>		52	71	45	168	2.17





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## Best Servers

Rk	Team	Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	USA United States	11	11	51	73	3.67
2	CAN Canada	8	16	49	73	2.67
3	MEX Mexico	3	9	61	73	1.00
4	CRC Costa Rica	2	10	61	73	0.67
	GUA Guatemala	2	5	38	45	0.67
	VEN Venezuela	2	10	49	61	0.67
N/A	DOM Dominican Republic	0	11	34	45	
	NCA Nicaragua	0	9	35	44	
<b>Total tournament</b>		28	81	378	487	1.17



## Best Diggers

Rk	Team	Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	CRC Costa Rica	32	6	3	41	10.67
	MEX Mexico	32	9	1	42	10.67
3	CAN Canada	29	6	1	36	9.67
4	USA United States	27	6	0	33	9.00
5	GUA Guatemala	22	11	1	34	7.33
	NCA Nicaragua	22	9	2	33	7.33
7	DOM Dominican Republic	21	6	2	29	7.00
8	VEN Venezuela	20	22	3	45	6.67
<b>Total tournament</b>		205	75	13	293	8.54



## Best Setters

Rk	Team	Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	MEX Mexico	17	0	62	79	5.67
2	CAN Canada	13	0	48	61	4.33
3	GUA Guatemala	10	2	64	76	3.33
4	USA United States	5	0	52	57	1.67
5	CRC Costa Rica	3	2	58	63	1.00
	VEN Venezuela	3	3	71	77	1.00
7	DOM Dominican Republic	1	3	63	67	0.33
	NCA Nicaragua	1	1	64	66	0.33
<b>Total tournament</b>		53	11	482	546	2.21





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## Best Receivers

Limit:20.00%

Rk	Team	Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	CAN Canada	21	0	14	35	60.00
2	MEX Mexico	30	2	19	51	54.90
3	CRC Costa Rica	23	2	15	40	52.50
4	GUA Guatemala	27	0	34	61	44.26
5	USA United States	13	0	21	34	38.24
6	VEN Venezuela	26	2	35	63	38.10
7	NCA Nicaragua	19	5	30	54	25.93
8	DOM Dominican Republic	17	10	34	61	11.48
<b>Total tournament</b>		176	21	202	399	38.85



## Best Liberos

Rk	Team	Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	CAN Canada	23	0	8	31	7.67
	MEX Mexico	23	1	8	32	7.67
3	VEN Venezuela	22	7	13	42	7.33
4	DOM Dominican Republic	17	4	5	26	5.67
5	CRC Costa Rica	13	1	5	19	4.33
	USA United States	13	2	3	18	4.33
7	GUA Guatemala	12	3	8	23	4.00
8	NCA Nicaragua	11	3	5	19	3.67
<b>Total tournament</b>		134	21	55	210	5.58





## Opening-Day Wins for Mexico, USA, Canada and Costa Rica

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala, June 23, 2026. – Mexico, the United States, Canada and Costa Rica opened the 2026 Men's U21 Pan American Cup with straight-set victories on Tuesday at the Teodoro Palacios Flores Gymnasium in Guatemala City.

In Pool A, Mexico defeated Venezuela and defending champion United States overcame the Dominican Republic. In Pool B, Canada topped Nicaragua, while Costa Rica earned a victory over host Guatemala.

### **Mexico 3, Venezuela 0**

Mexico opened its campaign at the 2026 Men's U21 Pan American Cup with a straight-set victory over Venezuela, winning 3-0 (25-23, 25-17, 25-19) in the opening match of Pool A. Mexico held a 45-32 advantage in attacks and edged Venezuela 3-2 in service aces. Both teams recorded five blocks, while Mexico committed 20 errors compared to Venezuela's 22. Eduardo Garza led all scorers with 19 points on 16 attacks, two blocks, and one ace. Cristian Cadena added 12 points on 10 attacks, one block, and one ace. For Venezuela, middle blocker Angel Matuto was the only player to reach double figures, finishing with 10 points. The opening set was closely contested, with both teams battling point-for-point and remaining tied through much of the frame. Mexico earned set point at 24-23 after an attack by opposite hitter Eduardo Garza that Venezuela's Jorge Villegas was unable to control. Middle blocker Cristian Cadena then finished the set with a quick attack through the middle for a 1-0 lead. The second set followed a similar pattern, with neither side able to establish clear control early on. Mexico pulled ahead at 19-16 behind Daniel Cravioto and an ace by captain Santiago Bernal. Cadena continued to lead the Mexican attack, while Garza sealed the set with a block on Neyver Zabala. Venezuela, led by Jean Franco Sanabria, fought hard in the early stages of the third set, matching Mexico point for point. However, Mexico built a decisive 19-14 advantage through Cadena's attacking efficiency, Garza's serving pressure, and several Venezuelan errors. The match concluded on a Venezuelan attacking error. Mexico will face the Dominican Republic in its next Pool A match, while Venezuela will take on defending champion United States.

### **United States 3, Dominican Republic 0**

The United States opened the defense of its title with a commanding 3-0 (25-13, 25-9, 25-21) victory over the Dominican Republic. With the win, the United States improved to 1-0 and will face Mexico (1-0) on the second day of competition. The Dominican Republic (0-1), meanwhile, will look to bounce back against Venezuela (0-1). The United States quickly took control of the opening set, building a comfortable 15-9 advantage by capitalizing on Dominican errors. Aleksey Mikhailenko and Kyler Wade led the American offense while limiting the impact of Dominican scoring leader Malik Britton. A powerful back-row attack by Mikhailenko earned set point for the Americans. In the second set, the United States raced to a 6-0 lead behind the serving of Cameron Kosty. Strong service pressure and dominance in every aspect of the game allowed the Americans to control the set comfortably. An attack by Grayson Bradford sealed the 25-9 win and a two-set advantage. The Dominican Republic showed improvement in the third set. Franklyn Reyes kept his team in contention with an effective offensive performance, supported by the powerful attacks of Malik Britton. The Caribbean squad rallied to tie the score at 12-12 thanks to consecutive blocks by Rubel Montilla, Reyes, and Marvin



Rodríguez. However, the United States responded decisively as a kill and a block by Jackson Cryst, combined with a strong serving run from Grant Lamoureux, extended the lead to 19-15. From there, the defending champions managed the advantage and secured the victory. The United States dominated the match statistics, particularly from the service line, finishing with an 11-0 advantage in aces. The Americans also led in attacks (32-25) and blocks (9-5). In addition, they scored 23 points from Dominican errors while committing only 13 of their own. Jackson Cryst led the United States offense with 10 points. For the Dominican Republic, Malik Zahir Britton was the match's top scorer with 12 points.

### **Canada 3, Nicaragua 0**

Canada opened its Men's U21 Pan American Cup campaign with a dominant 3-0 (25-12, 25-15, 25-15) victory over Nicaragua in Pool B. Canada dominated the match statistics, outscoring Nicaragua in attacks (34-16), blocks (11-5), and service aces (8-0). Both teams recorded a similar number of errors, with Canada committing 21 and Nicaragua 22.

Canada will face Costa Rica on the second day of Pool B action, while Nicaragua will take on host Guatemala. The Canadians imposed their rhythm from the start of the match. In the opening set, they built a comfortable 20-10 advantage led by Ethan Baraniuk. Later, Owen Harris contributed with a kill and a block on Bradly Córdón to extend the lead to 24-12 before Baraniuk closed the set with an attack. Canada also seized control early in the second set, racing to a 4-0 lead. Nicaragua attempted to respond behind the efforts of Inti Zapata but could not find a way to close the gap. The Canadians maintained pressure from the service line, with at least four players recording aces, to take a two-set lead. In the third set, Canada maintained its pace with Matthew Siebenga excelling at the net and William Basilio contributing offensively. The North Americans extended their advantage to 20-13 and moved toward their first victory of the tournament with a block by Marcus Barrett on Nicaragua's Rayfield Hodgson. Canadian middle blocker Matthew Siebenga led all scorers with 13 points on six attacks, six blocks, and one ace. William Basilio added 10 points, all on kills. For Nicaragua, Inti Zapata led the offense with nine points.

### **Costa Rica 3, Guatemala 0**

Costa Rica defeated host Guatemala 3-0 (25-16, 25-12, 25-14) to open its campaign with a victory. The match was the second contest of Pool B. On Wednesday, Costa Rica (1-0) will face Canada (1-0), while Guatemala (0-1) will look to bounce back against Nicaragua (0-1). Costa Rica took control of the match from the opening points of the first set, building an early 4-0 lead and never allowing Guatemala to move ahead on the scoreboard. Ignacio Morales led the Costa Rican offense, while Edser Barrantes and Stanley Grant stood out at the net, helping neutralize the Guatemalan attack led by middle blocker Christian Álvarez. A block by Grant on José Luis Samayoa sealed the opening set. In the second set, the Costa Ricans quickly extended their advantage to five points (10-5), capitalizing on several errors by the home team. Morales continued to lead the offense, while Grant was effective at the net. Jeremy Vanega and Felipe Bolaños also contributed key points to maintain the lead. For Guatemala, the quick attacks of Christian Álvarez were not enough to stop Costa Rica's momentum. The third set started more evenly, with both teams tied at nine points. However, Costa Rica responded through Morales, who scored two consecutive attacks, and a block by Felipe Bolaños on Samayoa to take a 12-9 lead. From that point on, Costa Rica remained in control and cruised to the victory. Grant was instrumental in the closing stages, while Bolaños earned set point (24-13) after a long rally and Antoine Molina finished the match with the final point. Costa Rica held a clear advantage in attacks (43-20) and blocks (9-3), while both teams



recorded two service aces. The Costa Ricans also benefited from 21 points off Guatemala's errors and committed 17 of their own.

### **Victorias para México, Estados Unidos, Canadá y Costa Rica en la jornada inaugural**

CIUDAD DE GUATEMALA, Guatemala, 23 de junio de 2026. – México, Estados Unidos, Canadá y Costa Rica iniciaron la Copa Panamericana U21 Masculina 2026 con victorias en sets corridos este martes en el Gimnasio Teodoro Palacios Flores de la Ciudad de Guatemala.

En el Grupo A, México derrotó a Venezuela y el campeón defensor Estados Unidos superó a la República Dominicana. En el Grupo B, Canadá venció a Nicaragua, mientras que Costa Rica se impuso al anfitrión Guatemala.

### **México 3, Venezuela 0**

México inició su participación en la Copa Panamericana U21 Masculina 2026 con una victoria en sets corridos sobre Venezuela por 3-0 (25-23, 25-17, 25-19), en el partido inaugural del Grupo A. México dominó en ataques por 45-32 y superó ligeramente a Venezuela en servicios directos por 3-2. Ambos equipos registraron cinco bloqueos, mientras que México cometió 20 errores frente a los 22 de Venezuela. Eduardo Garza fue el máximo anotador del encuentro con 19 puntos, producto de 16 ataques, dos bloqueos y un ace. Cristian Cadena aportó 12 unidades con 10 ataques, un bloqueo y un ace. Por Venezuela, el central Ángel Matuto fue el único jugador en alcanzar doble dígito, finalizando con 10 puntos. El primer set fue muy disputado, con ambos equipos intercambiando puntos y manteniéndose igualados durante gran parte del parcial. México alcanzó punto de set en el 24-23 tras un ataque del opuesto Eduardo Garza que Jorge Villegas no pudo controlar. Posteriormente, el central Cristian Cadena cerró el parcial con un rápido ataque por el centro para adelantar a México 1-0. El segundo set siguió un patrón similar, sin que ninguno de los equipos lograra establecer un dominio claro en los primeros compases. México logró despegarse 19-16 gracias a la ofensiva de Daniel Cravioto y un ace del capitán Santiago Bernal. Cadena continuó liderando el ataque mexicano, mientras que Garza selló el set con un bloqueo sobre Neyver Zabala. Venezuela, liderada por Jean Franco Sanabria, peleó intensamente en el inicio del tercer parcial, manteniéndose a la par de México. Sin embargo, los mexicanos construyeron una ventaja decisiva de 19-14 apoyados en la efectividad ofensiva de Cadena, la presión desde el servicio de Garza y varios errores venezolanos. El encuentro concluyó con un error de ataque de Venezuela. México enfrentará a República Dominicana en su próximo compromiso del Grupo A, mientras que Venezuela se medirá al campeón defensor, Estados Unidos.

### **Estados Unidos 3, República Dominicana 0**

Estados Unidos comenzó con un contundente triunfo la defensa de su corona al superar a República Dominicana 3-0 (25-13, 25-9, 25-21). Con la victoria, Estados Unidos arrancó el torneo con marca de 1-0 y enfrentará a México (1-0) en la segunda jornada de competencia. Por su parte, República Dominicana (0-1) buscará recuperarse frente a Venezuela (0-1). Estados Unidos tomó rápidamente el control del primer set al construir una amplia ventaja de 15-9, aprovechando los errores dominicanos. Aleksey Mikhailenko y Kyler Wade lideraron la ofensiva estadounidense, mientras neutralizaban al principal referente ofensivo dominicano, Malik Britton. Un potente ataque zaguero de Mikhailenko otorgó el punto de set para el conjunto norteamericano. En el segundo parcial, Estados Unidos abrió con una racha de 6-0 gracias al servicio de Cameron Kosty. La presión desde la línea de saque y el dominio en



todos los fundamentos del juego permitieron a los estadounidenses controlar cómodamente el set. Un ataque de Grayson Bradford selló el 25-9 y la ventaja de dos sets. República Dominicana mostró una mejor versión en el tercer set. Franklyn Reyes mantuvo a su equipo en la pelea con una ofensiva efectiva, respaldado por la potencia de Malik Britton. Los caribeños lograron igualar el marcador 12-12 gracias a tres bloqueos consecutivos de Rubel Montilla, Reyes y Marvin Rodríguez. Sin embargo, Estados Unidos respondió con autoridad; un ataque y un bloqueo consecutivos de Jackson Cryst, sumados a una racha de servicio de Grant Lamoureux, ampliaron la ventaja a 19-15. Desde allí, los campeones defensores administraron la diferencia hasta asegurar la victoria. Estados Unidos dominó las estadísticas del encuentro, destacándose especialmente desde la línea de servicio con una ventaja de 11-0 en aces. También superó a República Dominicana en ataques (32-25) y bloqueos (9-5). Además, los estadounidenses sumaron 23 puntos producto de errores rivales, mientras cometieron únicamente 13. Jackson Cryst encabezó la ofensiva de Estados Unidos con 10 puntos. Por República Dominicana, Malik Zahir Britton fue el máximo anotador del partido con 12 unidades.

### **Canadá 3, Nicaragua 0**

Canadá inició con autoridad su participación en la Copa Panamericana U21 Masculina tras derrotar a Nicaragua por 3-0 (25-12, 25-15, 25-15) en el Grupo B. Canadá dominó ampliamente las estadísticas del encuentro, superando a Nicaragua en ataques (34-16), bloqueos (11-5) y servicios directos (8-0). Ambos equipos registraron cifras similares de errores, con 21 para Canadá y 22 para Nicaragua. Canadá enfrentará a Costa Rica en la segunda jornada del Grupo B, mientras que Nicaragua se medirá a Guatemala. El conjunto canadiense impuso condiciones desde el inicio. En el primer set construyó una cómoda ventaja de 20-10 liderado por Ethan Baraniuk. Posteriormente, Owen Harris aportó un ataque y un bloqueo sobre Bradly Cordón para colocar el marcador 24-12, antes de que Baraniuk cerrara el parcial con un remate. Canadá también tomó el control temprano en el segundo set al adelantarse 4-0. Nicaragua intentó reaccionar impulsada por Inti Zapata, pero no logró encontrar la fórmula para descontar la diferencia. Los canadienses mantuvieron la presión desde la línea de servicio, con al menos cuatro jugadores registrando aces, para ampliar la ventaja a dos sets. En el tercer parcial, Canadá mantuvo el ritmo de juego con Matthew Siebenga destacándose en el bloqueo, acompañado por William Basilio en el ataque. Los norteamericanos alcanzaron una ventaja de 20-13 y encaminaron su primera victoria del torneo con un bloqueo de Marcus Barrett sobre el nicaragüense Rayfield Hodgson. El central canadiense Matthew Siebenga fue el máximo anotador del encuentro con 13 puntos, producto de seis ataques, seis bloqueos y un ace. William Basilio contribuyó con 10 puntos, todos de ataques. Por Nicaragua, Inti Zapata lideró la ofensiva con nueve unidades.

### **Costa Rica 3, Guatemala 0**

Costa Rica derrotó al anfitrión Guatemala por 3-0 (25-16, 25-12, 25-14) para iniciar con victoria su participación. El encuentro correspondió al segundo partido del Grupo B. Este miércoles, Costa Rica (1-0) enfrentará a Canadá (1-0), mientras que Guatemala (0-1) buscará recuperarse ante Nicaragua (0-1). Costa Rica tomó el control del partido desde los primeros compases del primer set con una ventaja temprana de 4-0 y nunca permitió que Guatemala se colocara al frente en el marcador. Ignacio Morales lideró la ofensiva costarricense, mientras que Edser Barrantes y Stanley Grant destacaron en el bloqueo para neutralizar los



ataques guatemaltecos encabezados por el central Christian Álvarez. Un bloqueo de Grant sobre José Luis Samayoa selló el parcial inicial. En el segundo set, los ticos ampliaron rápidamente la diferencia hasta cinco puntos (10-5), aprovechando varios errores del conjunto local. Morales continuó marcando el ritmo ofensivo, mientras que Grant se mostró efectivo en la red. Jeremy Vanega y Felipe Bolaños también aportaron puntos importantes para mantener la ventaja. Por Guatemala, los rápidos ataques de Christian Álvarez no fueron suficientes para frenar el dominio costarricense. El tercer parcial comenzó de forma más equilibrada, con empate a nueve puntos. Sin embargo, Costa Rica encontró nuevamente respuesta a través de Morales, quien sumó dos ataques consecutivos, y de un bloqueo de Felipe Bolaños sobre Samayoa para tomar ventaja de 12-9. A partir de ese momento, Costa Rica mantuvo el control hasta asegurar la victoria. Grant fue determinante en el cierre, mientras que Bolaños consiguió el punto de set (24-13) tras un largo rally y Antoine Molina selló el triunfo definitivo. Costa Rica superó ampliamente a Guatemala en ataque (43-20) y bloqueo (9-3), mientras que ambos equipos registraron dos puntos directos de servicio. Los costarricenses también capitalizaron 21 puntos provenientes de errores de Guatemala y cometieron 17. Ignacio Morales fue el máximo anotador del encuentro con 16 puntos, seguido por Stanley Grant con 15. Por Guatemala, José Luis Samayoa lideró a su equipo con 10 unidades.