New York City – June 9, 2019 – Men's Championship Notes

2:30 pm - #2 Phil Dalhausser / Nick Lucena vs. #7 Tim Bomgren / Troy Field

Dalhausser / Lucena are playing for 48th time on AVP Tour and 85th time overall (11 AVP wins)

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	2	3	540	\$7,000.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	2	5	630	\$6,200.00
AVP	9/15-16/2018	Hawaii Invitational	2	1	0	\$20,000.00
AVP	8/30-9/2/2018	AVP Gold Series The Championships	1	7	666	\$5,700.00
AVP	8/16-19/2018	AVP Gold Series Manhattan Beach	1	1	1350	\$24,000.00

Dalhausser / Lucena New York City matches:

Fri, 6/7/2019	Winner 1	Paul Lotman / Gabriel Ospina (15, Q15)	Won 21-19, 21-17	
Fri, 6/7/2019	Winner 2	Billy Allen / Stafford Slick (10)	Won 21-19, 21-15	
Sat, 6/8/2019	Winner 3	Jeremy Casebeer / Chaim Schalk (3)	Won 21-15, 21-13	
Sun, 6/9/2019	Semi-Finals	Taylor Crabb / Jake Gibb (1)	Won 23-25, 21-16, 18-16	1:23

- Since reuniting in 2015, they have been in the finals of 14 of the 21 AVP events (including New York City), winning 10 times... Of the 6 events in which they did not play in the championship, they have forfeited 3 times (Huntington Beach 2016, Manhattan Beach 2016, New York 2017)... Last season the pair had a 26-4 match record on the AVP while in 2019 entering the New York City finals they are 9-3 (2-2 in third sets this season)
- The duo has played 3 times in New York City (the only times either player has competed here), winning in 2016 and 2018 while finishing 9th in 2017 after forfeiting as Lucena's wife went into labor with their second child

Phil Dalhausser - age 39 - 6'9" - hometown Baden, Switzerland - currently Manhattan Beach, Calif. - Central Florida

- This is Dalhausser's 136th AVP event, winning 56 titles (plus 38 FIVB wins and 1 NVL victory)... he has 19 seconds, 20 thirds and 1 fourth... he has now been in the finals in 76 of his 136 AVP tournaments (56%)
- Dalhausser is 56-19 (75%) in AVP championship matches (42-10 with Todd Rogers, 11-4 with Nick Lucena, 2-4 with Sean Rosenthal, and 1-1 in individual events)
- Since winning in Austin in 2005, Dalhausser has won at least one title (AVP or FIVB) in each of the past 14 seasons (through 2018)

Nick Lucena - age 39 - 6'1" - hometown Davie, Fla. - currently Tallahassee, Fla. - Florida State

- Lucena is playing in his 139th AVP Tournament, with 13 wins (plus 9 FIVB wins and 1 NVL victory)
- Lucena is 13-18 in AVP championship matches (11-4 with Phil Dalhausser, 1-2 with Theo Brunner, 1-2 with Matt Fuerbringer, 0-6 with Sean Scott, 0-3 with Ryan Doherty, 0-1 with Brad Keenan)
- Lucena has the second longest streak of reaching the semifinals (having done so at least once each year since 2007)

Dalhausser / Lucena New York City Event Stats:

Player	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	Hitting Pct.	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	Service Errors
Phil Dalhausser	78	51	10	.526	21	4	10	14
Nick Lucena	118	59	23	.305	1	42	7	10

General AVP Championship Notes

- 17 of the last 19 AVP championships have been won by the team winning the first set... the 2 exceptions were both in Manhattan Beach (2017 and 2018)
- The higher (better) seeded team has won each of the last 6 AVP title matches
- Beginning with Austin 2018, 6 of the last 10 AVP titles have gone to the team seeded #1 in the event... in that span the #1 seed is 6-1 in championship matches
- Since the start of the 2017 season, only 1 team has won a title that has been seeded 7th or lower (in Chicago 2017, #7 Ryan Doherty / John Hyden)

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Bomgren / Field are playing for 3rd time on AVP Tour and 3rd time overall... they finished 3rd in their first 2 events

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AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	5	3	540	\$7,000.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	7	3	756	\$8,400.00

• Bomgren / Field have a 13-5 match record in 2019 entering the New York finals... 5 of their wins have come against teams seeded 4th or better

Tim Bomgren – age 32 – 6'4" – hometown Woodbury, Minn. – currently Golden Valley, Minn. – Wisconsin-Eau Claire

- Bomgren is playing in his 39th AVP tournament, with a best of 2nd twice (Austin 2018 with Taylor Crabb and Chicago 2018 with Chaim Schalk)
- In the last open event of 2018, in Chicago, Bomgren and Chaim Schalk had to play each of the top four seeds (defeated #1 and #3, lost to #2 and #4)... then in the 2019 season opener Bomgren and Field had to face 3 of the top 4 seeds (defeated #3 and #4, lost to #2)... in Austin 2019 Bomgren and Field played 3 times against top 4 seeds (defeated #3, lost twice to #4)... in New York the championship match marks the 3rd time Bomgren will play a match against a team seeded 4th or better (defeated #3 and #3)
- Bomgren advanced to 1 AVP semifinal in his first 29 AVP tournaments (28 of those came with younger brother Brian), then since the start of 2018 he played in 6 AVP semifinals in his 10 events with 4 different partners

<u>Troy Field – age 25 – 6'4" – hometown Laguna Beach, Calif. – currently Mission Viejo, Calif. – Saddleback Community College</u>

- Field is playing in his 12th AVP Tournament, with a best of 3rd in both of the 2019 events (Huntington Beach and Austin with Tim Bomgren)... prior to that his best was 9th 3 times
- In 2017-18 Field had won 7 main draw matches, and 5 of them came against teams that advanced from the qualifier... The other 2 wins came versus the #10 seed in Austin and #18 seed in Manhattan Beach... then in the first three events of 2019 he chalked up 13 wins, including 5 wins over top 4 seeds

Bomgren / Field New York City Matches:

Fri, 6/7/2019	Winner 1	Billy Allen / Stafford Slick (10)	Lost 14-21, 21-14, 10-15
Sat, 6/8/2019	Contender 1	Paul Lotman / Gabriel Ospina (15, Q15)	Won 21-14, 22-20
Sat, 6/8/2019	Contender 2	Theo Brunner / Reid Priddy (4)	Won 21-19, 21-16
Sat, 6/8/2019	Contender 3	Tri Bourne / Trevor Crabb (9)	Won 21-17, 21-19
Sun, 6/9/2019	Contender 4	Jeremy Casebeer / Chaim Schalk (3)	Won 21-18, 21-16
Sun, 6/9/2019	Semi-Finals	Sean Rosenthal / Ricardo Santos (12)	Won 21-19, 21-19

Bomgren / Field New York City Event Stats:

Player	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	Hitting Pct.	Blocks	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	Service Errors
Tim Bomgren	152	87	20	0.441	1	55	9	8
Troy Field	120	73	26	0.392	20	10	11	27

General AVP Championship Notes

Last event in Austin Taylor Crabb and Jake Gibb became just the second AVP team to ever lose its first match
and come back to win the tournament (only other time was Mike Lambert / Stein Metzger in Huntington Beach
2007... now Bomgren and Field have a chance to duplicate that feat

Head to Head Results - Dalhausser / Lucena won the only previous meeting between the teams

Date	Tour	Tournament	Round	Winning Team	Seed	Losing Team	Seed	Score	Time
5/3/19	AVP	Huntington Beach Open	Winner 3	Dalhausser/Lucena	2	Bomgren/Field	7	21-18, 21-17	0:46