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REIGN FC CLINCHES PLAYOFF BERTH WITH 1-0 WIN OVER ORLANDO PRIDE ON SUNDAY AT LUMEN FIELD

Bugg scores second-half game-winner to secure final spot in 2026 NWSL Playoffs; Reign FC travels to Sports Illustrated Stadium to face Gotham FC in the quarterfinals on Sunday, November 8 (9:30 a.m. PT / ABC, ESPN Deportes)

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SEATTLE, WASH. – Reign FC (14-11-5, 47 points) clinched the final spot in the 2026 NWSL Playoffs with a 1-0 victory over the Orlando Pride (11-16-3, 36 points) on Sunday at Lumen Field. In Jess Fishlock's final regular season home match, Jordyn Bugg

scored the game-winning goal in the second half to secure all three points and send Seattle to the postseason.

Reign FC now travels to Sports Illustrated Stadium to face Gotham FC in the NWSL quarterfinals on Sunday, November 8 (9:30 a.m. PT / ABC, ESPN Deportes).

MEDIA RESOURCES

PHOTOS – IMAGES FOR MEDIA USE

VIDEO – MATCH HIGHLIGHTS

VIDEO – HEAD COACH LAURA HARVEY POST-MATCH PRESS CONFERENCE

VIDEO – JORDYN BUGG & JESS FISHLOCK POST-MATCH PRESS CONFERENCE

MATCH NOTES

- **A NEW XI:** Reign FC fielded its 24th unique starting XI across 30 matches this season, continuing to showcase the club's depth. Seattle made changes from its scoreless draw against Utah Royals FC on October 23, with Madison Curry and Mia Fishel entering the starting lineup in place of Ryanne Brown and Emeri Adames.

- **LOUD LUMEN:** Today's attendance of 16,095 marked Reign FC's highest-attended match of the 2026 season and third-highest standalone regular-season attendance in club history. Fishlock also started in the club's inaugural home match on May 4, 2013, when Seattle hosted FC Kansas City at Starfire Stadium in front of 2,618 fans.

- **PLAYOFF BOUND:** With today's 1-0 victory over the Orlando Pride, Reign FC clinched its ninth NWSL Playoffs appearance in club history and seventh under Head Coach Laura Harvey.

- **JORDYN BUGG:** Jordyn Bugg scored the game-winning goal in the 68th minute, marking her second goal of the season and fifth of her NWSL career.

- **CLAUDIA DICKEY:** Claudia Dickey recorded her ninth shutout of the season, extending her single-season career high.

- **JESS FISHLOCK:** In her final NWSL regular-season match, Jess Fishlock finished her career as Reign FC's all-time leader in regular-season goals (52) and assists (31), while ranking second in appearances (232) and starts (212).

- **SERIES:** With today's result, Seattle now holds an all-time record of 9-6-8 against the Orlando Pride across all competitions.

- **UP NEXT:** Reign FC (14-11-5, 47 points) travels to Sports Illustrated Stadium to face 2026 NWSL Shield winners Gotham FC (18-5-7, 61 points) in the NWSL quarterfinals on Sunday, November 8 (9:30 a.m. PT / ABC, ESPN Deportes).

MATCH SUMMARY

Seattle Reign FC 1 – Orlando Pride 0
Sunday, November 1, 2026

Venue: Lumen Field
Referee: Calin Radosav
Assistants: Alicia Messer, Ethan Buege
Fourth Official: Adorae Monroy
VAR: Anya Voigt
Attendance: 16,095
Weather: 51 degrees and cloudy

SCORING SUMMARY

SEA – Jordyn Bugg (Mia Fishel) 68'

MISCONDUCT SUMMARY

None

LINEUPS & STATS

Seattle Reign FC – Claudia Dickey; Sofia Huerta, Phoebe McClernon, Jordyn Bugg Madison Curry; Jess Fishlock © (Sally Menti 82'), Ainsley McCammon, Sam Meza; Maddie Mercado (Ryanne Brown 89'), Mia Fishel (Brittany Ratcliffe 74'), Nerilia Mondesir (Angharad James-Turner 89')

Substitutes not used: Cassie Miller, Emeri Adames, Holly Ward, Emily Mason, Shae Holmes

Total shots: 18
Shots on goal: 5
Fouls: 8
Offside: 1
Corner-kicks: 9
Saves: 0

Orlando Pride – Cosette Morché; Hailie Mace (Summer Yates 61’), Cori Dyke (Zara Chavoshi 61’), Oihane, Hannah Anderson (Kylie Nadaner 73’); Haley McCutcheon, Angelina, Jacquie Ovalle (Kerry Abello 61’); Ally Lemos, Marta © (Julie Doyle 78’), Solai Washington

Substitutes not used: Cara Martin, McKinley Crone, Rafaelle, Luana

Total shots: 8
Shots on goal: 0
Fouls: 11
Offside: 0
Corner-kicks: 6
Saves: 3

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