

# SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS

# 2012-13 Mountain West Champion @AztecWSoccer Weekly Notes

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# @AztecWSoccer Schedule/Results

Home: 7-1-1; Away: 4-4-1; Neutral: 2-1

August
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23	vs. [rv//] <b>USC</b> ^	L, 1-4
25	Saint Mary's	W, 1-0
30	at Michigan State	2ot-T, 1-1
entember		

ı	at [14/15/14] Michigan	L, 1-3
8	Houston (Mountain West Network)	2ot-T, 0-0
13	at [5/6/4] UCLA (Pac-12 Network)	L, 0-2
15	at [rv//rv] Pepperdine (WaveCast)	L, 0-2
20	San Diego (Mountain West Network)	W, 3-0
22	[16/9/10] Portland (Mountain West Network)	L, 1-2
27	Fresno State* (Mountain West Network)	W, 2-1
29	San José State* (Mountain West Network)	W, 2-0

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4	Colorado State*	W, 3-0
11	at Air Force*	W, 2-0
13	at Wyoming* (Mountain West Network)	L, 1-2
18	UNLV* (Mountain West Network)	W, 3-0
20	Nevada* (Mountain West Network)	W, 2-1
25	at Boise State* (Mountain West Network - Tape Delay)	W, 1-0
27	at Utah State* (Mountain West Network)	W, 2-0

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ember		
1	at New Mexico* (Mountain West Network)	2ot-W, 1-0
7	vs. (5) Utah State (Semifinal)# (Mountain West Network)	W, 3-2
9	vs. (3) Boise State (Championship)# (Mountain West Netwo	ork) W, 1-0
15	at (2) [2/2] UCLA (First Round)%	7 p.m. PT

#### **Bold** - Home game at SDSU Sports Deck

National rankings reflect NSCAA/Soccer America/Soccer Times

- ^ at Univ. of San Diego
- \* Mountain West match
- # Mountain West Championship at Albuquerque, N.M.
- % NCAA Championship at Los Angeles, Calif.



## Game Week Reset

San Diego State (13-6-2; 9-1 MW) at (2) [2/2] UCLA (17-1-2; 9-0-2 Pac-12) Friday, Nov. 15 | 7 p.m. PT | Drake Stadium | Los Angeles, Calif.

# **Aztec Story Lines**

- San Diego State, back-to-back Mountain West regular-season and tournament champions, returns to the NCAA Championship for the second straight year on Friday when it faces second-seeded UCLA in Los Angeles. Game time for the first-round contest is set for 7 p.m. PT at Drake Stadium.
- The Aztecs are in the tournament for the second straight season for the first time since 1998-99 after earning the Mountain West's automatic bid. SDSU earned the berth after it beat Utah State, 3-2, in come-from-behind fashion in the MW semifinals and Boise State, 1-0, in the championship game.
- SDSU is making its fifth all-time appearance in the NCAA Championship and third under head coach Mike Friesen. The seventh-year head coach has guided the Aztecs to the tournament in 2009, 2012 and now in
- San Diego State will face UCLA for the third consecutive NCAA Championship and at Drake Stadium for the second time in its last three appearances. The Aztecs faced the Bruins in the second round of the 2009 tournament in L.A. and in the Sweet 16 in San Diego before drawing UCLA again this season.
- The last time SDSU played a first round NCAA game at Drake Stadium the Aztecs emerged victorious. In 2009, San Diego State defeated cross-town foe San Diego, 1-0, before earning a date with the Bruins.
- SDSU enters the NCAA Championship with a 4-4 record in the tournament. Under Friesen, the Aztecs are 3-2 in the NCAA tournament.
- In first-round NCAA tournament games, San Diego State is 3-1 and have won the last two outings.
- In an odd twist, San Diego State will be playing its third NCAA Championship game on the Nov. 15 date. On Nov. 15, 1998, the Aztecs defeated USC in overtime, 1-0, in the first round of the tournament. Then on Nov. 15, 2009, SDSU fell to the Bruins in the second round, 5-0.
- San Diego State has captured back-to-back Mountain West regular-season and tournament championships, an accomplishment that has only been done once before in conference history. The Aztecs join Brigham Young as the only schools to accomplish the feat. The Cougars did it three straight seasons from 2000-02.
- San Diego State has won back-to-back regular-season titles for the first time since winning two in a row in 1998 (WAC) and 1999 (MW).
- Over the last two seasons, the Aztecs have won 34 games, which ties the school record for most wins over a two-year period. SDSU won 19 in 1998 and 15 in 1999 en route to a pair of NCAA appearances. This season, the Aztecs have been victorious 13 times a year after posting a school-record 21 wins.
- San Diego State enters the NCAA Championship having won seven games in row, which matches its secondlongest winning streak of 2012. The Aztecs won seven straight to begin the season before ending the campaign

<b>General</b>	Inf	orm	ation
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Location	San Diego, Calif.
Founded	1897
Enrollment	
Nickname	
Colors	Scarlet and Black
Conference	Mountain West
Affiliation	Division I
President	Dr. Elliot Hirshman
Director of Athletics	Jim Sterk
Faculty Representative	Patrick Papin
Associate AD/SWA	
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## **Team Information**

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Head CoachMike Friesen (Sonoma St., 1996)
Record at SDSU (Seasons)82-47-20 (7)
Career Record
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W. Soccer Office Phone(619) 594-3749
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Assoc. Head Coach Juan Pablo Favero (2nd Season)
Assistant Coach Lauren Mann (1st Season)
Assistant Coach Edgar Anzaldo (1st Season)
Home FacilitySDSU Sports Deck (1,250)
2012 Overall Record
2012 Home Record
2012 Road Record
2012 Neutral Record1-1-0
2012 MW Record/Finish
Final National Ranking (NSCAA/SA/ST)
First Year of Competition
All-Time Record
NCAA Appearances
Letterwinners Returning/Lost 16/8
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Starters Returning/Lost

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on a 14-game winning streak before UCLA halted the run in the Sweet 16. The Bruins emerged with a 3-0 win that day.

- San Diego State is in the NCAA Championship after overcoming a slow start. The Aztecs opened the year with a 1-4-2 record, which includes a 2-0 loss at UCLA. Since that seven-game opening stretch, SDSU has won 12 of its next 14 games, with one of those losses coming to No. 16 Portland, 2-1, at home.
- The Aztecs hit the road with a 4-4-1 record in true road games. San Diego State, however, is 4-1 in its last five road dates. SDSU's only loss came at Wyoming back on Oct. 13.
- SDSU enters the NCAA Championship with the Mountain West's best defender in reigning two-time defender of the year Haley Palmer and four other first-team all-Mountain West selections in Victoria Barba, Kelsey Booth, Carli Johnson and Hannah Keane.
- Keane leads the team in goals (12) and points (28), and is tied for second on the team in assists with four. Barba and Johnson share runner-up honors in goals scored with three apiece. Barba, meanwhile, has a team-best five assists, with Booth tying for second with four helpers. Not to be forgotten is Palmer, who has two goals and three assists from her backline position.
- At the end of the Aztecs' championship run through the MW tournament, Barba, Keane, Sophie Metz and Melanie Vaughn were named to the all-tourney team, with Keane earning most-valuable-player honors. In the tournament, Keane scored two gamewinners, Barba had a goal and an assist, and Metz had a crucial goal in the win over Boise State. Vaughn, competing in her first MW tournament, was stellar in net, allowing just two goals and pocketing a shutout.

# **Opponent Notebook**

#### UCLA

The Bruins have won four straight and are unbeaten in 15 straight, going 13-0-2 during that stretch... UCLA's only loss occurred to No. 1 North Carolina son Sept. 6... Darian Jenkins leads the team with 11 goals and 26 points... Taylor Smith is second on the team in points with 20 (5g, 10a)... Sarah Killion has 10 assists on the year... Katelyn Rowland is the starting goalkeeper (0.31 GAA).

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No.	Player	Ht.	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown (Last School)
00	Melanie Vaughn	5-7	GK	R-SO	Harbor City, Calif. (St. Joseph HS)
0	Elise Nord	5-7	GK	FR	Junction City, Ore. (Junction City HS)
1	Sophia Trujillo	5-7	GK	FR	Miami, Fla. (Gulliver Prep HS)
2	Jensen Skinner	5-6	F	SR	Tualatin, Ore. (Arizona)
2 3 4	Kelsey Booth	5-5	MF/F	JR	Concord, Calif. (Clayton Valley HS)
4	Mariah Helmer	5-9	MF	JR	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Mission Viejo HS)
5	Victoria Barba	5-4	MF	SO	Albuquerque, N.M. (Sandia HS)
6	Evie Millynn	5-3	MF	FR Wellington, N	ew Zealand (Wellington East Girls College)
7	Kelsey Schwartz	5-5	MF/D	SO	San Diego, Calif. (Westview HS)
8 9	Katie Perry	5-2	MF	JR	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Texas A&M)
	Fernanda Elizondo	5-6	F		uzman, Jalisco, Mexico (Tec de Monterrey)
10	Sophie Metz	5-7	MF	R-SR	Pleasanton, Calif. (UCLA)
11	Tiffany Geer	5-9	D	S0	Morgan Hill, Calif. (Live Oak HS)
12	Erika Leal	5-6	MF/F	FR	Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)
13	Morgan Darling	5-4	F/D	FR	Fresno, Calif. (Bullard HS)
14	Sarah Klein	5-7	D	JR	Seattle, Wash. (Roosevelt HS)
15	Morgan Simpson	5-5	F/D	FR	Trabuco Canyon, Calif. (Mission Viejo HS)
16	Jen Rupey	5-9	D	FR	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Santa Margarita HS)
17	Carli Johnson	5-9	D	SR	Santa Rosa, Calif. (Maria Carrillo HS)
18	Soledad Gomez	5-0	F	SR	San Diego, Calif. (Rancho Buena Vista HS)
19	Kory Spotts	5-9	D	SR	San Diego, Calif. (UNC Greensboro)
20	Ashley Hauke	5-5	F	SO	San Diego, Calif. (Rancho Bernardo HS)
21	Julia Platter	5-5	F/MF	FR	Sacramento, Calif. (Bella Vista HS)
22	Haley Locker	5-4	F	JR	Ferndale, Wash. (Ferndale HS)
23	Haley Palmer	5-9	D	SR	Windsor, Calif. (Windsor HS)
24	Hannah Keane	5-11	F	JR	Sacramento, Calif. (McClatchy HS)

Head Coach: Mike Friesen (Sonoma State, 1996), Seventh season

Associate Head Coach: Juan Pablo Favero (Palm Beach Atlantic, 1994), Second season

Assistant Coach: Lauren Mann (Harvard, 2010), First season
Assistant Coach: Edgar Anzaldo (St. Gregory's, 2005), First season

## 2013 SDSU Women's Soccer SAN DIEGO STATE Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 09, 2013) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	13-6-2	7-1-1	4-4-1	2-1
CONFERENCE	9-1	5-0	4-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	4-5-2	2-1-1	0-3-1	2-1

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
#	Aug 23	vs SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	L	1-4	286
	Aug 25	SAINT MARY'S	W	1-0	307
	Aug 30	at MICHIGAN STATE	To2	1-1	444
	Sep 01	at #14 MICHIGAN	L	1-3	806
	Sep 08	HOUSTON	To2	0-0	238
	Sep 13	at #5 UCLA	L	0-2	2094
	Sep 15	at PEPPERDINE	L	0-2	429
	Sep 20	SAN DIEGO	W	3-0	1317
	Sep 22	#16 PORTLAND	L	1-2	278
*	Sep 27	FRESNO STATE	W	2-1	593
*	Sep 29	SAN JOSE STATE	W	2-0	465
*	Oct 04	COLORADO STATE	W	3-0	1007
*	Oct 11	at AIR FORCE	W	2-0	314
*	Oct 13	at WYOMING	L	1-2	346
*	Oct 18	UNLV	W	3-0	579
*	Oct 20	NEVADA	W	2-1	618
*	Oct 25	at BOISE STATE	W	1-0	312
*	Oct 27	at UTAH STATE	W	2-0	311
*	Nov 01	at NEW MEXICO	Wo2	1-0	895
٨	Nov 07	vs UTAH STATE	W	3-2	203
٨	Nov 09	vs BOISE STATE	W	1-0	239

- Rankings reflect NSCAA poll # Torero Stadium (San Diego, Calif.)
- \* Mountain West game
- ^ Mountain West Championship (Albuquerque, N.M.)

TEAM STATISTICS	SDSU	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	31-364	20-217
Goals scored per game	1.48	0.95
Shot pct.	.085	.092
Shots on goal-Attempts	164-364	95-217
SOG pct.	.451	.438
Shots/Game	17.3	10.3
CORNER KICKS	121	70
PENALTY KICKS	2-2	0-0
PENALTIES		
Fouls	153	177
Yellow cards	9	9
Red cards	0	1
ATTENDANCE		
Total	5402	5951
Dates/Avg Per Date	9/600	9/661
Neutral Site #/Avg	3/243	

##	Player	gp	g	а	pts	sh	sh%		sog%	gw	pk-att
24	KEANE, Hannah	21	12	4	28	90	.133	44	.489	7	0-0
5	BARBA, Victoria	19	3	5	11	27	.111	16	.593	0	2-2
3	BOOTH, Kelsey	21	2	4	8	29	.069	15	.517	1	0-0
22	LOCKER, Haley	21	2	4	8	26	.077	12	.462	1	0-0
10	METZ, Sophie	21	3	1	7	20	.150	8	.400	2	0-0
17	JOHNSON, Carli	21	3	1	7	17	.176	8	.471	0	0-0
23	PALMER, Haley	21	2	3	7	37	.054	18	.486	1	0-0
2	SKINNER, Jensen	21	2	1	5	20	.100	8	.400	1	0-0
13	DARLING, Morgan	19	1	1	3	19	.053	8	.421	0	0-0
19	SPOTTS, Kory	18	1	0	2	13	.077	8	.615	0	0-0
6	MILLYNN, Evie	20	0	1	1	24	.000	7	.292	0	0-0
8	PERRY, Katie	21	0	1	1	20	.000	5	.250	0	0-0
7	SCHWARTZ, Kelsey	6	0	1	1	4	.000	2	.500	0	0-0
4	HELMER, Mariah	17	0	0	0	8	.000	2	.250	0	0-0
20	HAUKE, Ashley	21	0	0	0	6	.000	2	.333	0	0-0
9	ELIZONDO, Fernanda	11	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
21	PLATTER, Julia	13	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
11	GEER, Tiffany	15	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
18	GOMEZ, Soledad	6	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
16	RUPEY, Jen	14	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
15	SIMPSON, Morgan	7	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
1	TRUJILLO, Sophia	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
00	VAUGHN, Melanie	21	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
	Total	21	31	27	89	364	.085	164	.451	13	2-2
	Opponents	21	20	17	57	217	.092	95	.438	6	0-0

##	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg S	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
1	TRUJILLO, Sophia	1	45:00	0	0.00	1	1.000	0-0-0	0/1
00	VAUGHN, Melanie	21	1897:22	20	0.95	74	.787	13-6-2	10/1
	Total	21	1942:22	20	0.93	75	.789	13-6-2	11
	Opponents	21	1942:22	31	1.44	133	.811	6-13-2	3

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	ОТ	OT2	Total
SAN DIEGO STATE	17	13	0	1	31
Opponents	9	11	0	0	20
Shots by Period	1st	2nd	ОТ	OT2	Total
SAN DIEGO STATE	176	174	9	5	364
Opponents	95	119	1	2	217
Saves by Period	1st	2nd	ОТ	OT2	Total
SAN DIEGO STATE	29	44	1	1	75
Opponents	70	59	3	1	133
Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
SAN DIEGO STATE	62	57	1	1	121
Opponents	29	41	0	0	70
Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	ОТ	OT2	Total
SAN DIEGO STATE	69	84	0	0	153
Opponents	89	80	4	4	177



<sup>\*</sup>Host institution for preliminary round games

Order of semifinal games will be determined after quarterfinal round games are completed. Second semifinal game will begin play 45 minutes after the conclusion of the first game.