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BULLPEN CLUB

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Fall 2005

SPOTLIGHT ON BRENNAN BOESCH



*Junior Center Fielder,
Brennan Boesch*

Photo Credit: Michael Pimentel

As Brennan prepares for his junior season leading the Bears, he's gathering accolades from Cal coaches and fans as well as enemy experts. "When you name the top four or five hitters in the Pac-10, you have to list Brennan Boesch" said USC (and former Cal) pitching Coach Dave Lawn. "And if you list him in that category, that also means he is one of the top hitters in the country."

And Cal Coach Dave Esquer comments on Brennan's year: "This season, he really prepared himself to play each and every day. He's now putting himself in position to be among the very best players to ever come out of Cal. Brennan is as driven as any player I have ever had. He doesn't accept failure and fears nobody."

An L.A. native, Brennan hit not one, but two homers in his Cal debut in 2004 against BYU. After a solid freshman campaign, Brennan put up outstanding numbers as a sophomore: .355 batting average, 21 doubles, two triples, seven home runs and 33 RBI. He was in the top 10 in the conference with 77 hits and 123 total bases, and won All-Pac-10 First Team honors. His season was one of the major reasons that Cal Baseball challenged for a post-season berth in the tournament.

Keep an eye on #32 in 2006.

ALUMNI WEEKEND OCTOBER 15-17

Don't miss the chance to get together with other Cal Baseball alumni and friends of the program on this terrific weekend. Coach Esquer guarantees great weather. Here's the lineup:

- Cal v. Oregon State Football, Saturday, October 15th. Time to be determined. Bring your friends and tailgate at Evans Diamond starting two hours before kick-off.
- Alumni Games, Sunday, October 16th. Papa Bear game at 10:00. Contact Bob Tulk to play at bob.tulk@comcast.net or 925-785-0143. Recent alumni v. the 2006 Bears at 1:00. To play, contact Dan Hubbs.
- Cal Baseball Golf Classic, Monday, October 17th, at the Contra Costa Country Club in Pleasant Hill. Shotgun start at 11:00 (check in at 9:30) with cocktails, dinner and live and silent auctions supporting the Bullpen Club. All-inclusive fee is \$300 or \$1,100 for a foursome. To play, contact Coach Dan Hubbs at 510-642-9591 or email: dwhubbs@berkeley.edu

Wayne Hooper Remembered

Wayne Hooper passed away on July 31st and was memorialized at Evans Diamond on August 13th with over 300 of Wayne's friends. Wayne was *All-Conference* in both Baseball and Basketball at Cal and went on to a long legal career as one of the first player agents in the country. In recent years, Wayne played a huge part in raising millions of dollars for Cal Baseball as a leader of the Bullpen Club.

Donations in his memory are suggested to: UC Regents – Bullpen Club, 2223 Fulton Street, 3rd Floor, Berkeley, CA 94720. We'll miss Wayne greatly.

Carl J. Van Heuitt Training Facility Underway

When you return to Evans for Alumni Weekend, be sure to visit the construction site down the right field line where the Carl J. Van Heuitt Training Facility is well underway. Thanks go to the many donors who helped this long-planned project become a reality. The facility is scheduled to be completed in November.

WHERE IS HE NOW? **Chuck Cary**

In 1978, Southpaw Chuck Cary arrived at Cal from (appropriately enough) California High in San Ramon where he had been all-NorCal his senior year, earned nine athletic letters and was his league's MVP in basketball.

At Cal, Chuck was 11 and 8 as a starting pitcher and helped Cal reach the 1980 College World Series, in which he got a win against St. Johns. Chuck uses adjectives like "awesome", "fantastic" and "spectacular" to describe his experience at Cal, both on and off the field. Coaches Bob Milano, John Hughes and Greg Warzecka contributed to his growth as a player and a person, though "Hughes never could teach me to get my curve across for a strike".

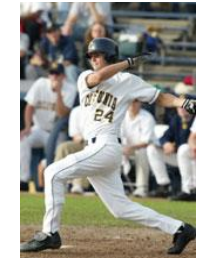
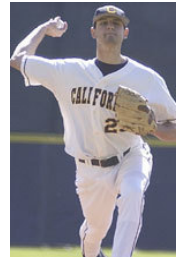
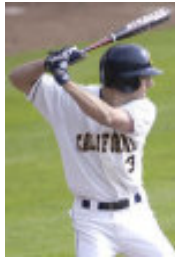
Drafted by the Tigers in 1981, Chuck embarked on a long and successful professional baseball career, capped by eight years in The Show with the Tigers, Braves, Yankees and White Sox, including going to the postseason with the White Sox in his final season.

After five years of retirement on the golf course, Chuck started selling real estate where he had settled, in Destin, Florida. He grew rapidly in this new career to



his current position as Executive Director of all real estate operations for Interwest Corporation, the huge international resort development operation.

Chuck had met his future wife Katherine while playing minor league ball in Birmingham, Alabama; they celebrate their 20th anniversary this October. Two sons (Fletcher – 13 years old, and Elliott – 10) and daughter Regan (age 8) round out the Cary household. Chuck travels back to Cal often, primarily to plunder the student store for every Cal-logo item he can haul back home.



2006 California Baseball Schedule as of 9/29/05

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
2/3/06	Friday	at UC Irvine	Irvine, Calif.	6:00 p.m.
2/4/06	Saturday	at UC Irvine	Irvine, Calif.	6:00 p.m.
2/5/06	Sunday	at UC Irvine	Irvine, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
2/7/06	Tuesday	San Francisco	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
2/10/06	Friday	Long Beach State	Berkeley	1:30 p.m.
2/11/06	Saturday	Long Beach State	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
2/12/06	Sunday	Long Beach State	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
2/14/06	Tuesday	at UC Davis	Davis, Calif.	2:00 p.m.
2/17/06	Friday	at Baylor	Waco, Texas	6:00 p.m.
2/18/06	Saturday	at Baylor	Waco, Texas	3:00 p.m.
2/19/06	Sunday	at Baylor	Waco, Texas	1:00 p.m.
2/24/06	Friday	UC Santa Barbara	Berkeley	1:30 p.m.
2/25/06	Saturday	UC Santa Barbara	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
2/26/06	Sunday	UC Santa Barbara	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
2/28/06	Tuesday	Sacramento State	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
3/3/06	Friday	Stanford	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
3/4/06	Saturday	Stanford	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
3/5/06	Sunday	Stanford	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
3/7/06	Tuesday	Georgetown	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
3/10/06	Friday	at UNLV	Las Vegas, Nev.	6:00 p.m.
3/11/06	Saturday	at UNLV	Las Vegas, Nev.	2:00 p.m.
3/12/06	Sunday	at UNLV	Las Vegas, Nev.	1:00 p.m.
3/14/06	Tuesday	Saint Mary's	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
3/17/06	Friday	Pacific	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
3/18/06	Saturday	at Pacific	Stockton, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
3/19/06	Sunday	Pacific	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
3/24/06	Friday	Washington*	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
3/25/06	Saturday	Washington*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
3/26/06	Sunday	Washington*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
3/28/06	Tuesday	at Sacramento State	Sacramento, Calif.	2:00 p.m.
3/31/06	Friday	Arizona*	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
4/1/06	Saturday	Arizona*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
4/2/06	Sunday	Arizona*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
4/7/06	Friday	at USC*	Los Angeles, Calif.	7:00 p.m.
4/8/06	Saturday	at USC*	Los Angeles, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
4/9/06	Sunday	at USC*	Los Angeles, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
4/11/06	Tuesday	Hawaii	Berkeley	2:00 p.m.
4/13/06	Thursday	at Washington State*	Pullman, Wash.	6:00 p.m.
4/14/06	Friday	at Washington State*	Pullman, Wash.	2:00 p.m.
4/15/06	Saturday	at Washington State*	Pullman, Wash.	1:00 p.m.
4/18/06	Tuesday	UC Davis	Berkeley	2:30 p.m.
4/21/06	Friday	Oregon State*	Berkeley	2:30 p.m.
4/22/06	Saturday	Oregon State*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
4/23/06	Sunday	Oregon State*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
4/25/06	Tuesday	at San Francisco	San Francisco, Calif.	3:00 p.m.
4/28/06	Friday	UCLA*	Berkeley	2:30 p.m.
4/29/06	Saturday	UCLA*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
4/30/06	Sunday	UCLA*	Berkeley	1:00 p.m.
5/2/06	Tuesday	at Saint Mary's	Moraga, Calif.	2:00 p.m.
5/5/06	Friday	at Stanford*	Stanford, Calif.	6:00 p.m.
5/6/06	Saturday	at Stanford*	Stanford, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
5/7/06	Sunday	at Stanford*	Stanford, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
5/26/06	Friday	at Arizona State*	Tempe, Ariz.	7:00 p.m.
5/27/06	Saturday	at Arizona State*	Tempe, Ariz.	6:00 p.m.
5/28/06	Sunday	at Arizona State*	Tempe, Ariz.	1:00 p.m.

All home games in **Bold**.

*Denotes Pacific-10 Conference League Game