

San Diego State

Aztec Men's Soccer

Week 2: Sept. 7-13



NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES: 1969, 1981, 1982, 1987, 1988, 1989, 2005, 2006

2009 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 22	~ UC SAN DIEGO	W, 3-0
Aug. 26	~ at Cal Poly	W, 1-0
Sept. 1	LOYOLA MARYMOUNT	L, 1-2
Sept. 5	~! ALUMNI	W, 5-1
Sept. 6	! SAN DIEGO	L, 0-1
Sept. 11	^ UNIV. OF PENNSYLVANIA	4 p.m. PT
Sept. 13	^ WISCONSIN	1 p.m. PT
Sept. 18	WISCONSIN-GREEN BAY	1:30 p.m. PT
Sept. 25	# UC SANTA BARBARA	4 p.m. PT
Sept. 27	# PRINCETON	Noon PT
Oct. 2	* at Washington	7:30 p.m. PT
Oct. 4	* at Oregon State	1 p.m. PT
Oct. 11	* UCLA	2 p.m. PT
Oct. 16	* STANFORD	4 p.m. PT
Oct. 18	* CALIFORNIA	2 p.m. PT
Oct. 23	* at Stanford	7 p.m. PT
Oct. 25	* at California	2 p.m. PT
Nov. 1	at Michigan State	1 p.m. ET
Nov. 6	* WASHINGTON	3 p.m. PT
Nov. 8	* OREGON STATE	Noon PT
Nov. 14	* at UCLA	7 p.m. PT

~ Exhibition Game

! Family, Friends and Alumni Weekend

^ The Courtyard Marriott, San Diego Central Tourney

The Nike Aztec Soccer Classic

* Pac-10 Conference match

PAC-10 STANDINGS

Team	Conference			Overall		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
Oregon St.	0	0	0	2	0	1
California	0	0	0	1	1	0
Stanford	0	0	0	1	1	0
UCLA	0	0	0	1	1	0
Washington	0	0	0	1	2	0
San Diego St.	0	0	0	0	2	0

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Sept. 8 (all times local to site)
5 p.m. Oregon State 1, Gonzaga 1 (2ot)

Thursday, Sept. 10
7 p.m. UC Davis at UCLA

Friday, Sept. 11
1:30 p.m. Oregon State vs. Detroit Mercy
4 p.m. George Washington at California
4 p.m. Univ. of Pennsylvania at SDSU
7 p.m. Cal Poly at Stanford

Sunday, Sept. 13
10:30 a.m. Oregon State vs. Georgia Southern
1 p.m. Washington at UC Davis
1 p.m. Wisconsin at SDSU
2 p.m. Cal Poly at California

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San Diego State Men's Soccer Welcomes Penn, Wisconsin in Second Annual The Courtyard Marriott San Diego Central Tournament

The San Diego State men's soccer team will look to pick up its first win of the season this weekend when it plays host to the second annual The Courtyard Marriott San Diego Central Tournament. The Aztecs (0-2-0), who dropped one-goal decisions to Loyola Marymount and San Diego last week, will meet Univ. of Pennsylvania at 4 p.m. Friday and Wisconsin at 1 p.m. Sunday. USD is the other school in the four-team tourney.

Last year, SDSU finished runner-up in the inaugural tournament after going 1-1. San Diego State lost to Michigan, 3-2, in overtime, before routing Albany, 6-0. Current sophomore Daniel Steres (Calabasas, Calif.) was named the tourney's Most Valuable Defensive Player, while the Colorado contingent of Nick Cardenas (Thornton, Colo.), Raymundo Reza (Denver, Colo.) and Evan Toft (Aurora, Colo.) each were selected to the all-tournament team.

Game #3: Univ. of Pennsylvania (0-1-1, 0-0-0 Ivy League) at San Diego State (0-2-0, 0-0-0 Pac-10) Friday, Sept. 11, 4 p.m. PT, SDSU Sports Deck (1,500), San Diego, Calif.

Series Info: Penn leads, 1-0-0

Pac-10 Era: First meeting

In San Diego: Penn leads, 1-0-0

In Philadelphia: Never met

Neutral: Never met

Streak: Penn, 1

SDSU vs. the Ivy League: 2-2-1

Pac-10 Era vs. Ivy: 0-1-0

Live Coverage: Gametracker on GoAztecs.com

Game #4: Wisconsin (1-0-1 heading into Friday game at USD, 0-0-0 Big 10) at San Diego State Sunday, Sept. 13, 1 p.m. PT, SDSU Sports Deck (1,500), San Diego, Calif.

Series Info: First meeting

Pac-10 Era: First meeting

In San Diego: First meeting

In Madison: Never met

Neutral: Never met

Streak: First meeting

SDSU vs. the Big Ten: 1-4-1

Pac-10 Era vs. Big Ten: 0-1-0

Live Coverage: Gametracker on GoAztecs.com

Examining the Aztecs

San Diego State enters the weekend looking to get on the win column for the first time this season. Both of the Aztecs' (0-2-0) setbacks have been by one goal, a 2-1 loss to Loyola Marymount on Sept. 1 and a 1-0 defeat to San Diego on Sept. 6.

The two losses are a bit deceiving, however, as SDSU has combined to outshoot its two foes, 30-24, including a 16-10 advantage on net. San Diego State also has more corner kicks (14-11) than its oppo-

PROBABLE AZTEC STARTERS

No.	Pos.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Notes
1	GK	Brad Byrns	6-2	200	RS-Jr.	0-2-0, 1.50 GAA in '09; 7-3-3 in 2+ yrs
3	D	Steve Beitashour	5-10	170	RS-Sr.	29 career starts, inc. both gms in 2009
4	D	Nick Cardenas	6-5	205	Sr.	3rd-Tm CSN Preseason AA; Tri-Captain
5	D	Daniel Steres	6-0	170	So.	Leads tm in points (2) and goals (1)
7	MF	Evan Toft	5-8	155	Sr.	26 career points on 5 goals/16 assists
14	F	Raymundo Reza	5-10	175	Jr.	Led tm in points (20) & goals (8) in '08
16	MF	Justin Davies	5-8	160	RS-So	Started 16 of 19 career games
19	MF	Jamel Wallace	6-1	180	RS-Sr.	54 career gms, 51 starts; Tri-Captain
20	D	Andre Acevedo	5-8	160	RS-So.	2 starts in '09; No starts prev. 5 games
21	MF	Morgan Sacco	5-8	140	Fr.	Started both gms. in '09; 1 ast/1 point
29	F	Devon Sandoval	6-1	200	Fr.	Two starts; Three shots (two on goal)

OTHER 2009 CONTRIBUTORS

No.	Pos.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Notes
6	MF	Pedro Adan	5-8	155	RS-So.	Played in both gms in '09 (80 minutes)
8	MF	Daniel Ortega	5-10	180	Sr.	3 sh/3 SOG in '09; 2 career gls/2 ast
9	MF	Kevin Werbner	6-1	185	RS-Sr.	RS in '08; 47 career gms, inc. 1 in '09
10	F	Khadim Diouf	6-1	160	Jr.	1 gm/46 min; 8 career goals (4 GWG)
12	MF	Gemechu Abraham	5-9	155	RS-So.	Played in both games (12 min) in '09
23	MF	Jose Altamirano	5-7	135	Fr.	103 min. over two games; Playmaker
24	MF	Chance Marden	6-1	175	RS-Fr.	Made his collegiate debut 9/1 vs. LMU

Aztecs Record When...

Category	2009	Streak
Overall	0-2-0	Lost 3
Pac-10 Conference	0-0-0	Lost 1
Non-Conference	0-2-0	Lost 2
Home	0-2-0	Lost 3
Away	0-0-0	Tied 1
Neutral	0-0-0	Won 4
Day	0-2-0	Lost 3
Night (After 5 p.m.)	0-0-0	Tied 2
August	0-0-0	Lost 1
September	0-2-0	Lost 5
October	0-0-0	Won 1
November	0-0-0	Lost 1
Sunday	0-1-0	Lost 1
Monday	0-0-0	Lost 1
Tuesday	0-1-0	Lost 1
Wednesday	0-0-0	Tied 1
Thursday	0-0-0	Won 1
Friday	0-0-0	Won 1
Saturday	0-0-0	Lost 1
Following a Victory	0-0-0	Lost 1
Following a Loss	0-1-0	Lost 1
Following a Tie	0-0-0	Won 1
Scoring First	0-1-0	Lost 1
Opp. Scores First	0-1-0	Lost 2
Scoring Last	0-0-0	Lost 1
Opp. Scores Last	0-2-0	Lost 1
Leading at Half	0-0-0	Won 3
Trailing at Half	0-1-0	Lost 6
Tied at Half	0-1-0	Lost 1
When Leading in Game	0-1-0	Lost 1
When Trailing in Game	0-2-0	Lost 3
In Overtime	0-0-0	Tied 1
SDSU Outshoots Opp.	0-2-0	Lost 2
Opp. Outshoots SDSU	0-0-0	Lost 1
SDSU-Opp. Tie in Shots	0-0-0	Lost 2
SDSU Has More Fouls	0-1-0	Lost 2
Opp. Has More Fouls	0-1-0	Lost 1
SDSU-Opp. Tie in Fouls	0-0-0	Lost 2
SDSU Has More CK's	0-1-0	Lost 1
Opp. Has More CK's	0-1-0	Lost 2
SDSU-Opp. Tie in CK's	0-0-0	Lost 3
In One-Goal Games	0-2-0	Lost 1
In One-Goal Gms. or Less	0-2-0	Lost 1
SDSU Scores One Goal	0-1-0	Lost 2
Opp. Scores One Goal	0-1-0	Lost 1
SDSU Scores Two Goals	0-0-0	Won 1
Opp. Scores Two Goals	0-1-0	Lost 1
SDSU Scores 3+ Goals	0-0-0	Won 1
Opp. Scores 3+ Goals	0-0-0	Lost 1

Consecutive Starts

Name	Cons. Starts
Raymundo Reza	20
Nick Cardenas	17
Jamel Wallace	11
Justin Davies	7
Daniel Steres	7
Andre Acevedo	2
Steve Beitashour	2
Brad Byrns	2
Morgan Sacco	2
Devon Sandoval	2
Evan Toft	2

nents and far less goalkeeper saves (15-7). In addition, the Aztecs had a 1-0 lead against the Lions and were victim of an own goal against the Toreros in the 1-0 loss.

Sophomore Daniel Steres (Calabasas, Calif.), who earned The Courtyard Marriott San Diego Central Tournament Most Valuable Defensive Player last year, has scored the only goal for SDSU this season. He also leads in points (two) and has put both of his shot attempts on net. Senior Evan Toft (Aurora, Colo.) and freshman Morgan Sacco (Greeley, Colo.) each earned assists on Steres' goal. Toft and junior Raymundo Reza (Denver, Colo.) lead the squad with six shots in the two games, while redshirt senior Jamel Wallace (San Diego/Oceanside HS) and senior *College Soccer News* preseason All-American Nick Cardenas (Thornton, Colo.) have played all 180 minutes. Redshirt junior Brad Byrns (Alamo, Calif.) has minded the net all 180 minutes and has a 1.50 goals against average and seven saves for a .700 save percentage.

Scouting the Quakers

Penn enters Friday's game with a 0-1-1 record. Like the Aztecs, the Quakers have played two close games, falling, 3-2, at home to Seton Hall on Sept. 4 and settling for a double-overtime, 0-0 tie at crosstown rival Villanova on Sept. 7.

Alex Takakuwa has scored both goals for Univ. of Penn and also leads the squad in points (four) and shots on goal (three). Lee Rubenstein has an assist, while Nick Unger has a team-high seven shot attempts. Ben Berg has logged all 200 minutes in goal for the Quakers, posting a 1.35 goals against average and .786 save percentage.

Friday's match will be the second-ever meeting between the two schools. Penn won the only other game by a 2-0 score on Oct. 14, 1990.

A Look at the Badgers

Wisconsin, which plays San Diego on Friday, is off to a 1-0-1 start two home matches into the 2009 campaign. The Badgers tied their opener against Virginia Tech (0-0) on Sept. 4, then knocked off Western Illinois, 1-0, two days later.

Mark Roos scored the game-winner against the Fighting Leathernecks, while Scott Lorenz and Austin Spohn lead the team with seven and six shots, respectively.

San Diego State and Wisconsin have never met.

Last Weekend With the Aztecs

► LOYOLA MARYMOUNT 2, SAN DIEGO STATE 1

Sept. 1, 2009 • SDSU Sports Deck • San Diego, Calif.

San Diego State surrendered two unanswered goals in a 2-1 loss to Loyola Marymount ... The Aztecs got on the scoreboard 20:36 into the game when D Daniel Steres was on the receiving end of two perfect passes ... MF Morgan Sacco, who was one of two freshman starters, dribbled the ball down the right side and slid a pass to MF Evan Toft ... Toft then flicked a pass to Steres, who tucked the ball into the net for his fourth career goal ... It is the second straight year Steres scored a goal in the opening match ... F Raymundo Reza had a few good chances, including a shot that was stopped by a Lion defender on the goal line in the 22nd minute ... LMU tied it minutes later on a counterattack goal by Rafael Baca ... F Devon Sandoval had a breakaway stopped by the Loyola Marymount goalkeeper in the 36th minute ... Baca scored another early in the second half to secure the win for the Lions ... The Aztecs, who held a 15-10 advantage in shots and a 7-2 lead in corner kicks, received a game-high four shot attempts by Reza, including two on net, and three apiece by Sandoval (two on goal) and Toft ... GK Brad Byrns (0-1-0) played all 90 minutes and made two saves.

► SAN DIEGO 1, SAN DIEGO STATE 0

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SDSU couldn't overcome an early deficit on an own goal in a 1-0 loss to San Diego when, in the 15th minute, a San Diego State defender accidentally knocked the ball into the net for an own goal ... The Aztecs had their chances, but Torero GK Kelin Briones was up to the challenge ... At the 33:21 mark, Briones came up with a save when SDSU MF Evan Toft ripped a volley off a corner kick right into Briones' stomach from 16 yards ... In the 60th minute, D Daniel Steres sent in a ball toward the box that was knocked out to a waiting F Raymundo Reza ... Reza then blasted a 25-yard shot low to the left side that was covered up nicely by the Torero's Briones ... SDSU arguably had its best chance to score minutes later, when MF Jose Altamirano beat two USD defenders on the left side and sent a low ball to a streaking Sacco ... Sacco was unable to get off a solid attempt on the play and another USD defender hit the ball out of the box ... SDSU outshot USD, 15-14, including a 9-5 advantage of shots on net, but lost the corner kick battle, 9-7 ... Aztec GK Brad Byrns (0-2-0) made five saves in 90 minutes, including a diving stop in the 40th minute and another key save in the 79th minute ... SDSU forced Briones to make nine saves.

At the Helm

Lev Kirshner is in his 10th year as the head coach and 13th season overall. Kirshner, just one of three coaches in the 40-year history of the program, has brought SDSU back to the national spotlight with back-to-back runner-up finishes in the Pac-10 (2006-07) and two trips to the NCAA tournament in the past four seasons.

Since the men's soccer team earned its full allotment of scholarships in 2005, the Aztecs have gone 32-28-17, including a 14-13-13 mark in the Pac-10.

Over his nine seasons, Kirshner has coached two All-America selections, three Academic All-America picks, eight professional players, six all-Far West selections and 40 all-conference picks.

Aztecs Picked to Finish Fifth in Pac-10.....Again

Despite returning eight starters from last season, including six all-conference selections, the San Diego State

men's soccer team has been picked to finish fifth in the Pac-10 Conference in the preseason poll voted on by the league's coaches on Aug. 13.

SDSU picked up nine points, three behind fourth-place Washington (12). California is predicted to win the regular season title with 24 points, including four first-place votes, while UCLA grabbed the other two first-place votes and is picked to finish second with 22 points. Stanford is third with 15 points, followed by the Huskies (12), the Aztecs (9) and Oregon State (8).

San Diego State, which has never been picked higher than fourth in its five preseason polls, has finished the season better than each of its predicted finishes. In its inaugural Pac-10 season in 2005, SDSU was picked sixth, yet managed a fourth-place finish. The Aztecs finished second in each of their next two seasons despite being picked fourth and fifth, respectively, in the preseason poll. Last year, San Diego State was picked fifth but finished third in league play.

Aztec Men's Soccer Recruiting Class Ranked No. 22 in the Nation

San Diego State's 2009 men's soccer recruiting class has been ranked as the 22nd-best in America by *College Soccer News*. It is the third top-25 class by SDSU in the past four years and fourth top-40 recruiting class over the past five campaigns.

The accolades of the five-player group include, but are not limited to, an under-17, 18 and 20 U.S. national team starter, numerous high school All-Americans, multiple starters on ODP teams, a nationally-ranked goalkeeper and one of the top defenders from the state of Texas.

On the website, the Aztecs are one spot behind perennial power Indiana (21st) and ahead of South Carolina (23rd), Harvard (24th) and Santa Clara (25th). Other schools behind San Diego State include Big East members St. John's (26th), Connecticut (27th) and Georgetown (28th), Big West programs Cal Poly (33rd) and UC Irvine (38th), and SEC power Clemson (35th).

Cardenas Named to College Soccer News Preseason All-America Team

San Diego State's Nick Cardenas (Thornton, Colo./Horizon HS) was named a preseason All-American by *College Soccer News* in early July. A senior, Cardenas was picked as a third-team selection by the website after being a third-team member in 2007 as well.

A defender, Cardenas has anchored a backline which has posted 18 shutouts over his three-year career. Last season, Cardenas tallied a career-high four assists while leading the team in minutes played (1,646).

A member of the 2008 preseason M.A.C. Hermann Award Watch List, Cardenas became the first Aztec to be named to three straight NSCAA/adidas all-Far West teams since Kyle Whittemore (1985-88) when he was picked as a second-team selection in December. He also garnered all-Pac-10 Conference accolades for the third consecutive year.

A 2006 U.S. U-20 National Team Camp call-up, Cardenas has twice been named a national player of the week (Sept. 17, 2007 by *Top Drawer Soccer* and Nov. 1, 2006 by NSCAA/adidas). In 2006, Cardenas was picked as the Pac-10 Freshman of the Year, as well as a *College Soccer News* All-Freshman and a *Top Drawer Soccer* All-Rookie first-team selection.

Altamirano Named One of 100 Freshmen to Keep an Eye On

San Diego State men's soccer incoming player Jose Altamirano (San Diego/Southwest HS) recently has been picked by *College Soccer News* as one of the 100 Freshmen From Coast To Coast To Keep An Eye On. Current Aztecs who have previously been named to the preseason list include seniors Daniel Ortega (San Diego/Eastlake HS) and Evan Toft (Aurora, Colo./Grandview HS), and redshirt sophomore Gemechu Abraham (Beaverton, Ore./Beaverton HS).

Altamirano (5-7, 135) comes to The Mesa as the most heralded recruit in recent history. Altamirano is a member of three U.S. national team age groups (U-20, U-18, U-17) and is a three-time NSCAA Youth All-American (2006-08). Altamirano, who *ESPNRISE.com* ranks as the third-best prospect in the country and *Top Drawer Soccer.com* rates as the fifth, also garnered All-America accolades from EA Sports, *Parade Magazine* and *ESPN-RISE.com* after the 2008 campaign. Additionally, Altamirano was picked as the CIF Player of the Year and San Diego County's Player of the Year.

Aztec Men's Soccer and Kick for Hope Team Up to Raise Money for Africa

The San Diego State men's soccer team recently concluded a successful soccer clinic with Kick for Hope, a nonprofit organization that organizes soccer events to raise money for charities in Africa. It benefits children in Africa whose lives are ravaged by poverty and disease such as HIV/aids and malaria.

Following the Aztecs' game against San Diego on Sunday, SDSU head coach Lev Kirshner and the rest of the men's soccer team ran a one-hour soccer clinic for participating boys and girls from the American Youth Soccer Organization (AYSO). All the benefits went directly to Kick for Hope.

"We are extremely grateful to SDSU for hosting the AYSO clinic to benefit Kick for Hope," Kick for Hope President Kristen Chandler said. "While raising \$550 to support our efforts, we also raised awareness among the youth and their families about the struggles facing African children, who like them, have a passion for soccer. We hope each player left with a sense of satisfaction that their participation will not only impact their game, but will also impact on the lives of some of the poorest children in the world."

In addition to the Kick for Hope soccer clinic with the AYSO players, Kirshner also did a special coaches clinic with various coaches of club teams in the area. Some of the topics Kirshner focused on included practice organization, attacking and defending techniques and strength and conditioning methods, to name a few.

► Pac-10 History

Year	Pre. Pick	Finish
2005	6	4
2006	4	2
2007	5	2
2008	5	3
2009	5	??

► Pac-10 Poll

Rk.	Team	Points
1.	California (4)	24
2.	UCLA (2)	22
3.	Stanford	15
4.	Washington	12
5.	SDSU	9
6.	Oregon State	8

1st-place votes in parenthesis

2009 Aztec Honors

Individual

College Soccer News Preseason All-American (Third Team)
Nick Cardenas (Sr.)

College Soccer News 100 Freshmen From Coast to Coast to Keep an Eye On
Jose Altamirano (Fr.)

XKSanDiego.com's 50-Most Influential in San Diego County Soccer
Lev Kirshner (Head Coach)
Sami B. Nedjar (Assistant Coach)
Jose Altamirano (Fr.)

Man of the Match

Nick Cardenas (San Diego)

Man of the Match Totals

Nick Cardenas - 1

Team

► Picked fifth in Pac-10 Preseason Poll

► Recruiting class ranked 22nd in nation by *College Soccer News*

Far West Rankings (NSCAA/adidas)

Rk.	Team	Record
1.	UC Santa Barbara - 9/25	3-0
2.	UC Irvine	2-0
3.	UCLA - 10/11 & 11/14	1-1
4.	California - 10/18 & 10/25	1-1
5.	San Francisco	2-0
6.	Oregon St. - 10/4 & 11/8	2-0-1
	San Diego - L, 0-1	2-0
8.	New Mexico	1-1
9.	Sacramento State	2-0-1
10.	St. Mary's	2-0-1

*Aztec opponents in bold

2009 Pac-10 Conference Standings

Pt. Team	W	L	T	Pts.	Home	Away	GF	GA
1. SDSU	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0
California	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0
Oregon St.	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0
Stanford	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0
UCLA	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0

2009 Pac-10 Overall Standings

Pt. Team	W	L	T	Home	Away	Neutral	GF	GA
1. Oregon St.	2	0	1	2-0-0	0-0-1	0-0-0	8	2
2. California	1	1	0	0-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	3	2
Stanford	1	1	0	0-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	3	2
UCLA	1	1	0	0-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	1	2
5. Washington	1	2	0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-2-0	3	4
6. SDSU	0	2	0	0-2-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1	3

*Records accurate as of Sept. 9

Pac-10 Overall Leaders (NA at press time)

Team Individual

Team	Points	Name	Points
1.			

Team	Goals	Name	Goals
1.			

Team	Assists	Name	Assists
1.			

Team	Shots	Name	Shots
1.			

Team	Goals Against Avg.	Name	Goals Against Avg.
1.			

Team	Saves	Name	Saves
1.			

Team	Shutouts	Name	Shutouts
1.			

SDSU Game-By-Game Stats

Opponent	Score	Assists	Shots	Saves	Corners	Fouls
Loyola Marymount (9/1)	1-2	2	15	2	7	15
San Diego (9/6)	0-1	0	15	5	7	17
Totals	1-3	2	30	7	14	32

Opponent Game-By-Game Stats

Opponent	Score	Assists	Shots	Saves	Corners	Fouls
Loyola Marymount (9/1)	1-2	2	10	6	2	11
San Diego (9/6)	0-1	0	14	9	9	20
Totals	1-3	2	24	15	11	31

Aztecs Against...

Group	Record	Group	Record
Top-25	.0-0-0	Big Ten Conference	.0-0-0
2008 NCAA Tournament Teams	.0-0-0	Horizon League	.0-0-0
Teams with .500+ Records	.0-2-0	Big West Conference	.0-0-0
West Coast Conference	.0-2-0	Pac-10 Conference	.0-0-0
Ivy League	.0-0-0		

NCAA Statistical Rankings

Team	Ranking (Top 50 Only)	Individual	Ranking (Top 100 Only)
Goals Per Game	.N/A	PPG	.N/A
Goals Against Average	.N/A	GPG	.N/A
Shutout Percentage	.N/A	APG	.N/A
Won-Lost-Tied Percentage	.N/A	GAA	.N/A
Save Percentage	.N/A	Saves	.N/A
		SV%	.N/A

2009 Statistical Leaders

POINTS	
1. Daniel Steres (So.)	2
2. Morgan Sacco (Fr.)	1
Evan Toft (Sr.)	1

GOALS	
1. Daniel Steres (So.)	1

ASSISTS	
1. Morgan Sacco (Fr.)	1
Evan Toft (Sr.)	1

GAME-WINNING POINTS

1.

GAME-WINNING GOALS

1.

GAME-WINNING ASSISTS

1.

SHOTS	
1. Raymundo Reza (Jr.)	6
Evan Toft (Sr.)	6
3. Daniel Ortega (Sr.)	3
Devon Sandoval (Fr.)	3
5. Four tied at	2

SHOT PERCENTAGE (min. 2 sh att)	
1. Daniel Steres (So.)	.500

SHOTS ON GOAL	
1. Daniel Ortega (Sr.)	3
Raymundo Reza (Jr.)	3
3. Nick Cardenas (Sr.)	2
Devon Sandoval (Fr.)	2
Daniel Steres (So.)	2
Evan Toft (Sr.)	2

SHOTS ON GOAL % (min. 2 sh att)	
1. Nick Cardenas (Sr.)	1.000
Daniel Ortega (Sr.)	1.000
Daniel Steres (So.)	1.000
4. Devon Sandoval (Fr.)	.667
5. Two tied at	.500

GOALS AGAINST AVERAGE	
1. Brad Byrns (RS-Jr.)	1.50

SAVES	
1. Brad Byrns (RS-Jr.)	7

SAVE PERCENTAGE	
1. Brad Byrns (RS-Jr.)	.700

SHUTOUTS	
1.	

GAMES STARTED	
1. 11 tied at	2

GAMES PLAYED	
1. 14 tied at	2

MINUTES PLAYED	
1. Brad Byrns (RS-Jr.)	180
Nick Cardenas (Sr.)	180
Jamel Wallae (RS-Fr.)	180
4. Daniel Steres (So.)	178
5. Evan Toft (Sr.)	158

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A POINT	
1. Morgan Sacco (Fr.)	1
Daniel Steres (So.)	1
Evan Toft (Sr.)	1
* Streak is current	

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A GOAL	
1. Daniel Steres (So.)	1
* Streak is current	

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH AN AST	
1. Morgan Sacco (Fr.)	1
Evan Toft (Sr.)	1
* Streak is current	

CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS MINUTES	
1. Brad Byrns (RS-Jr.)	75:14*
* Streak is current	

GAME 1: Sept. 1, 2009 - SDSU Sports Deck													
Loyola Marymount 2, San Diego State 1													
Pos ##	LMU	Sh	SOG	G	A	M	Pos ##	SDSU	Sh	SOG	G	A	M
GK 18	Sampson	-	-	-	-	90	GK 1	Byrns	-	-	-	-	90
F 3	Krumpe	1	1	-	-	84	D 3	Beitashour	-	-	-	-	64
MF 4	Johanson	-	-	-	1	68	D 4	Cardenas	1	1	-	-	90
MF 6	Ocampo	1	-	-	-	72	D 5	Steres	2	2	1	-	90
F 7	Da Silva	1	1	-	1	66	MF 7	Toft	3	-	-	1	90
F 9	Jozkowicz	-	-	-	-	44	F 14	Reza	4	2	-	-	57
F 10	Baca	3	2	2	-	90	MF 16	Davies	-	-	-	-	67
D 11	Downes	-	-	-	-	90	MF 19	Wallace	1	-	-	-	90
MF 13	Rochlitz	-	-	-	-	57	D 20	Acevedo	-	-	-	-	90
D 21	Johnson	-	-	-	-	90	MF 21	Sacco	-	-	-	1	62
D 26	Kristof	-	-	-	-	36	F 29	Sandoval	3	2	-	-	85
5	Barba	2	-	-	-	42	6	Adan	-	-	-	-	27
8	Canty	-	-	-	-	22	12	Abraham	-	-	-	-	10
12	Ikard	-	-	-	-	10	23	Altamirano	1	-	-	-	54
15	McDaniel	2	-	-	-	58	24	Marden	-	-	-	-	23
19	Reiter	-	-	-	-	11	Totals 15 7 1 2						
23	Greenman	-	-	-	-	60							
Totals 10 4 2 2													
##	Player	Min	GA	Saves	##	Player	Min	GA	Saves				
18	Sampson	90:00	1	5	1	Byrns	90:00	2	2				
TM	TEAM	0:00	0	1									
Score by Period					1	2	F						
Loyola Marymount (1-0-0)					1	1	-	2					
San Diego State (0-1-0)					1	0	-	1					
Shots by Period					1	2	F						
Loyola Marymount 2					8	10	Loyola Marymount 4						
San Diego State 10					5	15	San Diego State 0						
CK by Period					1	2	F						
Loyola Marymount 1					1	2	Loyola Marymount 8						
San Diego State 7					0	7	San Diego State 6						
Scoring Summary													
Goal	Time	Team	Scorer	Assists									
1	20:36	SDSU	Daniel Steres (1)	Evan Toft (1), Morgan Sacco (1)									
2	21:47	LMU	Rafael Baca (1)	Kyle Johanson (1)									
3	55:34	LMU	Rafael Baca (2)	Phil Da Silva (1)									
Attendance: 333 Officials: Chicas, Hemphill, Zuckerman Offsides: LMU 2, SDSU 0													
Cautions and Ejections: YC-SDSU #19 (74:05)													

GAME 2: Sept. 6, 2009 - SDSU Sports Deck													
San Diego 1, San Diego State 0													
Pos ##	USD	Sh	SOG	G	A	M	Pos ##	SDSU	Sh	SOG	G	A	M
GK 1	Briones	-	-	-	-	90	GK 1	Byrns	-	-	-	-	90
D 2	Peterman	-	-	-	-	90	D 3	Beitashour	-	-	-	-	41
D 3	Grey	-	-	-	-	90	D 4	Cardenas	1	1	-	-	90
D 4	Reeder	2	-	-	-	90	MF 5	Steres	-	-	-	-	88
D 5	Norris	-	-	-	-	90	MF 7	Toft	3	2	-	-	68
MF 6	Cohn	-	-	-	-	59	MF 14	Reza	2	1	-	-	90
F 7	Carminatti	2	1	-	-	57	MF 16	Davies	1	-	-	-	80
F 10	Wallen	4	1	-	-	87	D 19	Wallace	1	-	-	-	90
F 15	Feld	2	2	-	-	65	D 20	Acevedo	-	-	-	-	22
MF 24	Reza	1	-	-	-	53	F 21	Sacco	2	1	-	-	90
MF 25	Chandler	-	-	-	-	37	F 29	Sandoval	-	-	-	-	32
8	McFadden	1	1	-	-	31	6	Adan	1	1	-	-	53
9	Howlan	1	-	-	-	23	8	Ortega	3	3	-	-	44
13	Ochoa	-	-	-	-	13	9	Werbner	-	-	-	-	16
14	Posa	-	-	-	-	53	10	Diouf	1	-	-	-	46
19	Blase	1	-	-	-	25	12	Abraham	-	-	-	-	2
26	May	-	-	-	-	37	23	Altamirano	-	-	-	-	49
TM	TEAM	-	1	1	-	0	Totals 15 9 0 0						
Totals 14 6 1 0													
##	Player	Min	GA	Saves	##	Player	Min	GA	Saves				
1	Briones	90:00	0	9	1	Byrns	90:00	1	5				
Score by Period					1	2	F						
San Diego (2-0-0)					1	0	-	1					
San Diego State (0-2-0)					0	0	-	0					
Shots by Period					1	2	F						
San Diego					6	8	-	14					
San Diego State					6	9	-	15					
CK by Period					1	2	F						
San Diego					3	6	-	9					
San Diego State					4	3	-	7					
Scoring Summary													
Goal	Time	Team	Scorer	Assists									
1	14:46	USD	OWN GOAL										
Attendance: 522 Officials: Gorin, Reyes, Rios Offsides: USD 2, SDSU 1													
Cautions and Ejections: YC-USD #10 (10:50); YC-SDSU #14 (12:43); YC-USD #9 (75:03); YC-USD #13 (84:34); YC-SDSU #4 (84:47); YC-SDSU #5 (87:18)													

2009 Roster

NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown/Last School
0	R.J. Smith	GK	6-4	195	RS-So.	1L	San Diego, Calif./UC Davis
01	Blake Hylen	GK	6-3	180	Fr.	HS	San Diego, Calif./Torrey Pines HS
1	Brad Byrns	GK	6-2	200	RS-Jr.	2L	Alamo, Calif./Monte Vista HS
2	Michio Akazawa	D	5-7	155	Jr.	1L	Bellevue, Wash./Issaquah HS
3	Steve Beitashour	D	5-10	170	RS-Sr.	3L	San Jose, Calif./Leland HS
4	* Nick Cardenas	D	6-4	205	Sr.	3L	Thornton, Colo./Horizon HS
5	Daniel Steres	D	6-0	170	So.	1L	Calabasas, Calif./Calabasas HS
6	Pedro Adan	MF	5-8	155	RS-So.	1L	San Diego, Calif./Preuss HS
7	Evan Toft	MF	5-8	155	Sr.	3L	Aurora, Colo./Grandview HS
8	Daniel Ortega	MF	5-10	180	Sr.	3L	San Diego, Calif./Eastlake HS
9	Kevin Werbner	MF	6-1	185	RS-Sr.	3L	Manchester, Conn./Manchester HS
10	Khadim Diouf	MF	6-1	160	Jr.	2L	Dakar, Senegal/Suffield Acad. (Conn.)
11	* Matt McManus	F	6-1	185	RS-Sr.	2L	Santa Clarita, Calif./Canyon HS
12	Gemechu Abraham	MF	5-9	155	RS-So.	1L	Beaverton, Ore./Beaverton HS
14	Raymundo Reza	F	5-10	175	Jr.	2L	Denver, Colo./John F. Kennedy HS
16	Justin Davies	D	5-8	160	RS-So.	1L	San Diego, Calif./Brooks School (Mass.)
17	Michael Rocha	F	5-9	185	Jr.	2L	Pasadena, Calif./John Muir HS
18	Jordan Phillips	D	5-11	170	Fr.	HS	The Woodlands, Texas/The Woodlands HS
19	* Jamel Wallace	MF	6-1	180	RS-Sr.	3L	San Diego, Calif./Oceanside HS
20	Andre Acevedo	D	5-8	160	RS-So.	RS	San Diego, Calif./Eastlake HS
21	Morgan Sacco	MF	5-8	140	Fr.	HS	Greeley, Colo./Greeley Central HS
23	Jose Altamirano	MF	5-7	135	Fr.	HS	San Diego, Calif./Southwest HS
24	Chance Marden	MF	6-1	175	RS-Fr.	RS	Fremont, Calif./Washington HS
29	Devon Sandoval	F	6-1	200	Fr.	HS	Albuquerque, N.M./Eldorado HS

* Captains

Head Coach: Lev Kirshner (Rutgers, 1991), 10th season

Assistant Coach: Matt Hall (San Diego, 2001), 10th season

Assistant Coach: Sami B. Nedjar (USC, 1989), second season

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Oscar Rodriguez (San Diego State, 2001), fifth season

ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Pos.
12	Gemechu Abraham	MF
20	Andre Acevedo	D
6	Pedro Adan	MF
2	Michio Akazawa	D
23	Jose Altamirano	MF
3	Steve Beitashour	D
1	Brad Byrns	GK
4	Nick Cardenas	D
16	Justin Davies	D
10	Khadim Diouf	MF
01	Blake Hylen	GK
24	Chance Marden	MF
11	Matt McManus	F
8	Daniel Ortega	MF
18	Jordan Phillips	D
14	Raymundo Reza	F
17	Michael Rocha	F
21	Morgan Sacco	MF
29	Devon Sandoval	F
0	R.J. Smith	GK
5	Daniel Steres	D
7	Evan Toft	MF
19	Jamel Wallace	MF
9	Kevin Werbner	MF

BY POSITION

Goalkeepers (3) Byrns, Hylen, Smith

Defenders (7) Acevedo, Akazawa, Beitashour, Cardenas, Davies, Phillips, Steres

Midfielders (10) Abraham, Adan, Altamirano, Diouf, Marden, Ortega, Sacco, Toft, Wallace, Werbner

Forwards (4) McManus, Reza, Rocha, Sandoval

BY YEAR

Seniors (7) Beitashour, Cardenas, McManus, Ortega, Toft, Wallace, Werbner

Juniors (5) Akazawa, Byrns, Diouf, Reza, Rocha

Sophomores (6) Abraham, Acevedo, Adan, Davies, Smith, Steres

Redshirt Freshmen (1) Marden

True Freshmen (5) Altamirano, Hylen, Phillips, Sacco, Sandoval

BY EXPERIENCE

Three Letters (6) Beitashour, Cardenas, Ortega, Toft, Wallace, Werbner

Two Letters (5) Byrns, Diouf, McManus, Reza, Rocha

One Letter (6) Abraham, Adan, Akazawa, Davies, Smith, Steres

Redshirts (2) Acevedo, Marden

High School (5) Altamirano, Hylen, Phillips, Sacco, Sandoval

BY LOCATION

San Diego (8) Acevedo, Adan, Altamirano, Davies, Hylen, Ortega, Smith, Wallace

California (6) Beitashour, Byrns, Marden, McManus, Rocha, Steres

Oregon (1) Abraham

Washington (1) Akazawa

New Mexico (1) Sandoval

Colorado (4) Cardenas, Reza, Sacco, Toft

Texas (1) Phillips

Connecticut (1) Werbner

Senegal (1) Diouf

2009 Aztec Men's Soccer
San Diego State Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 08, 2009)
All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
09-01-09	LMU	L 1-2	333
09-06-09	SAN DIEGO	L 0-1	522

TEAM STATISTICS	SDSU	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	1-30	3-24
Goals scored per game	0.50	1.50
Shot pct.	.033	.125
Shots on goal-Attempts	16-30	10-24
SOG pct.	.533	.417
Shots/Game	15.0	12.0
CORNER KICKS	14	11
PENALTY KICKS	0-0	0-0
PENALTIES		
Yellow cards	4	3
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	855	0
Dates/Avg Per Date	2/428	0/0
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	pk-att
5	Steres, Daniel	2	1	0	2	2	.500	2	1.000	0	0-0
7	Toft, Evan	2	0	1	1	6	.000	2	.333	0	0-0
21	Sacco, Morgan	2	0	1	1	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0
14	Reza, Raymundo	2	0	0	0	6	.000	3	.500	0	0-0
29	Sandoval, Devon	2	0	0	0	3	.000	2	.667	0	0-0
8	Ortega, Daniel	1	0	0	0	3	.000	3	1.000	0	0-0
19	Wallace, Jamel	2	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
4	Cardenas, Nick	2	0	0	0	2	.000	2	1.000	0	0-0
23	Altamirano, Jose	2	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
16	Davies, Justin	2	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10	Diouf, Khadim	1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
6	Adan, Pedro	2	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
24	Marden, Chance	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
20	Acevedo, Andre	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
12	Abraham, Gemechu	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
9	Werbner, Kevin	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
3	Beitashour, Steve	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
	Total	2	1	2	4	30	.033	16	.533	0	0-0
	Opponents	2	3	2	8	24	.125	10	.417	2	0-0

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
1	Byrns, Brad	2	180:00	3	1.50	7	.700	0-2-0	0
	Total	2	180:00	3	1.50	7	.700	0-2-0	0
	Opponents	2	180:00	1	0.50	15	.938	2-0-0	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	1	0	1
Opponents	2	1	3

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	16	14	30
Opponents	8	16	24

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	3	4	7
Opponents	8	7	15

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	11	3	14
Opponents	4	7	11

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	11	21	32
Opponents	15	16	31