OPENING NIGHT
If the Parisian public finds for the first time its team at home in the Champions League this season, it will also discover CS Dinamo Bucharest. The team from the Romanian capital has never faced Paris Saint-Germain in its history.

THIS IS PRANDI
In the last Liqui Moly Starligue match against Toulouse, Elohim Prandi was particularly outstanding. The Parisian back scored 8 goals, with a perfect distribution of four goals per half. The native of Istres finished as the best scorer of Les Rouge et Bleu with a success rate of 67% on the match.

BIG NAME ON THE BENCH
Dinamo Bucharest will be led this season by a big name in European coaching with Xavi Pascual. The Spanish technician, three times winner of the competition with FC Barcelona (2011, 2015 and 2021) returns to a country where he was coach of national team from 2016 to 2018. A position that he will hold again in parallel with the club, this season.

NEW PLAYERS IN BUCHAREST
The Romanian squad has been greatly renewed this summer. For its return to the Champions League, the club of the capital has recruited eight new players including Cedric Sorhaindo and Christian Dissinger. The French line player and the German left back are both three-time winners of the Champions League.

SURPRISEEEEE!
Players of the Romanian capital have beaten one of the favorites of the group, Kielce (32-29). The team was not qualified last season, finishing only seventh in its European League group (3 wins, 1 draw, 6 defeats).

TOP ATTACK
Les Rouge et Bleu are the best attack of the Liqui Moly Starligue after two days with already 77 goals scored including 43 against Toulouse last weekend.

100 FOR KAMIL
Kamil Syprzak is close to achieve the 100-goal mark in the Champions League for Paris. The line player scored 96 goals until his arrival.

PERFECT TEAM
During this second week of the Liqui Moly Starligue, nine players recorded 100% success in shots. To note the 5/5 of the winger Adama Keita and the Parisian captain Luka Karabatic. The other 100% players are Vincent Gérard (1/1), Luc Steins (2/2), Sadou Ntanzi (2/2), Benoit Kounkoud (2/2), Henrik Toft-Hansen (1/1), Nikola Karabatic (2/2) and Mikkel Hansen (3/3 at the 7-meter throws).

HAPPY KID
Léo Villain, 18 years old, youth system player, took advantage of the absence of Kamil Syprzak in the group to make his first appearance. The native of Saint-Jean de Braye made his first save.

SQUAD
Only Mathieu Grébille is spared tonight.

TRIVIA QUESTION
HOW MANY PLAYERS WORE BOTH PARIS’ AND VESZPRÉM’ JERSEYS?

Answer in the next Game Notes
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Statistics in EHF Champions League - Group phase 2021-2022

**0 win / 0 tie / 1 loss**
1\(^{st}\) attack of group B (31 gpm)
7\(^{th}\) defense of group B (34 gpm)
31 goals scored / 34 goals against

**1 win / 0 tie / 0 losses**
2\(^{nd}\) attack of group B (32 gpm)
4\(^{th}\) defense of group B (29 gpm)
32 goals scored / 29 goals against

**LAST HEAD-TO-HEADS AGAINST BUCAREST**

NO GAME BETWEEN THE TWO TEAMS.

**2021-2022 SEASON**

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**LAST GAMES**

**LIQUI MOLY STARLIGUE**

W2 19/09/2021 43-28

- **43**
  - 81 SHOOTING ACCURACY (%) 58
  - 30 GOALKEEPER SAVES (%) 16
  - 0 ASSISTS 0
  - 8 TURNOVERS 16
  - 2 2 MINUTES 2

**EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE**

W1 16/09/2021 34-31

- **34**
  - 62 SHOOTING ACCURACY (%) 61
  - 31 GOALKEEPER SAVES (%) 24
  - NC ASSISTS NC
  - NC TURNOVERS NC
  - 5 2 MINUTES 3

**NEXT GAMES**

**LIQUI MOLY STARLIGUE**

W3 26/09/2021 16:00

- US CRÉTEIL HANDBALL
- PARIS SAINT-GERMAIN HANDBALL

**EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE**

W3 29/09/2021 20:45

- SG FLENSBURG-HANDEWITT
- PARIS SAINT-GERMAIN HANDBALL

**LAST HEAD-TO-HEADS AGAINST BUCAREST**

NO GAME BETWEEN THE TWO TEAMS.
STATISTICS

TEAM STATISTICS

Most goals scored by PSG in a game season 2021-2022: 43 buts vs Toulouse (19/09/2021 – LSL J2)
Most goals conceded by PSG in a game season 2021-2022: 34 buts vs Veszprém (16/09/2021 – EHF CL J1)
Less goals scored by PSG in a game season 2021-2022: 31 buts vs Veszprém (16/09/2021 – EHF CL J1)
Less goals against by PSG in a game season 2021-2022: 25 buts vs Istres (10/09/2021 – LSL J1)
Best shooting success in a game season 2021-2022: 81% vs Toulouse (19/09/2021 – LSL J2)
Worst shooting success in a game season 2021-2022: 60% vs Veszprém (16/09/2021 – EHF CL J1)
Most stops in a game season 2021-2022: 15 stops vs Istres (10/09/2021 – LSL J1) – Vincent Gérard
Number of consecutive wins at home in Lidl Starligue: 46 (from 08/06/2017 to 25/04/2021)
Number of games without losses at home in EHF Champions League: 41 (from the 16/11/2014 vs Kiel to 01/12/2019 vs Barca)
Number of games without losses at home all competitions: 56 (from the 08/06/2017 vs Nantes to 01/12/2019 vs Barcelone)

VARIOUS STATISTICS

Biggest winning streak in club history: 18 games (03/10/18 to 09/05/2019)
Biggest losing streak during 2019-2020 season: 1 game
Biggest goal difference in a victory game in 2020-2021: +22 against Limoges (J7)
Biggest goal difference in a loss game in Lidl Starligue 2020-2021: No loss
89% of wins on the season 2019-2020 in all competitions included, best rate for a French team
6 consecutive titles of French champions, best rate for a French team
26 points in group phase of Champions League 2018-2019: new record since the new rule’s instauration
129 pts cumulated in group phase of Champions League since 2015-2016, against 128 for Barcelone

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Best scorer season 2021-2022: Elohim Prandi – 12
Best scorer in a season in Lidl Starligue: Hansen – 228 buts (2015-2016)
Only player over 200 goals in a season in Lidl Starligue: Hansen (2014-15 with 203 goals and 2015-16 with 228 goals)
Best scorer on shots season 2021-2022: Elohim Prandi – 12
Best scorer on penalty kick season 2021-2022: Mikkel Hansen – 3
Best shooting accuracy on shots season 2021-2022: 100% - Elohim Prandi
Best goal per game average season 2021-2022: 6 - Elohim Prandi
Most saves in one game season 2021-2022: 15 – Vincent Gérard
Most saves this season season 2021-2022: 21 – Vincent Gérard
Most saves on shots this season 2021-2022: 21 – Vincent Gérard
Best saves rate in a game season 2021-2022: 27.27% – Vincent Gérard
Longest distance in a game season 2021-2022: /
Most sprints in a game season 2021-2022: /
Higher jump in a game season 2021-2022: /
Fastest player in a game season 2021-2022: /
Most titles of France Championship: Nikola Karabatic – 13 (7 with Montpellier et 6 with Paris)

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ROSTER

1 Vincent GERARD

**GOALKEEPER**

Liqi Moly Starligue 2021-2022

- EHF CL 2021-2022
  - with Paris Saint-Germain
  - In career

Games: 2
Goals: 2
- Stops per game: 10,5
- Success rate: 56,76 %
- Warnings: 0
- 2 minutes: 0
- Disqualification: 0

Stop in EHF CL: NC

At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2019

After his debut in Metz, Vincent Gérard first went to Montpellier and then Istres where he won the Coupe de la Ligue 2009 by being designated MVP of the final. His time in Dunkirk (2010-2015) was marked by a title of French champion (2014). The Lorrain returned to the MHB in 2015 and won four trophies including the 2018 Champions League. In selection, he is European Champion (2014), World Champion (2017) and Olympic Champion (2021). He was voted best goalkeeper at the 2017 World Cup in Euro 2018.

6 Luc STEINS

**CENTER-BACK**

Liqi Moly Starligue 2021-2022

- EHF CL 2021-2022
  - with Paris Saint-Germain
  - In career

Games: 2
Goals: 2
- Goals per game: 2
- Success rate: /
- Warning: 0
- 2 minutes: 0
- Disqualification: 0

At Paris Saint-Germain since November 2020

Luc Steins joins Paris in November 2020 as a medical joker, after Nikola Karabatic’s injury. He started as a pro at the age of 17 with the Limburg Lions, winning two doubles Championship and Cup of the Netherlands in 2015 and 2016, before leaving for Massy. Steins was named best player of Proligue 2016-2017, then signed at Tremblay-en-France, where he played two seasons and then entered Toulouse in the summer of 2019. The 25-year-old has 66 selections and 190 national team goals.

9 Adama KEITA

**LEFT WING**

Liqi Moly Starligue 2021-2022

- EHF CL 2021-2022
  - with Paris Saint-Germain
  - In career

Games: 2
Goals: 2
- Goals per game: 1
- Success rate: 100 %
- Warning: 0
- 2 minutes: 0
- Disqualification: 0

Goals in EHF CL: 51

From Club youth system

Sadou Ntanzi joined the Paris Saint-Germain training center in 2017, before making his first steps with the professional team in April 2019. In the second half of the 2020-2021 season, the 21-year-old was loaned to Fénix Toulouse Handball. In 2018, he was named the best semi-centre of the U18 European Championship with 41 goals.
**9 Adama KEITA**

**LEFT WING**

*EHF CL 2021-2022*

- Games: 1
- Goals: 1
- Goals in LDL: 95 including 1 penalty
- Goals in EHF CL: 52
- In career

**Games:**
- 2
- Success rate: 80%
- Warning: 0
- 2 minutes: 0
- Disqualification: 0

**From Club youth system**

Adama Keita plays his third season with the Paris Saint-Germain professional group. Coming from the club’s youth system, the left winger is the former captain and top scorer of the reserve team. Selected several times as a young French team, the Parisian-born won the bronze medal at the U21 World Championship in 2017, with Melvyn Richardson and Dika Mem. His older brother Mahamadou also played in Lidl Starligue, at the US Ivry, at the same position.

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**10 Dainis KRISTOPANS**

**RIGHT BACK**

*EHF CL 2021-2022*

- Games: 1
- Goals: 2
- Goals in LDL: 80 including 0 penalties
- Goals in EHF CL: 44
- In career

**Games:**
- 2
- Success rate: 75%
- Warning: 0
- 2 minutes: 2
- Disqualification: 0

**At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2020**

The tallest player in the world (2m15), Dainis Krištopāns discovers handball with childhood friends. After Latgols (LET), Presov (SVK), Brest (BLR), he landed in Skopje for a first experience under the orders of Raul Gonzalez. In 2019, the Latvian international won the Champions League with the Macedonian club, after having designated MVP of the Final4 and best right-back of the competition. Together with Nedim Remili, he composes one of the best right-back pairs.

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**11 Benoît KOUNKOUD**

**RIGHT WING**

*EHF CL 2021-2022*

- Games: 1
- Goals: 3
- Goals in LDL: 225
- Goals in EHF CL: 140
- In career

**Games:**
- 2
- Success rate: 100%
- Warning: 0
- 2 minutes: 0
- Disqualification: 0

**From Club youth system**

Benoît Kounkoud joined the club’s youth system in 2014 following great performances with La Source club in Reunion Island. He discovered the French championship a few months later, at the age of 17. With the national team jersey, the right win becomes European U20 champion (2014) then U21 world champion (2015). His rise is crowned by a convocation to the French team at the Euro 2016. He is the oldest of the Parisian squad after Mikkel Hansen.
Born near Paris, Yann Genty began handball at the age of 4 as a wing player. Finally converted into a goalkeeper, he spent 15 years at Saint-Gratien before joining Billère where he played two seasons. Then, he joined Aurillac and Istres in 2010, where he replaced Vincent Gérard. In 2014, after two seasons in Cesson, Genty joined Chambéry and was voted Lidl Starligue's best goalkeeper for his first season. Selected as a French team in 2019, he won the Tokyo Olympic Games last summer.


Henrik Toft Hansen started his professional career in his Mors (northern Denmark). After ten seasons, he moved to Germany in Hamburg and then Flensborg with his brother, René. The line player won all the major titles in national team: Euro 2012, Olympic Games 2016 and World Cup 2019 with Mikkel Hansen. He is the second of a sibling of five children, three boys and two girls. His wife, Ulrika, moved to Issy Paris before retiring.
18 Nedim REMILI

Liqui Moly Starligue 2021-2022
Games: 2
Goals: 4
Goals per game: 2
Success rate: 66.67%
Warning: 0
2 minutes: 1
Disqualification: 0

EHF CL 2021-2022
Games: 1
Goals: 3

At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2016

From the US Créteil youth system, club of his father Kamel, former player and current general manager, Nedim Remili begins his sixth season in Paris. With the Red and Blue, the right back women eleven trophies. With France, the right-back became the 2017 World Champion, winning the competition’s best right-back at the age of 21. Then, he won two bronze medals at the 2018 Euro and 2019 World Championships. He won gold at the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games.

20 Mathieu GREBILLE

Liqui Moly Starligue 2021-2022
Games: 2
Goals: 0
Goals per game: 0
Success rate: / Warning: 0
2 minutes: 0
Disqualification: 0

EHF CL 2021-2022
Games: 1
Goals: 1

At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2020

Born in Paris, Mathieu Grébille moved to Martinique at 7 years old. He starts handball, while ahead of vice-champion of France cadet high jump. He joined the Montpellier youth system before taking part, at 18, in his first professional match. In 2012, he made his French team debut. He won two major titles with the Bleus, the 2014 European Championship and the 2015 World Championship. He joined Paris Saint-Germain, his second club in his career, after 12 years at the MHB.

21 Kamil SYPRZAK

Liqui Moly Starligue 2021-2022
Games: 1
Goals: 5
Goals per game: 5
Success rate: / Warning: 0
2 minutes: 1
Disqualification: 0

EHF CL 2021-2022
Games: 1
Goals: 4

At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2019

After starting his professional career in Plock, where he became Polish champion in 2011, Kamil Syprzak signed in Barcelona. He accumulated 14 titles in four seasons with the Catalan club before joining the Paris Saint-Germain Handball. He is no longer the biggest player in the Parisian squad since the arrival of Dainis Kristopans. With the Polish team, he won the bronze medal at the 2015 World Championship, scoring his team’s decisive goal in overtime against Spain.
Luka Karabatic plays high-level tennis during his teenage years. He chose handball at 19, joined the Montpellier training center before signing pro and winning 14 titles with the MHB. After three seasons in Aix, he joined Paris with his brother Nikola in the summer of 2015. Elected best defender of the Champions League on two occasions, the Parisian captain adds 11 lines to his record with Paris. In blue, he became European (2014), World (2015 and 2017) and Olympic (2021) champions.

**22 Luka KARABATIC**

**Liqi Moly Starligue 2021-2022**

Games: 2  
Goals: 5  
Goals per game: 2.50  
Success rate: 100 %  
Warning: 0  
2 minutes: 1  
Disqualification: 0

**EHF CL 2021-2022**

Games: 1  
Goals: 5

**LINE PLAYER**  
32 yo  
French  
2m02  
110 kg

**At Paris Saint-Germain since 2015**

Luka Karabatic has won 18 titles since his arrival. Recordman of the most goals scored in a Champions League season (141 in 2015-2016) and Starligue (228 in 2015-2016), «Mikki» is the 6th scorer in the history of the championship (1,221 goals). With Denmark, he won the Euro 2012, the Olympic Games 2016 and the World Championships 2019 and 2021. He was voted best player in the world three times (2011, 2015 and 2018). He played the most games with Paris (377).

**24 Mikkel HANSEN**

**Liqi Moly Starligue 2021-2022**

Games: 2  
Goals: 6  
Goals per game: 3  
Success rate: 100 %  
Warning: 0  
2 minutes: 1  
Disqualification: 0

**EHF CL 2021-2022**

Games: 1  
Goals: 7

**LEFT BACK**  
33 yo  
Danish  
1m96  
99 kg

**At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2012**

Mikkel Hansen is the oldest Parisian in the current team (since 2012) and has won 18 titles since his arrival. Recordman of the most goals scored in a Champions League season (141 in 2015-2016) and Starligue (228 in 2015-2016), «Mikki» is the 6th scorer in the history of the championship (1,221 goals). With Denmark, he won the Euro 2012, the Olympic Games 2016 and the World Championships 2019 and 2021. He was voted best player in the world three times (2011, 2015 and 2018). He played the most games with Paris (377).

**44 Nikola KARABATIC**

**Liqi Moly Starligue 2021-2022**

Games: 2  
Goals: 5  
Goals per game: 2.50  
Success rate: 100 %  
Warning: 1  
2 minutes: 0  
Disqualification: 0

**EHF CL 2021-2022**

Games: 1  
Goals: 2

**CENTER-BACK**  
36 yo  
French  
1m96  
105 kg

**LEFT BACK**  

**At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2015**

Nikola Karabatic signed at Paris Saint-Germain in the summer of 2015. With Montpellier, Kiel, Barcelona and Paris, the center-back has won 19 championships in 20 seasons, but also 23 national cups, 10 national supercuts, 3 Champions Leagues, 2 Super Globes and 1 European Supercup. He is the record holder of French champions' titles (13). With France, he is three-time Olympic champion, four-time World champion and three-time European champion. He is named three times the best player in the world (2007, 2014 and 2016).
**71 Elohim PRANDI**

**Liqui Moly Starligue 2021-2022**
- Games: 2
- Goals: 12
- Goals per game: 6
- Success rate: 100%
- Warning: 0
- 2 minutes: 0
- Disqualification: 0

**EHF CL 2021-2022**
- Games: 1
- Goals: 2

**with Paris Saint-Germain**
**In career**
- Goals in LDL: 113
- Goals in EHF CL: 45

**At Paris Saint-Germain since June 2020**

From the US Ivry youth system, Elohim Prandi joined USAM Nîmes Gard in 2017. He shines in national youth team by winning the title at the U19 World Cup in 2017 and the U21 World Cup in 2019. He made his first game in the first team a few months later before playing in his first major tournament, the 2020 European Championship. In the 2019-20 season, he finished as the team’s top scorer with 94 goals and was voted Lidl Starligue’s best left back. He also won the trophy for the most beautiful goal of the season.

He reconverted very quickly and became assistant coach of BM Ciudad Real in 2005. In 2014, he signs as head coach of RK Vardar Skopje, a position he held until 2018. With this club, he won three championships, four Macedonian cups and two SEHA leagues. Raul Gonzalez made a splash in 2017 by winning the Champions League against Paris. In 2018, he started a new challenge and became the coach of Paris-Saint-Germain where he met Luc Abalo, a player with whom he worked from 2008 to 2012 at BM Ciudad Real.

Raul Gonzalez arrived in the city of light with a reputation as a talented and experienced coach. In his first year with Paris Saint-Germain, he won the Lidl Starligue three games before the end of the championship, as well as the Coupe de la Ligue. Despite a defeat in the quarterfinals of the Champions League, the club of the French capital achieved a record season: 26 points combined in group stage, a new record since the introduction of the new competition system.

During the 2020-2021 season, the Parisian coach won the Coupe de France before leading his team to a seventh consecutive Lidl Starligue title, a record in the history of the competition. The team finished on the third step of the podium at the Final 4 of the EHF Champions League.
TEAM STAFF

Jota GONZALEZ
Assistant coach

Salim BELMESSAoud
Video analyst

Abdoul DIOP
Kit man

Arthur YAPO
Fitness coach

Saïd OUKSIR
Fitness coach

Christophe DUBOIS
Physiotherapist

Florian PATALAGOITY
Physiotherapist

Régis BOXELÉ
Doctor
The Stade Pierre-de-Coubertin was inaugurated in 1937 as part of the World Exhibition. Following the damage caused by the Second World War, it was rebuilt in 1946. The major renovation of this historic stadium is from 1990.

Paris Saint-Germain Handball is the resident club. The Club did some work to personalize the stadium, including the creation of a weight room, a medical room or the installation of Rouge et Bleu colored seats, similar to the Parc des Princes.

Some additional work was carried out during the Summer 2016 to allow Paris Saint-Germain Handball to host Champions League matches. Since the 2016-2017 season, all home games are held at Stade Pierre-de-Coubertin. During handball matches, the capacity is 3,500 spectators.

Paris Saint-Germain realized a 46-game winning streak in Lidl Starligue in Stade Pierre-de-Coubertin from the 08/06/2017 to the 25/04/2021) and also broke a record for a French team with 56 straight games without a loss in Coubertin, all competitions included (55 wins and 1 draw against Kiel on March 2018) between June 8th 2017 and December 1st 2019. And in Champions League, the team stayed unbeaten at home during more than 5 years, between November 2014 and December 2019. Paris lost only three times since games are played in Coubertin (39 games, 34 wins, 2 draws and 3 losses).

Beyond gamedays, the Stade Pierre-de-Coubertin is where daily practices of the professional team and club youth system take place.

Press entrance during gamedays
Avenue Félix d’Hérelle, Paris 16e

Press entrance on non-match days
82 avenue Georges Lafont, Paris 16e

Parking Vinci Porte Saint Cloud
An indoor pay parking is located around the Stade Pierre de Coubertin, rue du Point du Jour.

Gare/Airport
The Montparnasse train station (5km) and Orly’s Airport (25km) are the two nationals and internationals exchange platforms near the stadium.

In Subway
The stop Porte de Saint-Cloud on the line 9 is the closer one near the stadium, around 2 minutes of walk. The line 9 of the subway cross the center of Paris by the north, and is in connection with others many lines of subway (1-6-7-8-10-13 to West side and 2-4-5 to East side)

In bus
The stop Porte de Saint Cloud, around 2 minutes walk away from the arena, serves many lines: 22-62-72-PC1-175-189-289. The stop Stade Pierre de Coubertin is on the bus line 189 too.
HISTORY

1941: The club was born in 1941 under the leadership of Christian Picard. At the beginning, the club’s name was Patriots of Asnieres before taking the name of Asnieres Sports few years later.

1945: At the Parc des Princes, in front of 15,000 spectators, the team played its first Coupe de France final but lost against Villemomble. At this time, handball was still played with 11 players.

1987: The city of Paris agreed with the city of Asnieres to create a big handball club in the French capital. The team moved in Paris and took a new name: Paris-Racing-Asnières before changing once again for Paris-Asnières.

1989: Paris attracted one of the best player of handball, Jackson Richardson. He wore the parisian jersey between 1989 and 1991. At this period, another future World Champion, Patrick Cazal, signed his first professional contract with the club.

1991/1992: The Paris Saint-Germain Omnisports, owned by Charles Biétry, has took control of the club called PSG-Asnières. Others sports section like volley-ball, rugby or boxing are launched by the Paris Saint-Germain.

1995/1996: Led by the 1995 World Champion and Olympic Games medalist Stéphane Stoecklin, the team finished 2nd of the French championship behind the OM-Vitrolles.

2000/2001: The Rouge & Bleu and Olivier Girault, winner of the World Cup few months before, lost against the Montpellier Handball during their first participation to the Coupe de France final.

2001/2002: A new chapter has been opened with Louis Nicollin, who stayed owner of the club until 2010.

2004/2005: Coached by Thierry Anti, the Rouge et Bleu ended the season at the 2nd place of the French championship and qualified for the 2005-2006 Champions League, where they lost in the round of 16.

2006/2007: The club earned his first trophy by winning against Aix-en-Provence in the Coupe de France final.

2009/2010: Down in 2nd division after the previous season, the team won the championship and moved back to 1st division.
2011/2012: Qatar Sports Investments became the new owner of the club, which is named Paris Saint-Germain Handball. Under the impulse of Nasser Al-Khelaïfi, a new team is put in place.

2012/2013: The Paris Saint-Germain Handball, coached by the World Champion Philippe Gardent, won the French championship for the first time of its history. Some international stars were part of the team like Luc Abalo, Samuel Honrubia, Mikkel Hansen or Didier Dinart, who ended his career on this trophy.

2013/2014: With Daniel Narcisse, who joined the club at the beginning of the season, Paris reached the quarter-finals of the Champions League for the first time and won against Chambery in the final of the Coupe de France.

2014/2015: The Parisians fought until the last game with Montpellier to win their second French championship title. Stronger with the arrival of Thierry Omeyer, the Paris Saint-Germain Handball realized an historic triple crown after winning the Trophée des Champions and the Coupe de France.

2015/2016: The Paris Saint-Germain Handball, which host a new coach, Zvonimir Serdarušić, and the Karabatic brothers at the summer 2015, won one more time the Trophée des Champions and in Lidl Starligue. The team participated for the first time to the Final Four of the Champions League, proving the rise in power of the club at the European level.

2016/2017: Another triple crown with a third Trophée des Champions, a third consecutive Lidl Starligue and a first win in Coupe de la Ligue. The Ligue des Champions ended by a cruel loss at the last second of the game in Final, against Skopje.

2017/2018: The Paris Saint-Germain Handball won for the first time Lidl Starligue - Coupe de France - Coupe de la Ligue. The Lidl Starligue title has been reached on the last week, which was also Daniel Narcisse last game, a true legend of French handball. In Champions league, Paris confirmed its power and qualified for Final4, where they ended at the third place.

2018/2019: Paris became national champion three games before the end of the Lidl Starligue. Eliminated in quarterfinals of Coupe de France against Montpellier, the Paris Saint-Germain Handball won one week after in Coupe de la Ligue for the third consecutive time. After breaking the record of points in Champions’ League group phase, the Rouge & Bleu lost in quarterfinals against Kielce despite an incredible performance at the second leg in Coubertin. The end of season is marked by the retirement of the one of the best French handball player and best goalkeeper ever, Thierry Omeyer.

2019/2020: The Paris Saint-Germain Handball won the Trophée des Champions against Montpellier. During the match, Vincent Gérard, new Parisian player and former player of the Montpellier Handball, is named MVP with 17 stops. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Rouge & Bleu are crowned champions of Lidl Starligue in April after 18 matches.

2020/2021: Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the LNH decides to cancel the Champions Trophy and the League Cup. The Rouge & Bleu achieved a historic start to the season by winning the first 22 days of Lidl Starligue. With 27 wins in 29 games, Paris won the French champion, a few weeks after winning the fifth Coupe de France in its history against Montpellier (26-30).
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