

SDSU Women's Soccer



This Week: Oct. 22 - vs. Air Force - 3 p.m.

2004 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
Aug. 27	at Oregon St.	L, 0-1
Aug. 29	at Oregon	T, 1-1(OT)
Sept. 3	Davidson^	W, 1-0
Sept. 5	Navy^	L, 0-1
Sept. 11	at San Diego	L, 1-4
Sept. 13	Southern Utah	W, 2-0
Sept. 17	vs. Oklahoma\$	T, 0-0(OT)
Sept. 19	vs. Dartmouth\$	L, 0-1
Sept. 24	at Cal St. Northridge	W, 3-2
Sept. 26	at UCSB	T, 0-0(OT)
Oct. 1	at Arizona St.	L, 0-3
Oct. 3	No. 3 Washington	L, 0-1
Oct. 7	at BYU*	T, 0-0(OT)
Oct. 9	at Utah*	T, 0-0(OT)
Oct. 15	Wyoming*	W, 1-0
Oct. 17	New Mexico*	W, 1-0 (OT)
Oct. 22	Air Force*	3 p.m.
Oct. 28	Colorado College	3 p.m.
Oct. 30	UNLV*	1 p.m.
Nov. 3	MWC Tournament	TBA
Nov. 12	NCAA Tournament	TBA

Home matches in bold, played at the SDSU Sports Deck

All times local to site

^ SDSU Tournament

\$ at Arizona St., Tempe, Ariz.

* MWC Game

2004 SDSU STATISTICS

Individual

Name	GP	G	A	Pts.	Sh.
Jen Klunder	16	3	1	7	30
Alexis Solovij	16	3	1	7	24
Gina Salinas	16	1	0	2	15
Jessica Korpela	16	1	0	2	12
Amanda Swiader	14	1	0	2	8
Courtney Burns	16	1	0	2	7
Lisa Nielsen	14	0	1	1	19
Tiphonie Elliott	16	0	1	1	18
Ashley Cooper	16	0	1	1	13
Noelle Jouglet	14	0	1	1	7

Shannon McBride	14	0	0	0	9
Erica Lopez	15	0	0	0	7
Amanda McKay	12	0	0	0	3
Jessica Girdner	10	0	0	0	3
Lisette Martinez	4	0	0	0	3
Casey Davidson	7	0	0	0	2
Danielle Mullen	2	0	0	0	2
Kelly Carter	16	0	0	0	1
Ashley Young	16	0	0	0	1

Goalkeeper Stats

Name	GP	Min	GA	S	GAA
Sophia Perez	15	1447	10	69	0.62
Gricelda Alvarez	2	93	4	2	3.89
Melissa Deckers	2	3	0	0	0.00

MWC STANDINGS

Team	Conf.	Overall
1. San Diego State	2-0-2	5-6-5
1. UNLV	3-1-0	10-3-2
3. Brigham Young	1-0-2	5-8-4
4. Utah	1-1-1	9-4-2
5. Wyoming	1-2-0	7-5-4
5. New Mexico	1-2-0	5-8-0
7. Air Force	0-3-1	3-10-2

Aztecs To Face Air Force on Friday

• The San Diego State Aztecs will play host to Mountain West Conference foe Air Force this weekend at 3 p.m. Friday on the SDSU Sports Deck. The Aztecs (5-6-5, 2-0-2 Mountain West Conference) are currently tied for first-place with UNLV (3-1 MWC) in the MWC.

Last Weekend With The Aztecs

• SDSU opened up its home portion of the Mountain West Conference schedule with 1-0 wins against former first-place teams Wyoming and New Mexico. On Oct. 15, sophomore Jen Klunder scored on a header in the 77th minute to lead the Aztecs past the Cowgirls. The play was setup when senior Noelle Jouglet sent a cross from the right side of the field to Klunder who knocked in a well-placed header into the upper-right side of the net from 15 yards away. The goal was SDSU's first goal since Sept. 24.

Senior Sophia Perez made five saves to earn her third consecutive and seventh shutout of the season.

On Oct. 17, Klunder tallied her second game-winning goal in as many games at the 93:08 mark of the first overtime to lead the Aztecs to a 1-0 triumph.

Early in the first overtime, freshman Lisa Nielsen slid a through ball to a streaking Ashley Cooper. Cooper, a junior, calmly collected the ball and fed it to a wide-open Klunder who put the ball in the back of the net from five yards out.

The Aztec defensive backfield of Jouglet and juniors Erica Lopez, Alexis Solovij and Amanda Swiader played stifling defense throughout, limiting the Lobos to six shots (three on goal).

Perez made three stops to earn her fourth consecutive and eighth shutout of the season.

Klunder, Jouglet Earn MWC Player of the Week Honors

• Sophomore Jen Klunder and senior Noelle Jouglet were named Mountain West Conference Offensive and Defensive Players of the Week on Monday. Klunder received her first career award, while Jouglet earned her second career accolade.

Klunder (La Mirada, Calif.), a sophomore, tallied two game-winning goals in back-to-back wins for the Aztecs. Against Wyoming, Klunder scored on a header at the 76:56 mark. Against the Lobos, Klunder scored from five yards out 3:08 into the first overtime. Klunder leads the squad in shots (30), shots on goal (16) and game-winning goals (two). She is tied for the team-lead in goals (three), assists (one) and points (seven).

A La Mesa, Calif. native, Jouglet leads a defense that has posted four consecutive shutouts and has gone 477:52 without allowing goal, the longest streak in program history. SDSU last surrendered a goal against then No. 3 Washington on Oct. 3. Against New Mexico on Oct. 17, Jouglet and the Aztec defense limited the Lobos to just three shots on goal. Jouglet, a senior, also added an assist in Klunder's game-winning goal versus Wyoming (Oct. 15).

Klunder and Jouglet coupled with senior goalkeeper Sophia Perez, who earned co-defensive honors a week ago, gives SDSU three player of the week honors, tied for the most in the conference with Brigham

Young, UNLV and Utah.

Streaking

• The Aztecs 2-0-2 start in the Mountain West Conference is their best start to open a conference season since the 1999 campaign, when SDSU went 5-1 in the MWC regular season. That year, the Aztecs dropped a 2-1 decision to Brigham Young in the MWC Championship. The Aztecs still advanced to the NCAA Tournament, but fell in the first round to San Diego, 2-1.

SDSU's four-game unbeaten streak is its longest such streak since the 2002 season, when the Aztecs won four games in a row.

Not Here, Not Now

• Offense wins games, but defense wins championships. That could be the main reason SDSU is still alive for the MWC regular season championship.

Through 16 games, the Aztecs have

given up just 14 goals. It is the fewest amount of goals allowed in the first 14 games for a SDSU team since the 1998 squad gave up 10 goals to start their historic campaign. The 1998 Aztecs went on to finish the season with a 19-3-1 record and advanced to the third round of the NCAA tournament.

The SDSU defense, which has three consecutive shutouts, has gone 477:52 without allowing a goal, its longest streak in the program's 16-year history.

The 2004 defense has been led by the play of senior Noelle Jouglet, junior Amanda Swiader and senior Alexis Solovij, a 2003 all-MWC first team selection, who joined the backfield on the Utah trip and played a big part in SDSU's shutout streak.

The Great Wall of Sophia

• In 15 starts this season, senior goalkeeper Sophia Perez has made 69 saves, while recording a 87.3 save percentage in 1447+ minutes of action. Perez is 5-5-5 with eight shutouts and a 0.62 goals against average. The Aztec single-season record for goals against average is 0.61 set by Katherine Judkins in 1998.

Scouting the Falcons

• Air Force is off to a 3-10-2 start, 0-3-1 in the MWC (seventh place). The Falcons went 0-1-1 last weekend in home games against Utah (L, 0-4) and Brigham Young (T, 1-1).

Sophomore forward Brittney Perkowski leads Air Force in scoring with nine points (three goals, three assists). Junior midfielder Meredith Benson has three goals (six points) and senior Elaine Tatarek has contributed two goals and two assists (six points).

Freshman goalkeeper Jennifer Drew has been the bright spot for the Falcons. In 15 games, she has stopped 83 shots and has posted a 1.58 GAA.

The Aztecs are 6-1 all-time against Air Force, including last year's 1-0 victory at USAF, Colo. The Falcons lone win versus SDSU came in 2001, when Air Force took a 3-0 decision over the Aztecs.

Did You Know?

• The six overtime games played this season are the most by an Aztec team in the program's 16-year history.