

POST GAME QUOTES
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LAFC VS. Portland Timbers



JESUS MURILLO
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via translator

Re: On the game and the challenges the team faced.

“It was a tough game. They have great players and it was going to be a tough match. First half, we did well I believe. We closed a lot of their spaces, stopping lines and stopping counterattacks. Second half, they find two goals out of nowhere. [That] definitely made it harder for us but we maintained our intensity and I think we were rewarded with the third goal.”

Re: On the reason why he and Maxime Chanot were so involved in the passing patterns today.

“I think overall it’s about being patient. We knew that they would hold back and wait. We had to be patient and hold the ball. We worked on it this week, transitioning the ball from side to side, looking for space and then capitalizing on the space and putting the ball forward.”

Re: On the what the team needs to do to win home games more convincingly.

“It’s tough. Teams know our style so they know how to play against us but we’ll find the moments. We’ll continue creating chances in order for us to create that fortress that we were at home. It’s all about remaining patient, including for attackers, because attackers build confidence off scoring goals. So it’s just about being patient, everything will come and we’ll get back to the same level.”