

**BORUSSIA DORTMUND
VS
FTC–RAIL CARGO
HUNGARIA**

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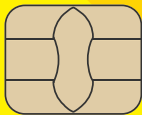


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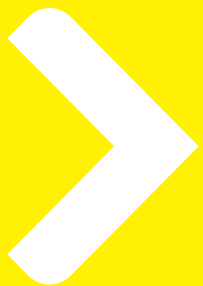
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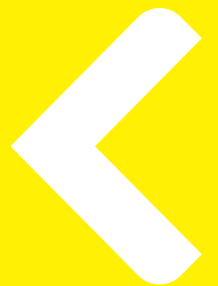
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Foreword EHF President

Road to Budapest begins as EHF Champions League 2025/26 reaches play-off round

After 14 rounds of thrilling matches, the EHF Champions League Women 2025/26 group phase has come to a dramatic conclusion — four teams have fallen by the wayside and four have secured themselves a coveted ticket to the quarter-finals. As for the other eight, they must navigate an extra hurdle on the Road to Budapest and make it through the play-off round to take one of the four quarter-final places still up for grabs.

Two sides who made it all the way to Budapest last season will have to go through the play-offs this time to reach the Raiffeisen Bank EHF FINAL4 2026. Team Esbjerg finished third in group A behind the two sides they faced at the MVM Dome last season; Györi Audi ETO KC and Metz Handball. If they are to reach the last eight, the Danish side must win over two legs against HC Podravka, who finished seventh in group B but qualified for the play-offs with a match to spare.

Esbjerg's domestic rivals Odense Håndbold were runners-up in last season's competition, yet only finished fourth in their group this time, albeit in a tight group B which saw the top four separated by just three points as Brest Bretagne Handball and CSM Bucuresti grabbed the quarter-final tickets. Odense will now take on DVSC Schaeffler, who finished fifth in group A and will be aiming for this to be the Danish club's last trip to Hungary for the season.

Finishing ahead of Odense but missing out on the quarter-finals by the finest of margins were FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, another side who know what it takes to reach the EHF FINAL4. Their reward for a third-place finish in group B is a head-to-head with BV Borussia Dortmund, who have reached this stage for the first time since 2022.

Last but not least, Ikast Håndbold will be facing Gloria Bistrita in a meeting of the two most recent silver medallists in the EHF European League Women. The two clubs are not only proving the strength in depth of the women's club game, but certainly going in the right direction and sure to provide a great contest for the quarter-final berth.

The goals are sure to be flying in, but when knockout handball starts on the Road to Budapest, every area of both the attack and defence must be perfect in order to reach the next rounds. Now, it's time for eight teams to show what they're made of as we throw-off the play-off round.

Yours in sport,

Michael Wiederer
EHF President



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PLAYER	Nat.	Date of birth	Shirt no.
Abbingh Lois	NED	13.08.1992	5
Antl Lisa	GER	21.06.2000	9
Berland Husebø Guro	NOR	16.11.2001	24
Bleckmann Dana	GER	09.05.2001	66
Eckardt Liv-Stine	GER	25.01.2005	73
Egeling Lara	GER	01.09.2006	44
Frank Tabea	GER	17.02.2007	
Grijseels Alina	GER	12.04.1996	4
Hausherr Anna-Lena	GER	07.07.2001	3
Kusian Maraike	GER	20.08.2002	8
Langer Alicia	GER	17.06.1996	17
Lassource Déborah	FRA	29.09.1999	22
Menne Felina	GER	30.07.2006	76
Müller Lara Sophie	GER	21.01.2007	20
Nielsen Kaja Kamp	DEN	29.04.1994	21
Olsson Emma	SWE	20.08.1997	29
Portengen Francisc	NED	19.06.2006	54
Roncevic Teodora	MNE	11.08.2006	1
Rützel Mathilde	GER	08.09.2007	55
Schneider Paula	GER	26.10.2007	
Szikora Melinda	HUN	19.11.1988	7
Van Maurik Alieke	NED	11.05.2005	14
Vollebregt Kelly	NED	01.01.1995	31
Wachter Sarah	GER	16.12.1999	12

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Groener Hendrikus Franciscus	NED	29.09.1960
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TEAM OFFICIALS

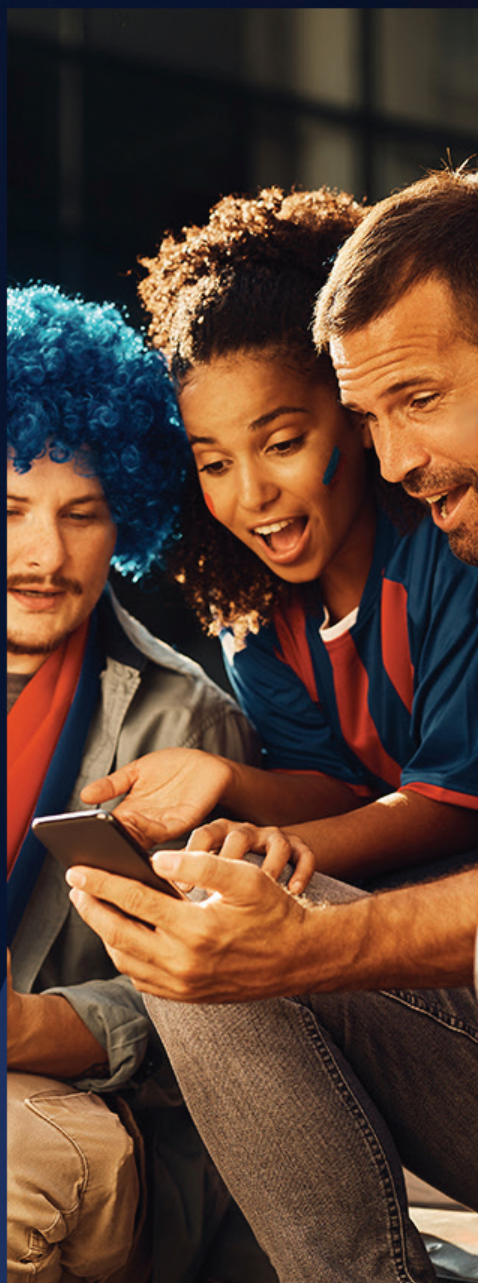
Janz Siegfried	GER	03.04.1969
Lategahn Jannis	GER	27.08.1993
Petry Stefano	GER	06.03.1996
Reski Nathalie	GER	07.07.1995
Salwesky Tobias	GER	18.08.1989
Schlechter Dominik	GER	27.06.1990
Woltering Clara	GER	03.02.1983



FTC – RAIL CARGO HUNGARIA

PLAYER	Nat.	Date of birth	Shirt no.
Balázs Bítia	HUN	14.08.2006	41
Balogh Veronika Borbála	HUN	10.07.2007	10
Böde-Bíró Blanka	HUN	22.09.1994	16
Vogel Emily	GER	26.04.1998	20
Bordás Réka	HUN	26.08.1997	58
Cvijic Dragana	SRB	15.03.1990	72
Dmitrieva Daria	RUS	09.08.1995	11
Fábián Alina	HUN	20.09.2006	97
Glauser Laura	FRA	20.08.1993	1
Grebenár Réka	HUN	29.09.2007	46
Hársfalvi Júlia	HUN	12.11.1996	15
Ingstad Vilde Mortensen	NOR	18.12.1994	51
Janurik Kinga	HUN	06.11.1991	13
Kanor Orlane	FRA	16.06.1997	22
Kapu Zsófi	HUN	21.12.2006	99
Klujber Katrin Gitta	HUN	21.04.1999	42
Malestein Antje Angela	NED	31.01.1993	26
Márton Gréta	HUN	03.10.1999	21
Simon Petra Anna	HUN	12.11.2004	38
Szeibert Anna Rebeka	HUN	08.04.2007	49
Szilágyi Diána	HUN	24.05.2007	98
Tomori Zsuzsanna	HUN	18.06.1987	23
Tranborg Mette	DEN	01.01.1996	18
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Danielsen Kristian	DEN	02.07.1988	
Jensen Jesper	DEN	30.10.1977	
Mihaly Attila	HUN	25.07.1971	
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de Jonge Róbert	HUN	20.10.1994	
Duleba Norbert	HUN	27.06.1976	
Hovgaard-Hansen Line	DEN	21.03.1981	
Juhász Levente Tamás	HUN	23.12.1992	
Keszég Miklós	HUN	29.04.1994	
Kuszi Alexandra	HUN	03.08.1998	
Márkus-Maszarek Dóra	HUN	17.06.1986	
Paál László	HUN	14.10.1966	

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