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ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

DAY-13 MATCH-2 DAY SESSION

COCO GAUFF'S FIRST GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLE

SEED	WOMEN'S SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2	SET-3
[6]	COCO GAUFF	6	USA	2	6	6
[2]	ARYNA SABALENKA	2		6	3	2
						MATCH TIME 2:06

SET 1 ARYNA SABALENKA **BREAK** 0-1 ARYNA SABALENKA 0-2 HOLD COCO GAUFF 1-2 HOLD COCO GAUFF HOLD 2-2 ARYNA SABALENKA 2-3 HOLD ARYNA SABALENKA **BREAK** 2-4 ARYNA SABALENKA HOLD 2-5 ARYNA SABALENKA BREAK 2-6

[2] ARYNA SABALENKA -02-

SE	T 2	
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	1-0
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	1-1
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	2-1
COCO GAUFF	BREAK	3-1
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	4-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	4-2
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	5-2
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	5-3
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	6-3

	MATCH TIME	2:06
	SET 3	
COCO GAUFF	BREAK	1-0
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	2-0
COCO GAUFF	BREAK	3-0
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	4-0
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	4-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	4-2
COCO GAUFF	BREAK	5-2
COCO GAUFF	HOLD	6-2

2023 US OPEN ROAD TO THE FINAL

HEAD TO	HEAD					
YEAR	RNK WINNING PLAYER	RNK LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2023	6 COCO GAUFF	2 ARYNA SABALENKA	F	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	2-6 6-3 6-2
2023	2 ARYNA SABALENKA	6 COCO GAUFF	QF	INDIAN WELLS	WTA-1000	6-4 6-0
2022	11 COCO GAUFF	6 ARYNA SABALENKA	R16	TORONTO	WTA-1000	7-5 4-6 7-6(4)
2021	35 COCO GAUFF	4 ARYNA SABALENKA	R16	ROME	WTA-1000	7-5 6-3
2020	12 ARYNA SABALENKA	55 COCO GAUFF	R16	OSTRAVA	WTA-500	1-6 7-5 7-6(2)
2020	53 COCO GAUFF	11 ARYNA SABALENKA	R16	LEXINGTON	WTA-250	7-6(4) 6-4 6-4

TONIGHT - MARKS THE 6TH MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO TOP TALENTS. COCO GAUFF HAS WON THREE OF THEIR PREVIOUS MATCHES. ARYNA SABALENKA WON THEIR MOST-RECENT CLASH, EARLIER THIS YEAR, IN THE INDIAN WELLS QUARTERFINALS.

[6] COCO GAUFF -06- (USA)				2023 US OPEN ROAD TO THE TITLE	
ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
FINAL	[2]	ARYNA SABALENKA	2		2-6 6-3 6-2
SEMIFINAL	[10]	KAROLINA MUCHOVA	10	CZE	6-4 7-5
QUARTERFINAL	[20]	JELENA OSTAPENKO	21	LAT	6-0 6-2
ROUND 4	[WC]	CAROLINE WOZNIACKI	623	DEN	6-3 3-6 6-1
ROUND 3	[32]	ELISE MERTENS	32	BEL	3-6 6-3 6-0
ROUND 2		MIRRA ANDREEVA	63		6-3 6-2
ROUND I	[Q]	LAURA SIEGEMUND	121	GER	3-6 6-2 6-4
DIRECT ENTRY					

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
FINAL	[6]	COCO GAUFF	6	USA	6-2 3-6 2-6
SEMIFINAL	[17]	MADISON KEYS	17	USA	0-6 7-6(1) 7-6 10-5
QUARTERFINAL	[23]	QINWEN ZHENG	23	CHN	6-1 6-4
ROUND 4	[13]	DARIA KASATKINA	14		6-1 6-3
ROUND 3		CLARA BUREL	62	FRA	6-1 6-1
ROUND 2		JODIE BURRAGE	96	GBR	6-3 6-1
ROUND I		MARYNA ZANEVSKA	112	BEL	6-3 6-2
DIRECT ENTRY					

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

TONIGHT, AT JUST 19-YEARS-OLD, SHE TAKES CENTER STAGE AT HER HOME SLAM, UNDER THE LIGHTS ON THE SPORT'S BIGGEST STAGE - AS THE YOUNGEST AMERICAN US OPEN FINALIST SINCE SERENA WILLIAMS IN 1999. AND THIS SUMMER, SHE HAS BEEN EXTRAORDINARY - CAPTURING TWO TITLES, INCLUDING HER FIRST WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLE IN CINCINNATI, WHERE SHE DEFEATED WORLD #1 IGA SWIATEK TO REACH THE CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH. A ROLAND GARROS FINALIST LAST YEAR (IN BOTH SINGLES AND DOUBLES) - TONIGHT, SHE COMES INTO HER FIRST US OPEN SINGLES FINAL ON AN 11 MATCH WIN STREAK - AND WITH A VICTORY, WILL CLIMB TO A CAREER-HIGH RANKING OF WORLD #3. FROM DEPRAY BEACH, FLORIDA - PLEASE WELCOME COCO GAUFF.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
c	1	Oct-2022 Youngest since Sharapova (2005) to qualify for the WTA Finals
O	4	DOUBLES: Climbed to World #1 after she and Pegula won 2022 Toronto title

US OPEN			2022 SINGLES QUARTERFINALIST 2021 DOUBLES FINALIST	SINGLES RESULTS: 14-4
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL	
2023	6	W	Aryna Sabalenka -02- (3-sets) FIRST GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLE	
2022	12	QF	Caroline Garcia -17- (FRA)	
2021	23	R2	Sloane Stephens - Reached the US Open Doubles Final alongside Caty McNally	
2020	51	R1	Anastasija Sevastova	
2019	140	R3	Wild Card. Naomi Osaka This followed her breakthrough R16 run at Wimbledon	
2018	928	01	14-year-old Qualifying Wild Card. Heather Watson	

GRAND SLAM 2022 ROLAND GARROS SINGLES FINALIST | 2-TIME GRAND SLAM DOUBLES FINALIST | SINGLES RESULTS: 44-16

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2023	R4	QF	R1	W	Wimbledon, fell in R1 to Qualifier Sofia Kenin
2022	R1	FF	R3	QF	Singles and Doubles Finalist at 2022 French Open
2021	R2	QF	R4	R2	•
2020	R4	R2	Not Held	R1	•
2019		Q2	R16	R3	•
2018				Q1	•

^{* 2021} USO Doubles Finalist (w/McNally), 2022 RG Doubles Finalist (w/Pegula) | 2023 Doubles Semifinalist at AO and RG (w/ Pegula)

WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 169-79

TITLES: 6 FINALS: 7 JUST CAPTURED FIRST WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLE | 2022 WTA FINALS IN BOTH SINGLES AND DOUBLES

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2023	4	0	 4 titles this year: Auckland-250, Washington DC-500, Cincinnati-1000, US OPEN
2022	0	1	• 1st Grand Slam Singles Final at Roland Garros (Doubles Final, as well) 3 Doubles Titles in 5 Doubles Finals
2021	1	0	Captured 2nd WTA Singles title in Parma-250
2020	0	0	• THE ABBREVIATED PANDEMIC SEASON
2019	1	0	Captured 1st WTA Singles title in Linz-250
2018	0	0	•

^{* 8} career Doubles titles, including two this year. She and Jessica Pegula defended their Doha title and captured the WTA-1000 title in Miami

TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL
BILLIE JEAN KING CUP	• 3 Ties: Group Stage of the BJK Cup Finals last Nov in Glasgow Helped lift Team USA back to BJK Cup Finals in April
	Overall, she is 1-1 in Singles and 2-0 in Doubles

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
2022	Nov: Became youngest to qualify for WTA Finals since Sharapova (2005)
2022	• Nov: Gauff and Pegula became first Americans since Serena and Venus (2009) to qualify for both the Singles and Doubles at WTA Finals
2019	• Wimbledon R1 - defeated former World #1 and 7-time major champion, Venus Williams - went on to reach R4 (just 15-years-old)
2019	• Captured the title in Linz at just 15-years-old - becoming the youngest player to win a WTA title since 2004
2017	 Former World #1 Junior and US Open Junior Finalist - the youngest Junior Finalist in US Open history
☺	• Wins over Top-10 opponents: (11) Including a victory over World #1 Iga Swiatek in Cincinnati SF, en route to the title

^{*} Gauff is a 12-time Doubles Finalist. She and Pegula also reached their 7th and 8th Finals together this year (WTA-1000's in Madrid and Rome)

[2] Aryna Sabalenka -02-

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

IN THURSDAY'S SEMIFINALS - DOWN A SET AND A BREAK - WITH TRADEMARK POWER AND INTENSITY, THIS 25-YEAR-OLD DEFEATED 2017 FINALIST MADISON KEYS IN AN UNBELIEVABLE COME-FROM-BEHIND VICTORY - AND TONIGHT, RETURNS TO ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM, COMPETING IN HER SECOND MAJOR SINGLES FINAL OF THE YEAR. THE REIGNING AUSTRALIAN OPEN CHAMPION - IN ALL, SHE NOW OWNS 13 CAREER SINGLES TITLES - AND TONIGHT, STEPS INTO THE SPORT'S BRIGHTEST SPOTLIGHT AS A 24-TIME TOUR-LEVEL FINALIST, IN PURSUIT OF HER FIRST US OPEN SINGLES TITLE. AND AS IF THAT WEREN'T ENOUGH - ON MONDAY, DREAMS BECOMES REALITY. PLEASE WELCOME - THE WTA'S NEXT #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD, ARYNA SABALENKA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
2	2	Aug-2021 Just before the US Open, where she reached the 2021 Semifinals Finished the 2021 season as the World #2
2	۷	Former World #1 in Doubles - After capturing second Major Doubles title at 2021 Australian Open

US OPEN DEFENDING US OPEN CHAMPION SINGLES RESUL			SINGLES RESULTS: 20-6	
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL	
2023	2	F	• Coco Gauff -06- (USA) - SABALENKA'S FIRST US OPEN SINGLES FINAL Climbed to World	d #1 on Monday
2022	6	SF	• Fell to eventual Champion Iga Swiatek, after capturing the first set. Score: 3-6 6-1 6-4	
2021	2	SF	 Second consecutive Grand Slam Semifinal (also Wimbledon 2021) 	
2020	11	R2	Fell to eventual Finalist Victoria Azarenka	
2019	13	R2	Yulia Putintseva	
2018	20	R4	 Upset World #5 Kvitova in R3, fell to eventual champion Naomi Osaka 	
2017	111	Q1	Camilla Rosatello	
2016	178	Q2	Mandy Minella	

1 GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLE, 2 FINALS | 2-TIME MAJOR DOUBLES CHAMPION **GRAND SLAM SINGLES RESULTS: 58-22 YEAR AUSTRALIAN OPEN ROLAND GARROS WIMBLEDON US OPEN DETAILS** F • AO: First Major Singles title. Rybakina deciding set 2023 R4 R3 Not Welcome SF 2022 2021 R4 R3 SF SF R1 Not Held 2020 R3 R2 R3 R1 2019 R2 R2

R4

Q1

Q2

• US: Upset #5 Kvitova to reach 1st Major R4

• Wimbledon: World #136, 1st Major qualification

• US: Grand Slam Qualifying debut (18 years old)

R1

Q1

WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 351-171

TITLES: 13 FINALS: 23 2 WTA FINALS APPEARANCES (LAST YEAR'S FINALIST) | 5 WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLES (6 FINALS)

R1

R2

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL	
2023	3	2	• Titles: Adelaide-500, Australian Open, Madrid-1000	Finals: Indian Wells-1000, Stuttgart-500
2022	0	3	•	Finals: Stuttgart, s'Hertogenbosch, WTA Finals
2021	2	1	Titles: Abu Dhabi, Madrid	Final: Stuttgart
2020	3	0	Titles: Ostrava, Doha, Linz	
2019	3	1	Titles: Shenzhen, Wuhan, Zhuhai	Final: San Jose
2018	2	2	Titles: New Haven, Wuhan	Final: Lugano Eastbourne
2017	0	1	• Final: Tianjin	

TEAM EVENTS

2018

2017

2016

R1

Q2

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	• BILLIE JEAN KING CUP: Member of Team Belarus since 2016 2017 Finalist (10-6 overall in Singles Rubbers)
CAREER	OLYMPICS: Debut Tokyo 2020 (2021) - Singles: Fell in R2 (Vekic)

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	• 27 wins over top-10 opponents - including defeat of World #1 Swiatek to win 2023 Madrid title (4th career win over a World #1)
CAREER	• 2 wins over World #1 Ashleigh Barty (2019-Wuhan, 2021-Madrid) 2 wins over World #1 Iga Swiatek (2022-WTA Finals, 2023-Madrid)

^{* 2-}time Grand Slam Doubles Champion with Elise Mertens - 2019 US Open, 2021 Australian Open