

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3
MORNING EDITION

PARIS 2024 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

JULY 25

SOC France vs. **Colombia**

Pool

Izquierdo, Perez

FRA, 3-2

JULY 26

ALL Opening Ceremony

Ceremonies

ALL

JULY 27

MT Singles vs. Navone (ARG)

First Rd.

Borges

Canceled / Weather

JULY 28

MT Singles vs. Navone (ARG)

First Rd.

Borges

Navone, 6-2, 6-2

SOC New Zealand vs. **Colombia**

Pool

Izquierdo, Perez

COL, 2-0

MT Doubles vs. Greece

First Rd.

Borges

POR, 3-6, 6-3, [12-10]

JULY 30

MT Doubles vs. Germany

Second Rd.

Borges

GER, 6-2, 6-2

JULY 31

SOC **Colombia** vs. Canada

Pool

Izquierdo, Perez

CAN, 1-0

AUGUST 3

SOC **Colombia** vs. Spain

Quarterfinals

Izquierdo, Perez

10 a.m.

AUGUST 6

SOC **Colombia** vs. Brazil/France

Semifinals

Izquierdo, Perez

2 p.m.

TF Men's Javelin Qualifying

Group A

Peters

3:20 a.m.

TF Men's Javelin Qualifying

Group B

Thompson

4:50 a.m.

AUGUST 7

TF Men's 800m

First Round

Anderson, Arop

4:55 a.m.

AUGUST 8

TF Men's 800m (if nec.)

Repechage

Anderson, Arop

5 a.m.

TF Men's Javelin

Final

Peters, Thompson

1:25 p.m.

AUGUST 9

TF Men's 4x400m Relay

First Round

Eppie

4:05 a.m.

TF Men's 800m

Semifinal

Anderson, Arop

4:30 a.m.

SOC **Colombia** vs. TBD

Bronze Medal

Izquierdo, Perez

8 a.m.

AUGUST 10

SOC **Colombia** vs. TBD

Gold Medal

Izquierdo, Perez

10 a.m.

TF Men's 800m

Final

Anderson, Arop

12:05 p.m.

TF Men's 4x400m Relay

Final

Eppie

2 p.m.

TODAY'S EVENTS



WOMEN'S SOCCER - QUARTERFINALS

Colombia vs. Spain

10 a.m. CT / 5 p.m. Local
Stade de Lyon (Lyon, France)



NOTEWORTHY

QUALIFIED FOR QUARTERS

- Colombia has advanced to the Olympic quarterfinals for the first time in national history. They will face world No. 1 Spain at 10 a.m. CT on Saturday. Colombia is No. 22 in the current FIFA world rankings, their highest ranking since the system was established in 2003.
- Despite their No. 1 ranking, this year is Spain's Olympic debut.
- Spain has allowed just one goal through three matches.
- 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 six of Colombia's last seven matches and has played 179 of 270 minutes in the Olympic tournament.
- The only match in that span that she did not play in was the Olympic opener against France.
- Izquierdo has taken two 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) is reported to be out with injury.
- Outside of the Bulldogs, Manuela Vanegas (COL) has been a star for Colombia with an assist and ranking second in the tournament in combined tackles and interceptions.
- Spain is led by Alexia Putellas, who has scored twice.

COLOMBIA'S OLYMPIC RECORD

- Colombia's all-time Olympic record is now 1-7-1. They did not advance out of the group stage in their prior two appearances.
- Colombia and Spain's quarterfinals meeting will be 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 beyond 86.00m, which has won a medal at each of the last four games.