

Dominicans and Canadians share top place

Host Dominican Republic held off a resilient United States to claim a 3-2 (25-23, 25-18, 22-25, 17-25, 15-8) victory and a 3-0 win-loss record at the Men's Volleyball Pan American Cup.

Captain Henry Tapia scored 25 points as the offensive leader of the home side, followed by Hector Cruz and Dawilin Méndez with 14 and 11 points, respectively.

Kyle McCauley led five United States players in double figures with 16

points. Cole Gillis and Merrick McHenry were next with 14 and 12, respectively, and Daniel Wetter and Jacob Pasteur finished with 11 points apiece.

The Americans held a slight 11-10 advantage in the blocking department and the Dominicans had the upper hand in aces 10-9.



Canada 3, Puerto Rico 1

Canada remained undefeated after three outings following their victory over Puerto Rico 3-1 (25-19, 23-25, 25-20, 25-19) on Sunday. Jackson Howe, Brodie Hoffer and Jesse Elser finished with 17, 16 and 15 points, respectively, as the top scorers for Canada. Isaiah Olfert and Jordan Schnitzer each contributed 8 points in the victory.

Pedro Molina was the only Puerto Rican player who reached double figures in the scoring sheets. Puerto Rico dropped to a 0-3.



Mexico 3, Suriname 0

Mexico registered its first victory after beating winless Suriname 3-0 (25-12, 25-10, 25-17) in the first match on Sunday.

En route to the win, the Mexicans outscored Suriname in attacks (32-18), aces (10-1) and in blocks (12-5).

Gabriel Cruz and Alexis Garay led Mexico with 12 and 10 points, respectively, while serving three aces apiece. Keven Sporkslede and Zefanio Breinburg each had 7 points for Suriname.









