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- Steve Fisher, SDSU Men's Basketball Head Coach



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San Diego State held a grand-opening ceremony for the 23,500-square foot Jeff Jacobs JAM Center on Sunday, Aug. 23, 2015. The event marked the official opening of the Aztecs' on-campus basketball performance center, which broke ground on Aug. 27, 2014.

Speaking before the ceremonial ribbon cutting was SDSU president Elliot Hirshman, men's basketball head coach Steve Fisher and women's hoops senior guard Ahjalee Harvey.

Preliminary site work started in July 2014, just south of the Fowler Athletics Center and east of the football practice fields. The facility, which will support the continued growth and development of the SDSU men's and women's basketball teams, includes two full-length courts, eight baskets, locker rooms, film room, team lounges, athletic training room and coaches locker rooms.

Hundreds of supporters contributed to the effort to make the Jeff Jacobs JAM Center a reality. In addition to the naming gift from Jeff Jacobs, Hal and Debby Jacobs, Steve and Lisa Altman and Jim Morris, creating the name "JAM" Center, sizeable donations were made from the Manna Charitable Foundation and the Walter and Betty Zable Foundation. The total cost of the project was \$15 million.

The project was designed by JCJ Architecture and was built by The Hunt Construction Group.



JEFF JACOBS JAM CENTER FEATURES

23,500 square feet

Two full-length courts

Eight baskets

Two scoreboards

Keiser strength equipment

Locker rooms

Film room

Team lounges

Athletic training room



"This is more than just a building, it is our classroom. This will provide an opportunity for our student-athletes to enhance their individual games, which will in turn benefit our programs. This also keeps SDSU competing at the highest level not only in basketball, but in recruiting as well."

- Stacie Terry, SDSU Women's Basketball Head Coach



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Seniors Ahjalee Harvey (left) and Deidra Smith have been named team captains for the 2015-16 campaign.



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AZTEC BASKETBALL

MEDIA INFO/QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: San Diego, Calif., 92182
 Founded: 1897
 Enrollment: 30,750
 Nickname/Mascot: Aztecs/The Aztec Warrior
 School Colors: Scarlet and Black
 Affiliation: NCAA Division I
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AZTEC BASKETBALL FACTS

First Year of Basketball: 1976-77
 All-Time Record: 617-532 (.537)
 2014-15 Overall Record: 12-19
 2014-14 MW Record/Finish: 8-10/7th
 2015 MW Tournament Record: 1-1
 2014-15 Final RPI: 225
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/4
 Starters Returning/Lost: 3/3
 Redshirts Returning: 2
 Newcomers: 2
 Postseason Appearances: 12
 NCAA Appearances: 9
 Last NCAA Appearance: 2012
 Lost to LSU (64-56) in First Round
 Last Postseason Appearance: 2013
 Lost to BYU (69-58) in WNIT Second Round

The 2015-16 SDSU basketball media guide has been prepared to assist media members in their coverage of the Aztecs. Additional information, including media releases and photographs, may be obtained by contacting assistant media relations director Jim Solien at 619-594-2576.

CREDENTIALS

All requests for working credentials (press, radio, television, scouting) should be directed to Jim Solien at least 24 hours prior to tip-off. Faxed inquiries may be sent to 619-582-6541. Credentials will not be mailed. They may be picked up at the media entrance at Viejas Arena (lower level) 90 minutes prior to the start of all home games.

CAMPUS PARKING

Media desiring to cover Aztec practices on campus can park in Parking Structure 5 (PS 5) and obtain a special parking pass from the Aztec media relations office. Media parking (via permit) will be provided for all home games in Parking Structure 4, adjacent to Viejas Arena.

DIRECTIONS TO VIEJAS ARENA

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PRACTICE AND INTERVIEWS

The Aztec women's basketball team officially begins practice in early October. All workouts will take place at the Jeff Jacobs JAM Center with a few exceptions. Media wishing to attend practice should contact the Aztec media relations department at least one day in advance.

Head coach Stacie Terry and the players are generally available to meet with the media following each workout, as requested. Coaches and players are also available to conduct television and radio interviews, which must be set up through the media relations office at 619-594-2576.

Please request all interviews with a minimum of 24 hours notice. San Diego State players and coaches will not be available for interviews on game days until postgame.

GAMEDAY SERVICES

The Aztec media relations office furnishes game programs, pre-game notes and media guides prior to each game in the media room at Viejas Arena. Play-by-play accounts, halftime and final statistics and shot charts are also provided.

TELEPHONES

Several phones are available in the media room and on press row, but are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. For more information on phone-line installation, contact Viejas Arena at (619) 594-3533.

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MEDIA SEATING

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PHOTOGRAPHERS

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WEEKLY PRESS RELEASE

Weekly Aztec basketball releases in pdf format (Acrobat) are available for download from the women's basketball page at www.goaztecs.com or via e-mail. Please contact assistant media

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AZTEC WEBCASTS

Aztec basketball fans will have an opportunity to listen to live play-by-play of regular-season games, both home and away, over the internet at www.goaztecs.com. In addition, most Aztec home contests during the 2015-16 regular season will feature a live video stream via the Mountain West Network to supplement the audio call from Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena.

For the ninth year in a row, SDSU alumnus Chris Ello will be the voice of Aztec basketball both at home and on the road.

ON THE INTERNET

Information on Aztec basketball is available on the Internet at www.goaztecs.com. Press releases and recaps, along with in-game and season statistics, are updated on a weekly basis. In addition, the basketball media guide is also located on the site and includes player profiles, school records and team history.

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AZTEC BASKETBALL ON THE INTERNET

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SDSU alumnus Chris Ello begins his ninth season of calling the action and is a familiar voice in the San Diego area. In addition to his responsibilities with the Aztec women's basketball squad, Ello is a member of the football broadcast team as a sideline reporter for the school's flagship station, The Mighty 1090 AM.

Ello started his career in sports talk radio in San Diego on XTRA Sports 690 in the summer of 1994. He has accumulated a wealth of experience doing play-by-play for a variety of sports at every level, including stints with the SDSU football (1985), baseball (1998-99) and men's basketball (2006-07) squads.

From 1996-2006, Ello was the voice of the San Diego Gulls hockey team and has called the action for the San Diego Sockers (indoor soccer), San Diego Spirit (outdoor soccer), San Diego Wildcards (CBA) and San Diego Riptide (arena football). He also has experience broadcasting high school CIF football and basketball games since 2000.

Ello graduated in 1985 with a bachelor's degree in journalism from San Diego State, where he spent two seasons with the baseball team from 1980-81 as a left-handed pitcher. A former sports editor at the Daily Aztec, he resides in Rancho San Diego with his wife, Lori.

For the third straight year, all regular-season Aztec home contests in 2015-16 will feature a live video stream via the Mountain West Network to supplement the audio call from Viejas Arena.

MOUNTAIN WEST NETWORK

The Mountain West Conference, in collaboration with Campus Insiders continues to expand and enhance the video content and reach of its digital network. Under this unique alliance, the Heartland Emmy award-winning Mountain West Network, powered by Campus Insiders, provides on-demand video content, as well as broadcasts an unprecedented number of live events from the league's 18 sports.

Since its launch in October of 2012, the Mountain West Network has provided fans over 1,100 on-demand videos, while also live-streaming over 1,500 events, including select Conference championships.

Mountain West Network content is available at no cost to viewers and is accessible on multiple devices, including desktop and laptop computers, smartphones and tablets. Fans can also download the official mobile application of the Mountain West on their iPhone, iPod Touch, iPad and Android devices. The Mountain West Network powered by Campus Insiders exclusively produced seven football games in 2014 and nine men's basketball games in 2014-15 that are available on TheMW.com and mobile applications, CampusInsiders.com and the participating institutions' official athletics sites.

All Mountain West programming is also available on CampusInsiders.com, the online destination and leading digital content syndication source for college sports. Campus Insiders, a partnership between Silver Chalice Ventures and IMG College, goes beyond the traditional sports media experience, giving dedicated fans an insider's perspective that includes behind-the-scenes content, original video programming (including hosts Bonnie Bernstein

and Seth Davis), and live streaming events. Campus Insiders also incorporates the Mountain West into its many existing distribution relationships, including partners on VOD, OTT and IP-Connected platforms.

Additionally, the Mountain West Network powered by Campus Insiders simulcasts all local and regional telecasts online, including ROOT SPORTS-produced football and men's basketball games in markets outside of the ROOT SPORTS footprint, including Cox Communications broadcasts outside of the local market (Las Vegas and San Diego).

Mountain West institutions will produce over 190 women's basketball games during the 2015-16 season on the Mountain West Network. Games will be live-streamed for free on the network. Every stream will be available on the MWN (TheMW.com) and on institutional sites.



ABOUT CBS SPORTS NETWORK

CBS Sports Network televises more than 300 live games and over 2,000 hours of original programming every year. The network telecasts Professional Bull Riding (PBR), live football, basketball and more from the Mountain West, Conference USA, Atlantic 10, as well as Army, Navy and the Patriot League.

CBS Sports Network also delivers exclusive coverage of SEC football, live NCAA® Tournament studio analysis, award-winning original productions and much more. CBS Sports Network is the home of both the National Lacrosse League (NLL) and Major League Lacrosse (MLL).

Throughout the year, the network also telecasts a full slate of original programming such as behind-the-scenes series, documentaries and studio coverage featuring expert analysis, predictions, in-depth interviews and more.

CBS Sports will air the finals of the 2016 Mountain West Women's Basketball Championships. CBSSN is widely available on cable systems across the country and via satellite on DirecTV (Channel 613) and Dish Network (Channel 152).





SEASON PREVIEW NOTES

PRESEASON PROGNOSTICATIONS

San Diego State has been predicted to finish sixth in the Mountain West preseason poll released by the league office in October. The voting panel consisted of the MW's 11 head coaches and select women's basketball media from around the conference.

The Aztecs, who placed seventh in the MW standings during the 2014-15 campaign, earned 135 points from the panel, trailing fifth-place UNLV (132) by just three points while topping seventh-place Wyoming (125) by 10 points.

Two-time defending regular-season champion Colorado State was picked to repeat once again after receiving 21 of 28 first-place votes and 237 points, just ahead of New Mexico, which garnered seven first-place votes and 221 points, while 2015 MW tournament champion Boise State followed closely in the third spot with six first-place votes and 215 points.

With the league's forecast, SDSU has not been selected to finish among the top three places in the MW preseason rankings in back-to-back years for the first time since the 2006-07 and 2007-08 campaigns. The Aztecs completed conference play where they were projected last season, landing in the seventh spot with an 8-10 record.

2014-15 REWIND

San Diego State faced another year of growing pains during the 2014-15 season, posting a 12-19 overall record and finishing seventh in the Mountain West race with an 8-10 mark. Once again, the Aztecs faced a difficult schedule, playing nine teams that qualified for postseason play, including four that appeared in the NCAA tournament (Boise State, South Carolina, CSUN and Washington). In addition, SDSU was forced to replace center Cierra Warren, who was a first-team all-MW selection after leading the team in scoring, field-goal percentage and blocked shots as a senior in 2013-14.

Despite these tribulations, the gritty Aztecs found success on the court during the 2014-15 campaign. Below are a few of the accomplishments of last year's squad:

- SDSU led the conference in rebounding defense, allowing just 34.6 boards per game. The Aztecs also ranked third in the MW for all games in rebounding margin (+3.2).
- In addition, San Diego State ranked fourth during league play in scoring defense (56.8 ppg) and fifth for all games (61.6 ppg).
- The Aztecs dramatically improved their three-point field-goal percentage from the previous season. SDSU allowed opponents to shoot just 28.2 percent from beyond the arc, which ranked second in the Mountain West and 34th in the nation. In 2014, opponents connected on 35.6 of their three-point attempts, which was last in the conference and ranked 330th in the country.
- The Aztecs notched the program's highest single-game point total since 1992 in a wild 99-91 victory over Sacramento State in the season opener. SDSU shot a season-high 63 percent from the field in that game.
- The Aztecs recorded their longest winning streak since the 2012-13 season after knocking off Utah State, Nevada and Boise State in succession Jan. 31-Feb. 7. SDSU limited the respective leading scorers on those three teams (Fundu Nakkasoglu, Mimi Mungedi and Deanna Weaver) to a combined 16 points. During that stretch, the Aztecs were plus-7 in turnovers and outscored their opponents 51-25 off those miscues.
- In the victory over Boise State, SDSU held the high-octane Broncos to 34 points below their average for the year at



McKynzie Fort

the time, along with a season-low .264 shooting percentage.

- The Aztecs defeated UNLV on Senior Night for the second year in a row after posting a 76-61 victory, highlighted by 50 points in the second half.
- SDSU posted an 8-6 ledger at Viejas Arena, marking the eighth time in the last nine years in which the Aztecs finished with a winning record at home.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOLADES

SDSU also continued its tradition of individual excellence in 2014-15, as Erimma Amariqwa and McKynzie Fort garnered postseason all-conference accolades.

- Amariqwa received honorable mention all-MW recognition after leading the team in scoring (10.9 ppg) and rebounds (7.2 rpg). She also earned conference player of the week honors on Feb. 9.
- Fort was named to the MW all-freshman team after finishing second on the squad in scoring (10.1 ppg) and assists (1.9 apg). She was also the fifth straight Aztec to be selected Mountain West preseason freshman of the year.
- San Diego State landed five players on the Mountain West all-academic team after the season, marking its highest total since the 2001-02 campaign.

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT 2015-16

With excitement brewing for head coach Stacie Terry's third season on Montezuma Mesa, below are a few trends to watch for in 2015-16:

- SDSU enters the year having claimed 43 of its last 59 home games and has gone 75-28 on the Viejas Arena floor since the start of the 2008-09 campaign.
- The Aztecs have recorded 81 Mountain West victories in the last eight seasons after posting 31 wins in the league's

first nine years.

- SDSU has won 44 straight games and is 74-1 over the last three seasons when leading with five minutes to go in the game, including an 12-0 mark in 2014-15. The Aztecs' lone blemish during that stretch was a heartbreaking 59-58 defeat at Washington in December 2012.
- SDSU is 35-17 in December games dating back to the 2006-07 campaign, with seven of those losses coming against teams either ranked or receiving votes in the national polls.
- The Aztecs have advanced to finals of the MW Championship in five of the last eight years after not winning a single game in the tournament's first eight years of existence.
- For the third straight season, SDSU will play 18 conference games. The Aztecs will complete a home-and-away slate with eight squads, while facing Nevada (home) and Air Force (away) just once.

THE 2015-16 AZTECS

Back Again: San Diego State returns three starters from a year ago, featuring sophomore McKynzie Fort, along with seniors Ahjaleé Harvey and Deidra Smith. A 5-9 guard, Fort earned Mountain West all-freshman honors last spring after finishing third among conference rookies with 10.9 points per game in league play while averaging 3.2 rebounds and 1.7 assists. In addition, Harvey made a successful recovery from a knee injury that sidelined her for the final 22 games of the 2013-14 campaign with 25 starts in 29 appearances last season. The 5-6 point guard was SDSU's top ball-handler and main three-point threat in 2014-15, dishing out 2.3 assists per contest to go with 21 triples. Meanwhile, Smith has played in all 62 games for the Aztecs the past two years following her transfer from Boston College. The tallest member on the squad as a 6-2 forward, Smith is the team's top returning rebounder after averaging 3.5 caroms last season.

Third-year head coach Stacie Terry and staff welcome back four additional letterwinners, including juniors Ariell Bostick and Aleiah Brandon, and sophomores Cheyenne Greenhouse and Lexy Thorderson. Fellow classmate Allison Brown, who made seven spot appearances last season, also finds herself in the mix once again.

Noting the Newcomers: Of the 12 student-athletes on the current roster, four players will be wearing a Scarlet and Black uniform for the first time during the 2015-16 campaign. Guard Kymberly Ellison (Columbus, Ga.) practiced with the squad last year, but did not compete after transferring from Georgia Tech, while fellow backcourt mate Geena Gomez (Huntington Beach, Calif.) utilized her redshirt season as well following her transfer from St. Joseph's (Pa.).

With the departure of forwards Erimma Amariqwa, Kristina Hunter and Desi Culberson, who accounted for 43 percent of SDSU's rebounding total and 38 percent of the team's scoring offense from a year ago, a pair of newcomers look to gain significant experience on the frontline this season. Junior Kylie Herd (Phoenix, Ariz.) received second-team All-America recognition and was named the Arizona JC player of the year as a sophomore last season at Mesa Community College, following a solid freshman campaign when she helped the Thunderbirds to the NJCAA Division II national championship. Not to be outdone, freshman Arantxa Gómez Ferrer (Valencia, Spain) brings strong credentials with her to The Mesa after sharpening her skills as a six-year member on the Spanish club circuit, including an MVP performance in U18 regional competition last April.



►2015-16 AZTEC NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School/High School)
0	Deidra Smith	F	6-2	Sr.	2L	Aurora, Colo. (Boston College/Denver East HS)
3	Ariell Bostick	G	5-4	Jr.	2L	Oakland, Calif. (Bishop O'Dowd HS)
4	Kymberly Ellison	G	5-7	Jr.	RS	Columbus, Ga. (Georgia Tech/Hardaway HS)
11	Ahjaleé Harvey	G	5-6	Sr.	3L	Mountain View, Calif. (Eastside College Prep HS)
13	Allison Brown	G	5-7	So.	SQ	Anaheim Hills, Calif. (Mater Dei HS)
15	McKynzie Fort	G	5-9	So.	1L	Fontana, Calif. (Etiwanda HS)
20	Geena Gomez	G	5-8	So.	RS	Huntington Beach, Calif. (St. Joseph's (Pa.)/Edison HS)
22	Lexy Thorderson	G/F	6-0	So.	1L	Castle Rock, Colo. (Rock Canyon HS)
30	Cheyenne Greenhouse	G	5-11	So.	1L	Riverside, Calif. (Canyon Springs HS)
32	Kylie Herd	F	6-0	Jr.	TR	Phoenix, Ariz. (Mesa CC/Arcadia HS)
41	Arantxa Gómez Ferrer	F	6-0	Fr.	HS	Valencia, Spain (Parque Colegio Santa Ana HS)
44	Aleiah Brandon	F	6-1	Jr.	2L	Corona, Calif. (Centennial HS)

►2015-16 AZTEC ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School/High School)
3	Ariell Bostick	G	5-4	Jr.	2L	Oakland, Calif. (Bishop O'Dowd HS)
44	Aleiah Brandon	F	6-1	Jr.	2L	Corona, Calif. (Centennial HS)
13	Allison Brown	G	5-7	So.	SQ	Anaheim Hills, Calif. (Mater Dei HS)
4	Kymberly Ellison	G	5-7	Jr.	RS	Columbus, Ga. (Georgia Tech/Hardaway HS)
15	McKynzie Fort	G	5-9	So.	1L	Fontana, Calif. (Etiwanda HS)
20	Geena Gomez	G	5-8	So.	RS	Huntington Beach, Calif. (St. Joseph's (Pa.)/Edison HS)
41	Arantxa Gómez Ferrer	F	6-0	Fr.	HS	Valencia, Spain (Parque Colegio Santa Ana HS)
30	Cheyenne Greenhouse	G	5-11	So.	1L	Riverside, Calif. (Canyon Springs HS)
11	Ahjaleé Harvey	G	5-6	Sr.	3L	Mountain View, Calif. (Eastside College Prep HS)
32	Kylie Herd	F	6-0	Jr.	TR	Phoenix, Ariz. (Mesa CC/Arcadia HS)
0	Deidra Smith	F	6-2	Sr.	2L	Aurora, Colo. (Boston College/Denver East HS)
22	Lexy Thorderson	G/F	6-0	So.	1L	Castle Rock, Colo. (Rock Canyon HS)

Head Coach: Stacie Terry (UT Arlington, 1998), Third season at SDSU/Third overall

Assistant Coach: Jesse Clark (Pacific Union, 2003), Third season at SDSU

Assistant Coach: Ciara Carl (Point Loma Nazarene, 2005), Third season at SDSU

Assistant Coach: Nick Grant (Baylor, 2010), Second season at SDSU

Director of Operations: Fatema Arefi (San Diego State, 2005), Third season/10th overall at SDSU

Director of Player Development: Kevin Adams (California Baptist, 2009), First season at SDSU

Athletic Trainer: Queenie Soriano (San Diego State, 2004), Fifth season at SDSU

►2015-16 PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Ariell Bostick.....arr-EE-ell
 Aleiah Brandon.....ah-LAY-ah
 Arantxa Gómez Ferrer.....ah-RON-cha
 Ahjalee HarveyAH-zhul-lay (zh = 's' sound in measure)
 Deidra Smith.....DEE-dra
 Ciara Carlsee-ARR-ah
 Fatema Arefi.....fah-TEE-mah ah-REE-fee





ROSTER BREAKDOWN

► PERSONNEL SUMMARY



FORT



HARVEY



SMITH

Returning Starters (3)

McKynzie Fort, So., G, 10.1 ppg, 3.2 rpg, 1.9 apg
Ahjaleé Harvey, Sr., G, 6.6 ppg, 2.3 rpg, 2.3 apg, 1.0 spg
Deidra Smith, Sr., F, 4.7 ppg, 3.5 rpg, 19 blocks

Starters Lost (3)

Erimma Amarikwa, F, 10.9 ppg, 7.2 rpg, 1.8 apg
Khristina Hunter, F, 15.4 ppg, 6.4 rpg, 1.4 bpg
Chloe Johnson, G, 3.0 ppg, 1.9 rpg, 1.3 apg



BOSTICK



BRANDON



GREENHOUSE



THORDERSON

Other Letterwinners Returning (4)

Ariell Bostick, Jr., G, 5.4 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 1.8 apg
Aleiah Brandon, Jr., F, 2.1 ppg, 1.0 rpg, 47.1 FG pct
Cheyenne Greenhouse, So., G, 3.8 ppg, 2.8 rpg, 0.7 apg
Lexy Thorderson, So., G/F, 1.9 ppg, 0.6 rpg, 13 treys

Other Letterwinners Lost (1)

Desi Culberson, F, 3.3 ppg, 3.7 rpg, 1.1 apg



BROWN

Other Players Returning (1)

Allison Brown, So., G, 7 games, 26 minutes, 1 FG



ELLISON



GOMEZ

Redshirts Returning (2)

Kymberly Ellison, 5-7, Jr., G, Columbus, Ga. (Hardaway HS/Georgia Tech)
Geena Gomez, 5-8, So., G, Huntington Beach, Calif. (Edison HS/St. Joseph's (Pa.))



GÓMEZ FERRER



HERD

Newcomers (2)

Arantxa Gómez Ferrer, Fr., F, 6-0, Valencia, Spain (Parque Colegio Santa Ana HS)
Kylie Herd, Jr., F, 6-0, Phoenix, Ariz. (Mesa C.C./Arcadia HS)

► ROSTER BREAKDOWN

By Class

Seniors (2): Harvey, Smith; **Juniors (3):** Bostick, Brandon, Ellison, Herd; **Sophomores (5):** Brown, Fort, Gomez, Greenhouse, Thorderson; **Freshmen (1):** Gómez Ferrer

By State/Country

California (7): Bostick, Brandon, Brown, Fort, Gomez, Greenhouse, Harvey; **Colorado (2):** Smith, Thorderson; **Arizona (1):** Herd; **Georgia (1):** Ellison; **Spain (1):** Gómez Ferrer

By Position

Forwards (5): Brandon, Herd, Gómez Ferrer, Smith, Thorderson; **Guards (8):** Bostick, Brown, Ellison, Fort, Gomez, Greenhouse, Harvey, Thorderson

By Height

6-2 (1): Smith; **6-1 (1):** Brandon; **6-0 (3):** Herd, Gómez Ferrer, Thorderson; **5-11 (1):** Greenhouse; **5-9 (1):** Fort; **5-8 (1):** Gomez; **5-7 (2):** Brown, Ellison; **5-6 (1):** Harvey; **5-4 (1):** Bostick

► RETURNING CATEGORY LEADERS FROM 2014-15

Minutes Per Game	Steals Per Game
McKynzie Fort..... 27.1	McKynzie Fort..... 1.0
Points Per Game	Field Goal Percentage
McKynzie Fort..... 10.1	Aleiah Brandon..... 47.1
Rebounds Per Game	Free Throw Percentage (min 10 made)
Deidra Smith..... 3.5	Deidra Smith..... 74.2
Assists Per Game	Three-Point Field Goal Percentage
Ahjaleé Harvey..... 2.3	Aleiah Brandon..... 34.5
Blocked Shots Per Game	
Deidra Smith..... 0.6	



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AZTEC BASKETBALL

SCHEDULE/NCAA TOURNEY

►2015-16 AZTEC BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Fri.	Nov. 6	Point Loma (Exhibition)	6:30 p.m. PT
Fri.	Nov. 13	at Long Beach State	2 p.m. PT
Mon.	Nov. 16	UC Riverside	6:30 p.m. PT
Thurs.	Nov. 19	UC Davis	6:30 p.m. PT
Mon.	Nov. 23	at Washington	7 p.m. PT

SDSU Thanksgiving Classic

Fri.	Nov. 27	Delaware vs. Wisconsin	4 p.m. PT
Fri.	Nov. 27	North Dakota State	6:30 p.m. PT
Sun.	Nov. 29	Delaware vs. North Dakota State	Noon PT
Sun.	Nov. 29	Wisconsin	2:30 p.m. PT

Thurs.	Dec. 3	San Diego	6:30 p.m. PT
Mon.	Dec. 7	at CSUN	7 p.m. PT
Thurs.	Dec. 10	at Loyola Marymount	Noon PT
Sat.	Dec. 19	Cal State Fullerton	2 p.m. PT
Mon.	Dec. 21	San Diego Christian	6:30 p.m. PT
Wed.	Dec. 30	*at Wyoming	7 p.m. MT
Sat.	Jan. 2	*Utah State	2 p.m. PT
Wed.	Jan. 6	*at San José State	7 p.m. PT
Wed.	Jan. 13	*Colorado State	6:30 p.m. PT
Sat.	Jan. 16	*Boise State	2 p.m. PT
Wed.	Jan. 20	*at Fresno State	7 p.m. PT
Sat.	Jan. 23	*at Utah State	2 p.m. MT
Wed.	Jan. 27	*Nevada	6:30 p.m. PT
Sat.	Jan. 30	*UNLV	2 p.m. PT
Wed.	Feb. 3	*at Colorado State	7 p.m. MT
Sat.	Feb. 6	*at New Mexico	2 p.m. MT
Wed.	Feb. 10	*Fresno State	6:30 p.m. PT
Sat.	Feb. 13	*at Air Force	6 p.m. MT
Sat.	Feb. 20	*San José State	2 p.m. PT
Wed.	Feb. 24	*Wyoming	6:30 p.m. PT
Sat.	Feb. 27	*at Boise State	2 p.m. MT
Tues.	March 1	*New Mexico	6:30 p.m. PT
Fri.	March 4	*at UNLV	5 p.m. PT

Mountain West Championship (Las Vegas, Nev.)

Mon.	March 7	MW First Round	TBA
Tues.	March 8	MW Quarterfinals	TBA
Wed.	March 9	MW Semifinals	TBA
Fri.	March 11	MW Championship Game	TBA

NCAA Tournament

Sat.-Tues.	March 18-21	NCAA First and Second Round (Location TBD)	TBA
Sat.-Tues.	March 25-27	NCAA Regionals (Location TBD)	TBA
Sun. & Tues.	April 3 & 5	NCAA Final Four (Indianapolis, Ind.)	TBA

Times and dates subject to change

Home games in **bold** played at Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena

* - Mountain West game

►2015-16 AZTEC BASKETBALL HOME GAME PROMOTIONS

Thursday, Dec. 3 - vs. San Diego

T-Shirt Giveaway to first 500 fans

Saturday, Dec. 19 - vs. Cal State Fullerton

Dads & Daughters Day/Aztec Foam Finger Giveaway

Saturday, Jan. 2 - vs. Utah State

Bingo Day

Saturday, Jan. 16 - vs. Boise State

Women's Basketball Alumni Appreciation Game

Rally Towel Giveaway

Saturday Jan. 30 - vs. UNLV

San Diego County Office of Education Girls and Women in Sports Day

Saturday, Feb. 20 - vs. San José State

WBCA Play4Kay Game for Breast Cancer Awareness

Tuesday, March 1 - vs. New Mexico

Senior Night

►2016 NCAA TOURNAMENT INFORMATION



NCAA First and Second Rounds

March 18-21

16 Campus Sites

NCAA Regionals

March 25 and 27

Lexington Regional

Rupp Arena (Lexington, Ky.)

Host: University of Kentucky

March 25 and 27

Sioux Falls Regional

Denny Sanford Premier Center (Sioux Falls, S.D.)

Host: Summit League

March 26 and 28

Bridgeport Regional

Webster Bank Arena (Bridgeport, Conn.)

Host: University of Connecticut and Fairfield University

March 26 and 28

Dallas Regional

American Airlines Center (Dallas, Texas)

Host: Big 12 Conference

NCAA Final Four

April 3 and 5

Bankers Life Fieldhouse (Indianapolis, Ind.)

Host: Horizon League and IUPUI