

2001-02 San Diego State Women's Basketball

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2001-02 Schedule/Times

N. 16	CAL POLY	W, 63-54
N. 18	at California	L, 60-74
N. 23	UC SAN DIEGO	L, 59-63
N. 25	NAVY	W, 73-69
D. 1	Prairie View A&M#	W, 68-46
D. 2	at TCU	L, 49-75
D. 6	SAN JOSE STATE	L, 62-65
D. 16	SACRAMENTO STATE	7:00 p.m.
D. 20	at Missouri-Kansas City	7:00 p.m.
D. 22	at Creighton	2:00 p.m.
D. 28	RADFORD	7:30 p.m.
D. 30	DETROIT	2:00 p.m.
J. 5	PORTLAND STATE	7:30 p.m.
J. 12	at Unlv	7:35 p.m.
J. 17	at Colorado State	7:00 p.m.
J. 19	at Wyoming	2:00 p.m.
J. 23	NEW MEXICO	7:30 p.m.
J. 26	AIR FORCE	5:00 p.m.
J. 31	at Byu	7:00 p.m.
F. 2	at Utah	3:00 p.m.
F. 9	UNLV	5:30 p.m.
F. 14	WYOMING	7:30 p.m.
F. 16	COLORADO STATE	7:30 p.m.
F. 21	at Air Force	7:00 p.m.
F. 23	at New Mexico	1:00 p.m.
F. 28	UTAH	5:30 p.m.
M. 2	BYU	8:30 p.m.
M. 6-9	Mountain West Championship	TBA

All times local to site
 Home Games in **CAPS**
 # at Texas Christian, Fort Worth, Texas

Aztecs' Agenda

December 10 • Monday
 Practice 3:30-6:30 Peterson Gym

December 11 • Tuesday
 Practice 3:30-6:30 Peterson Gym

December 12 • Wednesday
 Day off.

December 13 • Thursday
 Practice 3:30-6:30 Peterson Gym

December 14 • Friday
 Practice 3:30-6:30 Aztec Rec. Center

December 15 • Saturday
 Practice 9:00-12:00 Women's Gym

December 16 • Sunday
 Sacramento State at San Diego State 7 p.m.

December 17 • Monday
 Day off.

December 18 • Tuesday
 Practice 3:30-6:30 Cox Arena

Aztecs Break 10-Day Fast With Home Game Against Sacramento State Sunday

The San Diego State women's basketball team (3-4) will be out to snap a two-game losing streak Sunday when the Aztecs welcome Sacramento State (0-7) to Cox Arena for a 7 p.m. tip.

The game will be the first in 10 days for the Aztecs, who opened their current two-game homestand with a 65-62 loss to San Jose State last Thursday (Dec. 6).

San Diego State will be the fifth Mountain West opponent already this season for Sacramento State, which is still searching for its first win of the year. The Hornets were defeated at home by Air Force, 72-48, on Dec. 7 in their most recent action.

The 2001-02 season has been the definition of a roller-coaster campaign for the Aztecs. After opening the year with a dramatic, come-from-behind victory over Cal Poly, San Diego State has entered a lose-two, win-two pattern, falling to Cal and UCSD, beating Navy and Prairie View A&M and most recently losing to TCU and San Jose State.

SDSU would be glad to see the pattern continue for at least two more games (Sacramento State and Missouri-KC) before hopefully ending at Creighton (Dec. 22).

Please Note The Start Time

Though San Diego State's regular evening start time is 7:35 p.m., Sunday's meeting with Sacramento State tips a half-hour earlier at 7 p.m.

A Win For The Aztecs Would ...

- ▶ Improve San Diego State to 4-4 on the season.
- ▶ Get the Aztecs off to their best start under Barb Smith through eight games.
- ▶ Snap the squad's current two-game losing streak.
- ▶ Return SDSU to .500 for the third time this year.
- ▶ Improve SDSU to 3-2 at home.
- ▶ Be the team's third straight versus a Big Sky opponent
- ▶ Improve SDSU to 13-6 against current members of the Big Sky conference.

Game No.

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Sacramento State (0-7)
 at
 San Diego State (3-4)

Sunday ■ December 16, 2001
Cox Arena at Aztec Bowl (12,414)
San Diego, Calif.

Tip-Off: 7:00 p.m.

Webcast: For the second consecutive season all San Diego State women's basketball games can be heard live over the Internet at www.goaztecs.com. Bill Earley (p-b-p) and Tammy Blackburn (color) will call all the home webcasts, with Dan Lawton handling the play-by-play from the road.

The Records: San Diego State fell to 3-4 last Thursday after being edged by San Jose State, 65-62. Sacramento State, which is still looking for its first win of the season was knocked off by Air Force, 72-48, in its last outing, Dec. 7.

In The RPI: San Diego State enters the week ranked No. 201 in the most recent RPI rankings release by collegepi.com. Sacramento State is ranked No. 283.

SDSU Coach Barb Smith: Smith (Ohio State '86) is in her fifth season at San Diego State. She owns an overall record of 42-72 (.368) with the Aztecs.

Sac. State Coach Carolyn Jenkins: Jenkins (California '90) is in her second season at Sacramento State and is 3-30 (.091) with the Hornets.

Series History: Sunday's game will be the first ever between the Aztecs and Hornets. SDSU is 12-6 all-time against teams from the Big Sky.

2001-02 San Diego State Women's Basketball Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)	PPG	RPG	Individual Player Note
00	Tynisha King	F	5-10	Jr.	Moreno Valley (UNC Asheville)	n/a	n/a	▶ Still looking for first minutes
10	Ashonda Williams ▲	F	6-0	Jr.	Crockett (Contra Costa CC)	9.3	4.6	▶ Double figures in 4-of-7
12	Claire Swinbank ▲	G	5-8	Sr.	Georgetown, TX (Georgetown HS)	9.6	4.7a	▶ Scoring and assists up
14	Heather Wolf	G	5-6	Fr.	Stayton, Ore. (Regis HS)	1.3	0.5	▶ Scored 1st college pts. vs. PV
20	Jamey Cox ▲	G	5-7	Jr.	Waterloo, Iowa (West HS)	9.9	5.1a	▶ 5 qms. w/at least 6 assists
24	Nicolette McCartney	F/C	6-2	So.	Chicago, Ill. (Hersey HS)	2.0	1.0	▶ First mins. of season vs. SJ
25	Missy Schomaker	F/G	6-1	Sr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Hutchinson CC)	5.0	2.6	▶ Season-high 14 pts. vs. SJ
33	Maggie Sauls	G	5-9	Fr.	Borger, Texas (Borger HS)	2.0	0.0	▶ 1st college bucket vs. PV
34	Valencia Howard	F	6-1	Jr.	Richmond (Contra Costa CC)	2.9	6.3	▶ Another 9 boards vs. SJSU
40	Tanisha Knight	F	6-0	Sr.	Long Beach (Central Arizona JC)	4.1	2.0	▶ Season-high 9 pts. at TCU
50	Morgan Vargas ▲	C	6-4	Sr.	Riverside (New Mexico JC)	6.7	3.7	▶ 13 pts., 4 stls. vs. Spartans
52	Andrea Kiesling	C/F	6-3	Jr.	Helena, Mont. (Helena HS)	1.5	1.3	▶ Solid off the bench vs. PV
55	Atim Otii ▲	C/F	6-0	Sr.	Denver, Colo. (East HS)	12.4	5.0	▶ Scored in double digits 6 qms.

Head Coach: Barb Smith (Ohio State '86), fifth season ▲ Probable Starter
 Assistant Coaches: Steve Huber (Illinois State '82), Trisha Sears (Montana State '94), Dana McGraw (Loyola-N.O. '97)



■ San Diego State vs. Sac. State
First Meeting

■ SDSU-SAC Comparative Stats

SDSU		SAC
3-4	Overall Record	0-7
0-0	League Record	0-0
.432	Field Goal Pct.	.257
.382	3-PT FG Pct.	.191
.615	Free Throw Pct.	.698
.410	Opp. FG Pct.	.477
.417	Opp. 3-PT FG Pct.	.369
.595	Opp. FT Pct.	.689
35.1	Rebound Avg.	39.1
-2.5	Rebound Margin	-4.3
62.0	Points/Game	44.0
63.7	Pts. Allowed/Game	89.0
201	RPI Rating	283

Sacramento State Hornets (0-7)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)	Ppg.	Rpg.
2	Lori Kerswell	G	5-6	Sr.	Citrus Heights, Calif. (El Camino HS)	12.0	5.0
3	Ciara Jenkins	G	5-7	Sr.	San Francisco, Calif. (San Francisco CC)	3.3	2.3
10	Tamica Estrella	G	5-6	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. (Scripps Ranch HS)	0.5	0.5
15	Crystal Conley	G/F	5-10	Jr.	Santa Monica, Calif. (Santa Monica JC)	3.0	1.8
22	Sydney Gatson	G	5-9	So.	Concord, Calif. (Clayton Valley HS)	5.7	3.0
23	Kendra Yancey	G	6-0	Jr.	Fresno, Calif. (Fresno CC)	6.1	3.7
32	Dolores Olivarez	G	5-8	Jr.	Sacramento, Calif. (Sacramento City JC)	0.0	0.0
33	Tola Tallman	F	6-0	RS	Sacramento, Calif. (Mira Loma HS)	inj	inj
35	Samantha Miller	F	6-1	Jr.	Vacaville, Calif. (Justin-Siena HS)	5.1	3.9
41	Danielle Iceman	C	6-2	So.	Redding, Calif. (Shasta JC)	10.3	6.0
42	Kristine Knowlton	C	6-3	Fr.	Cornelius, Ore. (Forest Grove HS)	2.4	4.3
45	Ebonie Kerley	F	6-0	Fr.	Battle Creek, Mich. (Hoover HS)	0.5	1.5
54	Alyson Thurman	G/F	6-0	So.	Carson City, Nev. (Lassen College)	5.0	6.4

Head Coach: Carolyn Jenkins (California '90)
Assistant Coaches: Sarah Stapp, Cynthia Mayes, Dannie Walker

San Diego State Versus The Big Sky

Sunday's game may be the first for SDSU against its fellow Cal State University system member from the north, but the Aztecs have done battle with many of Sacramento State's conference partners through the years:

San Diego State vs. The Big Sky

Opponent	W	L
E. Washington	0	0
Idaho State	1	1
Montana	1	2
Montana State	1	0
N. Arizona	7	1
Portland State	2	1
Sacramento St.	0	0
Weber State	0	1
Total	12	6

- ▶ San Diego State is 12-6 (.667) all time against current Big Sky Conference members and will be out to make it three in a row over the league.
- ▶ Sacramento State is the first of two Big Sky opponents the Aztecs will face during the 2001-02 season. SDSU hosts Portland State on Jan. 5th.
- ▶ San Diego State has won two in a row over Big Sky schools, defeating Portland State and Northern Arizona last year.
- ▶ The Aztecs are 4-4 overall versus Big Sky Conference teams during the Barb Smith era. However, SDSU is a perfect 3-0 against the Sky in Cox Arena.

Out Of Our League

Dating to the start of last season, SDSU is 11-9 (.550) versus non-conference competition, including its loss to San Jose State last week.

A Quick Look At Sacramento State

It may still be early in the season, but it's already been a tough haul for Sacramento State. The Hornets, who completely re-vamped their roster prior to the 2001-02 campaign, are still looking for their first victory of the year after seven tries.

Senior guard Lori Kerswell has played in just two games, but has scored in double digits and leads Sacramento State in scoring with a 12.0 ppg average. Sophomore center

Sacramento State (0-7)

Location: Sacramento, Calif.
Nickname: Spartans
Colors: Green and Gold
Conference: Big Sky
Head Coach: Carolyn Jenkins
Record at SAC: 3-30, 2nd
Overall Record: Same
2000-01 Record: 3-23
Conference Record: 1-15
Conference Finish: 9th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 1/10
Starters Returning/Lost: 0/5

Danielle Iceman, the Hornets' leading score in three games this season, is also averaging double figures at 10.3 ppg.

Alyson Thurman (6.4 rpg) is the squad's leading rebounder.

Wrapping Up The San Jose State Game

- ▶ San Diego State led 57-55 with just under three minutes to play before San Jose State tied the game on a layup by Tatiana Taylor. The Spartans went ahead for good with 1:35 left on a Cricket Williams 3-pointer then sealed the game by hitting 5-of-6 free throws.
- ▶ The Aztecs led by as many as nine points in the first half - their largest lead in a loss this season - holding SJSU to 1-for-19 from the field to open the game.
- ▶ The Spartans, however, used a 14-4 run the catch the Aztecs then scored the period's final five points to take a 28-24 lead into the locker room.
- ▶ San Jose State became the third Aztec opponent to be held below 40-percent shooting from the field this season, hitting just 36 percent of its shots.
- ▶ The Aztecs' 28 turnovers were a season high.
- ▶ **Missy Schomaker led San Diego State on the scoreboard with a season-high 14 points.**
- ▶ **Morgan Vargas finished with a career night in both points (13) and steals (4).**
- ▶ **Atim Otii scored 12 point and has now finished in double digits in 6-of-7 games this season.**
- ▶ **Claire Swinbank had a game-high seven assists, while Valencia Howard led all rebounders with 11 boards.**

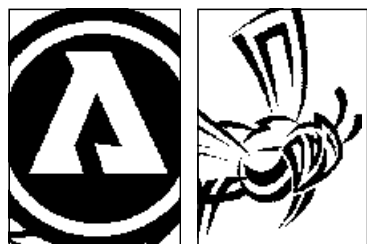
San Jose State 65, San Diego State 62
Game 7 ■ Dec. 6 ■ Cox Arena ■ San Diego, Calif.

SJSU	FG	3FG	FT	REB	F	TP	A	I	B	S	MP
Taylor, Ta.	2-8	0-0	2-3	4	2	6	0	2	1	0	23
A'Giza	7-14	1-1	1-1	5	0	16	0	2	0	1	32
Taylor, Te.	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	2	0	2	2	1	19
Parker	2-12	0-5	9-10	5	3	13	2	3	1	2	36
Williams	6-11	3-4	1-4	3	3	16	5	3	0	1	28
Prescott	0-4	0-0	0-0	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	13
Kellogg	2-4	2-3	1-3	0	1	7	2	0	0	0	9
Andrews	1-4	0-0	0-0	3	2	2	1	2	0	2	16
Smith	1-1	0-0	1-4	10	5	3	0	5	0	5	24
Team				3							
TOTALS	22-61	6-13	15-25	39	19	65	10	20	4	13	200
Pct.	36.1	46.2	60.0								

SDSU	FG	3FG	FT	REB	F	TP	A	I	B	S	MP
Williams	3-8	1-5	0-0	7	1	7	1	2	0	0	25
Otii	5-6	0-0	2-2	2	5	12	3	4	0	0	20
Vargas	6-8	0-0	1-3	4	4	13	0	2	2	4	30
Swinbank	2-6	0-0	0-1	1	1	4	7	2	0	0	28
Cox	2-9	1-6	0-0	1	4	5	6	9	0	3	32
Wolf	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	8
McCarthy	1-1	0-0	0-2	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	3
Schomaker	4-7	2-3	4-4	2	2	14	1	5	0	0	26
Howard	1-4	0-0	1-5	9	2	3	0	1	1	0	22
Knight	1-2	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	6
Team				8							
TOTALS	25-51	4-5	8-17	36	21	62	19	28	3	7	200
Pct.	49.0	26.7	47.1								

Officials: Charles Gonzalez, Adria Molina, Jennifer Tentor
Technical fouls: None.
Attendance: 491

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
San Jose State	28	37	65
San Diego State	24	38	62



Close Shaves

One reason for San Diego State's dramatic improvement last season was the Aztecs' record in close games. SDSU was 4-2 in contests decided by less than five points. The trend has reversed itself this season as the Aztecs are already 1-2 in games decided by fewer than five points.

Same Time Last Year

If the start to the 2001-02 season seems similar to last year it is. And that may be a good thing for the Aztecs. Last season, San Diego State opened the year 3-5 and was coming off back-to-back losses, including a close defeat at San Jose State on Dec. 6, before getting red-hot and putting together a six-game winning streak during the holidays.

This year, the Aztecs are a little better off at 3-4. Still, like last year at this time, SDSU enters the holiday season on a two-game losing streak, including a close loss to SJSU on Dec. 6. Can the Aztecs get hot and close the non-conference season on a roll again? Ever heard of *deja vu*?

Cox Still Home Sweet Home

San Diego State entered the season having won eight of its last 14 games in Cox Arena. And though the Aztecs are just 2-2 on their home floor this season, it beats playing on the road.

Entering Sunday's match up with Sacramento State, SDSU has won 63 percent of its home games (10-of-16), including 6-of-9 versus non-conference opposition dating to the start of last season. By contrast, the Aztecs are 1-2 (including a neutral site win over Prairie View A&M) away from campus this year and have dropped 13 of their last 19 on the road.

Shooting Touch Returns

After hitting on a season-low 33 percent from the field at TCU, San Diego State came back to produce its best shooting game of the season, connecting on 49 percent of its attempts versus San Jose State.

SDSU has now shot over 40 percent in 6-of-7 games on the year, including three games over 45 percent. For the season, the Aztecs are connecting at a 43.2 percent clip, up from last year's 42 percent rate and significantly better than two years ago when the Aztecs shot just 40 percent from the floor.

As Easy As One, Two, THREE

San Diego State's biggest area of improvement on offense has come from behind the arc. The Aztecs shot a respectable 33.6 percent a year ago but are hitting over 38 percent of their 3-pointers this season to rank fourth in the Mountain West Conference.

Just Shoot Me!

San Diego State is not only more accurate from beyond the arc this season, it is also much more productive. Entering the Sacramento State contest, the Aztecs are averaging 5.6 3-pointers per game, up significantly from the 3.6 they averaged a year ago.

Who's Got Next?

Through seven games, the scoring has been spread around by the Aztecs, who have had five different players turn in high-point honors. San Diego State has also had six players score in double digits at least twice. Atim Otii leads the way with six double-figure scoring games, followed by Jamey Cox, Ashonda Williams and Claire Swinbank with four each. Morgan Vargas, who has turned the trick in each of the last two games, and Missy Schomaker have both reached double digits twice.

Keys To Victory

Scoring may sell tickets, but rebounding and turnovers continue to be the keys to victory for San Diego State. The Aztecs have out-rebounded three opponents and come away winners in all three games. The Aztecs are also 2-1 when committing fewer miscues.

SDSU finished within three rebounds of San Jose State but coughed up a season-high 28 turnovers. The Spartans also vacuumed up 20 offensive boards to San Diego State's 20. The result of the two was an additional 10 looks at the basket for SJSU, more than enough to overcome a rather lack-luster 36 percent shooting performance versus SDSU's 49 percent.

60 Or Bust

Over the past two seasons, the number 60 has been key for the Aztecs. When San Diego State has held an opponent below 60 points during the last two years the Aztecs are 21-6 (.778).

The formula has held in six of the seven games thus far in 2001-02 as the Aztecs held Cal Poly to just 54 points and Prairie View A&M to only 46 in two victories, but yielded 74 points in their loss at California, 63 versus UCSD, 75 at TCU and 65 against San Jose State.

The only time San Diego State did break from this season occurred versus Navy, as the Aztecs gave up 69 points in their victory over the Midshipmen.

Turnover Bug Back

San Diego State appeared to get a handle on its turnover problem in its three games leading up to the San Jose State contest, averaging just 16 miscues during the span, including a season-low 12 versus Prairie View A&M, compared to the 25 it averaged in the first three games of the year. But the turnover bug was back against the Spartans as the Aztecs committed a season-high 28. SDSU is 2-1 this year with fewer turnovers than its opponents and just 1-3 when committing more miscues.

2001-02 Turnovers		
Game	No.	Avg.
Cal Poly	26	26.0
California	26	26.0
UCSD	24	25.3
Navy	16	23.0
Prairie View	12	20.8
TCU	20	20.7
San Jose St.	28	21.7
2000-01	547	19.5

Top O' The Mountain

San Diego State's Atim Otii continues to be the Mountain West's hottest shooter. A career 46 percent shooter, the senior has connected on 70 percent of her attempts from the floor this season (37-of-53), including a 5-for-6 performance last week versus San Jose State.

Offensive Output

Atim Otii's hot shooting has made her the Aztec leading scorer. Though she has only paced San Diego State on the scoreboard just once, Otii is the only Aztec to have scored in double digits in 6-of-7 games this year. Her 12.4 ppg scoring average ranks 11th in the Mountain West and is well above her 7.9 ppg career scoring average.

Doubling Up

Atim Otii has already recorded a pair of double-doubles this season, putting up 16 points and 10 rebounds in the opener versus Cal Poly and 17 points and 11 boards against Navy. The senior narrowly missed her third double-double at TCU, scoring 10 points and gathering seven rebounds. Otii entered the season with just two career double-doubles in 82 games.

Piling On

Otii made her 63rd straight start versus San Jose State. She is the only Aztec to start every game over the past two-plus seasons.



■ Head Coach Barb Smith

Rebounding is one of the keys to victory in basketball. It's also a key to succeeding in life. And San Diego State head coach Barb Smith went hard to the glass during the 2000-01 season, her fourth with the Aztecs. After getting out to a tough start during her first three years at SDSU, Smith got the Aztecs pointed back in the right direction last season, posting a number of milestones of her tenure, including number of overall victories (13), number of conference victories (5), number of non-conference victories (8), number of road victories (5) and longest winning streak (6). She is in her fifth season on The Mesa with a career record of 42-72 (.368).

■ The Smith File

Personal

Birthdate: Feb. 29, 1964
Birthplace: Perrysburg, Ohio
Hometown: Perrysburg, Ohio

Education

College: Ohio State, 1986
Degree: B.S., health education
Graduate School: Iona
Degree: MBA

■ Coaching Background

Iona College (Assistant Coach)

1986-87	11-17
1987-88	6-22
Iona Totals	18-39 (.315)

Colorado (Assistant Coach)

1988-89	27-4
1989-90	17-11
1991-92	18-11
1991-92	22-9
1992-93	27-4
1993-94	27-5
1994-95	30-3
1995-96	26-9
1996-97	23-9

San Diego State (Head Coach)

1997-98	10-15
1998-99	7-19
1999-00	9-19
2000-01	13-15
2001-02	2-2
SDSU Totals	42-72 (.368)
Total	277-176 (.611)



Mountain West Conference

2001-02 Standings	MWC	Overall
Colorado State (15)	0-0	6-1
UNLV	0-0	6-1
New Mexico	0-0	6-3
BYU	0-0	4-3
Utah	0-0	4-3
Wyoming	0-0	3-3
San Diego State	0-0	3-4
Air Force	0-0	1-7

as of Dec. 9

This Week in the Mountain West Conference

December 12 (Wednesday)
 WYOMING at Colorado, 7 p.m.
 Oregon at BYU, 4 p.m.

December 14 (Friday)
 BYU vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff (Denver, Colo.)
 COLORADO ST. vs. Xavier, 6 p.m. (Columbus, Ohio)

December 15 (Saturday)
BYU at Denver
 COLORADO ST. vs. Louisville or Ohio St.
 Oregon State vs. WYOMING, 5 p.m.
 UNLV at San Francisco, 5 p.m.
 Portland State at NEW MEXICO, 7 p.m.

December 16 (Sunday)
 Sacramento State at SAN DIEGO ST., 7 p.m.

Aztecs Picked Seventh

Returning eight letterwinners, including four starters, and bringing in four highly-prized recruits didn't seem to resonate with Mountain West Conference media members as the San Diego State women's basketball team was tabbed to finish seventh in the league's preseason poll.

For the first time in the conference's brief history, a team other than Utah was selected to win the league by the preseason prognosticators. Colorado State, which advanced to the second round of last year's NCAA Tournament, captured nine first-place votes to take the top spot. Utah was second in the poll with five votes.

2001-02 Mountain West Preseason Media Poll

Rk.	School (First Place Votes)	Pts
1.	Colorado State (9)	105
2.	Utah (5)	96
3.	BYU	81
4.	UNLV	68
5.	New Mexico	62
6.	Wyoming	40
7.	San Diego State	35
8.	Air Force	14

Scho-Shines

Missy Schomaker (pronounced SHOO-maker) hasn't yet cracked the starting lineup, but the senior has supplied some solid minutes off the bench thus far.

Schomaker had her best outing in nearly a year versus San Jose State, scoring a team- and season-high 14 points in 26 minutes of work. She has also had solid performances against UC San Diego, scoring a team-high 13 points and grabbing a career-best eight rebounds.

Shoo has also been perfect from the free throw line this season, where she is 8-for-8 on the year.

By Leaps And Bounds

Coaches said Morgan Vargas was going to be the Aztecs' most improved player in 2001-02 and they were right on. Vargas, who made only one start and averaged just over six minutes in 21 games a year ago, has started all seven games thus far and appears to be adjusting well to her new role.

Vargas averaged just 2.0 points per game as a junior but flourished this season, finishing in double figures in each of the last two contests, including 10 points and a career-best seven boards against TCU and a career-high 13 points and a career-best four steals against San Jose State. Vargas is averaging 6.7 points per game this season and leads the Aztecs in blocked shots with seven.

Mac's Back

Sophomore Nicolette McCartney, a projected starter who suffered a severe ankle sprain in practice Nov. 3rd, saw her first action of the season against San Jose State and finished with two points and a rebound in three minutes.

Spartans Cool Off Hot Cox

Jamey Cox had been in the zone in the three games leading up to the San Jose State tilt, especially from behind the arc. The junior finished with team-high 20 points versus Navy — the eighth time in her career she has reached the 20-point plateau — and was deadly from 3-point land, canning 6-of-11 treys. She continued her hot 3-point shooting versus Prairie View A&M, drilling 2-of-5 from behind the line and added 2-of-4 at TCU.

The junior was finally cooled off by San Jose State, however, and hit just 2-of-9 attempts from the field, including 1-of-6 threes.

3-Point Threat

Cox, who has connected on 37 percent (15-for-41) of her 3-point attempts this season, ranks No. 10 in the Mountain West Conference in 3-point shooting and No. 5 in 3-pointers made per game (2.50). She has now made 134 treys during her two-plus year career at SDSU to rank No. 2 all time in that category.

Bank Shots

Claire Swinbank has gotten her final season off to a strong start. The senior guard has scored in double figures in 4-of-7 contests, including 13 points last Saturday night versus Prairie View A&M and a season-best 15-point performance at California.

SDSU's top shooter from the perimeter thus far, Swinbank is connecting on over 40 percent of her attempts from the field, including 50 percent (5-for-10) from beyond the arc.

Swinbank is also second the team in assists with 33 (4.7 app) and had a career-best nine versus Navy.

Mountain West Conference Statistics

Individual Category*	Avg.
Scoring	
11. Otii	12.4
20. Cox	9.9
Rebounding	
10. Howard	6.3
18. Otii	5.0
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 3.0 FG per game)	
1. Otii	.698
Assists Per Game	
3. Cox	5.14
5. Swinbank	4.71
Free Throw Percentage	
None	
Steals Per Game	
5. Swinbank	2.00
8. Otii	1.71
3-Point Field Goals Percentage	
9. Williams	.394 (13-33)
10. Cox	.366 (15-41)
3-Point Field Goals Made Per Game	
5. Cox	2.14
7. Williams	1.86
Blocked Shots Per Game	
4. Vargas	1.00
8. Howard	0.71
9. Knight	0.57
Assist/Turnover Ratio	
2. Swinbank	+1.74
12. Cox	+0.75

Team Category*	SDSU Avg (Rk.)
Scoring Offense	62.0 (7th)
Scoring Defense	63.7 (5th)
Scoring Margin	-1.7 (7th)
Field Goal Percentage	.432 (5th)
Field Goals Percentage Defense	.410 (5th)
3-Pt. Field Goal Percentage	.382 (4th)
3-Pt. Field Goal Percentage Defense	.417 (8th)
Free Throw Percentage	.615 (8th)
Rebounding Offense	35.1 (7th)
Rebounding Defense	37.6 (6th)
Rebounding Margin	-2.4 (7th)
Blocked Shots	3.29 (3rd)
Assists	16.00 (5th)
Steals	7.71 (7th)
Turnover Margin	-0.43 (7th)
Assist/Turnover Ratio	+0.74 (6th)
Offensive Rebounds	11.86 (6th)
Defensive Rebounds	23.29 (7th)
3-Pt. Field Goals Made	5.57 (4th)

*as of Dec. 9



Swinbank's Hot Start Not Surprising

It should come as no surprise that Swinbank has gotten off to a strong start as no Aztec was hotter in SDSU's two exhibition games. The senior was the lone player to finish in double figures in both preseason contests, pouring in a game-high 19 points against Team Concept and adding a double-double (11 points/11 rebounds) versus USA Elite.

These Two Can Dish The Rock

In addition to ranking among the Mountain West Conference's top scorers, Jamey Cox and Claire Swinbank are also among the league's top playmakers. Cox enters the week at No. 3 with 5.14 assists per game, while Swinbank, who dished up seven assists against San Jose State and a career-high nine versus Navy earlier this season, is No. 5 with 4.71 apg.

Just for the record, Cox has served up at least six assists in 5-of-7 games this season, leading the Aztecs in that category four times.

As Advertised

Junior-college transfer Ashonda Williams came to San Diego State with a reputation as a big-time scorer after pouring in over 1,200 points in just two seasons at Contra Costa College. Through seven games, Williams has already finished in double figures four times, scoring 16 points versus Cal Poly, 13 versus UC San Diego, 14 against Navy and 13 versus Prairie View A&M. She is averaging 9.3 ppg to rank fourth on the team in scoring.

Bombs Away

For two years, the Aztecs have been looking for an outside shooter to compliment Jamey Cox. It appears that search is now over as newcomer Ashonda Williams continues to knock down shot after shot from beyond the arc.

Williams, who led the California state JC ranks in three-point shooting last season, has been more than solid since arriving at SDSU and trails only Cox in both 3-pointers made (12) and leads the team in 3-point shooting percentage among players with more than 10 attempts (39 percent).

In the Mountain West Conference, Williams ranks ninth in 3-point field goal percentage in seventh in threes made.

All Windex Team Candidate

Head coach Barb Smith calls her a "little Charles Barkley." And junior-college transfer Valencia Howard has certainly been a welcome addition at SDSU — especially in the rebounding department. Through seven contests, Howard leads the Aztecs in rebounding and ranks 10th in the Mountain West Conference with a 6.3 boards per game average despite not making a single start.

Howard started the year with a splash, gathering 10 caroms in the season opener versus Cal Poly to share game-high honors. She followed up that performance with eight boards against Navy, six versus Prairie View A&M and nine against San Jose State. She has now led the Aztecs in rebounding in 4-of-7 games.

T, Is That You?

Tanisha Knight, who scored in double digits in each of the first 11 games to open the 2000-01 campaign, but has struggled since, looked like her old self at TCU. The senior forward finished with a season-high nine points, collected two offensive rebounds, had an assist, a block and a steal and did not turn the ball over in 18 minutes of work.

First Timers

Freshman Heather Wolf and Maggie Sauls each scored their first collegiate points Saturday versus Prairie View A&M. Wolf, who has been hampered by an ankle injury all season, scored five points, including hitting 3-of-4 from the free throw line. Sauls, who has been limited thus far by an MCL strain and suited up for the first time versus the Lady Panthers, knocked down her first and only shot from just outside the right elbow.

On The Horizon

Following Saturday night's match-up versus Sacramento State, the Aztecs return to the road for the final time of the non-conference season. SDSU opens its two-game road swing at Missouri-Kansas City on Thursday, Dec. 20th, before playing at Creighton in Omaha, Neb., on Dec. 22nd.

The Aztecs' game at UMKC will be the first ever against the Kangaroos.

San Diego State and Creighton are old Big West Conference rivals. The Blue Jays and Aztecs have squared off six times through the years, with Creighton winning all six games, including both of the previous two meetings in Omaha.



■ The Last Time an Aztec...

Scored 20-24 points

.....Jamey Cox (20), 11/25/01 vs. Navy

Scored 25-29 points

.....Jamey Cox (27), 1/22/00 at Air Force

Scored 30-39 points

.....Jamey Cox (30), 12/30/99 at CS Full

Scored 40+ points

.....Chana Perry (41), 1/2/88 vs. N.Illinois

Had 12+ rebounds

.....Mary Apiafi (12), 2/5/00 vs. Colo St.

Had 10+ assists

.....Jamey Cox (10), 12/18/00 vs. CS Fullerton

■ The Last Time SDSU...

Scored 100+ points

.....vs. Colo. St. (101), 1/25/92

Allowed 100+ points

.....vs. UCLA (104), 12/11/98

Won by 20+ points

.....vs. Prairie View A&M (22), 12/1/01

Won by 30+ points

.....vs. CS Fullerton (37), 12/18/00

Won in Overtime

.....vs. Wyoming (79-75), 2/2/91

2001-02 San Diego State Women's Basketball Results

Overall: 3-4 ■ MWC: 0-0 ■ Home: 2-2 ■ Away: 0-2 ■ Neutral: 1-0

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Record	SDSU High Scorer	OPP High Scorer	High Rebounder	High Assists	Attendance
N. 16	CAL POLY (SLO)	W	63-54	1-0	Otii/Williams 16	Odessa Jenkins 14	Howard/Otii 10	Three Players 3	559
N. 18	at California	L	60-74	1-1	Claire Swinbank 15	Gregory/Williams 15	Ashonda Williams 9	Jamey Cox 6	604
N. 23	UC SAN DIEGO	L	59-63	1-2	Schomaker/Williams 13	Nicholle Bormley 16	Howard/Schomaker 8	Claire Swinbank 6	459
N. 25	NAVY	W	73-69	2-2	Jamey Cox 20	Courtney Davidson 22	Atim Otii 11	Claire Swinbank 9	449
D. 1	Prairie View A&M#	W	68-46	3-2	Swinbank/Williams 12	Grass/Johnson 12	Valencia Howard 6	Jamey Cox 6	151
D. 2	at TCU	L	49-75	3-3	Jamey Cox 11	Ashanti Nix 15	Otii/Vargas 7	Jamey Cox 6	1,640
D. 6	SAN JOSE STATE	L	62-65	3-4	Missy Schomaker 14	A'Giza/Williams 16	Valencia Howard 9	Claire Swinbank 7	491
D. 16	SACRAMENTO STATE								
D. 20	at Missouri-Kansas City								
D. 22	at Creighton								
D. 28	RADFORD								
D. 30	DETROIT								
J. 5	PORTLAND STATE								
J. 12	at Unlv *								
J. 17	at Colorado State*								
J. 19	at Wyoming*								
J. 23	NEW MEXICO*								
J. 26	AIR FORCE*								
J. 31	at Byu*								
F. 2	at Utah*								
F. 9	UNLV*								
F. 14	WYOMING*								
F. 16	COLORADO STATE*								
F. 21	at Air Force*								
F. 23	at New Mexico*								
F. 28	UTAH*								
M. 2	BYU*								
M. 6-9	Mountain West Conference Tournament^								

CAPS home games

* Mountain West Conferene Game

^ MWC Tournament — Las Vegas, Nev.

Played at TCU, Forth Worth, Texas

Attendance Summary

	Games	Totals	Average
Home	4	1,958	490
Away	2	2,244	1,122
Neutral	1	151	151
Total	7	4,353	622

San Diego State Win/Loss Margin

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25+
Win				1					1											1	
Loss			1	1									1								1

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No. Player	GP-GS	Min-Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	REBOUNDS				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
									Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
55 OTII, Atim	7-7	180-25.7	37-53	.698	0-0	.000	13-21	.619	19	16	35	5.0	26	4	11	19	2	12	87	12.4
20 COX, Jamey	7-7	225-32.1	24-63	.381	15-41	.366	6-9	.667	1	13	14	2.0	20	0	36	48	1	10	69	9.9
12 SWINBANK, Claire	7-7	236-33.7	27-67	.403	5-10	.500	8-11	.727	1	12	13	1.9	10	0	33	19	2	14	67	9.6
10 WILLIAMS, Ashonda	7-7	195-27.9	24-64	.375	13-33	.394	4-12	.333	5	27	32	4.6	12	0	8	14	0	3	65	9.3
50 VARGAS, Morgan	7-7	152-21.7	17-44	.386	0-1	.000	13-20	.650	10	16	26	3.7	26	1	3	10	7	6	47	6.7
25 SCHOMAKER, Missy	7-0	94-13.4	11-29	.379	5-12	.417	8-8	1.000	6	12	18	2.6	3	0	11	10	1	2	35	5.0
40 KNIGHT, Tanisha	7-0	73-10.4	10-24	.417	1-3	.333	8-8	1.000	7	7	14	2.0	4	0	6	11	4	3	29	4.1
34 HOWARD, Valencia	7-0	177-25.3	8-26	.308	0-0	.000	4-13	.308	9	35	44	6.3	16	0	3	12	5	3	20	2.9
33 SAULS, Maggie	1-0	5-5.0	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
24 McCARTNY, Nicolette	1-0	3-3.0	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	2.0
52 KIESLING, Andrea	4-0	30-7.5	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	3	2	5	1.3	2	0	1	1	1	0	6	1.5
14 WOLF, Heather	4-0	30-7.5	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	3-4	.750	0	2	2	0.5	3	0	0	2	0	1	5	1.3
TEAM									22	20	42	6.0	0		5					
San Diego State	7	1400	164-380	.432	39-102	.382	67-109	.615	83	163	246	35.1	122	5	112	152	23	54	434	62.0
Opponents	7	1400	157-383	.410	35-84	.417	97-163	.595	103	160	263	37.6	126	-	74	149	13	73	446	63.7

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	192	242	434
Opponents	191	255	446

DEADBALL REBOUNDS:	OFF	DEF	TOTAL
San Diego State	10	6	16
Opponents	20	5	25

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Game-By-Game Team Statistics

	Score	1ST-2ND	FG-FGA	PCT.	3PT-ATT	PCT.	FT-ATT	PCT.	Off	Def	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BL	ST
Aztecs	63	22-41	19-47	.404	5-17	.294	20-28	.714	11	34	45	16-0	13	26	5	9
CAL POLY (SLO)	54	26-28	19-56	.339	4-14	.286	12-23	.522	10	23	33	22-0	12	22	0	11
Aztecs	60	21-39	25-52	.481	5-13	.385	5-9	.556	10	21	31	25-2	13	26	3	3
at California	74	29-45	22-51	.431	3-10	.300	27-39	.711	16	21	37	19-0	9	19	1	10
Aztecs	59	29-30	24-59	.407	5-10	.500	6-9	.667	6	22	28	19-1	19	24	4	6
UC SAN DIEGO	63	26-37	24-55	.436	3-10	.300	12-27	.444	16	32	48	16-0	12	27	1	12
Aztecs	73	34-39	27-62	.435	11-22	.500	8-17	.471	18	23	41	12-0	12	16	4	9
NAVY	69	29-40	28-57	.491	6-13	.462	7-10	.700	8	21	29	17-1	14	17	1	8
Aztecs	68	35-33	27-57	.474	5-15	.333	9-13	.692	15	18	33	11-0	17	12	2	13
vs. Prairie View A&M	46	21-25	17-43	.395	3-6	.500	9-16	.563	13	19	32	17-1	2	26	3	4
Aztecs	49	27-22	17-52	.327	4-10	.400	11-16	.688	11	21	33	18-1	11	20	2	7
at Texas Christian	75	32-43	25-60	.417	10-18	.556	15-24	.625	20	25	45	16-0	15	18	3	15
Aztecs	62	28-37	25-51	.490	4-15	.267	8-17	.471	12	24	36	21-1	19	28	3	7
SAN JOSE STATE	65	24-38	22-61	.361	6-13	.462	15-25	.600	20	19	39	19-1	10	20	4	13

Aztecs

SACRAMENTO STATE

Aztecs

at Missouri-KC

Aztecs

at Creighton

Aztecs

RADFORD

Aztecs

DETROIT

Aztecs

PORTLAND STATE

Aztecs

at Unlv

Aztecs

at Colorado State

Aztecs

at Wyoming

Aztecs

NEW MEXICO

Aztecs

AIR FORCE

Aztecs

at Brigham Young

Aztecs

at Utah

Aztecs

UNLV

Aztecs

WYOMING

Aztecs

COLORADO STATE

Aztecs

at Air Force

Aztecs

at New Mexico

Aztecs

UTAH

Aztecs

BRIGHAM YOUNG

Aztecs

at Mountain West Conference Tournament

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Game-By-Game Player Points-Rebounds-Assists

Date	Opponent	00	10	12	14	20	24	25	33	34	40	50	52	55
		Tynisha King	Ashonda Williams	Claire Swinbank	Heather Wolf	Jamey Cox	Nicolette McCartny	Missy Schomaker	Maggie Sauls	Valencia Howard	Tanisha Knight	Morgan Vargas	Andrea Kiesling	Atim Oti
N. 16	CAL POLY (SLO)	CD	<u>16-6-1</u>	<u>6-2-3</u>	INJ	<u>11-3-3</u>	INJ	0-1-2	INJ	0-10-1	8-3-0	<u>6-6-0</u>	CD	<u>16-10-3</u>
N. 18	at California	CD	<u>2-9-1</u>	<u>15-3-1</u>	0-1-0	<u>13-1-6</u>	INJ	2-0-1	INJ	8-4-1	2-2-1	<u>2-2-0</u>	2-3-0	<u>14-1-2</u>
N. 23	UC SAN DIEGO	CD	<u>13-3-1</u>	<u>11-0-6</u>	INJ	<u>3-2-2</u>	INJ	13-8-5	INJ	3-8-0	0-2-2	<u>8-2-1</u>	2-0-1	<u>6-1-1</u>
N. 25	NAVY	CD	<u>14-4-2</u>	<u>11-3-9</u>	INJ	<u>20-2-7</u>	INJ	3-5-1	INJ	2-3-0	4-2-0	<u>2-5-0</u>	0-0-0	<u>17-11-1</u>
D. 1	Prairie View A&M#	CD	<u>13-1-1</u>	<u>13-2-5</u>	5-1-0	<u>6-3-6</u>	INJ	3-2-1	2-0-0	2-6-0	4-2-1	<u>6-0-2</u>	2-2-0	<u>12-3-1</u>
D. 2	at TCU	CD	<u>0-2-1</u>	<u>7-2-2</u>	0-0-0	<u>11-2-6</u>	INJ	0-0-0	CD	2-4-1	9-2-1	<u>10-7-0</u>	CD	<u>10-5-0</u>
D. 6	SAN JOSE STATE	CD	<u>7-7-1</u>	<u>4-1-7</u>	0-0-0	<u>5-1-6</u>	2-1-0	14-2-1	CD	3-9-0	2-1-1	<u>13-4-0</u>	CD	<u>12-2-3</u>
D. 16	SACRAMENTO STATE													
D. 20	at Missouri-Kansas City													
D. 22	at Creighton													
D. 28	RADFORD													
D. 30	DETROIT													
J. 5	PORTLAND STATE													
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J. 17	at Colorado State													
J. 19	at Wyoming													
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J. 26	AIR FORCE													
J. 31	at Byu													
F. 2	at Utah													
F. 9	UNLV													
F. 14	WYOMING													
F. 16	COLORADO STATE													
F. 21	at Air Force													
F. 23	at New Mexico													
F. 28	UTAH													
M. 2	BYU													
M. 6-9	Mountain West Conference Tournament													

Underline indicates starter

CD - Did Not Play, Coach's Decision

INJ - Did Not Play, Injured

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Season Superlatives

■ SAN DIEGO STATE TEAM HIGHS

POINTS	73	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FIELD GOALS MADE	27	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
	27	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	62	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.490 (25-51)	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE	11	vs Navy (11/25/01)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	22	vs Navy (11/25/01)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.500 (11-22)	vs Navy (11/25/01)
	.500 (5-10)	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
FREE THROWS MADE	20	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	28	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.714 (20-28)	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
REBOUNDS	45	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
ASSISTS	20	vs Navy (11/25/01)
STEALS	13	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
BLOCKED SHOTS	5	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
TURNOVERS	28	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
FOULS	25	at California (11/18/01)

■ SAN DIEGO STATE TEAM LOWS

POINTS	49	at TCU (12/02/01)
FIELD GOALS MADE	17	at TCU (12/02/01)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	47	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.327 (17-52)	at TCU (12/02/01)
3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE	4	at TCU (12/02/01)
	4	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	10	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
	10	at TCU (12/02/01)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.267 (4-15)	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
FREE THROWS MADE	5	at California (11/18/01)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	9	at California (11/18/01)
	9	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.471 (8-17)	vs Navy (11/25/01)
	.471 (8-17)	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
REBOUNDS	28	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
ASSISTS	11	at TCU (12/02/01)
STEALS	3	at California (11/18/01)
BLOCKED SHOTS	2	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
	2	at TCU (12/02/01)
TURNOVERS	12	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
FOULS	11	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)

■ SAN DIEGO STATE INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

POINTS	20	COX, Jamey vs Navy (11/25/01)
FIELD GOALS MADE	7	OTII, Atim vs Navy (11/25/01)
FIELD GOAL ATT	15	COX, Jamey at California (11/18/01)
FG PCT (min 5 made)	1.000 (6-6)	OTII, Atim at California (11/18/01)
3 PT FG MADE	6	COX, Jamey vs Navy (11/25/01)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	11	COX, Jamey vs Navy (11/25/01)
3-PT FG PCT (min 2 made)	1.000 (2-2)	SWINBANK, Claire at Cal (11/18/01)
FREE THROWS MADE	6	VARGAS, Morgan at TCU (12/02/01)
	6	OTII, Atim vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
	6	VARGAS, Morgan vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
FREE THROW ATT	10	OTII, Atim vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
FT PCT (min 3 made)	1.000 (4-4)	SCHOMAKER, Missy vs SJSU (12/06/01)
	1.000 (4-4)	KNIGHT, Tanisha vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
REBOUNDS	11	OTII, Atim vs Navy (11/25/01)
ASSISTS	9	SWINBANK, Claire vs Navy (11/25/01)
STEALS	5	SWINBANK, Claire vs UCSD (11/23/01)
	5	OTII, Atim vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
BLOCKED SHOTS	2	VARGAS, Morgan vs SJSU (12/06/01)
	2	VARGAS, Morgan vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
	2	HOWARD, Valencia vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
TURNOVERS	10	COX, Jamey at California (11/18/01)
FOULS	5	OTII, Atim vs SJSU (12/06/01)
	5	OTII, Atim at TCU (12/02/01)
	5	OTII, Atim vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
	5	OTII, Atim at California (11/18/01)
	5	VARGAS, Morgan at Cal (11/18/01)

■ OPPONENT TEAM HIGHS

POINTS	75	at TCU (12/02/01)
FIELD GOALS MADE	28	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	61	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.491 (28-57)	vs Navy (11/25/01)
3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE	10	at TCU (12/02/01)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	18	at TCU (12/02/01)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.556 (10-18)	at TCU (12/02/01)
FREE THROWS MADE	27	at California (11/18/01)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	38	at California (11/18/01)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.711 (27-38)	at California (11/18/01)
REBOUNDS	48	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
ASSISTS	15	at TCU (12/02/01)
STEALS	15	at California (11/18/01)
BLOCKED SHOTS	4	vs San Jose State (12/06/01)
TURNOVERS	27	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
FOULS	22	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)

■ OPPONENT TEAM LOWS

POINTS	46	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
FIELD GOALS MADE	17	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	43	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.339 (19-56)	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE	3	at California (11/18/01)
	3	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
	3	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	6	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.286 (4-14)	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
FREE THROWS MADE	7	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	10	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.444 (12-27)	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
REBOUNDS	29	vs Navy (11/25/01)
ASSISTS	2	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
STEALS	4	vs Prairie View A&M (12/01/01)
BLOCKED SHOTS	0	vs Cal Poly (11/06/01)
TURNOVERS	17	vs Navy (11/25/01)
FOULS	16	vs UC San Diego (11/23/01)
	16	at TCU (12/02/01)





Player Career and Season Highs

■ SDSU Miscellaneous Stats

Largest halftime lead	14 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Largest halftime deficit	8 at California (11-18-01)
Most second half points	41 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)
Fewest second half points	22 at TCU (12-2-01)
Largest lead during a game	24 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Largest deficit during a game	26 at TCU (12-2-01)
Largest lead in a loss	9 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
Largest deficit in a win	7 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)
FT % in last 2 min. & OT	.400 (4-10)

■ SDSU Streaks

Last 5/10 games	2-3/na
Longest winning streak	2
Longest losing streak	2
Current streak	Lost 2

■ SDSU's Record When...

Playing at home	2-2
Playing on the road	0-2
Playing at a neutral site	1-0
Leading at halftime	2-1
Trailing at halftime	1-3
Tied at halftime	0-0
Leading with 5:00 left	3-1
Trailing with 5:00 left	0-3
Tied with 5:00 left	0-0
In overtime	0-0
Scoring less than 60 points	0-2
Scoring between 60-69 points	2-2
Scoring between 70-79 points	1-0
Scoring between 80-89 points	0-0
Scoring 90 or more points	0-0
Opponent scores less than 60 points	2-0
Opponent scores between 60-69 points	1-2
Opponent scores between 70-79 points	0-2
Opponent scores between 80-89 points	0-0
Opponent scores 90 or more points	0-0
FG% .500 or better	0-0
FG% under .500	3-4
FG% over .400	3-3
FG% under .400	0-1
Opponent FG% .500 or better	0-0
Opponent FG% under .500	3-4
Opponent FG% .400 or better	1-3
Opponent FG% under .400	2-1
Better shooting %	2-2
Worse shooting %	1-2
More FG attempts	2-2
Fewer FG attempts	1-2
More FGs made	1-2
Fewer FGs made	1-1
More FT attempts	2-0
Fewer FT attempts	1-4
More FTs made	2-0
Fewer FTs made	0-4
More rebounds	3-0
Fewer rebounds	0-4
Equal rebounds	0-0
Fewer turnovers	2-1
More turnovers	1-3
Equal turnovers	0-0
More assists	2-3
Fewer assists	1-1

10 Ashonda Williams

Points	16 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)
Rebounds	9 at California (11-18-01)
Assists	2 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Steals	2 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Blocks	None

12 Claire Swinbank

Points	20 at UNLV (02-24-01)
2001-02	15 at California (11-18-01)
Rebounds	8 at UNLV (02-24-01)
2001-02	3 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Assists	9 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
2001-02	9 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Steals	5 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
2001-02	5 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
Blocks	1, three times
2001-02	1 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)

14 Heather Wolf

Points	5 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Rebounds	1, twice
Assists	none
Steals	1 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Blocks	none

20 Jamey Cox

Points	30 at CS Fullerton (12-30-99)
2001-02	20 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Rebounds	8 at San Jose State (12-06-00)
2001-02	3, twice
Assists	10 vs. CS Fullerton (12-18-00)
2001-02	7 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Steals	5, three times
2001-02	3, twice
Blocks	1, eight times
2001-02	1 vs. Navy (11-25-01)

24 Nicolette McCartney

Points	17 vs. Alcorn State (12-01-00)
2001-02	2 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
Rebounds	6, six times
2001-02	1 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
Assists	4 vs. New Mexico (03-07-01)
2001-02	none
Steals	3 at Montana (11-18-00)
2001-02	none
Blocks	3 vs. CS Fullerton (12-18-00)
2001-02	none

25 Missy Schomaker

Points	20 vs. CS Fullerton (12-18-00)
2001-02	14 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
Rebounds	8 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
2001-02	8 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
Assists	5 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
2001-02	5 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
Steals	3 at Portland State (11-28-00)
2001-02	1, twice
Blocks	1, twice
2001-02	1 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)

33 Maggie Sauls

Points	2 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Rebounds	none
Assists	none
Steals	none
Blocks	none

34 Valencia Howard

Points	8 at California (11-18-01)
Rebounds	10 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)
Assists	1 at California (11-18-01)
Steals	1, twice
Blocks	2 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)

40 Tanisha Knight

Points	22 at Missouri (12-02-00)
2001-02	9 at TCU (12-02-01)
Rebounds	10 vs. Northern Arizona (12-30-00)
2001-02	3 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)
Assists	6 at Loyola Marymount (11-21-00)
2001-02	2 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
Steals	5 vs. California (12-22-00)
2001-02	1, three times
Blocks	5 at San Jose State (12-06-00)
2001-02	1, three times

50 Morgan Vargas

Points	13 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
2001-02	13 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
Rebounds	7 at TCU (12-02-01)
2001-02	7 at TCU (12-02-01)
Assists	2 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
2001-02	2 vs. Prairie View A&M (12-1-01)
Steals	4 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
2001-02	4 vs. San Jose State (12-06-01)
Blocks	2, four times
2001-02	2, twice

52 Andrea Kiesling

Points	9 at CS Fullerton (12-30-99)
2001-02	2, three times
Rebounds	9 at CS Fullerton (12-30-99)
2001-02	3 vs. California (11-18-01)
Assists	1 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
2001-02	1 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)
Steals	1, four times
2001-02	none
Blocks	3 at CS Fullerton (12-30-99)
2001-02	1 vs. UCSD (11-23-01)

55 Atim Otii

Points	22 at UCLA (12-09-00)
2001-02	17 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Rebounds	12 vs. Utah (01-14-99)
2001-02	11 vs. Navy (11-25-01)
Assists	4 vs. Illinois State (11-24-00)
2001-02	3, twice
Steals	5, twice
2001-02	5 vs. Cal Poly (11-16-01)
Blocks	5 at San Jose State (12-06-00)
2001-02	1, twice

2001-02 San Diego State Women's Basketball

Season Box Scores ■ Games 7-12

San Jose State 65, San Diego State 62
Game 7 ■ Dec. 6 ■ Cox Arena ■ San Diego, Calif.

SJSU	FG	3FG	FT	REB	F	TP	A	T	B	S	MP
Taylor, Ta.	2-8	0-0	2-3	4	2	6	0	2	1	0	23
A'Giza	7-14	1-1	1-1	5	0	16	0	2	0	1	32
Taylor, Te.	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	2	0	2	2	1	19
Parker	2-12	0-5	9-10	5	3	13	2	3	1	2	36
Williams	6-11	3-4	1-4	3	3	16	5	3	0	1	28
Prescott	0-4	0-0	0-0	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	13
Kellogg	2-4	2-3	1-3	0	1	7	2	0	0	0	9
Andrews	1-4	0-0	0-0	3	2	2	1	2	0	2	16
Smith	1-1	0-0	1-4	10	5	3	0	5	0	5	24
Team				3							
TOTALS	22-61	6-13	15-25	39	19	65	10	20	4	13	200
Pct.	36.1	46.2	60.0								

SDSU	FG	3FG	FT	REB	F	TP	A	T	B	S	MP
Williams	3-8	1-5	0-0	7	1	7	1	2	0	0	25
Oti	5-6	0-0	2-2	2	5	12	3	4	0	0	20
Vargas	6-8	0-0	1-3	4	4	13	0	2	2	4	30
Swinbank	2-6	0-0	0-1	1	1	4	7	2	0	0	28
Cox	2-9	1-6	0-0	1	4	5	6	9	0	3	32
Wolf	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	8
McCartny	1-1	0-0	0-2	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	3
Schomaker	4-7	2-3	4-4	2	2	14	1	5	0	0	26
Howard	1-4	0-0	1-5	9	2	3	0	1	1	0	22
Knight	1-2	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	6
Team				8							
TOTALS	25-51	4-5	8-17	36	21	62	19	28	3	7	200
Pct.	49.0	26.7	47.1								

Officials: Charles Gonzalez, Adria Molina, Jennifer Tentor

Technical fouls: None.

Attendance: 491

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
San Jose State	28	37	65
San Diego State	24	38	62