



# AZTEC

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### CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

OCT. 31 - NOV. 10

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31 M-Soccer at CSU Fullerton 7 p.m.  Volleyball at USD 7 p.m.	1	2 Volleyball at UNLV 7 p.m.	3 Swimming Air Force/New Mexico 10 a.m.-Southwestern JC  W-Soccer at UNLV 7:30 p.m.
4 Rowing at Newport Autumn Rowing Festival 8 a.m.  M-Soccer at CSU Sacramento 3 p.m.	5 M-Golf Aztec Invitational All Day	6	7 W-Soccer (thru Sat.) at MWC Tournament Las Vegas, Nev.	8 M-Soccer (thru Sun.) at MPSF Tournament Fresno, Calif.	9 Volleyball Utah Peterson Gym - 7 p.m.	10 Rowing at Head of the Lake Seattle, Wash.  Cross Country at District 8 Champs. 9 a.m. Tucson, Ariz.  Volleyball Brigham Young Peterson Gym - 5 p.m.

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# MEN'S SOCCER

## Aztecs Look To Keep Momentum, Unbeaten Streak Alive

### Schedule and Results (7-6-3, 3-1-2 MPSF)

Date	(Rank) Opponent	Time/Result
Aug. 31	(13) Santa Clara	L, 0-1 ot
Sept. 2	Notre Dame de Namur	T, 1-1 2ot
Sept. 6	UC Santa Barbara	L, 1-3
Sept. 14	Hofstra#	Canceled
Sept. 16	Albany#	Canceled
Sept. 19	at Christian Heritage	W, 3-0
Sept. 21	vs. Gonzaga~	L, 2-3
Sept. 23	at Oregon State~	L, 1-4
Sept. 28	UC Riverside	W, 3-2
Sept. 30	Brown	W, 2-1 ot
Oct. 4	Christian Heritage	W, 7-0
Oct. 7	(23) UCLA	L, 2-1
Oct. 12	(25) Denver*	W, 2-0
Oct. 14	Air Force*	L, 1-0
Oct. 19	at San Jose State*	T, 1-1
Oct. 21	at Fresno State*	W, 2-0
Oct. 26	UNLV*	T, 2-2 2ot
Oct. 28	New Mexico*	W, 2-1 2ot
Oct. 31	at CSU Fullerton	7 p.m.
Nov. 4	at CSU Sacramento*	3 p.m.
Nov. 8-11	MPSF Championship^	TBA
Nov. 18	San Diego	2 p.m.

All Times local to site

#USD/SDSU Tournament at SDSU

~Diadora Classic at Oregon State

\*Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

^Hosted by Fresno State

### Scoring Leaders

Player	G	A	Pts	Sh
Enrique Tovar	6	7	19	47
Kevin Sapanli	6	2	14	39
Tyler Tinning	5	1	11	13
Patrick Strait	3	2	8	11
Eric Wohl	3	4	10	29
Anthony Zoric	2	2	6	5
Ryan Curtis	2	1	5	12
Paul Szeffler	1	2	4	11
Aaron Frimkess	0	3	3	9
Chris Giudicelli	1	0	2	7
Mauricio Soler	0	2	2	4
Ryan Cook	1	2	4	4
Jon Povey	0	1	1	7
Adam Kulpa	0	2	2	4

### Goalkeeping Statistics

Player	Min.	GA	GAA	Sv
Tim Edwards	916:15	10	0.98	37
Brian Barnes	624:58	12	1.73	30



### The Turnaround

Winner of six of its last 10 matches and unbeaten in its last four contests, the San Diego State men's soccer team (7-6-3, 3-1-2 MPSF) sits in a second-place tie with CSU Sacramento (4-7-4, 3-1-2) in the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation standings. The Aztecs and Hornets are only a point behind league-leader Air Force (11-3-0, 4-1-0). SDSU and CSUS meet Sunday at 3 p.m. in Sacramento. Prior to Sunday's match, SDSU travels to CSU Fullerton for a 7 p.m. match on Halloween. The Aztecs come off a pair of double-overtime MPSF matches this past weekend that resulted in a tie 2-2 with UNLV and a 2-1 win over New Mexico.

### MPSF Standings

	W	L	T	Pts.
1. Air Force	4	1	0	12
2t. SDSU	3	1	2	11
2t. CSUSacramento	3	1	2	11
4. Denver	3	2	0	9
5. San Jose State	2	1	2	8
6. UNLV	2	3	1	7
7. Fresno State	0	3	2	2
8. New Mexico	0	5	1	1

### New Territory

Sunday's win pushed the Aztecs to a game above .500 for the first time this season and for the first time since the team was 5-4-1 during the 1998 season. That year the Aztecs moved to at least a game over the even mark on five occasions. (Note: SDSU opened the the 1999 and 2000 season 1-0).

### New Territory...In League Play

The last time the Aztecs posted an above .500 mark in league play was in 1993 when they opened conference action with a 2-1 record, however the team would finish 2-4-1 in league. The program finished 5-5 in the MPSF in 1994. SDSU has only been affiliated with a conference since 1992. The Aztecs were part of the MPSF from '92-95, with the WAC from '95-98, and back with the MPSF the last three seasons.

### Hot Streak

The Aztecs' current unbeaten streak is the longest since 1997 when the program went five consecutive matches without a loss. The longest prior to that came in 1991 when the Aztecs opened the season 7-0. Later that season the team also posted a five-match unbeaten streak.

### Scoring Turnaround

Another sign of the turnaround the Aztec program is making this season comes in terms of scoring. SDSU scored a total of 26 goals during the 2000 campaign compared to the 30 the team has scored thus far this season. The Aztecs are also outscoring their opponents by eight goals.

### The Initial Strike

Thirteen of the Aztecs' 30 goals this season have

### This Week...

Wed., Oct. 31 at CSU Fullerton

Sun., Nov. 4 at CSU Sacramento

come in the first half. SDSU has been the first team to score eight times this season and has a 7-1 mark when doing so.

### Working Overtime

Fans have certainly gotten their money's worth watching the Aztecs this season. The team has played in five overtime matches, three of which went into a second-overtime period. Last week marked the fourth time SDSU played in back-to-back overtime matches on its home field. The Aztecs have played in three-straight OT matches three times and four straight once (1986). The squad is 2-1-2 in extended play this season and 19-21-57 all-time when playing past regulation.

### Scoring Punch

Junior forward Enrique Tovar is the team's leading scorer this season. His goal in Friday's match and assist on Sunday give him six goals and seven assists (19 points) on the year. Those 19 points rank him tied for second in the league in scoring. He is also 3-for-3 in penalty-kick situations this season and earned the MPSF player of the week award on Oct. 1.

### Netminder

A large part of the Aztecs' success this year has come by way of senior goalkeeper Tim Edwards. Edwards is responsible for both of the team's conference shutouts. Through 11 matches played, Edwards has allowed 10 goals and recorded 37 saves. He is 4-1-3 and boasts a 0.98 goals-against average, second best in the league this season. He has started in all five of the team's conference matches this year as well as the UC Santa Barbara and Notre Dame de Namur contests and has been the Aztecs' nominee for MPSF player of the week twice.

### Scouting CSU Fullerton

The Titans have won three of their last five matches and an come off a 4-0 blanking of St. Mary's on Sunday. CSUF (6-7-1, 3-2 Big West) competed in the NCAA Tournament last season and was picked by the league's coaches to win the Big West championship in 2001. Hector Orellana is the team's leading scorer with seven goals and three assists (17 points).

### Scouting CSU Sacramento

The Hornets posted wins over UNLV and New Mexico this past weekend to extend their unbeaten streak to five matches. The team lost to Santa Clara 1-0 on Tuesday and meets with California on Friday. The program's leading scorer, Sean Luigs, scored three times over the weekend, helping the Hornets pace the Aztecs and leads the team in scoring with seven goals and two assists (16 points).

### Things To Come

The MPSF tournament will be held Nov. 8-11 at Fresno State. SDSU closes its season at home versus USD on Nov. 18 at 2 p.m.

# W O M E N ' S S O C C E R

## Scarlet And Black Closes Regular Season At UNLV

### Schedule and Results (5-10-1, 1-3-1 MWC)

Date	(Rank) Opponent	Time/Result
Aug. 31	at Montana +	W, 3-0
Sept. 2	vs. Eastern Washington +	W, 3-0
Sept. 7	South Carolina #	L, 1-2
Sept. 9	Kansas #	L, 0-1
Sept. 16	Duke	Canceled
Sept. 17	CSU Fullerton	W, 3-2 ot
Sept. 18	at UC Riverside	W, 2-0
Sept. 23	California	L, 1-3
Sept. 28	vs. (8) Stanford ^	L, 1-2
Sept. 30	at (10) Santa Clara ^	L, 0-2
Oct. 5	Pepperdine	L, 3-1
Oct. 7	USC	L, 2-1
Oct. 11	Utah *	W, 2-1 ot
Oct. 13	Brigham Young *	L, 3-2
Oct. 19	at Wyoming *	T, 1-1
Oct. 21	at Air Force *	L, 3-0
Oct. 28	at New Mexico *	L, 3-0
Nov. 3	at UNLV *	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 7-10	MWC Tournament	TBA

+ Diadora Cup at Montana  
 # SDSU Invitational  
 ^ adidas Classic at Santa Clara  
 \* Mountain West Conference match

### Statistical Leaders

Player	G	A	Pts	Sh
Kim Castellanos	10	2	22	58
Fay deLeon	3	4	10	24
Arinda Alvarez	2	4	8	28
Nicole Findlay	3	1	7	7
Danielle Small	1	2	4	24
Jane Specht	1	0	2	2
Hannah Garl	1	0	2	1
Rebecca Prilaman	0	1	1	9
Michele Wagner	0	1	1	4

### Goalkeeping Statistics

Player	Min.	GA	GAA	Sv
Stephanie Pearson	24:46	0	0.00	3
Erin Haentjens	213:52	1	0.42	5
Linnea Quinones	1251:22	27	1.94	76



### This Week

San Diego State (5-10-1; 1-3-1 MWC) travels to Las Vegas to face UNLV (9-5-2; 3-2-0 MWC) on Saturday, Nov. 28, at 7:30 p.m. (PST). The contest vs. the Rebels will be the Aztecs' only game this week and is San Diego State's final regular game of the 2001 season. It marks the fourth of four consecutive conference road games that SDSU will have play to conclude its regular season.

### Series Records

The Aztecs and Rebels have met three times with San Diego State winning all three games. The three previous meetings have come annually in conference play since 1998. SDSU has outscored the Rebels, 12-2, in those three matches with two played in San Diego (1998, 2000) and one in Las Vegas (1999).

### Most Recently

SDSU suffered its second consecutive shutout last Sunday when it lost 3-0 at New Mexico. The Lobos opened the scoring in the 32nd minute and held a 1-0 lead at the break. Subsequent goals in the 67th and 81st minutes sealed the victory. It was UNM's first win over San Diego State since 1995 and broke a string of five straight Aztec wins in the series between the schools.

### Clegg Reaches Milestone

Chuck Clegg is his ninth season in charge of the SDSU women's soccer program with a record of 101-62-6 (.615). His 100th career win as coach of the women's squad came in SDSU's 2-0 win at UC Riverside on Sept. 18. He joins Clive Charles (Portland) and Anson Dorrance (North Carolina) as the only other NCAA Division I coaches to accumulate at least 100 wins as both a men's and women's collegiate head coach. Clegg compiled 194 victories as head coach of the Aztec men from 1982-99.

### Scouting Report

UNLV enters the game with an overall mark of 9-5-2 and a 3-2-0 slate in league play. The Rebels are currently tied with Utah for second place in the MWC standings. By virtue of defeating Utah earlier this season, a win over the Aztecs would give UNLV the number-two seed at the upcoming conference tournament, no matter what Utah does this weekend. The Rebels are led offensively by Anita Pedford (7g, 2a) and Cristyn Enea (6g, 4a). The duo are tied for seventh among the conference's leading scorers this week. Rebel goalie Alice Gleason ranks second in the league with an 78 saves this season, an average of 5.2 per game. Her 1.60 goals against average ranks second among keepers who have played at least 720 minutes (eight games).

### Castellanos On The Charts

Kim Castellanos has matched her goal output (10) of last season when she was named the conference co-freshman of the year. The 10 goals ties for the seventh-most in a season by an

### This Week...

Sun., Oct. 28 at New Mexico

Aztec. Her 20 career goals rank fifth on the SDSU list. She is two goals shy of moving into a tie for the number-four spot with Shaw Vilorio (22 goals, 1992-94). Castellanos has 43 career points (10g, 3a) and is two points away from moving into the number-nine spot currently held by Aimee Jacobs (45 points, 1993-96).

### Quinones Busy In Goal

With 76 saves thus far in 2001, senior goalie Linnea Quinones has moved into the number-three spot on the SDSU career saves list with 170. She trails Lorena Snyder (204 saves, 1990-93) and Katherine Judkins (192 saves, 1996-99) on the career list. Quinones' 76 saves this season represents the highest total in her four years as an Aztec and is the second-most ever in a season for an SDSU keeper. The Aztec record for saves in a season is held by Elizabeth Judkins who made 99 stops during the 1994 campaign. Quinones' previous high for saves in a season was 32 during the 2000 campaign. She has eight saves or more in five matches this fall.

### Among The Leaders

With no goals in her past two outings, Kim Castellanos has dropped into second place in the Mountain West Conference scoring race with 22 points (10g, 2a). She trails Utah's Amy Kofoed, who has nine goals and six assists (24 points). Castellanos' 10 goals is also a league high. Quinones ranks third in saves with 76, an average of 5.43 per game. Arinda Alvarez and Fay deLeon are among a group of seven players tied for sixth in the MWC with four assists. Castellanos and Nicole Findlay (who is injured and has not played since the third game of the season) are tied for second with several others in game-winning goals with two apiece.

### Shutout Streak

Coupled with the 3-0 shutout at Air Force the previous week, the Aztecs' 3-0 loss at New Mexico marked the first time that San Diego State has suffered back-to-back shutouts since last season's games at Brigham Young (4-0, Oct. 12) and Utah (2-0, Oct. 14). It marked only the fourth time in the 13-year history of the program that SDSU has been shut out in consecutive contests. The others occurred in 1990 (1-0 at CSU Dominguez Hills and 1-0 vs. Stanford) and in 1993 (1-0 at California followed by a 1-0 loss at St. Mary's). San Diego State has never been shut out in three straight matches.

### Tournament Time

The Mountain West Conference Tournament gets underway next Wednesday, Nov. 7, at UNLV's Peter Johann Memorial Field. The Aztecs could finish anywhere from fifth to seventh in the final standings, pending the outcome of this weekend's matches. SDSU's game at UNLV will be the final conference game this weekend, so their first-round opponent will be known late Saturday evening.

# SWIMMING and DIVING

## Team Hosts Air Force, New Mexico For Double Dual

### Schedule and Results

Date	Event	Time/Result
Oct. 19-20	at UOP Invitational	3rd/516 pts.
Nov. 3	AIR FORCE NEW MEXICO	10 a.m.
Nov. 10	at USD	1 p.m.
Nov. 16	at Brigham Young	5 p.m.
Nov. 17	at Utah	1 p.m.
N.29-D.1	at UNLV Invitational	All Day
Dec. 8	NORTHERN ARIZONA	10 a.m.
Jan. 4-5	at UC Irvine Invitational	All Day
Jan. 12	at UC Irvine Fresno State	Noon
Jan. 18	at Hawai'i	4 p.m.
Jan. 25	at Loyola Marymount Cal Poly	2 p.m.
Jan. 26	at Pepperdine	Noon
F.27-M.2	MWC Championships*	All Day

Home meets in CAPS  
Home meets will be held at Southwestern JC in Chula Vista  
\*Oklahoma City, Okla.



### This Week

The San Diego State swimming and diving team continues its season Saturday, hosting a double dual with Mountain West Conference opponents Air Force and New Mexico. Saturday's meet will be held at Southwestern Junior College in Chula Vista. It is the first of two home meets for the Aztecs, who host Northern Arizona on Dec. 8.

### Directions

Take I-805 south, exit on East H Street, the Southwestern JC campus is located at the corner of East H Street and Otay Lakes Road. The address of the school is 900 Otay Lakes Road.

### The Format

Saturday's meet will be run in the normal dual-meet schedule. There will be two heats of each event, with the first being scored. Each heat will feature six swimmers, two from each school, and will be scored using a 5-3-1 scale. Saturday's meet will also feature a diving competition.

### Getting Results

Results from Saturday's meet will be posted on the official website of SDSU athletics, [www.goaztecs.com](http://www.goaztecs.com) and will also be faxed to the participating schools.

### Last Year vs. Air Force

SDSU lost to Air Force 166.5-131.5 last season in Colorado Springs on Nov. 18. Megan Storey took first-place honors in the 1,000 and 500 freestyle. Erin Kilpatrick touched the wall first in the 100 free and 100 butterfly.

### Taking a Dive

After not competing in diving events last sea-

### This Week ...

Sat., Nov. 3

vs. Air Force/New Mexico

son, SDSU features a pair of divers on its 2001-02 squad. Taking to the springboards for the scarlet and black are juniors Teri Hodgkinson and Ashley Noyer, both of whom transferred from Sierra College in Rocklin. Hodgkinson was a state qualifier last season and Noyer a two-time participant at the state meet.

### Practice Times

The Aztecs will conduct their training this season at City Heights pool. For future practice times or directions to the pool contact the Aztec Media Relations office (619) 594-5547.

### SDSU Lately

The Aztecs opened their 2001-02 season on Oct. 19-20 at the Pacific Invitational, placing third in the two-day event. Sophomore Jennifer Graham had three top-five finishes on Saturday to lead the team. The Santa Rosa Native finished fourth in the 100 butterfly and 200 breaststroke and fifth in the 100 breast. Aztec senior Heather DeFelice had two top-10 finishes on Friday and turned in her best performance of the meet with a third-place swim in the 200 breast on Saturday. Sophomore Megan Storey was the Aztecs' only individual medalist on Friday, winning the 1,650 freestyle with a time of 17:20.35, 27 seconds faster than her nearest competitor.

### Aztec Coaching Staff

SDSU head coach Deena Deardurff Schmidt enters her eighth season at the helm of the Aztec swimming and diving program. Schmidt is assisted by Greg Hutt, also in his eighth season.

### Looking Ahead

While the Aztecs won't be hosting an event next weekend they will be close to home, traveling to USD for a dual meet on Nov. 10. That event is scheduled to get underway at 1 p.m.

# R O W I N G

## Aztecs Continue Fall Season In Newport

### Fall Schedule

Date	Event
Oct. 21	at Head of the Charles Regatta
Nov. 4	at Newport Autumn Rowing Fest.
Nov. 10	at Head of the Lake
Nov. 11	at San Diego Fall Classic
Dec. 2	at Long Beach Christmas Regatta

### Back At It

After a week break, the San Diego State rowing team continues its fall season Sunday competing at the Newport Autumn Rowing Festival. The Aztecs are scheduled to compete in the open eight (8 a.m.), novice eight (9:30 a.m.) and open four with coxswain (10 a.m.) events. The regatta is held on a 2.7 mile course at the Newport Aquatic Center in Newport, Calif.

### SDSU Lately

SDSU got its 2001-02 season underway On Oct. 21 at the 37th-annual Head of the Charles Regatta in Boston. The two-day event is one of the world's largest fall regattas with hundreds

### This Week ...

Sun., Nov. 4

at Newport Autumn Rowing Festival

of teams competing. The Aztecs competed in the championship-eight event, finishing the three-mile course in 18:16.46. The time ranked them 44th out of a 53-team field that included some tough competitors. The USRowing team took the event's top spot with a time of 16:01.69, followed by last year's event winner, Princeton (16:10.84) and the London Training Center (16:17.759).

### Things To Come

SDSU is scheduled to compete at the Head of the Lake Regatta in Seattle on Nov. 10, the San Diego Fall Classic on Nov. 11 and the Long Beach Christmas Regatta on Dec. 2.

# MEN'S GOLF

## Aztecs To Host Barona Creek Aztec Invitational

### Barona Creek Aztec Invitational Barona Creek Golf Club Lakeside, Calif.

Dates: Nov. 5-6

Par: 72

Yardage: 7,088

The Field: San Diego State, Brigham Young, Denver, Eastern Washington, Fresno State, Georgia State, Gonzaga, Nevada, Ohio State, Portland State, Southern Utah, Texas-El Paso, Texas-San Antonio, Washington State, Weber State, Wichita State

### 2001-02 Schedule and Results

#### Fall

Date	Event	Result
S. 10-11	Mid Pines Intercollegiate	2nd (847)
S. 21-22	Tucker Intercollegiate	6th (876)
O. 5-6	Lexus Classic	5th (876)
O. 8-9	Club Glove Intercollegiate	4th (902)
N. 5-6	Aztec Invitational	

#### Spring

Date	Event	Result
F. 20-22	John Burns Intercollegiate	
M. 7-8	Pacific Coast Intercollegiate	
M. 18-19	USD Invitational	
M. 25-26	Oregon Duck Invitational	
A. 5-6	Texas A&M Invitational	
A. 20-21	Stanford Invitational	
A. 29-M. 1	MWC Championships	
M. 16-18	NCAARregionals	
M. 29-J. 1	NCAACHampionships	



### Home Sweet Home

The San Diego State men's golf team will make its only home appearance of the 2001-02 season next week, when the Aztecs welcome 15 teams to the Barona Creek Golf Club (par 72; 7,088 yards) for the 2001 Barona Creek Aztec Invitational. A practice round and welcome dinner will be held at the club on Sunday, Nov. 4th. Former Aztec and current PGA Tour pro Dennis Paulson is scheduled to speak during the dinner. The 54-hole, two-day tournament gets under way with a 7:30 a.m. shot-gun start on Monday, Nov. 5. The second round of play is slated for Monday afternoon, with the third and final round teeing at 7:30 a.m on Tuesday, Nov. 6.



### Free For All

All collegiate golf fans are invited to gallery and walk the course during the competition. Admission to the tournament is free of charge.

### And The Trophy Goes To...

The winner of the 2001 Barona Creek Aztec Invitational will be honored with the inaugural *Barona Collegiate Cup*, a perpetual trophy donated by the Barona Band of Mission Indians. The trophy will serve as the new symbol of the Aztec Invitational and will be bestowed on all future winners.

### Welcome To America's Finest City

Including 42nd-ranked San Diego State, five squads in the 16-team field appear in the latest *Golfweek* Top-50. No. 8 Fresno State is the highest ranked team, and enters the Aztec Invitational with a pair of tournament victories and a second-place finish in its last three outings. No. 13 Ohio State, which owns three top-5 finishes on this fall, is the only other top-20 squad. No. 33 Washington State, and No. 50 Nevada are the other ranked squads coming to San Diego.

### Checking The Leaderboard

Individually, four players are currently ranked among *Golfweek's* Top-50. Fresno State's Nick Watney, who checks in this week at No. 11, and Jonathan Echols, No. 15, are the highest ranked competitors. Ohio State's 18th-ranked Justin Collins and 36th-ranked Doug Wade, are also in the top 50.

### Aztecs Vs. The Field

San Diego State has finished in the top five in three of four tournaments this fall and enters the week with a 44-13 record. SDSU has faced five teams in this year's Aztec Invitational field, posting a 4-3 overall mark against BYU (1-0), Fresno State (0-2), Nevada (0-1), Texas-El Paso (2-0) and Wichita State (1-0).

## This Week ...

Nov. 5-6

Barona Creek Aztec Invitational

Fall 2001 Stroke Averages	Avg.	Rds
Gilberto Rodriguez	72.3	3
Mark Warman	73.0	12
Lars Johansson	73.0	8
John Lieber	73.6	12
Brandon Kearney	73.8	12
Chris Galeski	75.0	3
Scott Henderson	75.0	3
Charlie Smith	75.3	6
Linus Nilsson	78.0	3
John Lepak	—	—
Andrew Scott	—	—

### Last Year's Aztec Invite

San Diego State was the only team to finish below par, carding an 18-under 846 and cruising to victory at the SCGAMembers' Club in Marrieta, Calif. Louisville's Grant sturgeon shot a 6-under 210 to take medalist honors, followed by five Aztecs in places 2-6.

### Back Spin: Aztecs Fifth At Fresno, 4th at Somis

The Aztec Invitational will be SDSU's first action in nearly a month. Most recently, San Diego State played two tournaments in five days, posted a fifth at the Fresno Lexus Golf Classic and a fourth at the Club Glove Intercollegiate, Oct. 6th and 9th, respectively. Playing without MWC Golfer of the Year Lars Johansson, Mark Warman and John Lieber led the way with top-25 finishes as the Aztecs carded a combined 12-over 876. Johansson returned for Pepperdine's Club Glove Intercollegiate, but it wasn't enough to life the Aztecs any higher than fourth as SDSU shot a season-high 38-over 902. Brandon Kearney was the Aztecs' top finisher, placing 12th. Johansson took 21st.

### Aztec Chip Shots

- The Aztecs have a combined team stroke average of 73.89.
- SDSU has finished in the top 5 in 3-of-4 tournaments thus far. The Aztecs' only non-top 5 finish was a sixth at UNM's Tucker Intercollegiate.
- In players with four or more competitive rounds this fall, Mark Warman and Lars Johansson lead the Aztecs in stroke average at 73.0.

### That's A Rap

The Barona Creek Aztec Invitational will be the final tournament of the fall for the San Diego State men's golf team. The Aztecs will take nearly four months off before opening the spring season, Feb. 20-22, at the John Burns Intercollegiate in Hawaii.

### Head Coach Dale Walker

San Diego State enters its second season under the direction of head coach Dale Walker. He guided the Aztecs to a top-25 ranking and a 12th-place finish at the 2001 NCAA West Regional in his first year at the helm. A 1980 graduate of SDSU, Walker was a standout performer for the Aztecs from 1975-79.