

# AZTEC SWIMMING AND DIVING

THIS WEEK: Dec. 1 - vs. Fresno State - 12:00 p.m. - Aztec Aquaplex - San Diego, Calif

# **2012-13 SCHEDULE**

Record: 5-0 (2-0 Home; 0-0 Away; 0-0 Neutral)

Sept. 21	Opponent San Diego (Pentathlo UNLV*	n)W, 72-21
Oct. 19-20	at Pacific Invitational	1st of 5 tms
Nov. 2-3	at New Mexico*	W, 168-149
	Colorado State*	W, 179-143
	New Mexico State	W, 192-130
Nov. 15-17	at Arena Invitational	3rd of 17
Nov. 16-18	at Arizona Diving Invit	tationalNTS
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All times Pacific

Home meets in **bold**, held at Aztec Aquaplex. NTS - No team scores

- \* Mountain West Conference meet
- # at San Antonio, Texas
- ^ at Colorado Springs, Colo.
- % at Indianapolis. Ind.

# **Q**UICK FACTS

Location	San Diego, Calif.
Founded	1897
Enrollment	31,422
Nickname	Aztecs
Colors	Scarlet and Black
Conference	Mountain West
President	Elliot Hirshman
Athletic Director	Jim Sterk

# **TEAM INFORMATION**

Head Coach	Mike Shrader
Dual Record at SDSU70-	
Career Record159-25-	1 (14th season)
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2011-12 Dual-Meet Record	16-0
2011-12 MWC Record	4-0
2012 MWC Meet	2nd, 742 pts.
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	18/6
Newcomers	16
Home Facility	Aztec Aquaplex

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#### THIS WEEK

The San Diego State swimming and diving team will return to dual meet action this weekend as its hosts Mountain West foe Fresno State on Saturday, Dec. 1, at noon at the Aztec Aquaplex. It will be the Aztecs' first dual competition since it competed in the triple dual meet at New Mexico on Nov. 2-3. San Diego State is ranked ninth in the nation in this week's Endless Pools/CollegeSwimming.com poll.

#### **HEAD COACH MIKE SHRADER**

San Diego State head coach Mike Shrader is in his sixth season with the Aztecs and has compiled a dual meet record of 70-13 (.843) during his tenure. Shrader was named the Mountain West Coach of the Year past on three occasions (2011, 2010, co-coach in 2009). Including eight seasons as the head coach at Nevada, his career record stands at 159-25-1 (.862).

#### AZTECS PLACE THIRD AT ARENA INVITATIONAL

San Diego State placed third at the annual Arena Invitational in Long Beach, Calif., which was contested over the three-day period of Nov. 15-17. The Aztecs finished behind only two-time defending national champion California and third-ranked Arizona State in the meet which featured 13 collegiate squads and four post-graduate college teams. It was SDSU's top team finish at the meet in the four years in which it has participated.

Aztec senior Katelyn Weddle was the lone SDSU athlete to win an event as she finished first in both the 100 and 200 breaststroke with times of 1:01.20 and 2:13.71 respectively. She was also on the 200 and 400 medley relay teams that turned in the second-fastest (1:40.00) and third-fastest (3:40.60) times in school history.

# SWIMMER OF THE WEEK

Katelyn Weddle was named the Mountain West Swimmer of the Week for her performance during the Arena Invitational. Her times in both of those events were the best in the conference his season and were NCAA "B" Cut marks.

# SCHOOL RECORDS SET

A pair of San Diego State senior swimmers set school records during the Arena Invitational as they bettered the records that they set during the 2011-12 season. Melanie Garibaldi swam a 4:15.24 in the 400 IM to record the best time in school history. Gemma Johnson added a new Aztec all-time best in the 100 butterfly with a mark of 53.36. Garibaldi improved her school record time by 1.51 second while Johnson bettered her previous school record mark by .15 second.

## **DIVERS AT WILDCAT DIVING INVITATIONAL**

While the Aztec swimmers competed at the Arena Invitational, the San Diego State divers were in Arizona to compete in the Wildcat Diving Invitational (Nov. 16-18).

Junior Anna Steiner turned in a pair of top four placings during with her best finish coming in the platform diving competition where she captured third place with a score of 229.60. In a field of 23 divers, SDSU freshman Kelsey Bean (163.50) and Chandler Marshall (143.05) placed 17th and 21st respectively in the first attempt of their collegiate careers in the event.

In the three meter board, Steiner took fourth place where her score of 299.30 was less than two points from third place. The Aztecs had three other divers among the 42 competing on the three-meter board as well. That trio included freshmen Ashley Stott (31st - 210.20), Bean (34th - 203.00) and Marshall (42nd - 179.15).

Marshall was the Aztecs' top finisher on the one-meter springboard as she finished 18th in a field that included some 43 divers. Other SDSU placings included Stott in 24th (218.70), Steiner in 32nd (196.95) and Bean in 33rd (195.15).

# THE STREAK CONTINUES

San Diego State will be looking to increase its dual meet winning streak this weekend vs. Fresno State. With its three victories in the triple dual meet at New Mexico the weekend of Nov. 2-3, SDSU has now won its last 43 straight meets dating back to the 2009-10 season. Its last loss came against Wyoming on Jan. 29, 2010, in Laramie. San Diego State also has a streak of 52 straight wins against non-conference opponents. The last loss to a non-MW team was a defeat at North Texas on Nov. 17, 2006. In current Head Coach Mike Shrader's four seasons at SDSU, the Aztecs have not lost a dual meet to a non-conference foe.

#### THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

San Diego State completed its second consecutive undefeated home season during its 2011-12 campaign with a 10-0. The Aztecs have now won their last 29 consecutive meets at home. SDSU's record at the Aztec Aquaplex stands at 40-3 since the facility opened for the 2007-08 season.

#### **TOP CONFERENCE TIMES**

Of the 14 individual swimming events contested in the Mountain West, San Diego State swimmers currently have the top conference times in 10 of those races. That group includes the following:

Event	Swimmer	Time
100 Freestyle	Meghan Zimmer	50.09
200 Freestyle	Jessica Crider	.1:48.02
500 Freestyle	Melanie Garibaldi	.4:45.81
1000 Freestyle	Melanie Garibaldi	.9:59.36
1650 Freestyle	Melanie Garibaldi:	16:34.77
100 Breaststroke	Katelyn Weddle	.1:01.20
200 Breaststroke	Katelyn Weddle	2:13.71
100 Butterfly	Gemma Johnson	53.56
200 Individual Medley	Leona Jennings	2:00.47
400 Individual Medley	Melanie Garibaldi	.4:15.24

Aztec swimmers hold the top three times in three events (200 and 500 free and 200 IM) and the top two in three others (200 and 1650 free and 100 fly).

In addition Aztec relay teams hold the top times in four of the five relays with those times as follows:

Relay	Team	Time
200 Free	Weisz, Ruiz, G. Johnson, Dalcamo	.1:33.04 (1st)
400 Free	Zimmer, Dalcamo, Jennings, Miller	.3:20.88 (1st)
800 Free	Preston, Miller, Ruiz, Weisz	7:29.86 (2nd)
200 Medley	.Jennings, Weddle, Whitfield, G. Johnson	.1:40.00 (1st)
400 Medley	ennings, Weddle, Whitfield, Macklin	.3:40.60 (1st)

#### UP NEXT

Up next for SDSU will be a dual meet against Tulane on Tuesday, Jan. 7, at 2:00 p.m. at the Aztec Aquaplex.



# **AZTEC SWIMMING AND DIVING**

# 2012-13 SAN DIEGO STATE SWIMMING AND DIVING ROSTER

Name	Events	Ht.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
Chelsea Bailey	Free, Back	6-2	So.	<b>1</b> V	Kent, Wash. (Kentlake HS)
Amanda Barrett	Free, IM	5-10	So.	1V	Sandy, Utah (Brighton HS)
Kelsey Bean	Diving	5-2	Fr.	HS	Southbury, Conn. (Pomperaug HS)
Jessica Crider	Free	5-9	Sr.	2V	Concord, Calif. (Concord HS)
Maddy Dalcamo	Free	5-10	So.	TR	Olathe, Kan. (Wisconsin)
Melanie Garibaldi	Free, IM	5-7	Sr.	2V	Gold Coast, Australia (Benowa State HS)
Alicia Gill	Diving	5-10	Fr.	HS	Poway, Calif. (Poway HS)
Jordan Hanna	Breast	5-7	Jr.	TR	Seattle, Wash. (Pennsylvania)
Shannon Herman	Breast, IM	5-5	Fr.	HS	Alamo, Calif. (San Ramon Valley HS)
Kelsey Jenkinson	Breast	5-10	Fr.	HS	Stellenbosch, South Africa (Rhenish HS)
Leona Jennings	Back, Free, IM	5-9	Sr.	3V	Seattle, Wash. (Mt. Ranier HS)
Gemma Johnson	Fly, Free	5-6	Sr.	1V	Sydney, Aus. (University of Sydney)
Taylor Johnson	Free	5-9	Fr.	HS	Fountain Valley, Calif. (Fountain Valley HS)
Taylor Lakey	Fly, Free	5-5	So.	<b>1</b> V	Beaverton, Ore. (Southridge HS)
Mikaela Macklin	Breast, IM	6-0	Jr.	2V	Placerville, Calif. (El Dorado HS)
Kelly Marquenie	Free	5-9	Jr.	2V	Gold Coast, Australia (Emmanuel College)
Chandler Marshall	Diving	5-4	Fr.	HS	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Lewis Palmer HS)
Dana Michaels	Free	5-8	So.	1V	Shoreline, Wash. (Shorewood HS)
Savannah Miller	Free, IM	5-9	Fr.	HS	Westlake Village, Calif. (Westlake HS)
Brooke Osborn	Diving	5-6	Fr.	HS	San Ramon, Calif. (Carondelet HS)
Berklie Oscarson	Back, IM	5-9	Jr.	2V	Altadena, Calif. (San Marino HS)
Erin Parrett	Free	5-8	Fr.	HS	Irvine, Calif. (University HS)
Emilie Pleger	Breast	5-8	So.	<b>1</b> V	Yakima, Wash. (Eisenhower HS)
Alicia Powder	Diving	5-6	Fr.R	HS	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Tesoro HS)
Haley Preston	Free, Back	5-6	Fr.	HS	Westlake Village, Calif. (Westlake HS)
Natilee Ruiz	Free, IM	6-0	Fr.	HS	Othello, Wash. (Othello HS)
Livvi Sefton	Fly, IM	5-9	Jr.	2V	Nottingham, England (Friesland School)
Anna Steiner	Diving	5-4	Jr.	2V	Seattle, Wash. (Int'l Community School)
Ashley Stott	Diving	5-1	Fr.	HS	Temecula, Calif. (Great Oak HS)
Rafaella Suarez	Diving	5-7	Sr.	2V	Claremont, Calif. (Mt. SAC)
Katelyn Weddle	Breast, Free	5-6	Sr.	3V	Yuma, Ariz. (Kofa HS)
Whitney Weisz	Free	6-0	Fr.	HS	Little Falls, Minn. (Little Falls HS)
Loreen Whitfield	Fly, IM	5-6	So.	1V	Clovis, Calif. (East Clovis HS)
Meghan Zimmer	Free, Back	5-10	Sr.	3V	Santa Maria, Calif. (Pioneer Valley HS)

**Head Coach:** Mike Shrader (Texas A&M '81), 6th Season

Associate Head Coach: Brendon (Bray Washington '05), 6th Season Diving Coach: Roland McDonald (Michigan State '87), 3rd Season Volunteer Assistant Coach: Jamie Saffer (Tennessee '10), 1st Season

Strength & Conditioning Coach: Brooke Vessey (San Diego State '11), 1st Season

# BY CLASS

## Seniors (7)

Jessica Crider, Melanie Garibaldi, Leona Jennings, Gemma Johnson, Rafaella Suarez, Katelyn Weddle, Meghan Zimmer

#### Juniors (6)

Jordan Hanna, Mikaela Macklin, Kelly Marquenie, Beklie Oscarson, Livvi Sefton, Anna Steiner,

#### Sophomores (7)

Chelsea Bailey, Amanda Barrett, Maddy Dalcamo, Taylor Lakey, Dana Michaels, Emilie Pelger, Loreen whitfield

# Freshmen (14)

Kelsey Bean, Alicia Gill, Shannon Herman, Kelsey Jenkinson, Taylor Johnson, Chandler Marshall, Savannah Miller, Brooke Osborn, Erin Parrett, Alicia Powder, Haley Preston, Natilee Ruiz, Ashley Stott, Whitney Weisz

# BY STATE/COUNTRY

# Arizona (1)

Katelyn Weddle

#### California (15)

Jessica Crider, Alicia Gill, Shannon Herman, Taylor Johnson, Mikaela Macklin, Savannah Miller, Brooke Osborn, Berklie Oscarson, Erin Parrett, Alicia Powder, Haley Preston, Ashely Stott, Rafaella Suarez, Loreen Whitfield, Meghan Zimmer

# Colorado (1)

Chandler Marshall

## Connecticut (1)

Kelsey Bean

## Kansas (1)

Maddy Dalcamo

# Minnesota (1)

Whitney Weisz

# Oregon (1)

Taylor Lakey

#### Utah (1)

Amanda Barrett

# Washington (7)

Chelsea Bailey, Jordan Hanna, Leona Jennings, Dana Michaels, Emilie Pelger, Natilee Ruiz, Anna Steiner

#### Australia (3)

Melanie Garibaldi, Gemma Johnson, Kelly Marquenie

# England (1)

Livvi Sefton

# South Africa (1)

Kelsey Jenkinson