

Atlanta – Stadium Court Notes – Saturday, Aug. 14, 2021 – Match 10

10:00 pm – #1 Emily Day / Betsi Flint vs. #5 Crissy Jones / Susannah Muno

Head to Head

- Day / Flint beat Jones / Muno 21-14, 21-19 in the semifinals of Hermosa Beach 2019 in the only other meeting between these two teams... in that match Muno had 14 kills and 15 hitting errors

Day / Flint are playing together for the 14th time on the AVP Tour and for the 33rd time overall... The pair has won 3 AVP titles and 1 FIVB title

- Day and Flint are back together after Flint did not compete in the 2020 AVP season (Day played the 3 events with Lauren Fendrick)
- In their careers the duo is 47-19 in AVP matches, 39-6 when winning the first set, and 14-11 in three-set matches
- The pair finished the 2019 season by playing in the finals in 3 of the last 5 AVP events
- Atlanta marks the 4th time in their partnership that the duo has been seeded #1 in an AVP tournament... they won in San Francisco 2018 as the top seed, finished seventh in Austin 2019, then won again in Hermosa Beach 2019

Emily Day – age 34 – 6'1" – hometown Torrance, Calif. – currently Hermosa Beach, Calif. – Loyola Marymount

- Day is playing in her 63rd career AVP tournament with 9 career AVP wins... she has played with 14 different partners
- In 2020 Day ranked 2nd on the Tour in kills per set (8.50) and 4th in hitting percentage (.436)
- Day has won at least one AVP title in 6 of the last 8 seasons

Betsi Flint – age 29 – 5'10" – hometown Phoenix, Ariz. – currently Los Angeles, Calif. – Loyola Marymount

- Playing in her 34th career AVP tournament with 5 AVP wins
- Since giving birth to her daughter Cora in 2020, Flint has played one tournament, finishing 9th in an FIVB event with Day in Chetumal, Mexico in November 2020.

Jones / Muno are playing together for the 6th time on the AVP Tour and 8th time overall

- The duo's best finish came in their 2nd event together in Hermosa Beach 2019... seeded 47th in the qualifier, they won 4 qualifier matches, lost in the first round of the main draw, then needed to win 5 straight contender's bracket matches to reach the semifinals where they placed 3rd... they became the lowest seeded team in AVP history to reach the semifinals
- Last month the duo won a one-star FIVB event in Belgium, going 7-0 in matches including the qualifier

Crissy Jones – age 24 – 6'2" – hometown Los Alamitos, Calif. – currently San Luis Obispo, Calif. – Washington / Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo

- This is Jones' 9th AVP event, and she has been in the main draw in all but her first event
- Jones had 10 blocks in her first 2 matches (4 sets, 2.50 per set average)... the next highest average on the list is Brandie Wilkerson (11 blocks in 8 sets, 1.38 per set)

Susannah Muno – age 25 – 5'10" – hometown Hermosa Beach, Calif. – currently Manhattan Beach, Calif. – UCLA

- This is Muno's 10th AVP tournament
- In Huntington Beach 2013, she played in the qualifier with Sarah Sponcil, which was the pro beach volleyball debut for both players