

UNDER 23 MEN PAN AMERICAN CUP
La Habana, Cuba
July 9-17, 2023



BOLETIN NUMERO 4
13 DE JULIO DEL 2023





Calendario y Formato de Competencia

Competition Format and Match Schedule

ROUND ROBIN											
No.	Date	Time	Teams			Set	Result per set (points)				
							1	2	3	4	5
1	July 11, 2023	10:00	CHI	vs	NCA	3-0	23-25	25-21	25-17	26-24	
2	July 11, 2023	12:00	PER	vs	CUB	2-3	19-25	25-20	12-25	25-21	7-15
3	July 11, 2023	14:00	MEX	vs	DOM	0-3	0-25	0-25	0-25		
4	July 12, 2023	10:00	MEX	vs	PER	0-3	0-25	0-25	0-25		
5	July 12, 2023	12:00	CUB	vs	NCA	3-0	25-16	25-16	25-14		
6	July 12, 2023	14:00	DOM	vs	CHI	3-0	25-18	25-17	25-20		
7	July 13, 2023	10:00	PER	vs	DOM	1-3	11-25	23-25	25-23	21-25	
8	July 13, 2023	12:00	CHI	vs	CUB	0-3	17-25	21-25	20-25		
9	July 13, 2023	14:00	NCA	vs	MEX	3-0	25-0	25-0	25-0		
10	July 14, 2023	10:00	PER	vs	CHI						
11	July 14, 2023	12:00	CUB	vs	MEX						
12	July 14, 2023	14:00	DOM	vs	NCA						
13	July 15, 2023	10:00	NCA	vs	PER						
14	July 15, 2023	12:00	DOM	vs	CUB						
15	July 15, 2023	14:00	CHI	vs	MEX						

FINALS											
NO.	Date	TIME	Teams			Set	Result per set (points)				
							1	2	3	4	5
16	July 16, 2023	07.30	5th	vs	6th	0-0					
17	July 16, 2023	09.30	3rd	vs	4th						
18	July 16, 2023	12.30	1st	vs	2nd	0-0					

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JULY 9, 2023	07:30 09:00 10:30 12:00 13:30 15:00 16:30		CHI PER MEX	07:30 09:00 12:00 13:30 15:00 16:30 18:00	NCA CUB DOM														
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JULY 14, 2023	07:30 09:00		DOM	07:30 09:00	NCA														
	17:30 19:00 20:30	PER VS CHI (10:00) CUB VS MEX (12:00) DOM VS NCA (14:00)	PER CUB	17:30 19:00 20:30	CHI MEX														
JULY 15, 2023	07:30 09:00		CHI	07:30 09:00	MEX														
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JULY 16, 2023	07:30 09:30 12:30	5TH VS 6TH (10:00) 3RD VS 4TH (12:00) 1ST VS 2ND (14:00)		07:30 09:00															

NORCECA
 Volleyball Confederation
 General Manager

Match: 7 **Date:** 13/07/2023 **Spectators:** 100
City: Habana
Hall: Ciudad Deportiva
Match duration: **Start:** 10:00 **End:** 12:15 **Total:** 2:15

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
PER	1	11	23	25	21		80
DOM	3	25	25	23	25		98
Duration:		0:21	0:27	0:29	0:40		1:57

Referees:

PER - Peru														
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.	
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5		
1	VERTIZ	OH											1	1
2	Blanco	OH	2	3	2	3		8	3	4			15	
3	La Jara	MB	6	1	6	1		1	1	4			6	
6	La Torre (C)	S	1	2	1	2		1					1	
7	GUSHIKEN	S												
10	Despaigne	OH	5	6	5	6		4	4	5	4		17	
11	Bustamante	S	6		6	6				3			3	
12	Balcazar	OH	2					2					2	
18	Chicoma	S	4	5	4	5		4	1	5	2		12	
19	LUJAN	OP		18		21		1	2				3	
21	ÑIQUEN	MB	3	4	3	4		2	3				5	
25	MORON (L)	L	L	L	L	L								

Coach: Juan Carlos Gala Rodriguez
Assistant: Recavarren Herrera Diego Francisco

DOM - Dominican Republic													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Figueroa	OP	5	4	5	4		4	7	4	10		25
2	Castillo	OH	3	2	3	2		3	1	1	1		6
3	Rojas	OP		14	13								
4	Torres	MB											
5	Ortiz V.	MB	1	6	1	6		5	3	4	3		15
6	Soliman (L)	L	L	L	L	L							
8	Ortiz	S		1					1				1
9	Gomez	OH											
12	Pepe (C)	OH				5							
13	Molina	OH	6	5	6	5		2	4	2	1		9
14	Ramirez	S	2	1	2	1		2	1	1			4
15	Rosario	MB	4	3	4	3		2	3	2	1		8

Coach: José Dante Aristides Mañon Torres
Assistant: Lerebours Francisco Jose

TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No Name
54	125	Total Team
16	46	10 Despaigne
12	27	2 Blanco
10	22	18 Chicoma
6	28	Total Team
2	3	2 Blanco
2	6	3 La Jara
1	2	11 Bustamante
5	81	Total Team
2	13	18 Chicoma
1	11	2 Blanco
1	11	6 La Torre
8		Total Team
80	234	Total Team

17	64	10 Despaigne
15	41	2 Blanco
12	36	18 Chicoma

Scoring Skills
Attack
Block
Serve
Opp. error
Total

Best scorers		
25	51	1 Figueroa
15	36	5 Ortiz V.
9	50	13 Molina

Won Points	Total Atts	No Name
48	91	Total Team
23	31	1 Figueroa
8	13	5 Ortiz V.
6	21	13 Molina
16	49	Total Team
7	19	5 Ortiz V.
3	11	13 Molina
3	5	14 Ramirez
4	91	Total Team
2	16	2 Castillo
1	17	1 Figueroa
1	1	8 Ortiz
21		Total Team
98	231	Total Team

25	51	1 Figueroa
15	36	5 Ortiz V.
9	50	13 Molina

■ Starting line-up with position Atts = Attempts (C) = Captain MB = Middle blocker S = Setter
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Match: 8 **Date:** 13/07/2023 **Spectators:** 220
City: Habana
Hall: Ciudad Deportiva
Match duration: **Start:** 12:00 **End:** 14:18 **Total:** 1:38

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
CHI	0	17	21	20			58
CUB	3	25	25	25			75
Duration:		0:38	0:26	0:27			1:31

Referees:

CHI - Chile													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Matus	S	1	6	1			1	2				3
2	Espinoza	S											
5	Valenzuela	OH	6	6	2					2	1		3
6	Ruiz	OH	2	1				1					1
7	Gei	OP	4	3	4			3	4	7			14
8	Carreño	OP											
9	Rafaeli	MB	3	2	3								
11	Villarroel	MB		9	5								
13	Quidel (L)	L	L	L	L								
14	Urra	MB	6	5	6			2	1				3
15	San Martin	OH			9								
21	Fuentes (C)	OH	5	4	5			3	4	1			8

Coach: Villareal Ivan
Assistant: Orellana León Cristobal

CUB - Cuba													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Chirino (C)	S	1	1	1			1	2				3
2	Mc Kentochi	S	9	9									
3	Wilson	MB			6						2		2
4	Camino	OH	2	2	2			1	4	5			10
6	Marti	MB	1		5			1		5			6
8	Lawrence (L)	L	L	L	L								
9	Gonzalez	OP	4	4				3	7	1			11
10	Thiago	MB	6	6	4			2		6			8
11	Perez	MB	3	3				3	3				6
12	Gomez	OH	5	5				6	3				9
14	Valle	OP		1						1			1
17	Contreras	MB			3								

Coach: Jesus Angel Cruz Lopez
Assistant: Izquierdo Perez Mario Raul

TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
23	57	Total Team	
11	24	7	Gei
6	12	21	Fuentes
3	11	5	Valenzuela
5	22	Total Team	
2	4	21	Fuentes
1	2	1	Matus
1	4	7	Gei
4	59	Total Team	
2	9	7	Gei
1	12	1	Matus
1	8	14	Urra
26		Total Team	
58	138	Total Team	

Scoring Skills
Attack
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Opp. error
Total
Best scorers

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
38	66	Total Team	
10	16	9	Gonzalez
8	12	10	Thiago
7	12	4	Camino
11	32	Total Team	
4	5	12	Gomez
2	3	1	Chirino
2	2	3	Wilson
7	72	Total Team	
3	16	4	Camino
1	12	1	Chirino
1	4	6	Marti
19		Total Team	
75	170	Total Team	
11	26	9	Gonzalez
10	31	4	Camino
9	20	12	Gomez

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MATCHES RESULTS

Round robin

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
1	11-Jul-2023	CHI - NCA	3-1	23-25	25-21	25-17	26-24		99-87	2:07	150
2	11-Jul-2023	PER - CUB	2-3	19-25	25-20	12-25	25-21	7-15	88-106	2:01	200
3	11-Jul-2023	MEX - DOM	0-3	0-25	0-25	0-25			-75		
4	12-Jul-2023	MEX - PER	0-3	0-25	0-25	0-25			-75		
5	12-Jul-2023	CUB - NCA	3-0	25-16	25-16	25-14			75-46	1:20	100
6	12-Jul-2023	DOM - CHI	3-0	25-18	25-17	25-20			75-55	1:26	100
7	13-Jul-2023	PER - DOM	1-3	11-25	23-25	25-23	21-25		80-98	2:15	100
8	13-Jul-2023	CHI - CUB	0-3	17-25	21-25	20-25			58-75	1:38	220
9	13-Jul-2023	NCA - MEX	3-0	25-0	25-0	25-0			75-		

TEAM RANKING

Round robin

Rk	Code	Team	Matches				Pts	Results details						Sets			Points		
			W	L	T			3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio
1	CUB	Cuba	4	0	4	18	3	0	1	0	0	0	12	2	6.000	331	192	1.723	
2	DOM	Dominican Republic	3	0	3	14	2	1	0	0	0	0	9	1	9.000	248	135	1.837	
3	CHI	Chile	2	2	4	9	1	1	0	0	0	2	6	7	0.857	287	237	1.210	
4	PER	Peru	1	2	3	8	1	0	0	1	1	0	6	6	1.000	243	204	1.191	
5	NCA	Nicaragua	1	2	3	6	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	6	0.666	208	174	1.195	
6	MEX	Mexico	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	15	0.000	0	375	0.000	



Best Scorers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	40	7	11	58
2	1	Figueroa Lantigua Adrian Jose	OP	DOM	41	3	4	48
3	7	Gei Ian	OP	CHI	37	4	4	45
4	21	Fuentes Rafael	OH	CHI	33	4	2	39
5	10	Suarez Mendoza Thiago	MB	CUB	25	5	5	35
6	10	Despaigne Leonel	OH	PER	29	2	2	33
7	2	Blanco Sebastian	OH	PER	25	5	2	32
8	6	Ruiz Josue	OH	CHI	27	1	3	31
9	5	Ortiz Valdez Moises Alexander	MB	DOM	18	12	0	30
10	4	Camino Martinez Bryan	OH	CUB	19	2	8	29
11	12	Gomez Reyes Jose Ramon	OH	CUB	15	5	8	28
12	13	Molina Rodriguez Ronny Albert	OH	DOM	16	5	0	21
13	6	Gonzalez Marti Yusniel	MB	CUB	11	3	1	15
18		Chicoma Flores Gerardo	S	PER	13	0	2	15
15	14	Urra Guillermo	MB	CHI	11	2	1	14
	2	Castillo Erisandy	OH	DOM	11	0	3	14
15		Rosario Adames Luther Hadasher	MB	DOM	12	2	0	14
	5	Pacheco Guzman Yesdy Adriel	OH	NCA	14	0	0	14
	7	Leon Barahona Yader Josue	OH	NCA	13	0	1	14
	13	Garcia Yerick Fabian	OP	NCA	11	1	2	14
21	5	Valenzuela Felipe	OH	CHI	13	0	0	13
22	11	Suarez Perez Angel	MB	CUB	7	4	1	12
23	8	Gomez Mejía Gerald Lennin	MB	NCA	8	3	0	11
24	3	Wilson Velazquez Alexis	MB	CUB	7	3	0	10
	19	Lujan Flores Andrew	OP	PER	8	2	0	10
26	1	Matus Francisco	S	CHI	2	2	5	9
	3	La Jara Santiago	MB	PER	7	2	0	9
	21	Ñiquen León Luis Sebastian	MB	PER	8	1	0	9
29	14	Ramirez Dacay Luke Harrison	S	DOM	1	6	1	8
	3	Hernandez Navarro Rafael Francisco	MB	NCA	5	2	1	8
31	1	Chirino Callam Adrian	S	CUB	0	4	3	7
32	9	Espinoza Melendez Denis Benjamin	OH	NCA	3	1	2	6
33	9	Rafaeli Goran	MB	CHI	3	1	0	4
	11	Bustamante Marcelo	S	PER	2	1	1	4
35	11	Villarroel Esteban	MB	CHI	0	1	2	3
	2	Mc Kentochi Gordon Jonathan	S	CUB	2	1	0	3
	14	Valle Garcia Brayan Francisco	OP	CUB	3	0	0	3
	1	Cruz Alvarez Victor Ariel	OP	NCA	3	0	0	3
	12	Porras Balcazar Piero Alonso	OH	PER	3	0	0	3
40	17	Contreras Acosta Jakdiel	MB	CUB	2	0	0	2
	6	Castillo Jimenez Cristhoper Arian	S	NCA	1	1	0	2
	10	Blandon Casco Josue David	OH	NCA	1	0	1	2
	12	Palacios Bermudez Felix Jose	MB	NCA	1	1	0	2
	6	La Torre Uesugui Hiroshi	S	PER	0	0	2	2
45	8	Ortiz Polanco Eliecer Alexander	S	DOM	0	0	1	1
	9	Gomez Cuello Elixander Antonio	OH	DOM	1	0	0	1
	1	Vertiz Salgado Edgar	OH	PER	1	0	0	1
Total tournament					513	99	79	691



Best Attackers

Limit: 15.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	1	Figueroa Lantigua Adrian Jose	OP	DOM	41	4	12	57	71.93
2	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	40	15	6	61	65.57
3	5	Ortiz Valdez Moises Alexander	MB	DOM	18	1	10	29	62.07
4	10	Suarez Mendoza Thiago	MB	CUB	25	8	9	42	59.52
5	21	Fuentes Rafael	OH	CHI	33	11	20	64	51.56
6	2	Blanco Sebastian	OH	PER	25	13	13	51	49.02
7	7	Gei Ian	OP	CHI	37	16	27	80	46.25
8	6	Ruiz Josue	OH	CHI	27	16	18	61	44.26
9	13	Molina Rodriguez Ronny Albert	OH	DOM	16	4	17	37	43.24
10	5	Pacheco Guzman Yesdy Adriel	OH	NCA	14	6	14	34	41.18
Total tournament					513	205	351	1,069	47.99



Best Blockers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	5	Ortiz Valdez Moises Alexander	MB	DOM	12	14	9	35	1.20
2	14	Ramirez Dacay Luke Harrison	S	DOM	6	5	1	12	0.60
3	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	7	4	3	14	0.50
	13	Molina Rodriguez Ronny Albert	OH	DOM	5	7	3	15	0.50
5	2	Blanco Sebastian	OH	PER	5	1	0	6	0.42
6	10	Suarez Mendoza Thiago	MB	CUB	5	8	3	16	0.36
	12	Gomez Reyes Jose Ramon	OH	CUB	5	3	0	8	0.36
8	7	Gei Ian	OP	CHI	4	6	6	16	0.31
	21	Fuentes Rafael	OH	CHI	4	10	4	18	0.31
10	1	Figueroa Lantigua Adrian Jose	OP	DOM	3	1	1	5	0.30
Total tournament					99	190	93	382	1.34



Best Servers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	11	11	16	38	0.79
2	4	Camino Martinez Bryan	OH	CUB	8	8	31	47	0.57
	12	Gomez Reyes Jose Ramon	OH	CUB	8	13	8	29	0.57
4	1	Figueroa Lantigua Adrian Jose	OP	DOM	4	2	25	31	0.40
5	1	Matus Francisco	S	CHI	5	2	33	40	0.38
6	10	Suarez Mendoza Thiago	MB	CUB	5	5	18	28	0.36
7	7	Gei Ian	OP	CHI	4	10	19	33	0.31
8	2	Castillo Erisandy	OH	DOM	3	1	28	32	0.30
9	6	Ruiz Josue	OH	CHI	3	3	27	33	0.23
10	1	Chirino Callam Adrian	S	CUB	3	6	32	41	0.21
Total tournament					79	129	722	930	1.07



Best Diggers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	8	Lawrence Santana Yumichael Anthony	L	CUB	30	2	2	34	2.14
2	13	Quidel Mansilla Juan Jose Antonio	L	CHI	16	6	5	27	1.23
3	6	Soliman De La Cruz Carlos Manuel	L	DOM	12	5	6	23	1.20
4	2	Castillo Erisandy	OH	DOM	11	5	3	19	1.10
5	14	Peralta Valdez Osmar Antonio	L	NCA	10	7	2	19	1.00
6	10	Despaigne Leonel	OH	PER	11	5	3	19	0.92
	25	Moron Flores Jassir Antonio	L	PER	11	8	2	21	0.92
8	7	Leon Barahona Yader Josue	OH	NCA	9	0	1	10	0.90
9	6	La Torre Uesugui Hiroshi	S	PER	9	2	1	12	0.75
10	2	Blanco Sebastian	OH	PER	8	1	5	14	0.67
Total tournament					270	105	110	485	3.65



Best Setters

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	1	Chirino Callam Adrian	S	CUB	17	5	160	182	1.21
2	14	Ramirez Dacay Luke Harrison	S	DOM	9	2	129	140	0.90
3	1	Matus Francisco	S	CHI	11	7	193	211	0.85
4	6	La Torre Uesugui Hiroshi	S	PER	3	0	102	105	0.25
5	6	Gonzalez Marti Yusniel	MB	CUB	3	0	10	13	0.21
6	1	Cruz Alvarez Victor Ariel	OP	NCA	1	0	7	8	0.10
6	6	Castillo Jimenez Cristhoper Arian	S	NCA	1	3	89	93	0.10
8	9	Rafaeli Goran	MB	CHI	1	0	11	12	0.08
9	2	Mc Kentochi Gordon Jonathan	S	CUB	1	1	12	14	0.07
10		Suarez Mendoza Thiago	MB	CUB	1	0	8	9	0.07
Total tournament					48	21	841	910	0.65



Best Receivers

Limit: 20.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	2	Castillo Erisandy	OH	DOM	32	2	9	43	69.77
2	2	Blanco Sebastian	OH	PER	48	6	7	61	68.85
3	6	Soliman De La Cruz Carlos Manuel	L	DOM	24	3	5	32	65.63
4	21	Fuentes Rafael	OH	CHI	51	5	18	74	62.16
5	8	Lawrence Santana Yumichael Anthony	L	CUB	45	4	18	67	61.19
6	4	Camino Martinez Bryan	OH	CUB	23	1	12	36	61.11
7	10	Despaigne Leonel	OH	PER	28	3	12	43	58.14
8	13	Quidel Mansilla Juan Jose Antonio	L	CHI	32	4	15	51	54.90
9	6	Ruiz Josue	OH	CHI	33	6	14	53	50.94
10	25	Moron Flores Jassir Antonio	L	PER	26	6	13	45	44.44
Total tournament					476	79	247	802	49.50



Best Liberos

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	8	Lawrence Santana Yumichael Anthony	L	CUB	75	6	20	101	5.36
2	13	Quidel Mansilla Juan Jose Antonio	L	CHI	48	10	20	78	3.69
3	6	Soliman De La Cruz Carlos Manuel	L	DOM	36	8	11	55	3.60
4	25	Moron Flores Jassir Antonio	L	PER	37	14	15	66	3.08
5	14	Peralta Valdez Osmar Antonio	L	NCA	27	15	16	58	2.70
Total tournament					223	53	82	358	3.01



Third win in a row for Cuba at V U23 Men's Pan American Cup

HAVANA, Cuba, July 13, 2023.- Cuba defeated Chile in straight sets (25-17, 25-21, 25-20) in their third win in row, with only one match left against Dominican Republic on Saturday in the round-robin competition of the V U23 Méns Pan American Cup at Ciudad Deportiva.

On Friday, day four of the event, starting at 10:00 am the South American duel between Peru and Chile. The next match will be at 14 hours, an important match between Dominicans and Nicaraguans, if the Caribbeans win they will advance into the final and qualify to the 2025 Junior Pan American Games. Cuba has the day off because of Mexico's absence.

The reigning champions were superior to the young South Americans in every offensive skill with 38-23 in attacks, 11-5 in blocks and 7-4 in serves. However, the visitors committed fewer errors with 19 against 26 from the home team.

The well-built opposite hitter Alejandro Miguel Gonzalez of two meters and the outside hitter Bryan Camino (1.90m) scored double digits with 11 and 10 points respectively, as their coach had the opportunity to have all his players perform, benefiting his bench players.

With 14 points, Chilean Ian Gei was the leading scorer of the match, once again very active in his position as opposite.

Cuba, more stable and calmer, never lost control during the match, but the last set was similar, because their coach used most of his bench players, who were also committed to face any difficulties to close victorious.

Dominicans subdued Peru at Men's U23 Pan American Cup

Dominicans earned their second win against South Americans beating Peru in four sets (25-11, 25-23, 23-25, 25-21).

Dominicans, who swept Chile on Wednesday, once again hurt their opponents with blocking, a skill in which they had a 16 to 6 advantage, while the Peruvians numbers in attacks were better with a 54-48 advantage and a 5-4 in direct serves.

Dominican opposite Adrián José Figueroa with 25 points was the leading scorer in the match, while his teammate, the lean middle blocker Moisés Alexander Ortiz, of 2.04 meters, added 15 tallies, seven of them thanks to the containment from his walls (arms).

With double digits on the opponent's side, outside hitter Leonel Despaigne (17) and Sebastian Blanco (15), as well as setter Gerardo Chicoma (12).

Tercer éxito de Cuba al hilo en V Copa Panamericana Sub-23 Masculina

LA HABANA, Cuba, 13 de julio de 2023.- Cuba derrotó a Chile en parciales corridos (25-17, 25-21, 25-20) para sumar su tercer triunfo consecutivo cuando solo le resta el duelo contra los dominicanos el próximo sábado en la preliminar de todos contra todos de la V Copa Panamericana Sub-23 Masculina que transcurre en la Ciudad Deportiva.

Este viernes, en la cuarta jornada, será el duelo sudamericano entre Perú y Chile a partir de las 10:00 h. El siguiente será a las 14 horas, un importante choque entre dominicanos y nicaragüenses, pues el triunfo de los caribeños les garantiza avanzar a la final y de hecho clasifica a los Juegos Panamericanos Júnior de 2025. Cuba está libre por ausencia de México.

Los campeones defensores fueron superiores al joven elenco sudamericano en todos los departamentos ofensivos al lograr diferencia de 38-23 en ataque, 11-5 en muros y 7-4 en el servicio. Sin embargo, los visitantes cometieron menores errores propios con 19 por 26 los de casa.

El fornido opuesto Alejandro Miguel González de dos metros de talla y el jugador de esquina Bryan Camino (1.90 m) resultaron los que consiguieron doble dígitos con 11 y 10 puntos, respectivamente, por cuando su entrenador volvió a aprovechar para dar juego a todos sus pupilos, en beneficio principalmente para los muchachos de la banca.

Con 14 puntos fue el chileno Ian Gei el máximo anotador del encuentro, otra vez muy activo a tono con su función de opuesto.

Los cubanos, más estables y tranquilos, nunca perdieron el control del desafío, aunque en el último parcial accionaron más parejos, ya que su entrenador envió a cancha a la mayoría de los jugadores de la banca, también comprometidos a que si se complica el enfrentamiento tenían que buscar como cerrarlo victoriosos.

Dominicana rindió a Perú en Copa Panamericana Sub-23 Masculina

El equipo dominicano consiguió su segundo triunfo frente a los elencos sudamericanos al rendir este jueves a Perú en cuatro parciales (25-11, 25-23, 23-25, 25-21).

Los quisqueyanos, que el miércoles barrieron a Chile, volvieron a dañar a su rival con el bloqueo, fundamento en el cual lograron ventaja de 16 por 6, mientras en ataque los peruanos estuvieron mejor en los números con ventaja de 54-48 en ataque y 5-4 en tantos directos por saques.

El opuesto dominicano Adrián José Figueroa con 25 puntos se convirtió en el máximo anotador del partido, en tanto su compañero, el espigado central Moisés Alexander Ortiz, de 2,04 metros, agregó 15 tantos, siete de ellos gracias a la contención que propician sus muros.

Por los adversarios consiguieron doble dígitos los jugadores de esquina Leonel Despaigne (17) y Sebastian Blanco (15), así como el pasador Gerardo Chicoma (12).