



2023 Santa Clara University WOMEN'S SOCCER

2023 Schedule

Date	Opponent	TV Info	Time
Aug. 11	at UC Davis#	None	W, 1-0
Aug. 17	SAN JOSE STATE	ESPN+	W, 2-1
Aug. 20	OREGON STATE	ESPN+	W, 4-0
Aug. 24	at Washington	Pac-12 Network	W, 5-1
Aug. 27	at Seattle	ESPN+	W, 2-0
Aug. 31	COLUMBIA	ESPN+	W, 1-0
Sept. 3	JAMES MADISON	ESPN+	W, 2-1
Sept. 7	at Cal	Pac-12 Network	T, 0-0
Sept. 10	at Cal Poly	ESPN+	T, 1-1
Sept. 17	at Stanford	Pac-12 Network	L, 0-1
Sept. 21	at San Francisco	ESPN+	L, 0-3
Sept. 24	PACIFIC	ESPN+	W, 6-0
Sept. 30	PEPPERDINE*	ESPN+	W, 1-0
Oct. 4	at Saint Mary's*	ESPN+	W, 4-0
Oct. 14	at Pacific*	ESPN+	W, 5-1
Oct. 18	SAN FRANCISCO*	ESPN+	L, 0-1
Oct. 21	LOYOLA MARYMOUNT*	ESPN+	W, 2-0
Oct. 29	at Gonzaga*	ESPN+	L, 0-1
Nov. 1	SAN DIEGO*	ESPN+	W, 2-0
Nov. 4	at Portland*	ESPN+	W, 1-0
Nov. 11	Arizona State!	ESPN+	W, 3-0
Nov. 17	at Penn State!!	ESPN+	3 p.m.

Home games in **BOLD** and played at Stevens Stadium

Times are Pacific and subject to change

- Exhibition

* - West Coast Conference Match

! - NCAA Tournament First Round (Santa Clara, Calif.)

!! - NCAA Tournament Second Round (State College, Penn.)

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No. 23 Santa Clara (14-4-2)

vs.

No. 5 Penn State (14-2-4)

**Friday, November 17 • 3 p.m. Pacific
State College, Penn. • Jeffrey Field**

Watch Live: ESPN+

Live Stats: NCAA.com

Series History

Series History Santa Clara trails 1-3-1
 Last Meeting..... Sept. 4, 2022 | L, 0-1
 First Meeting..... Nov. 24, 1996 | W, 3-1

Match Notes

- Santa Clara is a seven-seed in the tournament while Penn State is a two-seed.
- The two programs have met twice in the NCAA Tournament with each winning once. The most recent postseason meeting was in 2005 in Penn State that the Nittany Lions won 2-1 in the national quarterfinals.

Season Notes

- This season the Broncos have outscored their opponents 38-11. They have outshot their opponents 326-149 and 144-66 in shots on target and have drawn 139 corners and given up 45.
- Farrah Walters leads the team with 11 goals and 24 points while adding two assists. Jordyn Crosby has scored five times and Sally Menti has scored four with Colby Barnett and Mailin Orozco each adding three. Makoto Nezu, Leah O'Brien, Holly Furphy, and Annie Karich have all the back of the net twice. Seven others have scored once apiece giving the Broncos 16 goal scorers this year.
- Menti's nine assists lead the team with Barnett's six second. Addie Whitehouse and Alex Klos both have four. Nezu, Orozco, and Lucy Mitchell all have three. Five others have two with seven collecting one each. A total of 19 have registered an assist this year.
- Marlee Nicolos has taken over as the starter in net and has a 0.52 GAA with 46 saves for a .852 save percentage. She has eight solo shutouts and one shared with Kylie Foutch who has appeared in six games, allowing three goals, and has a 0.66 GAA with a .750 save percentage.

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- Santa Clara's 11 clean sheets this season are the most by the team since 2015 when they had the same number.
- Nicolos' shutout against Arizona State was the fifth of her postseason career, moving her closer to second all-time at Santa Clara, which seven held by Crystal Gordon (1997-2000). With the three saves, Nicolos moves within one of Melissa Lowder's (2015-18) 38 for third-most in program history.
- Annie Karich was named the WCC Defensive Player of the Year. She was also First Team All-WCC, joined by Farrah Walters and Sally Menti. Colby Barnett was named to the Second Team with Alyssa Bourgeois and Lucy Mitchell taking home honorable mention. Jordyn Crosby, Mailin Orozco, and Malia Yamamoto were named All-Freshman.
- Walters picked up her second WCC Offensive Player of the Week honor on October 16 after registering a brace at Pacific. She was also picked September 24 after recording a hat trick against the Tigers.
- Walters' hat trick was the 31st in program history and the second of her career. She also accomplished the feat September 8, 2022 when she scored her first three collegiate goals.
- Nicolos was named the WCC Defensive Player of the Week October 9 after making six saves in a shutout of Saint Mary's. She won again on November 7 after a shutout with nine saves at Portland.
- The offense scored 16 goals over four matches from September 24-October 14. It was the most in a four match stretch since scoring 22 over four matches in 2013. It's been a total team effort with 9 goal scorers and 12 with assists.
- Santa Clara's six goals against Pacific were their most since topping LMU 6-0 at home November 3, 2021.
- With the win over Pacific on October 14, the Broncos reached double-digit wins for the 15th year in a row and 36th time in Jerry Smith's 37 years leading the program.
- Santa Clara got a head start on the season with a foreign trip to Germany, Switzerland, and Austria from June 22-July 1. The Broncos played three matches against professional teams overseas, going 2-0-1.
- The Broncos have gone 13-2-2 over the last five NCAA Tournaments despite playing just five matches at home. They have hosted the first round in nine of the last 12 seasons, including 2020 when games were not at campus sites.
- Overall, the Broncos are 65-25-6 in the NCAA Tournament and 38-3-3 at home. They have won at least one game in each of their last 10 appearances and haven't lost in the first round since 2007, a span of 13 appearances. Santa Clara and Florida State are the only two teams in the country to have won at least one match in the NCAA Tournament in each of the last nine seasons.
- Santa Clara has been to 32 NCAA Tournaments, 12 College Cups (1989, 1990, 1992, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2020, 2021), and won two National Championships (2001, 2020). The program is one of just eight with two or more national titles. Only three teams have more.
- The Broncos have won the West Coast Conference 13 times (1993, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2013, 2020, 2021, 2022).
- Head coach Jerry Smith is in his 37th year. He has 548 career wins, the third most Division I wins in women's soccer history.

2023 Women's Soccer Roster

No.	Name	Position
0	Kylie Foutch	GK
1	Marlee Nicolos	GK
2	Malia Yamamoto	D
3	Bella Panaccione	D
4	Kylie Stiles	F
5	Annie Karich	M
7	Addie Whitehouse	F
8	Lia Henkelmann	M
9	Jordyn Crosby	F
10	Holly Furphy	F
11	Leah O'Brien	F
12	Alyssa Bourgeois	D
13	Rachel Bastone	D
14	Marisa Bubnis	D
15	Jacey Martinez	M
17	Farrah Walters	F
18	Mia Adams	D
19	Alex Klos	M
20	Ally Reynolds	GK
21	Karly Reeves	D
22	Abby Kiil	F
23	Lauren Zontos	GK
24	Sally Menti	F
25	Makoto Nezu	D
27	Lucy Mitchell	F/M
30	Amaris Franco	GK
31	Colby Barnett	F/M
33	Kelsey Oen	D
44	Mailin Orozco	F

Pronunciation Guide

Alyssa **BOURGOIS**.....booj-WAH
 Annie **KARICH**.....CARE-ick
AMARIS FRANCO . uh-MARE-iss Frank-oh
 Abby **KIIL**..... Keel
 Alex **KLOS**.....Kloss
 Marlee **NICOLOS**..... Nick-ah-less
 Kelsey **OEN**.....OH-en
MAILIN OROZCO..... MY-lean
 Bella **PANACCIONE** ... Pan-ah-CHO-knee
 Lauren **ZONTOS**..... ZON-tose