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San Diego State University



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State University began as the San Diego Normal School, a training facility for elementary school teachers. Seven faculty and 91 students met in temporary quarters over a downtown drugstore before moving to a newly constructed 17-acre campus on Park Boulevard.

The curriculum was limited at first to English, history and mathematics, but course offerings broadened rapidly under the leadership of Samuel T. Black, who left his position as state superintendent of public instruction to become the new school's first president. Black served from 1898 to 1910.

From 1910 to 1935, President Edward L. Hardy headed a vigorous administration that oversaw major changes to the fledgling institution. In 1921, the Normal School became San Diego State Teachers College, a four-year public institution controlled by the state Board of Education. In that same year, the two-year San Diego Junior College, forerunner of today's local community colleges, became a branch of San Diego State, creating a union that lasted until 1946.

By the 1920s, San Diego State was already beginning to outgrow its Park Boulevard location, and San Diegans launched a campaign to build a new campus on the city's eastern border.

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In February 1931, students, faculty and staff moved into seven Mission-style buildings surrounding a common area still known as the Main Quad.

Four years later, the Legislature authorized expansion of degree programs beyond teacher education, and San Diego State Teachers College became San Diego State College. Also in 1935, Walter R. Hepner took the helm as president, beginning a 17-year tenure. The college continued to grow over time, reaching an enrollment of more than 25,000

students during the administration of Malcolm A. Love, who served as president from 1952 to 1971.

In 1960, San Diego State became part of the newly created California State College system, now known as the California State University system. In the early 1970s, with legislative approval, San Diego State College became San Diego State University.

Leading the institution during the 1970s were acting president Donald E. Walker (1971-1972), president Brage Golding (1972-1977), acting president Trevor Colbourn (1977-1978) and president Thomas B. Day, whose tenure spanned from 1978 to 1996. In 1996, Stephen L. Weber became the University's seventh president.

Beginning its 110th academic year in fall 2006, San Diego State University can take pride in more than a century of achievement in education, research and service. With an enrollment of more than 35,000 students, SDSU has grown into

the largest institution of higher education in the San Diego region and one of the largest in California.

Renowned for its academic excellence, the university is home to top-ranking programs in education, international business, social work, speech-language pathology, biology and public administration, to name just a few. Overall, San Diego State students can choose from 81 undergraduate majors, 72 master's programs and 16 doctoral degree programs.

One in seven San Diegans with a col-

lege degree attended SDSU, making San Diego State a primary educator of the region's work force, as well as a leader in expanding access to higher education. Committed to serving the richly diverse San Diego region, SDSU ranks among the top universities nationwide in terms of ethnic and racial diversity among its student body, as well as the number of bachelor's degrees conferred upon students of color.

Increasingly recognized for innovative research, San Diego

State has achieved the prestigious Doctoral/Research University-Intensive designation. This is granted by the Carnegie Foundation to the top 6.7 percent of the nation's research-conducting universities. Since 2000, SDSU faculty and staff have attracted more than \$600 million in grants and contracts for research and program administration. SDSU ranks among the top 100 public universities nationwide in research expenditures, and SDSU's research fund-

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Local Presence

One in seven college graduates in San Diego are SDSU alums



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Grants

\$600 million since 2000

Private Giving

\$65 million since 2003-2004

External Funding

More than \$500 million over the last four years

ing has doubled from a decade ago.

Private giving to San Diego State has also risen sharply in recent years, reaching a record \$65 million in the 2003-2004 fiscal year. Because state funds and student fees provide only slightly more than half of the university's annual operating requirements, the support of alumni, friends and community partners is providing a crucial margin of excellence at San Diego State, enabling the University to fulfill its mission and expand its service to the San Diego region and beyond.

SDSU welcomes opportunities to bring the university's full resources to bear in analyzing and resolving complex community problems. A prime example is the City Heights Educational Collaborative, an ongoing partnership with San Diego City Schools, the San Diego Education Association, teachers and parents. Funded with an \$18 million grant from Price Charities, the Collaborative is improving instruction for students and professional development for teachers in three inner-city schools managed by the University.

Another initiative to improve education in the San Diego region and beyond is the Qualcomm Institute for Innovation and Educational Success, launched in 2004 with a record \$14.5 million corporate gift from Qualcomm. The Institute supports programs that aim to enhance math and engineering education across the K-12 spectrum, and supports efforts to revitalize performance in urban school districts nationwide.

Yet another example of San Diego State's innovative community engagement is SDSU Nurses Now, a partnership with 12 local hospitals and health organizations designed to alleviate the region's nursing shortage. With more than \$2 million in funding commitment from health care partners secured so far, SDSU has increased its nursing faculty, enabling the university to educate more future nurses. The first three expanded classes of nursing students made possible by this program already are in the work force.

Perhaps the most visible evidence of SDSU's continuing growth is a recent flurry of campus construction on Montezuma Mesa. Recently completed facilities, totaling more than \$200 million in value, include Cuicacalli, a dining and residence complex; the Chemical Sciences Laboratory, a showcase of leading-edge laboratories and infrastructure; a 2,458space parking structure, the largest in the California State University system; and the Aztec Athletics Center, housing coaches' offices, training facilities and the Wise Foundation Hall of Fame. The summer of 2005 also marked the long-awaited completion of the SDSU trolley station and tunnel, part of the Metropolitan Transit Development Board's Mission Valley East extension of the San Diego Trolley system.

Beyond accolades and campus expansion, San Diego State University remains, as always, most proud of its alumni family, now more than 200,000 strong. Among those who call SDSU their alma mater are Federal Trade Commission Chairman Timothy Muris, former Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Merrill A. "Tony" McPeak, San Diego County supervisors Greg Cox, Dianne Jacob, Pam Slater, Ron Roberts and Bill Horn; former San Diego Mayor Maureen O'Connor, San Diego city council member Jim Madaffer, National Teachers of the Year Janis Gabay (1990) and Sandra McBrayer (1994), astronaut Ellen Ochoa and Costco CEO and cofounder Jim Sinegal.

Aztec alumni also include entertainers Gregory Peck, Art Linkletter, Marion Ross, Julie Kavner and Kathy Najimy; Hollywood producer Kathleen Kennedy; golfers Lon Hinkle and Gene Littler; baseball players Tony Gwynn, Mark Grace, Travis Lee and Graig Nettles; football players Marshall Faulk, Brian Sipe, Fred Dryer and Kyle Turley; America's Cup skipper Dennis Conner; and basketball player Michael Cage.

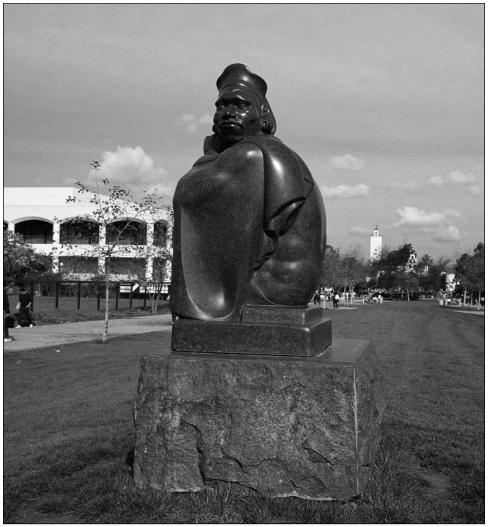
The success of these individuals and thousands of other SDSU alumni attest eloquently to the success of their alma mater. From modest beginnings, San Diego State University has evolved into a premier center of learning, research and service.

Aztec Culture



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Aztecs and SDSU



San Diego State University first adopted the Aztec name in the 1920s as a nickname for the college's sports teams. In 1925, the student newspaper followed suit, changing its name from *The Paper Lantern* to *The Aztec*. Since that time, San Diego State's celebration of Aztec heritage has permeated the campus. In 1936, a Donald Hord sculpture of Montezuma II, the last Aztec emperor, became a welcoming campus icon. With the passing years, Aztec themes echoed in the names, colors and architectural elements of new campus buildings. And Aztec culture became the subject of more than a dozen university courses.

In 1941, Monty Montezuma, a character based on Montezuma II, debuted at San Diego State athletic events as a symbolic personification of the Aztecs. Over time, the Montezuma character's look and activities have evolved from a sports mascot into a more dignified and accurate representation of the historical emperor. Montezuma now serves as the university's ambassador of Aztec culture, charged with the responsibility of informing and educating the San Diego community about Aztec civilization. SDSU continues to take pride in its affiliation with Aztec culture and to celebrate the Aztec virtues of strength, valor and intellectual achievement.

SDSU'S Aztec Heritage

From the early decades of its history, San Diego State has identified itself with the Aztecs, one of the most sophisticated and distinctive societies in the history of the Western Hemisphere. A fitting choice for a university committed to internationalism and diversity, the Aztec identity evokes great pride in Mexico, as well as among many people in the United States, and certainly within the SDSU community. Consequently, San Diego State strives to honor the Aztec people by enhancing awareness, understanding and appreciation of Aztec culture and achievements.

Aztec History

Aztec civilization dates back to at least the 12th century A.D. The precise location is still debated by scholars, but tradition tells us of a place somewhere north of modern-day Mexico City known at that time as Aztlan, which meant "the place of the cranes" or "the place of the herons." The people who lived in this land were called Azteca meaning "those of Aztlan."

The Azteca eventually left their homeland and

became known as the Mexica. Native folklore attributes this name change to the instructions of the people's patron deity, Huitzilopochtli (Hummingbird on the Left).

Around 1325, the Mexica settled on an island in Lake Texcoco, an area that is now the heart of Mexico City, and named it Tenochtitlan or "the place of the fruit of the cactus." A century later, the Mexica and two other Nahuatl-speaking city-states, Texcoco and Tlacopan, combined to create an entity popularly known as the Aztec Empire.

Boasting a strong military force, this new alliance commanded a sphere of influence that stretched across much of present-day Mexico.

Tenochtitlan and its surrounding valley evolved into a highly sophisticated, multicultural and multilingual city-state of several million inhabitants. At this same time, major European cities numbered only 30,000 to 40,000 in population. A cradle of innovation, the Aztec Empire developed advanced systems of trade, science, politics, religion, education and agriculture. The Aztecs also enjoyed sports and built grand ball-courts to accommodate team events.



Dr. Stephen L. Weber





Dr. Stephen L. Weber

University President 11th Year at SDSU

tephen L. Weber, the seventh president of San Diego State University, provides dynamic leadership to an institution that ranks among the largest in the nation. Educated as a philosopher, President Weber began his tenure at SDSU in July 1996 and shortly afterward initiated a broad-based dialogue intended to set the course for the university's future.

Under President Weber's guidance, students, faculty, staff, alumni, and community leaders participated in shaping this "Shared Vision." SDSU is now moving boldly ahead toward goals set by those discussions: reinforcing academic excellence, nurturing students, honoring diversity and social justice, carefully stewarding resources, and further developing global programs.

In the process, SDSU has become an increasingly popular and selective choice among college-bound students. For fall 2006, some 52,000 undergraduate applicants competed for 8,707 vacancies. Not surprising, the overall academic quality of SDSU students is also rising. In addition, alumni involvement and private financial support of the university have never been stronger.

A champion of community involvement as well as academic excellence, President Weber has been an advocate for community service. Leading by example, he is a past chair of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities Board of Directors and cochair of Partners for K-12 School Reform. He also serves on the boards of governors of The Peres Center for Peace and the San Diego Foundation, and on the boards of directors of the San Diego Regional Economic Development Corporation and the San Diego Science and Technology Council. He co-chairs the College Presidents Forum of the San Diego County Policy Panel on Youth Access to Alcohol.

President Weber is a member of the international advisory board for the Foundation for Children of the Californias, the advisory council of the San Diego Performing Arts League, the Community Advisory Board of Union Bank of California, and the advisory board for San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E).

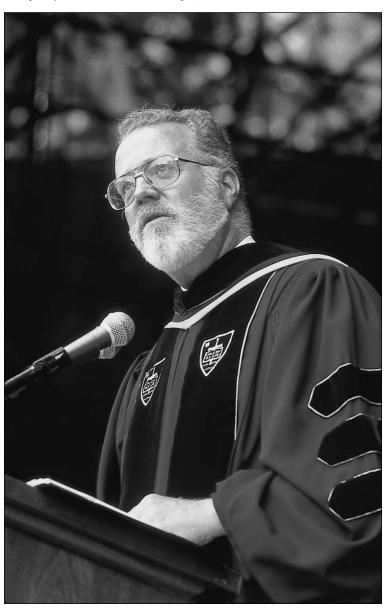
He serves on the National Collegiate Athletics Association (NCAA) Division I Board of Directors and served on the Presidential Oversight Committee for the Bowl Championship Series. He is a member of the San Diego Rotary Club, an honorary director of the Japan Society of San Diego and Tijuana, and an honorary advisor to the Asia Desk of the San Diego World Trade Center.

Born in Boston, President Weber is a graduate of Bowling Green University with a B.A. in philosophy. He received his Ph.D. in philosophy from the University of Notre Dame in 1969 and is the author of numerous articles on philosophy and higher education.

President Weber's many awards include an honorary degree from Beijing Capital Normal University, and distinguished alumnus at his alma mater, Bowling Green University. He was named among the 1997 Headliners of the Year by the San Diego Press Club. Also in 1997, the San Diego Mediation Center honored him with its Peacemaker Award. In 1999, President Weber received the Executive Director's Award from the San Diego Education Association and the Gold Key Award from the San Diego Hospitality Association. He was recognized as a Leader of Vision by the league of Women Voters of San Diego in 2000.

Before coming to San Diego State University, President Weber served as interim provost of the State University of New York (SUNY); he previously served seven years as president of the SUNY Oswego campus. Prior to that, he was vice president of academic affairs at St. Cloud State University in Minnesota, dean of arts and sciences at Fairfield University in Connecticut, and assistant to the president of the University of Maine. While a faculty member at the University of Maine, he was recognized as the outstanding professor in humani-

President Weber is married to Susan Keim Weber, who shares his enthusiastic commitment to SDSU. They have two



Jeff Schemmel



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Teff Schemmel, who brings a wealth of experience, a history of success and new expectations to Montezuma Mesa, was introduced as San Diego State's Director of Athletics on July 6, 2005.

Schemmel immediately became one of the most accomplished sitting athletic directors in the country. He is a former practicing attorney, has directed a Final Four, served as a senior administrator at Big 10 and Big 12 schools, and played a part in what might be the biggest football turnaround in the history of college athletics.

Schemmel arrived at San Diego State from Conference USA, where he had served as associate commissioner for governance and legal affairs since October of 2004. During his stay in Dallas, he helped the league negotiate television contracts with ESPN and College Sports Television that exceeded more than \$100 million in revenue, and he served as a member of the NCAA Division I Management Council.

From February of 2004 to October of 2004, Schemmel was the senior vice president and executive director of development for the Arizona State University Foundation, where he oversaw that school's fundraising efforts while supervising approximately 135 employees across the Tempe campus.

Schemmel was an administrator at the University of Minnesota from 1991 to 2003. During his stay in the Twin Cities, he advanced from associate athletic director for compliance to senior associate athletic director and chief operating officer for Gopher athletics.

Along with his departmental duties, Schemmel directed the school's efforts in hosting NCAA Championship events, including the 2001 Final Four, one of America's fastest growing events.

He also supervised and implemented a \$3 million capital improvement campaign, and was heavily involved in the hiring of football coach Glen Mason and men's basketball coach Dan Monson, both of whom have revitalized programs in Minneapolis.

From 1988 to 1991, Schemmel was an administrator at his alma mater, Kansas State. He served as the school's assistant athletic director for development and later was the associate athletic director for compliance while supervising the school's Olympic sports.

Schemmel was part of the management team that hired Bill Snyder as the Wildcats head football coach. Under Snyder's direction, Kansas State executed what is considered one of the greatest turnarounds in college football history. K-State had made just one bowl appearance

in its history prior to Snyder's arrival, did not win a single game in the two seasons before he took over in 1989, and had just three wins in the previous four seasons. Under Snyder, the Wildcats went to a bowl game 11 times and claimed their first-ever Big 12 title.

Schemmel was a decorated runner at Kansas State and was named the 1976 outstanding student athlete at the school. As a Wildcat, he was a fourtime track and field All-American, a five-time Big 8 Conference champion, was a member of a national champion distance medley relay team and won the Big 8 Conference Medallion.

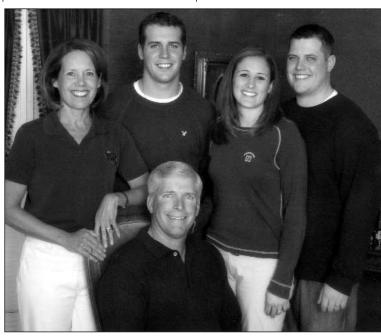
He also served as an ABC Television and Time Magazine correspondent for the 1976 Summer Olympics in Montreal.

After earning his undergraduate degree in

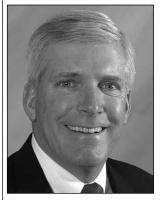
political science, Schemmel earned his law degree at Washburn University in Topeka, Kan. He began his professional career as an attorney and later was a partner in his own firm, specializing in business and sports law.



Schemmel and his wife, Lori, have been married for 29 years. They have two adult sons, Justin, and Jon, who plays minor league baseball in the New York Mets organization.



San Diego State University Director of Athletics Jeff Schemmel with wife Lori, sons Jonathan and Justin, and daughter-in-law Carrie.



Jeff Schemmel

Director of Athletics Second Year at SDSU Kansas State '76

Education

1976 - B.S. degree from Kansas State

1979 - Juris Doctor from Washburn University School of

Career Experience

1988-1991 Assistant/Associate Director of Athletics Kansas State University

1991-1994

Associate Director of Athletics -Director of Compliance University of Minnesota

2001

Executive Director 2001 NCAA Men's Basketball Final Four

1994-2003

Senior Assoc. Athletics Director - Chief Operating Officer University of Minnesota

2003-2004

Senior V.P., ASUF Executive Director of Development Arizona State Univerity

2004-2005

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2005-present Director of Athletics San Diego State University

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Football Assistant Coach



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Mike LoBue Track and Field Assistant Coach



Chuck Long Football Head Coach



Marty Malano Men's Basketball Administrative Assistant



Mark Martinez Baseball Assistant Coach



Peter Mattera Women's Tennis Head Coach



LeCharls McDaniel Football Assistant Coach



Del Miller Football Assistant Coach



Allison Miner Physical Therapist/Athletic SASS/Compliance Trainer



Lori Mitchell Administrative Assistant



Maria Moreno-Pardo Learning Specialist



Brian Murphy Video Coordinator

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Jennifer Nanista Track & Field and Cross Country Assistant Coach



Toby Neinas Football Assistant Coach



Dave Noll Event Management Asst. of Facilities & Operations



David Ohton Strength and Conditioning Coach



Genieve Pascoe Assistant Director of Compliance



Kate Paye Women's Basketball Assistant Coach



Carolyn Peters Assistant Athletic Trainer



Nick Pettit Director of Athletic **Equipment Servicesr**



Diana Philippi Assistant Athletic Director of AAF/Annual Giving



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Media Credentials

Credentials for San Diego State home games are issued to working media only and should be requested as early as possible and at least 48 hours prior to tipoff. Requests should be made in writing on company letterhead.

Season credentials will be granted only to daily newspapers and television/radio stations that cover Aztec Basketball on a regular basis. Otherwise, television/radio station and weekly newspapers will be granted credentials on a single-game space-available basis.

Membership in a writers' association does not automatically qualify an individual or outlet for credentials.

There is a limited amount of press seating available and a season credential does not guarantee a seat in the media area. Media agencies with season credentials still need to contact the media relations office to request media

Single-game credentials should be requested at least 48 hours in advance. To confirm receipt of credential requests or to check the status of a credential request, please contact the San Diego State Media Relations Office. All requests for credentials should be faxed to the media relations office at (619) 582-6541

San Diego State reserves the right to deny media credentials to any individual who is not affiliated with an official news gathering organization.

Internet Sites

Only the official website of the opponent will be issued credentials. Only the official website of an opponent will be allowed "real time" transmissions of San Diego State home athletic events. Those rights are owned by San Diego State, the Mountain West Conference and its television partners.

Non-Originating Radio

Individuals representing radio stations which are not originating the broadcast of the game will be considered on a space-available basis.

Scouting Tickets

Due to limited media seating at Cox Arena, professional basketball scouts must purchase a ticket. Requests should be made to Mike May in the SDSU Media Relations Office. Scouts are permitted access to the media work room for access to game notes and sta-

San Diego State Athletic Media Relations Staff

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Parking

On game day, media parking is located on the first level of Parking Structure 4, just north of the arena. Game credentials provide admittance to the structure.

Do not park in the tunnel entrance lot at any point on game days. Violators will be towed.

Will Call/Media Entrance

Members of the media must enter through the loading dock doors of Cox Arena located through the L Lot. This also serves as the media will call loca-

Media Room

The media room and all postgame activities will be conducted in rooms located underneath the arena seating. Media should exit the tunnel located beneath gate N.

Photographers

Photographers are restricted to either designated areas along the baseline and are not permitted along courtside during the game.

Media Seating

Media will be assigned seats along press row tables located behind the visitor's bench. Please check the media seating chart posted in the media workroom.

Seating is extremely limited and a credential does not guarantee a seat in the press area. Season credential holders are asked to call and confirm when they are covering a game to receive an assigned

Postgame Interviews

Home Games - The San Diego State locker room is closed to the media, although selected players will be available for interviews in the women's team lounge. A representative of the SDSU Media Relations office will escort members of the media to the postgame interview area.

SDSU players and Coach Steve Fisher, following a short postgame radio session, will be available to the media in the postgame interview area. Typically, players are available between five and 10 minutes following the departure of the team off the court. followed by Coach Fisher.

Only the television network broadcasting the game live may request coaches and players on the court following the game. Those requests must be made through Mike May.

Opponent Interviews at Cox Arena -Typically, interviews of opposing players/coaches take place outside the visitor locker room. Contact the visiting SID for his or her policy prior to the

Road Games - The SDSU locker room is closed. Following a brief cooling off period, Aztec players are available for interviews. Fisher will meet with the media upon completion of his postgame radio interview.

Telephones

The media relations office provides several charge-a-call phones in the press room off the arena floor. The phones are available on a first-come,

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first-served basis. For courtside phone service, contact Mike Dils (Cox Arena) at (619) 594-3533. Phone lines for visiting originating radio broadcasts (one ISDN, one business) will be provided on a reciprocal basis.

Weekly Interviews

All interview requests for Aztec players, coaches and administrators should be directed to the Media Relations office at least one day prior to the interview.

This season, Steve Fisher and selected players will be available at a weekly news conference to be held in Cox Arena. Please contact the media relations office for specific dates and times.

Players and coaches are generally available after practices, although media are asked to confirm this through the media relations office the day prior to the interview.

On game days, no Aztec players will be available until the postgame media sessions.

Practices

Media wishing to attend practice should contact the Aztec Media Relations office one day in advance, to ensure the practice is open and will be conducted at Cox Arena.

Media attending practice are asked to sit at least 10 rows off the floor. This includes videographers and still photographers.

When covering practice, obtain a special parking permit from the Cox Arena administrative offices and show media parking credential. Permits for parking during practice are available in the Cox Arena offices, and allow vehicle parking in the tunnel entrance lot. Those offices close at 4:30 p.m.

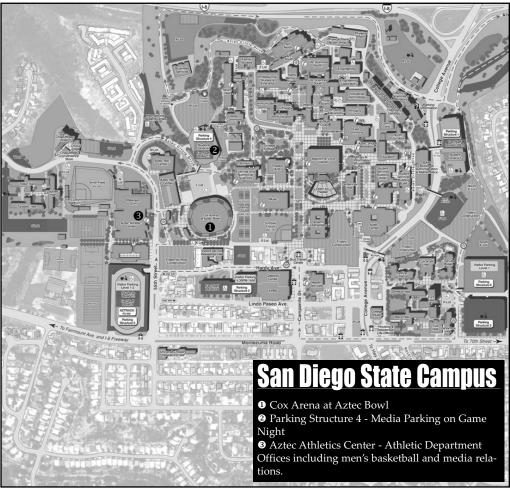
All game-day practices and road practices are closed to the media.

Media Releases

Note packages will be available at least one day prior to each game and in many instances, much earlier.

The game notes will be e-mailed to local and national outlets and posted on San Diego State's official athletic web site. If you wish to be added to the distribution list, please e-mail Mike May at mmay@mail.sdsu.edu or call (619) 594-5547.

Pregame packets, including notes and statistics, will be available prior to tipoff. Timeout, halftime and final statistics, plus a running play-by-play and postgame notes will be provided. Media monitors will allow broadcasters access to updated information. A light meal will be provided during pregame.



Aztec Access

The official website of San Diego State athletics, goaztecs.com, includes rosters, schedules, statistics, player bios, press releases and game notes. The website is updated daily.

Each game, San Diego State press releases, notes and statistics are e-mailed to a large contingent of media locally, regionally and nationally. If you would like to be added to the list, please contact Mike May (mmay@mail.sdsu.edu).

Aztec Weekly Press Conferences

For the sixth consecutive season, Steve Fisher will conduct a weekly news conference, followed by selected players. Media members should contact the media relations office for accurate dates and times.

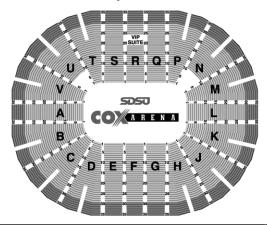
Food courtesy of Da Kine's will be provided prior to the news conference.

Directions to Cox Arena

To Cox Arena: From Interstate 8, take the College Avenue exit and go south.

Turn right at Montezuma (second stop light at the top of the hill). Go to the second stop light (55th Street) and turn right. Cox Arena is located one-half mile up on the right hand side.

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Murray State	MDD Cardy Dilla Variation	2005-06 Record: 24-7	MBB SID: Dave Winder	Control CDCII 1.0
Location: Murray, Ky. Enrollment: 10,200 Conference: Ohio Valley Colors: Navy and Gold Nickname: Racers	MBB Coach: Billy Kennedy Alma Mater: Southeastern La. '86 Record at School: First Year Career Record: 102-126	Conference Record: 17-3	Office Phone: (270) 809-4271 E-mail: dave.winder@murraystate.edu Website: goracers.com	Series: SDSU, 1-0 Streak: SDSU, 1 In San Diego: none In Murray: none Neutral Site: SDSU, 1-0
Saint Mary's				
Location: Moraga, Calif. Enrollment: 4,768 Conference: West Coast Colors: Navy and Red Nickname: Gaels	MBB Coach: Randy Bennett Alma Mater: UC San Diego '86 Record at School: 85-68 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 17-12 Conference Record: 8-6 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/3	MBB SID: Rich Davi Office Phone: (925) 631-4402 E-mail: rdavi@stmarys-ca.edu Website: smcgaels.com Fax: (925) 376-1037	Series: SMC, 3-2 Streak: SMC, 2 In San Diego: SMC, 2-1 In Moraga: Tied, 1-1 Neutral Site: none
Seattle Pacific				
Location: Seattle, Wash. Enrollment: 4,000 Conference: Great N.W. Athletic Colors: Maroon and White Nickname: Falcons UC San Diego	MBB Coach: Jeff Hironaka Alma Mater: E. Oregon '80 Record at School: 76-39 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 26-6 Conference Record: 14-4 Postseason: NCAA D-II Elite 8, 4-1 Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/5	Website: spu.edu/falconsonline	Series: SPU, 1-0 Streak: SPU, 1 In San Diego: none In Seattle: SPU, 1-0 Neutral Site: none
Location: La Jolla, Calif.	MBB Coach: Bill Carr	2005-06 Record: 15-14	MBB SID: David Wahlstrom	Series: SDSU, 7-0
Enrollment: 25,278 Conference: CCAA (Div. II) Colors: Blue and Gold Nickname: Tritons	Alma Mater: San Francisco '91 Record at School: 26-30 Career Record: 110-53	Conference Record: 12-8 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 12/1	Office Phone: (858) 534-8437 E-mail: dwahlstrom@ucsd.edu Website: ucsdtritons.com Fax: (858) 534-8475	Streak: SDSU, 7 In San Diego: 7-0 In La Jolla: none Neutral Site: none
California				
Location: Berkeley, Calif. Enrollment: 33,000 Conference: Pacific 10 Colors: Blue and Gold Nickname: Golden Bears	MBB Coach: Ben Braun Alma Mater: Wisconsin '75 Record at School: 186-121 Career Record: 519-356	2005-06 Record: 20-11 Conference Record: 12-6 Postseason: NCAA-1st Round, 0-1 Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/5	MBB SID: Herb Benenson Office Phone: (510) 642-0515 E-mail: benenson@berkeley.edu Website: calbears.com Fax: (510) 643-7778	Series: California, 3-2 Streak: California, 2 In San Diego: California 2-1 In Berkeley: tied, 1-1 Neutral Site: none
UC Riverside				
Location: Riverside, Calif. Enrollment: 17,000 Conference: Big West Colors: Blue and Gold Nickname: Highlanders	MBB Coach: David Spencer Alma Mater: Delaware '72 Record at School: 5-23 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 5-23 Conference Record: 3-11 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 4/7	MBB SID: Ross French Office Phone: (951) 827-5438 E-mail: ross.french@ucr.edu Website: athletics.ucr.edu Fax: (951) 827-5889	Series: SDSU, 5-0 Streak: SDSU, 5 In San Diego: SDSU, 5-0 In Riverside: none Neutral Site: none
UC Santa Barbara				
Location: Santa Barbara, Calif. Enrollment: 20,847 Conference: Big West Colors: Blue and Gold Nickname: Gauchos	MBB Coach: Bob Williams Alma Mater: San Jose State '76 Record at School: 122-111 Career Record: 311-211	2005-06 Record: 15-14 Conference Record: 6-8 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/8	MBB SID: Bill Mahoney Office Phone: (805) 893-3428 E-mail: bill.mahoney@athletics.ucsb.edu Website: ucsbgauchos.com Fax: (805) 893-4537	Series: SDSU, 53-34 Streak: SDSU, 2 In San Diego: SDSU, 31-14 In Santa Barbara: SDSU, 21-2 Neutral Site: SDSU, 1-0
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Location: San Diego, Calif. Enrollment: 7,600 Conference: West Coast Colors: Torero Blue, Navy & White Nickname: Toreros	MBB Coach: Brad Holland Alma Mater: UCLA '79 Record at School: 182-162 Career Record: 205-193	2005-06 Record: 18-12 Conference Record: 6-8 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/3	MBB SID: Ted Gosen Office Phone: (619) 260-4745 E-mail: tgosen@sandiego.edu Website: usdtoreros.com Fax: (619) 260-2990	Series: SDSU, 20-17 Streak: USD, 1 At SDSU: SDSU, 15-8 At USD: USD, 8-5 Neutral Site: USD, 1-0
Western Michigan				
Location: Kalamazoo, Mich. Enrollment: 26,951 Conference: Mid-American Colors: Brown and Gold Nickname: Broncos	MBB Coach: Steve Hawkins Alma Mater: South Alabama '87 Record at School: 60-35 Career Record: 197-146	2005-06 Record: 14-17 Conference Record: 10-8 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 9/4	MBB SID: Matt Holmes Office Phone: (269) 387-3168 E-mail: matt.holmes@wmich.edu Website: wmubroncos.com Fax: (269) 387-4139	Series: Tied, 1-1 Streak: SDSU, 1 In San Diego: SDSU, 1-0 In Kalamazoo: WMU, 1-0 Neutral Site: none
Arizona				
Location: Tucson, Ariz. Enrollment: 37,000 Conference: Pacific 10 Colors: Cardinal and Navy Nickname: Wildcats	MBB Coach: Lute Olson Alma Mater: Augsburg '56 Record at School: 569-177 Career Record: 761-269	2005-06 Record: 20-13 Conference Record: 11-7 Postseason: NCAA-2nd Round, 1-1 Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/3	Website: arizonaathletics.com	Series: Arizona, 17-5 Streak: Arizona, 4 In San Diego: Arizona, 5-4 In Tucson: Arizona, 12-1 Neutral Site: none
Campbell				
Location: Buies Creek, N.C. Enrollment: 10,471 Conference: Atlantic Sun Colors: Orange and Black Nickname: Fighting Camels	MBB Coach: Robbie Laing Alma Mater: Troy State '82 Record at School: 15-67 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 10-18 Conference Record: 9-11 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 9/4	MBB SID: Stan Cole Office Phone: (910) 893-1331 E-mail: cole@campbell.edu Website: gocamels.com Fax: (910) 893-1330	Series: First Meeting Streak: none In San Diego: none In Buies Creek: none Neutral Site: none

Opponents



Loyola Marymount				
Location: Los Angeles, Calif. Enrollment: 8,300 Conference: West Coast Colors: Crimson and Navy Nickname: Lions	MBB Coach: Rodney Tention Alma Mater: San Francisco '88 Record at School: 12-18 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 12-18 Conference Record: 8-6 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 9/5	MBB SID: John Shaffer Office Phone: (310) 338-7643 E-mail: jshaffer@lmu.edu Website: lmulions.com Fax: (310) 338-2703	Series: SDSU, 31-26 Streak: SDSU, 1 In San Diego: SDSU, 24-9 In Los Angeles: LMU, 17-7 Neutral Site: none
Washington State Location: Pullman, Wash. Enrollment: 23,300 Conference: Pacific 10 Colors: Crimson and Gray Nickname: Cougars	MBB Coach: Tony Bennett Alma Mater: UW-Green Bay '92 Record at School: First Year Career Record: First Year	2005-06 Record: 11-17 Conference Record: 4-14 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/4	MBB SID: Craig Lawson Office Phone: (509) 335-2684 E-mail: craigl@wsu.edu Website: wsucougars.com I Fax: (509) 335-0267	Series: WSU, 4-0 Streak: WSU, 4 In San Diego: WSU, 3-0 In Pullman: WSU, 1-0 Neutral Site: none
Lafayette Location: Easton, Pa.	MBB Coach: Fran O'Hanlon	2005-06 Record: 11-17	MBB SID: Phil LaBella	Series: first meeting
Enrollment: 2,346 Conference: Patriot League Colors: Maroon and White Nickname: Leopards	Alma Mater: Villanova '70 Record at School: 162-152 Career Record: Same	Conference Record: 5-9 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2	Office Phone: (610) 330-5123 E-mail: labellap@lafayette.edu Website: goleopards.com	Streak: none In San Diego: none In Easton: none Neutral Site: none
Colorado State				
Location: Fort Collins, Colo. Enrollment: 25,382 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Green and Gold Nickname: Rams	MBB Coach: Dale Layer Alma Mater: Eckerd College '80 Record at School: 86-93 Career Record: 253-180	2005-06 Record: 16-15 Conference Record: 4-12 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 5/7	MBB SID: Mike Lefler Office Phone: (970) 491-4854 E-mail: mike.lefler@colostate.edu Website: csurams.com Fax: (970) 491-1348	Series: CSU, 34-22 Streak: SDSU, 3 In San Diego: SDSU, 17-12 In Fort Collins: CSU, 22-4 Neutral Site: SDSU, 1
Location: USAF Academy, Colo. Enrollment: 4,000 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Blue and Silver Nickname: Falcons	MBB Coach: Jeff Bzdelik Alma Mater: Illinois-Chicago '76 Record at School: 24-7 Career Record: 49-38	2005-06 Record: 24-7 Conference Record: 12-4 Postseason: NCAA-1st Round, 0-1 Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 13/3	Website: goairforcefalcons.com	Series: SDSU, 37-18 Streak: SDSU, 1 In San Diego: SDSU, 20-6 In USAFA: SDSU, 14-11 Neutral Site: SDSU, 1-0
Utah Cir. History	MDD C 1 D C' 1 W	2005 OC B 1 14 15	AMPRICIDACIA I I	C . II. 1 40 10
Location: Salt Lake City, Utah Enrollment: 28,933 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Crimson and White Nickname: Utes	MBB Coach: Ray Giacoletti Alma Mater: Minot State, '85 Record at School: 43-21 Career Record: 160-104	2005-06 Record: 14-15 Conference Record: 6-10 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 6/5	MBB SID: Mike Lageschulte Office Phone: (801) 587-9162 E-mail: mlages@huntsman.utah.edu Website: utahutes.com Fax: (801) 581-4358	Series: Utah, 49-10 Streak: Utah, 1 In San Diego: Utah, 19-7 In Salt Lake City: Utah, 26-2 Neutral Site: Utah, 4-1
UNLV				
Location: Las Vegas, Nev. Enrollment: 28,000 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Scarlet and Gray Nickname: Runnin' Rebels	MBB Coach: Lon Kruger Alma Mater: Kansas State '75 Record at School: 34-27 Career Record: 352-260	2005-06 Record: 17-13 Conference Record: 10-6 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 3/3 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 9/5	MBB SID: Andy Grossman Office Phone: (702) 895-3995 E-mail: andy.grossman@unlv.edu Website: unlvrebels.com Fax: (702) 895-0989	Series: UNLV, 28-11 Streak: SDSU, 3 In San Diego: UNLV, 10-6 In Las Vegas: UNLV, 16-4 Neutral Site: UNLV, 2-1
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Location: Fort Worth, Texas Enrollment: 8,749 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Purple and White Nickname: Horned Frogs	MBB Coach: Neil Dougherty Alma Mater: Cameron '84 Record at School: 48-75 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 6-25 Conference Record: 2-14 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 2/3 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 5/6	MBB SID: Drew Harris Office Phone: (817) 257-7969 E-mail: d.harris@tcu.edu Website: gofrogs.com Fax: (817) 257-7964	Series: TCU, 3-2 Streak: SDSU, 2 In San Diego: TCU, 2-1 In Fort Worth: TCU, 1-1 Neutral Site: none
Brigham Young	MDD C 1 D D	2005 OC B 1 20 0	MDD CID D # D	C . DVII 20 10
Location: Provo, Utah Enrollment: 33,278 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Blue, White & Tan Nickname: Cougars	MBB Coach: Dave Rose Alma Mater: Houston '83 Record at School: 20-9 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 20-9 Conference Record: 12-4 Postseason: NIT, 0-1 Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 9/4	MBB SID: Brett Pyne Office Phone: (801) 422-4912 E-mail: brett_pyne@byu.edu Website: byucougars.com Fax: (801) 422-0633	Series: BYU, 39-19 Streak: BYU, 1 In San Diego: tied, 15-15 In Provo: BYU, 24-3 Neutral Site: SDSU, 1-0
New Mexico			ACRE OF A PLAN	
Location: Albuquerque, N.M. Enrollment: 26,500 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Cherry and Silver Nickname: Lobos	MBB Coach: Ritchie McKay Alma Mater: Seattle Pacific '87 Record at School: 67-52 Career Record: 150-141	2005-06 Record: 17-13 Conference Record: 8-8 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 1/4 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 7/5	MBB SID: Jay Blackman Office Phone: (505) 925-5528 E-mail: blackman@unm.edu Website: golobos.com Fax: (505) 925-5529	Series: UNM, 35-23 Streak: SDSU, 2 In San Diego: SDSU, 17-10 In Albuquerque: UNM, 23-5 Neutral Site: New Mexico, 2-1
Wyoming				
Location: Laramie, Wyo. Enrollment: 13,207 Conference: Mountain West Colors: Brown and Gold Nickname: Cowboys	MBB Coach: Steve McClain Alma Mater: Chadron State '84 Record at School: 140-100 Career Record: Same	2005-06 Record: 14-18 Conference Record: 5-11 Postseason: none Starters Returning/Lost: 2/3 Letterwinners Returning Lost: 7/5	MBB SID: Kevin McKinney Office Phone: (307) 766-2290 E-mail: kevinm@uwyo.edu Website: wyomingathletics.com Fax: (307) 766-2346	Series: Wyoming, 33-26 Streak: SDSU, 3 In San Diego: SDSU, 16-10 In Laramie: Wyoming, 21-5 Neutral Site: SDSU, 5-2

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XX Sports Radio



Ted Leitner

In 2006, San Diego State basketball will once again team with XX Sports Radio (XPRS) on 1090 AM and 105.7 FM for broadcasts of all Aztec home and away games.

The station is serving as the flagship for San Diego State men's basketball and football broadcasts for the third consecutive season, and will also feature a variety of other Aztec programming, including coaches shows and other live events.

San Diego State's partnership with XX Sports Radio has included live station remotes at special Aztec events, call-in shows from the site of Aztec

contests, both home and away, and cross-over promotions with the San Diego Padres.

XX Sports Radio, with studios in La Jolla, was launched in March 2003. It has an all-sports format with heavy emphasis on local programming. The station's 50,000-watt signal blankets the Los Angeles and San Diego markets and extends north of Santa Barbara.

Ted Leitner, a legendary sports personality in San Diego, will serve as the play-by-play voice for Aztec basketball and football. He is one of the most recognizable media figures in San Diego, where he has served as the voice of the Aztecs, Chargers and Padres on radio and television. The Oklahoma State graduate has also been the longtime host of a local talk show and served as a long-time television sports director.

The engineers for Aztec broadcasts are Brian Kellison and Dave Marcus, while the Studio Coordinator is Ted Mendenhall. All three are also heavily involved in XX Sports Radio's pro-



In addition to serving as the flagship station for Aztec athletics, XX Sports also broadcasts San Diego Padres games.

Aztecs Sports Weekly



John Weisbarth

For the eighth consecutive year, San Diego State University is teaming up with Channel 4 San Diego to produce Aztec Sports Weekly.

The 30-minute sports magazine show highlights the week in San Diego State athletics with action footage, interviews, and features. In the winter months, the show will have an emphasis on the Aztec men's basketball program.

Each week head coach Steve Fisher and a men's basketball player will review the previous week's action and look ahead to upcoming games.

The show is hosted by UC Santa Barbara graduate

John Weisbarth. Best known for his efforts on Channel 4 San Diego's Padres telecasts, Weisbarth is a familiar face around the San Diego State campus as well. He has provided Aztecs Sports Weekly with in-depth features and behind-the-scenes looks at the athletic department.



The show is produced by Emmy-award nominee Jason Bott and Abbie Smith.

Each edition of Aztec Sports Weekly is telecast several times with the initial telecast taking place each Wednesday evening.

On Aug. 26, 2004, College Sports Television (CSTV) and the Mountain

CSTV, the mtn., and Versus



West Conference announced a visionary partnership that revolutionized the college sports landscape. The landmark agreement was the first NCAA Division I-A football and men's basketball conference wide deal for CSTV. The

CSTV/MWC partnership creates a fully integrated multi-media relationship that will deliver more games to more people in more homes across more sports than any other Conference partnership.

In the fall of 2006, CSTV Networks and the Mountain West Conference kicked off an unprecedented 14-year relationship to offer the most in-depth coverage ever centered around one Division I-A conference. The centerpiece of this historic relationship is the launch of the mtn. ("The moun-

tain")-MountainWest Sports Network, the first-ever sports network serving a collegiate athletic conference 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. On July 19, 2006, Comcast was named an equity partner in the mtn. This network brings together an unparalleled collection of resources to deliver some of the most compelling college sports action in the country. It com-



bines Comcast's industry-leading sports media expertise and cross-platform distribution resources with CSTV's singular focus on providing a multimedia college athletics experience and their deep relationship with the MWC. The mtn. will deliver more access to MWC sports coverage than has ever been offered before, and bring fans more coverage of the teams, rivalries, and action of the MWC. The mtn. will not only broadcast live games, but will air a variety of studio shows, including pre and post-game shows, which break down MWC games, look ahead to the big games on the horizon and feature extensive game highlights. The unique coverage includes over 30 football games, 75 men's basketball games, 25 women's basketball games, conference championships, and men's and women's Olympic matches, including sports like swimming and diving, soccer, and

The 2006-07 men's basketball television coverage includes an unparalleled 99 games on national and regional television, including 65 of the 72 conference match ups, and all eight MWC Championship contests. The television coverage provided by the MWC broadcast partners in 2006-07 is more than triple the national and regional telecasts MWC men's basketball has received in previous years. Seventy-five games will be shown on the



mtn., with 16 to be broadcast nationally on CSTV and eight on VERSUS, formerly the Outdoor Life Network (OLN), which is available in over 70 million homes nationwide. The

unmatched availability of MWC men's basketball will increase with the addition of non-conference contests that will also be televised on other regional and national cable entities.

CSTV is the 24-hour college sports network owned by CBS Corporation. It covers more college sports and more schools, across more platforms than any other network. CSTV is a national network built to connect passionate college sports fans to their favorite sports and teams. CSTV offers a variety of original programming and studio shows featuring expert analysts and hosts that provide in-depth college football coverage and also examine the entire landscape of college sports, bringing fans the latest news, highlights

As CSTV's national presence grows along with its Top Ten sports Website, www.cstv.com, the Mountain West Conference, its teams and student-athletes will continue to gain even more national exposure across a variety of platforms. Together, CSTV and the mtn. will showcase the passion and pageantry of the Mountain West Conference, while delivering unparalleled 24/7 coverage to fans across the nation.

To get the official network of the Mountain West Conference please contact your local cable or satellite provider and tell them you want the mtn.

Cox Arena at Aztec Bowl





The photo above shows a sold-out Cox Arena at Aztec Bowl for San Diego State's 2003 game against Texas Tech. The Aztecs set a single-season attendance record in 2002-03 by averaging 7,172 fans per contest and averaged a school-record 8,305 per Mountain West Conference game in 2003-04.

▶ Cox Arena photo spread on pages 20 and 21

▶ Cox Arena records on pages 137 and 138

ne of the premier on-campus basketball arenas in all of America, Cox Arena at Aztec Bowl provides a 12,414-seat, state-of-the-art venue while keeping fans close to the floor and part of the action.

Opened in 1997, the facility is the home of San Diego State Basketball and provides a venue for university functions, cultural events, concerts and other special-event programming. It features a unique open-air concourse design that allows fans to enjoy the excellent San Diego climate and adds a new experience to attending arena-type events.

The arena is built on the site of the old Aztec Bowl stadium which hosted San Diego State football games as well as other athletic, entertainment and cultural events from the time of its construction in 1936 until 1967.

Built directly into a canyon hillside, Cox Arena encloses one end of the old horseshoeshaped Aztec Bowl. Two sections of the stadium's original concrete bleachers and cobblestone walls frame each side of the arena's north entrance. In addition, the university's 10-ton granite boulder, a California landmark commemorating President John F. Kennedy's 1963 commencement address at Aztec Bowl, has also been placed in this area.

In addition to Aztec basketball contests, Cox Arena has played host to concerts by such artists as Cher, Eric Clapton, Britney Spears, No Doubt, Barry Manilow and Aerosmith. In spring of 2001, Billy Joel and Elton John opened their world tour with a sold-out show at Cox Arena.

Cox Arena seats 12,414 for sporting events. The seating includes the top nine rows consisting of bench seats with the remaining areas as chairbacks. The total seating is approximately 3,935 bench seats and 8,065 chairs. In the special event/concert configuration there are approximately 11,500 seats. All seating configurations are flexible and can be adjusted.

The facility features a \$1.2 million octagonal scoreboard with video-replay capabilities. The board also includes up-to-the-minute statistical information on individual players.

The facility is equipped with seven locker

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> rooms, two of which are complete with team rooms, equipment rooms, and a shared training

> The men's team lounge was recently renovated and now includes three large-screen television sets, individual leather recliners and track lighting.

> The Mezzanine Level houses a VIP Room for banquets, pre- and postgame functions, and other formal and informal gatherings. The room consists of a 2,200 square-foot space that can be divided into two rooms of 800 and 1,400 square feet. The 800-square foot area can also serve as an interview room for sporting events.

> After serving as host to the first and second rounds of the NCAA men's basketball championship in 2001, the building was the home of the 2001 NCAA women's volleyball national championship. In 2006, the building played host to the NCAA men's basketball first and second rounds, along with the McDonald's All-American High School Basketball games.

Cox Arena at Aztec Bowl



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Cox Arena Facts

First Game	Brigham Young 73, SDSU 59 (11-14-97)
Aztecs' First Win	SDSU 79, Southwest Texas 57 (11-26-97)
Aztecs' 50th Victory	SDSU 89, New Mexico 73 (3-24-03)
Basketball Capacity	12,414
Seasons	Entering 10th

San Diego State in Cox Arena

SDSU's All-Time Record in Cox Arena	82-57 (.589)
SDSU's Record in Cox Under Steve Fisher	71-39 (.645)
Longest Win Streak in Cox History	9
Longest Losing Streak in Cox History	6

The Playing Floor

The court was originally used at the 1997 NCAA Final Four in Indianapolis. In the semifinals of the '97 championship, Kentucky defeated Minnesota, 78-69, and Arizona beat North Carolina, 66-58. In the championship game, Miles Simon scored 30 points and Mike Bibby added 19 as Arizona defeated Kentucky, 84-79, on March 31, 1997.

Postseason Events Held in Cox Arena

2001	NCAA 1st & 2nd Round Div. I Men's Basketball Championship	
2001	NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Semifinals and Finals	
2003	Owens Corning Men's NIT (First Round)	
2006	NCAA 1st & 2nd Round Div. I Men's Basketball Championship	

Cox Arena Record and Attendance

Year	Gms.	Record	Total	Average
1997-98	14	7-7	60,363	4,312
1998-99	15	4-11	47,035	3,136
1999-00	15	5-10	39,266	2,618
2000-01	17	12-5	77,104	4,528
2001-02	15	12-3	92,475	6,165
2002-03	17	11-6	121,926	7,172
2003-04	15	11-4	100,513	6,701
2004-05	16	7-9	94,450	5,903
2005-06	15	13-2	105,209	7,014
Cox Totals	139	82–57	738,341	5,312

Largest Cox Arena Crowds

Rk.	Att.	Day	Opponent	Date	Result
1.	12,414 (c)	Wed.	Wyoming*	March 1, 2006	W, 91-72
	12,414 (c)	Mon.	(23/21) Texas Tech		L, 63-75
	12,414 (c)	Sat.	(1/1) Arizona	Dec. 7, 2002	L, 81-89
4.	11,764	Sat.	UNLV*	Jan. 26, 2002	ot-L, 79-80
5.	11,718	Wed.	Air Force*	Feb. 8, 2006	W, 61-51
6.	11,334	Sat.	Fresno St.*	Jan. 31, 1998	L, 94-97
7.	11,287	Sat.	Brigham Young*	Jan. 21, 2006	W, 88-61
8.	11,027	Sat.	Air Force*	Jan. 31, 2004	L, 43-57
9.	10,293	Mon.	Brigham Young*	Jan. 12, 2004	W, 65-61
10.	9,497	Sat.	TCU*	Feb. 18, 2006	W, 83-71
11.	9,156	Sat.	Utah* (D)	Feb. 11, 2006	L, 65-67
12.	8,983	Sat.	(21/22) Utah*	Feb. 5, 2005	L, 41-61
13.	8,978	Sat.	California ~	Dec. 11, 2004	L, 57-60
14.	8,554	Sat.	Colorado St.*	Feb. 1, 2003	L, 69-72
15.	8,497	Mon.	Brigham Young*	Jan. 20, 2003	L, 69-80
16.	8,438	Sat.	(21/16) Fresno St.	Dec. 8, 2001	W, 93-78
17.	8,198	Sat.	Wyoming*	Feb. 21, 2004	W, 74-66
18.	8,186	Sat.	San Diego	Dec. 9, 2000	L, 52-55
19.	8,178	Sat.	UNLV* (D)	Jan. 17, 2004	W, 83-78
20.	8,139	Sat.	Utah* (D)	March 6, 2004	L, 53-66
21.	8,078	Wed.	San Diego	Jan. 8, 2003	W, 78-72
22.	7,642	Wed.	New Mexico*	Jan. 25, 2006	W, 75-69
23.	7,634	Fri.	South Dakota St.	March 3, 2006	W, 88-63
24.	7,575	Tues.	UNLV	Feb. 11, 2003	L, 64-79
25.	7,295	Mon.	Colorado St.*	Jan. 24, 2005	W, 84-77

Opponent national ranking at game time left of team name. SO – Indicates season opener. D - Indicates day game. * – Indicates conference game. ~ San Diego SLAM.

SDSU Record vs. Opponents in Cox Arena

Opponent	W	L	Streak	Last	Opponent	W	L	Streak	Last
Air Force	5	3	Won 1	F.8.06	Oregon	1	0	Won 1	D.2.97
Albany	1	0	Won 1	N.26.05	Pacific	1	0	Won 1	J.2.99
Arizońa	0	1	Lost 1	D.7.02	Point Loma Nazarene	1	0	Won 1	Ď.3.05
Arizona State	1	0	Won 1	D.16.00	Portland	1	0	Won 1	D.31.03
Arkansas State	0	1	Lost 1	D.27.98	Providence	0	1	Lost 1	D.31.04
Ball State	0	1	Lost 1	D.27.99	Rice	1	0	Won 1	F.21.98
Brigham Young	4	5	Won 3	J.21.06	Saint Mary's	0	1	Lost 1	D.14.04
California	0	1	Lost 1	D.11.04	San Diego	2	2	Won 2	D.1.04
Cal Poly	1	0	Won 1	D.18.03	San Jose State	2	0	Won 2	F.27.99
Cal State Fullerton	1	1	Won 1	D.21.04	South Carolina State	1	0	Won 1	D.16.99
Cal State Northridge	1	0	Won 1	D.1.01	South Dakota State	2	0	Won 2	M.3.06
Cal State Sacramento	1	0	Won 1	D.2.00	Southern California	0	2	Lost 2	D.20.99
Colorado State	5	2	Won 3	J.4.06	So. Calif. College	2	0	Won 2	D.2.98
Columbia	1	0	Won 1	D.31.01	Southern Methodist	0	1	Lost 1	J.15.98
Eastern Washington	2	1	Won 1	D.20.03	Southwest Texas	1	0	Won 1	Ň.26.97
Florida Atlantic	2	0	Won 2	D.28.02	Stanford	0	1	Lost 1	D.16.97
Fresno State	1	2	Won 1	D.8.01	Texas A&M-CC	1	0	Won 1	J.4.01
Hawai'i	3	0	Won 3	D.14.02	TCU	1	1	Won 1	F.18.06
High Point	1	0	Won 1	J.2.00	Texas-El Paso	0	1	Lost 1	F.6.99
Houston	1	0	Won 1	J.29.02	Texas Tech	0	1	Lost 1	J.6.03
Iowa State	1	0	Won 1	J.3.04	Troy State	0	1	Lost 1	N.30.03
IPFW	2	0	Won 2	D.30.02	Tulsa	0	1	Lost 1	F.19.98
Long Beach State	1	1	Won 1	N.21.03	UC Riverside	1	0	Won 1	N.24.99
Loyola Marymount	3	0	Won 3	D.31.05	UC San Diego	5	0	Won 5	N.27.04
Monmouth	1	0	Won 1	N.22.04	UC Santa Barbara	3	1	Won 1	D.17.05
Morgan State	1	0	Won 1	D.18.00	UMBC	1	0	Won 1	D.20.05
New Mexico	4	4	Won 1	J.25.06	UNLV	3	4	Won 1	J.14.06
New Mexico State	1	1	Won 1	Ň.21.00	Utah	1	7	Lost 3	É.11.06
Nevada	0	1	Lost 1	N.14.98	Utah State	0	1	Lost 1	N.24.98
Norfolk State	2	0	Won 2	N.21.01	Washington	0	1	Lost 1	D.27.03
Oklahoma State	1	0	Won 1	D.30.00	Washington State	0	1	Lost 1	D.10.05
					Wyoming	3	4	Won 1	M.1.06

By Conference (at game time) America East 2 0 Wor

America East		U	vvon 2	D.20.05
Atlantic Sun	2	1	Lost 1	N.30.03
Big East	0	1	Lost 1	D.31.04
Big Skv	3	1	Won 1	D.20.03
Big South	1	0	Won 1	J.2.00
Big 12	2	1	Won 1	J.3.04
Big West	9	4	Won 2	D.17.05
Conference USA	1	1	Won 1	J.29.02
Independents	5	0	Won 5	M.3.06
Ivy	1	0	Won 1	D.31.01
Mid-American	0	1	Lost 1	D.27.99
Mid-Eastern Athle	tic 4	0	Won 4	N.21.01
Mountain West	26	29	Won 2	M.1.06
Northeast	1	0	Won 1	N.22.04
Pac-10	2	7	Lost 4	D.10.05
Southland	1	0	Won 1	N.26.97
Sun Belt	1	2	Won 1	N.21.00
West Coast	6	3	Won 1	D.31.05
Western Athletic	7	6	Won 3	D.12.02
Division II	5	0	Won 5	N.27.04
NAIA	3	0	Won 3	D.3.05

By Time Zone

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Eastern	13	3	Won 2	D.20.05
Central	9	5	Won 4	M.3.06
Mountain	24	29	Won 1	M.1.06
Pacific	33	20	Won 3	J.14.06
Hawaii	3	0	Won 3	D.14.02

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