

MISSISSIPPI STATE Daily Olympic Bulletin

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3 EVENING EDITION

JUL	Y 25			
SOC	France vs. Colombia	Pool	Izquierdo, Perez	FRA, 3-
JUL				
ALL	Opening Ceremony	Ceremonies	All	
JUL				
MT	Singles vs. Navone (ARG)	First Rd.	Borges Canceled	/ Weathe
JUL	Y 28			
MT	Singles vs. Navone (ARG)	First Rd.	•	e, 6-2, 6-
SOC	New Zealand vs. Colombia	Pool	Izquierdo, Perez	COL, 2-
MT	Doubles vs. Greece	First Rd.	Borges POR, 3-6, 6	-3, [12-10
JUL				
MT	Doubles vs. Germany	Second Rd.	Borges GE	R, 6-2, 6-
JUL				
SOC	Colombia vs. Canada	Pool	Izquierdo, Perez	CAN, 1-
AUG	GUST 3			
SOC	Colombia vs. Spain	Quarterfinals	Izquierdo, Perez ESI	P, 2-2 (4-2
AUG	GUST 6			
TF	Men's Javelin Qualifying	Group A	Peters, Thompson	3:20 a.m
TF	Men's Javelin Qualifying	Group B	Peters, Thompson	4:50 a.m
AUG	GUST 7			
TF	Men's 800m	First Round	Anderson, Arop	4:55 a.m
AUG	GUST 8			
TF	Men's 800m (if nec.)	Repechage	Anderson, Arop	5 a.m
TF	Men's Javelin	Final	Peters, Thompson	1:25 p.m
AUG	SUST 9			
TF	Men's 4x400m Relay	First Round	Eppie	4:05 a.m
TF	Men's 800m	Semifinal	Anderson, Arop	4:30 a.m

Final

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Men's 4x400m Relay

TODAY'S EVENTS





	WOMEN'S SOCCER - QUARTERFINALS										
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Izquierdo	MF	75	1	0	0	0	0				
	POS	MIN	GA	GAA	SV	SF	SV%	SHO			
Perez	DNP			-				-			

NOTEWORTHY

QUICK KICKS

- Ilana Izquierdo (COL) subbed on just before halftime and played 75
 minutes. She took one shot in the final moments of stoppage time at
 the end of regulation
- Colombia became the first team to score twice against Spain in the Olympic Games. They led the match for 85 minutes before ultimately falling in the penalty shootout.
- Had Colombia held on to its 2-0 lead, it would have been just Spain's second loss of 2024 (Czech Republic, July 12, 1-2) while ranked No. 1 and their first loss to a South American side since 2017 (Brazil, June 10, 1-2).
- Colombia is the first side to take Spain to extra time since the Netherlands did so in August 2023 (Spain, 2-1).

QUALIFIED FOR QUARTERS

- Colombia advanced to the Olympic quarterfinals for the first time in national history. They are No. 22 in the current FIFA world rankings, their highest ranking since the system was established in 2003.
- Colombia was the top third-place team in the group stage and one of two to advance to the Olympic quarterfinals along with Brazil.
- Colombia reached the quarterfinals at the 2023 FIFA Women's World Cup, their best finish at a major international tournament. They've also been the runners-up at the Copa America three times.

SCOUTING THE SQUADS

- Ilana Izquierdo (COL) has started seven of Colombia's last eight matches and played 254 of 390 minutes in the Olympic tournament.
- The only match in that span that she did not play in was the Olympic opener against France.
- Izquierdo totaled three shots in the tournament, most notably she narrowly missed over the bar in the 53rd minute of the then-scoreless match against Canada.
- Catalina Perez (COL) missed the tournament with a injury sustained in training.

COLOMBIA'S OLYMPIC RECORD

- Colombia's all-time Olympic record is now 1-7-2. They did not advance out of the group stage in their prior two appearances.
- Colombia and Spain's quarterfinals meeting was the first time the two nations have played each other.

SUMMER SCHOOL AT THE GAMES

- Ilana Izquierdo (COL) is the 11th student-athlete in school history to compete in an Olympic Games will still an active student-athlete or immediately following their final year of eligibility.
- She is the first active student-athlete in a team sport since B.J.
 Wallace (USA) played baseball at the 1992 Barcelona Games.
- Izquierdo is the fourth-youngest player on Colombia's women's soccer roster and the 21st-youngest in the tournament.

PARTNERS ON THE PITCH

- Ilana Izquierdo (COL) and Catalina Perez (COL) are the first pair of MSU athletes to ever compete together in a team sport at the Olympics.
- Mississippi State is one of 12 schools with multiple soccer players in the Olympics. Of those, only Florida (CAN), Florida State (USA), Penn State (USA), Stanford (USA) and West Virginia (CAN) have athletes competing as teammates for the same nation.

NEXT UP...





MEN'S JAVELIN - QUALIFYING

QUALIFYING: August 6 | 3:20 a.m. (Grp A) or 4:50 a.m. (Grp B)

NOTEWORTHY: Anderson Peters (GRN) and Curtis Thompson (USA) give MSU two-thirds of the NCAA representation in the men's javelin in Paris ... both men won at least one NCAA Championship while at State ... Peters boasts five of the top 10 throws all-time by a collegiate athlete ... both men's personal bests are beyong 86.00m, which has won a medal at each of the last four games.

