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Major League Rugby Championship Matchup Set for Saturday

Tickets on sale today for Rugby New York vs. Seattle Seawolves



June 21, 2022 (Dallas, TX) – The season-long quest for the Major League Rugby (MLR) shield culminates **tomorrow**, as Rugby New York battles the Seattle Seawolves in the Championship Final at Red Bull Arena in Harrison, New Jersey. Dallen Stanford and Mike Petri will serve as commentators for the nationally-televised match on FOX at 12 pm EST.

The Seawolves defeated the Houston SaberCats on Saturday to secure the Western Conference, after strong offensive showings from both sides. Meanwhile, Rugby New York upset the New England Free Jacks on Sunday in a tight match to claim the competitive Eastern Conference.

“As Major League Rugby wraps up an action-packed fifth season, we are excited to see Rugby NY and the Seattle Seawolves battle it out this weekend at Red Bull Arena in New Jersey,” said MLR Commissioner George Killebrew. “It’s been a tough road for these players to get here. They’ve taken - and handed out - some punishment over the course of 16 games in the 18-week season. Each player on these teams proved they deserved to be here and it will be an absolute honor to watch these elite athletes do what they love on Saturday.”

Tickets for the MLR Championship are available to the public on MLR’s official website and [Ticketmaster](#), and the S. Marcus Calloway Community Impact Award recipient will be recognized at halftime.

About Major League Rugby

Major League Rugby is a professional sports league in its fifth season and represents the highest level of rugby competition in North America. The League evolved from seven teams in 2018, to 13 teams in 2022, featuring 12 from the United States and one from Canada. Matches are televised on Fox Sports 1 and Fox Sports 2, among other national and local market platforms. Select matches are available to stream live in North America on The Rugby Network, and all matches are available to stream live on The Rugby Network for international fans. MLR prides itself in fostering intense and high-stakes competition, while bringing together a passionate community built on the values of Respect, Inclusivity, and Tradition. For more information about MLR, visit www.MajorLeague.Rugby.