



SPORTS UPDATE

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2010 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION MEN'S SOCCER STANDINGS

MOUNTAIN DIVISION

	CONFERENCE						OVERALL							
	W	L	T	PTS	HOME	AWAY	W	L	T	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STRK
1. % Denver	6	2	2	20	2-2-1	4-0-1	9	7	4	.550	4-4-1	4-3-2	1-0-1	Lost 2
2. # New Mexico	5	2	3	18	2-2-1	3-0-2	9	6	5	.575	5-3-3	3-2-2	1-1-0	Lost 2
3. # Air Force	5	5	0	15	3-2-0	2-3-0	7	12	0	.368	5-4-0	2-7-0	0-1-0	Lost 3
4. # UNLV	3	5	2	11	1-3-1	2-2-1	6	11	2	.368	3-5-1	3-4-1	0-2-0	Lost 2

PACIFIC DIVISION

1. % CS Bakersfield	5	2	3	18	2-2-1	3-0-2	11	6	3	.625	4-2-1	5-3-2	2-1-0	Lost 1
2. \$ Sacramento State	2	2	6	12	1-0-4	1-2-2	11	5	7	.630	9-0-5	2-4-2	0-1-0	Lost 1
3. Seattle U	3	6	1	10	1-3-1	2-3-0	5	10	3	.361	1-4-3	2-5-0	2-1-0	Won 1
4. San Jose State	1	6	3	6	1-3-1	0-3-2	7	9	3	.447	5-4-1	1-5-2	1-0-0	Lost 1

*\$ MPSF Champion and automatic NCAA Tournament qualifier determined at MPSF Conference Tournament, Nov. 11-14 at Sacramento State...
& NCAA Tournament Appearance; # MPSF Tournament Appearance; % MPSF Division Title*

NCAA TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

(Home Team in CAPS)

Sunday, November 21, 2010

NCAA SECOND ROUND:

8 UCLA 4, Sacramento State 1

Thursday, November 18, 2010

NCAA FIRST ROUND:

SACRAMENTO STATE 2, Santa Clara 1
UC SANTA BARBARA 1, Denver 0 (2OT)
CREIGHTON 4, New Mexico 1

MPSF SOCCER ONLINE

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MPSF TOURNAMENT RESULTS

*Host: Sacramento State
(Hornet Soccer Field)*

Championship: Sunday, November 14

5 Sacramento State 1 0 1-- 2 (OT)
2 CS Bakersfield 1 0 0-- 1

Semifinals: Friday, November 12

#3 New Mexico 0 0-- 0
#2 CS Bakersfield 1 1-- 2

#5 Sacramento State 0 3-- 3
#1 Denver 0 1-- 1

Quarterfinals: Thursday, November 11

#6 UNLV 0 0 0-- 0
#3 New Mexico 0 0 1-- 1 (OT)

#4 Air Force 2 0-- 2
#5 Sacramento State 3 3-- 6

SACRAMENTO STATE REACHES NCAA SECOND ROUND



SACRAMENTO STATE (11-5-7 overall, 2-2-6 MPSF) defeated Santa Clara, 2-1 last Thursday, marking the second straight year in which the Hornets won their NCAA Tournament first round game. Ernesto Carranza scored in the 56th-minute, while MPSF Tournament MVP Chris Bettencourt scored the game-winner in the 86th, assisted by Max Alvarez. No. 8 national seed UCLA eliminated Sacramento State in the second round in Los Angeles Sunday, 4-1. Bettencourt finished 2010 with MPSF-highs of 11 goals and 26 points.



DENVER (9-7-4 overall, 6-2-2 MPSF) received an NCAA At-Large bid and was edged 1-0 in double overtime at Big West Champion UC Santa Barbara last Thursday. Senior Joe Willis ended his career with a 10-save effort in goal. The Pioneers were a semifinalist in the MPSF Tournament, winners of the regular season. Senior defender Mike Perry and junior midfielder Jarod Stigall were named to the all-tournament team. Stigall finished as the 2010 MPSF points per game (1.37) and assists per game leader (0.42).



NEW MEXICO (9-6-5 overall, 5-2-3 MPSF) reached the NCAA Tournament for the eighth time, dropping a 4-1 outcome at Creighton in the first round last Thursday. Devon Sandoval scored off the bench in the second half, assisted by Michael Green and Michael Reed. The Lobos were also MPSF Semifinalists this year, outlasting UNLV in the quarterfinals, 1-0 in overtime. Reed and junior midfielder Lance Rozeboom were honored as MPSF All-Tournament selections.



CS BAKERSFIELD (11-6-3 overall, 5-2-3 MPSF) turned in its most productive season on the NCAA Division I level, winning the Pacific Division and reaching the MPSF Championship game. The Roadrunners defeated No. 3 seed New Mexico, 2-0, in semifinal action in Sacramento. Freshman all-tournament honoree Gyasi Zardes recorded both goals in the win. The newcomer of the year finished just one assist shy of the MPSF lead. Player of the Year Jesus Sanchez joined Zardes on the all-tournament squad.



AIR FORCE (7-12-0 overall, 5-5-0 MPSF) concluded the year with a 6-2 quarterfinal defeat to MPSF Tournament host Sacramento State. All-MPSF honoree Zane Dydasco as well as John Melcher each scored in the first half. Sophomore all-tournament selection Kevin Durr recorded a team-high four goals on the year, all of which were game-winners. The Falcons improved three spots in this year's final standings, from seventh to fourth overall.



UNLV (6-11-2 overall, 3-5-2 MPSF) came up just short of No. 3 seed New Mexico 1-0 in overtime in the MPSF quarterfinals. Midfielder Zach Kupfer was named to the all-tournament team. Stephen Sifuentes led the Rebels with 15 points on the year, on six goals and three assists. Both Sifuentes and Nick Marshall, along with Jonny Espinoza and Mike Mota, turned in All-MPSF seasons.

2010 MPSF ALL-TOURNAMENT SELECTIONS

<i>No.</i>	<i>Player</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Position</i>
12	Chris Bettencourt (MVP)	Sacramento State	Junior	Forward
3	Rory O'Day	Sacramento State	Junior	Defender
10	Ernesto Carranza	Sacramento State	Senior	Midfield
13	Kevin Durr	Air Force	Sophomore	Midfield
23	Zach Kupfer	UNLV	Sophomore	Midfield
10	Michael Reed	New Mexico	Senior	Midfield
17	Lance Rozeboom	New Mexico	Junior	Midfield
4	Mike Perry	Denver	Senior	Defender
21	Jarod Stigall	Denver	Junior	Midfield
10	Jesus Sanchez	CS Bakersfield	Sophomore	Midfield
9	Gyasi Zardes	CS Bakersfield	Freshman	Forward

SOCCER TIMES TOP-25 POLL

(Nov. 15)

www.SoccerTimes.com

Rank	School	Record	Pts	Last
1	Louisville (12)	16-0-3	394	1
2	Akron (4)	18-1-1	387	2
3	Maryland	17-2-1	372	4
4	North Carolina	16-3-1	348	3
5	California	12-2-3	318	8
6	Butler	16-0-3	305	7
7	Southern Methodist	15-2-0	295	5
8	Connecticut	12-2-4	282	6
9	UCLA	14-4-1	264	9
10	Monmouth	14-1-4	229	11
11	William & Mary	15-3-2	226	15
12	Princeton	13-3-1	189	18
13	California-Irvine	14-3-3	177	10
14	Boston College	10-4-5	172	13
15	Creighton	12-5-1	151	12
16	Notre Dame	10-5-4	147	16
17	UC Santa Barbara	13-4-3	139	23
18	Virginia	11-5-3	132	14
19 (tie)	Michigan	14-4-3	109	nr
19 (tie)	South Carolina	12-6-2	109	nr
21	Brown	11-3-3	77	17
22	Providence	12-5-3	64	nr
23	Penn State	13-7-1	58	24
24	Pennsylvania	12-5-0	44	20
25	Charlotte	13-5-1	40	21

**52ND NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S
SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP**

FIRST ROUND: To be determined on campus sites on November 18, 2010

SECOND ROUND: To be determined on campus sites on November 21, 2010

THIRD ROUND: To be determined on campus sites on November 28, 2010

QUARTERFINALS: To be determined on campus sites December 3-5, 2010

2010 NCAA COLLEGE CUP

*Host: University of California, Santa Barbara
Harder Stadium
Santa Barbara, CA*

December 10 & 12, 2010



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MPSF MEN'S SOCCER 2010 PLAYERS OF THE WEEK		
<i>Week</i>	<i>Player</i>	<i>School</i>
Nov. 8	Blair Jeralds	Denver
Nov. 1	Justin Holmes	New Mexico
Oct. 25	Eric Shannon	CS Bakersfield
Oct. 18	Justin Holmes	New Mexico
Oct. 11	Jake Feener	Seattle U
Oct. 4	Jarod Stigall	Denver
Sept. 27	Rory O'Day	Sacramento State
Sept. 20	Ivan Dizdar	Seattle U
Sept. 13	Jarod Stigall	Denver
Sept. 7	Eric Shannon	CS Bakersfield

**2010 MPSF PRESEASON
COACHES' POLL**

Rank/School	Points	'09 Overall/MPSF
1. New Mexico	46 (4)	12-7-1 (5-2-0/#2)
2. Sacramento St	43 (3)	12-6-3 (6-0-1/#1)
3. Denver	31	5-10-4 (2-4-1/#6)
4. CS Bakersfield	30 (1)	8-7-2 (3-4-0/#4)
5. San Jose State	29	9-10-1 (5-3-0/#3)
6. Seattle U	18	4-12-1 (3-4-0/#4)
7. UNLV	16	8-7-4 (1-4-2/#8)
8. Air Force	11	7-8-2(2-5-0/#7)

