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It is Showtime for Dominicans Recio and Adames

BOCA CHICA, Dominican Republic, April 7, 2012 – Dominican Republic's German Recio and Luis Adames scored two major upsets on their way to the semifinals of the Boca Chica Men's Beach Volleyball Tournament by Presidente, the third stage of the 2012 NORCECA Circuit.

The Dominican pair first defeated Canada's Martin Reader and Josh Binstock in three sets (15-21, 21-18, 15-9) and followed with a 21-19, 21-19 triumph over Evan Engle and Stafford Slick of USA. The others semifinalists via de the winners' bracket were Puerto Rico-1 team of Erick Haddock and Pablo Guzman who edged compatriots Roberto Rodriguez and Orlando Irizarry of Puerto Rico-2 in three sets (21-14, 17-21, 15-11).

Rodriguez/Irizarry and Reader/Binstock completed the semifinalists in the double-elimination event via the losers' bracket. Rodriguez/Irizarry saw off Guatemala's Andy Leonardo/Erick Garrido 2-0 (21-19, 21-13) while Reader/Binstock eliminated Engle/Slick following wins over the representatives of Trinidad and Tobago and El Salvador.

In the women's side, Puerto Rico's Yarleen Santiago and Yamileska Yantin will play against Mexico's Vanessa Virgen and Martha Revuelta in one of the women's semifinals of the Boca Chica Beach Volleyball



Tournament by Presidente on Sunday.

The other semifinal features the clash between Canada's Jamie Broder and Kristina Valjas and Costa Rica's Ingrid Morales and Natalia Alfaro.

The teams of Puerto Rico, Mexico and Costa Rica won their pool matches on early Saturday before prevailing in the quarterfinals phase.

Santiago/Yantin defeated El Salvador's Diana Romero and Marcela Avalos 21-10, 21-14, Virgen/Revuelta won 21-14, 21-16 over Kaitlin Sather and Jessica Gysin of USA, Morales Alfaro defeated Dominican Republic's Diana Peguero and Nairobi Agramonte and Broder/Valjas downed Stefany Bolaños and Lourdes Ramirez of Guatemala 21-9, 21-14.

Men's Results Saturday

PUR-2 d. GUA 2-0 (25-23, 21-17), DOM d. CAN 2-1 (15-21, 21-18, 15-9), JAM d. GRN 2-0 (21-16, 21-11), ESA d. BAH 2-0 (21-13, 21-17), GUA d. ANT 2-0 (21-1, 21-11), CAN d. TRI 2-0 (21-14, 21-6), PUR-1 d. PUR-2 2-1 (21-14, 17-21, 15-11), DOM-2 d. USA 2-0 (21-19, 21-19), CAN d. ESA 2-0 (21-13, 21-11), GUA d. JAM 2-0 (21-15, 21-12), CAN d. USA 2-0 (21-17, 21-17), PUR-2 d. GUA 2-0 (21-19, 21-13). Semifinals: PUR-1 v CAN, DOM v PUR-2.

Women's Results Saturday

Pool A: USA d. DOM-1 2-0 (21-7, 21-5). Pool B: PUR d. GUA 2-0 (21-14, 21-8), CRC d. VIN 2-0 (21-9, 21-15). Pool C: MEX d. DOM-2 2-0 (21-13, 21-11), ESA d. ISV 2-0 (21-16, 21-17). Quarterfinals: CAN d. GUA 2-0 (21-9, 21-14), MEX d. USA 2-0 (21-14, 21-16), CRC d. DOM-2 2-0 (21-14, 21-9), PUR d. ESA 2-0 (21-10, 21-14). Semifinals: CAN v CRC, PUR v MEX.



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