

Northern Ky. (1-8-1, 1-3-0) -vs- NIU (6-3-1, 3-1-1)
10/03/2026 at DeKalb, Ill. (NIU Soccer and Track & Field Complex)

Date: 10/03/2026
Attendance: 279
Stadium: NIU Soccer and Track & Field Complex
Officials: Referee, J Kennedy Asst. Referee, B Rexhepi Asst. Referee, P Ninis Alt. Official, V Vouris

Goals By Period	1	2	Total
Northern Ky.	0	0	0
NIU	1	2	3

Northern Ky. 0

Pos	#	Player	SH	SOG	G	A	MIN
Starters							
DEF	2	Hernandez, Hunter	0	0	0	0	90
DEF	3	Boaghe Braniste, Steven	0	0	0	0	90
DEF	5	Rasheed, Jabari	0	0	0	0	72
MID	6	Roberts, Nate	1	0	0	0	72
	7	Merce, Carlos	1	1	0	0	78
FWD	14	Piracha, Ibrahim	1	0	0	0	69
MID	18	Hoenderkamp, Diego	0	0	0	0	48
FWD	19	Guldager, Benjamin	1	0	0	0	31
MID	21	Askira, Jibreel	0	0	0	0	78
MID	25	Gerak, Bennett	1	0	0	0	72
GK	30	Pearson, Caleb	0	0	0	0	90
Substitutes							
DEF	4	Been, Eli	0	0	0	0	18
MID	8	Borgman, Silas	0	0	0	0	32
FWD	11	Kapic, Alen	0	0	0	0	12
DEF	16	Williams, Pharrell	0	0	0	0	18
FWD	17	Luechauer, Michael	1	0	0	0	28
FWD	26	Byland, Parker	0	0	0	0	12
	27	Feldhaus, Nicholas	0	0	0	0	21
FWD	28	Jervier II, Gregory	1	0	0	0	59
Totals			7	1	0	0	990

#	Goalkeepers	Minutes	GA	Saves
30	Pearson, Caleb	90:00	3	4
Totals			3	4

Shots By Period	1	2	Total
Northern Ky.	3	4	7
NIU	8	8	16

Saves By Period	1	2	Total
Northern Ky.	3	2	5
NIU	1	0	1

Scoring Summary

Time	Team	Goal Scorer	Assist	Description
41:25	NIU	Vance Sheffield	Katai Mukuka	GOAL by NIU Sheffield, Vance Assist by Mukuka, Katai.
68:24	NIU	Katai Mukuka	Nico Angulo	GOAL by NIU Mukuka, Katai Assist by Angulo, Nico.
75:26	NIU	Tomasz Slawek	Roman Khela	GOAL by NIU Slawek, Tomasz Assist by Khela, Roman.

Cautions and Ejections: 51:28 (YELLOW), #25 Bennett Gerak (NKU) 60:11 (YELLOW), #6 Nate Roberts (NKU) 83:03 (YELLOW), #14 Ivan Gutierrez (NIU)

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Pos	#	Player	SH	SOG	G	A	MIN
Starters							
GK	1	Crawford, Cayden	0	0	0	0	90
DEF	2	Khela, Roman	1	0	0	1	83
DEF	4	Vasic, Luka	1	0	0	0	90
MID	6	Drazek, Jakub	1	1	0	0	78
FWD	7	Crear, Tobias	0	0	0	0	53
FWD	10	Sheffield, Vance	2	1	1	0	71
DEF	17	Slawek, Tomasz	1	1	1	0	90
	18	Omoregie, Osagie	1	1	0	0	75
MID	24	Alonso, Jaziel	0	0	0	0	75
MID	25	Ladas, Niko	4	3	0	0	49
FWD	40	Mukuka, Katai	3	1	1	1	69
Substitutes							
DEF	3	Benson, Oliver	0	0	0	0	21
MID	8	Hernandez, Joe	0	0	0	0	56
FWD	9	Ljubicic, Stevan	2	0	0	0	21
MID	13	Rodriguez, Kevin	0	0	0	0	15
DEF	14	Gutierrez, Ivan	0	0	0	0	7
FWD	20	Angulo, Nico	0	0	0	1	35
	23	Gomez-Soto, Mateo	0	0	0	0	12
Totals			16	8	3	3	990

#	Goalkeepers	Minutes	GA	Saves
1	Crawford, Cayden	90:00	0	1
Totals			0	1

Corner Kicks By Period	1	2	Total
Northern Ky.	1	4	5
NIU	4	2	6

Fouls By Period	1	2	Total
Northern Ky.	4	8	12
NIU	9	9	18

Play By Play

Time	Team	Play
00:00	NIU	Crawford, Cayden at goalie for NIU
00:00	NKU	Pearson, Caleb at goalie for Northern Ky.
01:20	NIU	Offside against NIU.
03:14	NIU	Foul on Drazek, Jakub.
04:06	NKU	Foul on Hoenderkamp, Diego.
04:23	NIU	Foul on Ladas, Niko.
06:26	NKU	Foul on Roberts, Nate.
07:37	NIU	Shot by NIU Ladas, Niko, out right.
10:04	NKU	Shot by NKU Piracha, Ibrahim, out left.
10:56	NIU	Shot by NIU Mukuka, Katai, out left.
11:41	NIU	Foul on Ladas, Niko.
13:00	NIU	Corner kick [13:00].
14:58	NIU	Shot by NIU Ladas, Niko, bottom right, saved by Pearson, Caleb.
15:50	NIU	Foul on Omoregie, Osagie.
18:12	NKU	Foul on Roberts, Nate.
20:55	NIU	Corner kick [20:55].
21:44	NIU	Shot by NIU Vasic, Luka, out right.
24:00	NIU	Foul on Mukuka, Katai.
27:02	NIU	Foul on Mukuka, Katai.
28:47	NKU	Shot by NKU Guldager, Benjamin, out right.
30:12	NKU	NKU substitution: Borgman, Silas for Piracha, Ibrahim.
30:12	NKU	NKU substitution: Feldhaus, Nicholas for Hoenderkamp, Diego.
30:12	NKU	NKU substitution: Jervier II, Gregory for Guldager, Benjamin.
31:00	NKU	Corner kick [31:00].
33:48	NIU	NIU substitution: Hernandez, Joe for Crear, Tobias.
33:48	NIU	NIU substitution: Angulo, Nico for Ladas, Niko.
34:13	NIU	Foul on Mukuka, Katai.
35:11	NKU	Shot by NKU Merce, Carlos, bottom center, saved by Crawford, Cayden.
35:25	NKU	Foul on Roberts, Nate.
35:44	NIU	Shot by NIU Drazek, Jakub, top, saved by Pearson, Caleb.
36:12	NIU	Shot by NIU Khela, Roman.
36:24	NIU	Corner kick [36:24].
37:03	NIU	Shot by NIU Omoregie, Osagie, bottom left, Team save.
37:39	NIU	Corner kick [37:39].
40:11	NIU	Foul on Sheffield, Vance.
40:47	NKU	Offside against Northern Ky..
41:25	NIU	GOAL by NIU Sheffield, Vance Assist by Mukuka, Katai.
Northern Ky. 0, NIU 1		
45:00	0	End of period [45:00].
45:00	0	Start of 2nd period [45:00].
45:00	NKU	FOR NKU: , #30 Pearson, Caleb, #2 Hernandez, Hunter, #3 Boaghe Braniste, Steven, #5 Rasheed, Jabari, #6 Roberts, Nate, #7 Merce, Carlos, #14 Piracha, Ibrahim, #18 Hoenderkamp, Diego, #28 Jervier II, Gregory, #21 Askira, Jibreel, #25 Gerak, Bennett.
45:00	NIU	FOR NIU: , #1 Crawford, Cayden, #2 Khela, Roman, #4 Vasic, Luka, #6 Drazek, Jakub, #8 Hernandez, Joe, #10 Sheffield, Vance, #17 Slawek, Tomasz, #25 Ladas, Niko, #13 Rodriguez, Kevin, #20 Angulo, Nico, #40 Mukuka, Katai.
45:00	NIU	NIU substitution: Ladas, Niko for Omoregie, Osagie.
45:00	NIU	NIU substitution: Rodriguez, Kevin for Alonso, Jaziel.
45:00	NKU	NKU substitution: Piracha, Ibrahim for Borgman, Silas.
45:00	NKU	NKU substitution: Hoenderkamp, Diego for Feldhaus, Nicholas.
49:36	NIU	Shot by NIU Ladas, Niko, bottom right, saved by Pearson, Caleb.
49:58	NIU	Shot by NIU Ladas, Niko, bottom center, saved by Pearson, Caleb.
51:28	NKU	Foul on Gerak, Bennett.
51:28	NKU	Yellow card on NKU Gerak, Bennett.
52:44	NKU	Offside against Northern Ky..
54:00	NIU	Foul on Mukuka, Katai.
55:28	NIU	Shot by NIU Mukuka, Katai, out top right.
56:51	NIU	Corner kick [56:51].
58:19	NKU	Foul on Roberts, Nate.
59:48	NIU	NIU substitution: Omoregie, Osagie for Ladas, Niko.

59:48	NIU	NIU substitution: Alonso, Jaziel for Rodriguez, Kevin.
60:11	NKU	Foul on Roberts, Nate.
60:11	NKU	Yellow card on NKU Roberts, Nate.
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60:28	NIU	NIU Vance Sheffield PENALTY KICK MISS.

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61:05	NIU	Foul on Sheffield, Vance.
61:17	NKU	NKU substitution: Luechauer, Michael for Hoenderkamp, Diego.
62:04	NIU	Corner kick [62:04].
63:12	NIU	Foul on Drazek, Jakub.
63:47	NKU	Corner kick [63:47].
64:20	NKU	Shot by NKU Roberts, Nate, out left.
65:33	NKU	Corner kick [65:33].
66:08	NKU	Corner kick [66:08].
67:46	NKU	Shot by NKU Luechauer, Michael.
67:55	NKU	Corner kick [67:55].
68:24	NIU	GOAL by NIU Mukuka, Katai Assist by Angulo, Nico.

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68:24	NIU	NIU substitution: Benson, Oliver for Angulo, Nico.
68:24	NIU	NIU substitution: Ljubicic, Stevan for Mukuka, Katai.
69:59	NIU	Foul on Ljubicic, Stevan.
70:29	NIU	NIU substitution: Crear, Tobias for Sheffield, Vance.
70:42	NIU	Foul on Drazek, Jakub.
71:13	NKU	Shot by NKU Gerak, Bennett, out top.
71:37	NKU	NKU substitution: Been, Eli for Rasheed, Jabari.
71:37	NKU	NKU substitution: Borgman, Silas for Roberts, Nate.
71:37	NKU	NKU substitution: Williams, Pharrell for Gerak, Bennett.
73:25	NKU	Foul on Jervier II, Gregory.
74:50	NKU	Foul on Been, Eli.
75:26	NIU	GOAL by NIU Slawek, Tomasz Assist by Khela, Roman.

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76:38	NIU	Offside against NIU.
77:31	NKU	NKU substitution: Kapic, Alen for Merce, Carlos.
77:31	NKU	NKU substitution: Byland, Parker for Askira, Jibreel.
77:58	NIU	NIU substitution: Gomez-Soto, Mateo for Drazek, Jakub.
78:43	NIU	Offside against NIU.
80:24	NKU	Foul on Byland, Parker.
80:55	NIU	Shot by NIU Ljubicic, Stevan, out top.
82:20	NIU	NIU substitution: Gutierrez, Ivan for Khela, Roman.
82:20	NKU	NKU substitution: Feldhaus, Nicholas for Piracha, Ibrahim.
82:50	NIU	Foul on Gutierrez, Ivan.
83:03	NIU	Yellow card on NIU Gutierrez, Ivan.
83:42	NKU	Shot by NKU Jervier II, Gregory.
84:56	NIU	Foul on Vasic, Luka.
87:09	NIU	Foul on Hernandez, Joe.
88:12	NIU	Shot by NIU Ljubicic, Stevan, out top right.
90:00	0	End of period [90:00].