



THE BOARD NEWSLETTER



Community Warriors



To honor the life of Martin Luther King Jr., the Santa Cruz Warriors, in partnership with the Homeless Garden Project and Awe Sum Organics, partook in a day of service. Warriors players Terrence Drisdorn, James Southerland, and Cleanthony Early and Assistant General Manager Ryan Atkinson joined volunteers at the Homeless Garden Project Farm to complete winter farm tasks. The players also led a community conversation about how King's life and teachings have played personal roles in their own lives and how his legacy can continue to impact our communities. The conversation touched on the unique challenges they face, our shared responsibility to create change, and meaningful ways we can work together to build stronger and safer communities for all.

GET TO KNOW YOUR WARRIORS

Chris Obekpa



Birthday: November 14
College: UNLV
Celebrity Crush: Rihanna
Favorite Dessert: Chocolate Ice Cream
Favorite thing about Santa Cruz: The beach is right there! It's the best place to go to relax.

Alex Hamilton



Birthday: October 5
Hometown: Louisiana Tech
Celebrity Crush: Ashanti
Favorite Dessert: Pretzel Salad, Especially when my friend's mom makes it
Favorite thing about Santa Cruz: The fans that come to support us every game night

PLAYER TRANSACTIONS



Kevon Looney: The Golden State Warriors assigned forward Kevon Looney on Jan. 13, and was in uniform for Santa Cruz's home game against the Salt Lake City Stars. Looney has appeared in 30 games (3 starts) with Golden State this season, averaging 2.8 points and 2.5 rebounds in 8.5 minutes of play. On his first assignment from Golden State this season, Looney notched a double-double, finishing with 18 points and 20 rebounds.

Patrick McCaw: The Golden State Warriors assigned rookie guard Patrick McCaw on Jan. 13, and was in uniform for Santa Cruz's game against the Salt Lake City Stars. McCaw, who was previously assigned to Santa Cruz, has appeared in 30 games (1 start) with Golden State this season, averaging 2.6 points and 1.0 rebounds in 11.5 minutes. On his last assignment, McCaw contributed 10 points and 5 assists.

Damian Jones: The Golden State Warriors assigned rookie center Damian Jones on Jan. 5, and was in uniform for Santa Cruz's last 6 games. Jones has appeared in 11 games (4 starts) with Santa Cruz this season, averaging 5.6 points, 5.7 rebounds and 1.55 blocks in 22.0 minutes of play.

RECENT GAMES RECAP

Jan. 6 – The Dubs fell to the Grand Rapids Drive 126-124. LaDontae Henton scored a team-high 26 points, while Dennis Clifford notched 20 points and 8 rebounds. Phil Pressey added a double-double with 17 points, 12 assists and 7 rebounds.

Jan. 8 – The Warriors defeated the Austin Spurs 111-108 in overtime in a back-and-forth battle that saw 14 lead changes and 12 times. Phil Pressey notched 27 points and 5 rebounds, including an 8-point overtime performance that sealed the win for Santa Cruz.

Jan. 9 – Santa Cruz fell to the Rio Grande Valley Vipers 155-148. The Warriors were paced by Alex Hamilton who came off the bench to score 35 points, shooting 79% from the field, to lead all scorers.

Jan. 11 – The Dubs defeated the Canton Charge 109-105 as the Santa Cruz bench outscored Canton's reserves 57-12 en route to snapping their 6-game win streak. Alex Hamilton led the Warriors with 22 points, 5 assists and 5 boards.

Jan. 13 – The Warriors defeated the Salt Lake City Stars 113-104. James Southerland led all scorers with 29 points and 5 rebounds off the bench. Kevon Looney, on assignment from Golden State, notched a double-double with 18 points and 20 rebounds.

Jan. 14 – The Sea Dubs fell to the Stars 102-94, splitting the back-to-back series 1-1. The Warriors were paced by Dennis Clifford who led all scorers with 26 points and 8 rebounds.



UPCOMING GAMES

Our Sea Dubs are in Mississauga, Ontario for the 2017 NBA D-League Showcase! They will face the Oklahoma City Blue on Thursday, Jan. 19 at 5:30 p.m. PST on NBATV. They will play one more showcase match-up on Saturday, Jan. 21 against the Texas Legends at 7:00 a.m. PST to be broadcast on Facebook Live.

2017 SHOWCASE MATCHUPS
 LIVE FROM MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO

 THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 2017 5:30 PM LIVE ON:	 SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2017 7:00 AM LIVE ON:
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