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2008 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS WEEKLY UPDATE

SEATTLE PACIFIC NAMED GOW

AIR FORCE (2-16) did not compete last week. The Falcons compete against Denver on Monday, March 24.

ALASKA ANCHORAGE (4-10) did not compete last week. The Seawolves will next compete at the MPSF Championships on Friday, March 28.

SEATTLE PACIFIC (2-14) scored a team season high with a 192.200 against the University of Washington, which totaled a 194.550. Anissa Madrid took first in the all-around competition to lead Seattle Pacific. Madrid, just a freshman, tied for second on beam with a season-high 9.775 and also beat personal records on vault (9.675) and bars (9.700) resulting in a first place finish in the all-around competition with 38.825. The Falcons' final home meet was also strengthened by Seattle Pacific senior Ashley Domres who showed consistency throughout the meet as she met her personal season-high score on beam (9.650) and placed fifth on floor (9.675). It was the last meet on the Brougham Pavilion floor for seniors Domres, Christie Chinaka, Aubrie Stavig, and Brianna Piedmonte. Overall, SPU beat their previous totals on all four events, improving most noticeably on beam and floor (48.200).

UC DAVIS (10-11) freshman Michelle Hurlock finished in a three-way tie for the individual balance beam title, scoring a 9.850 to highlight UC Davis action in a four-team women's collegiate gymnastics meet at the Pavilion Sunday evening. As a team, the Aggies scored a season-best 194.275 (second all-time in school history) to finish third in the meet. Stanford won the team race with a 197.000, while Sacramento State was second at 194.600. San Jose State finished fourth overall with a 193.900 score. Hurlock, who had previously appeared on beam only as an exhibition performer, for the beam title. Other Aggie highlights include sophomore Lida Gehlen, who matched season high with a 9.850 on uneven bars, good for a four-way tie for third place in the meet. Senior Michelle Kulovitz hit a career-high all-around score of 38.825 while freshman Stacey Nicolini eclipsed her previous four-event best with a 38.625. As a team, the Aggies scored a 48.800 on vault, second in school history; and a 48.825 on bars, fourth in school annals.

2008 MPSF WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIP

March 28 at Davis, Calif.

The MPSF champion will be determined at the championship meet hosted by UC Davis on March 28. For more information visit the UC Davis website at <http://ucdavisaggies.cstv.com/>

GymInfo WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS REGIONAL RANKING

**March 24, 2008 – Regional Qualifying Score
West Region**

Rank	Team	RQS	Reg	Avg.	High
1	Oregon State	196.530	W	195.995	197.200
2	UCLA	196.465	W	196.011	196.925
3	Stanford Univ.	196.360	W	196.067	197.375
4	Boise State Univ.	195.600	W	195.002	196.575
5	Washington, U. of	194.525	W	193.820	195.175
6	San Jose State	194.050	W	193.310	195.325
7	Sacramento State	193.585	W	192.835	195.250
8	Cal State-Fullerton	193.105	W	192.157	194.825
9	California	192.755	W	191.682	194.100
10	UC Davis	191.520	W	190.641	192.875
11	Alaska, U. of	190.435	W	189.407	191.675
12	Seattle Pacific	188.420	W	187.745	192.200

North Central Region

9	Air Force Academy	189.280	NC	187.942	190.975
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ANISSA MADRID NAMED MPSF GYMNAST OF THE WEEK

Woodland, Calif. – **Anissa Madrid of Seattle Pacific** took first in the all-around competition to lead Seattle Pacific to their highest team score of the season with 192.200 in a women's gymnastics meet against cross-town rival University of Washington Friday night in Royal Brougham Pavilion. Madrid (Burien, Wa./Kennedy) tied for second on beam with a season-high 9.775 and also beat personal records on vault (9.675) and bars (9.700) resulting in a first place finish in the all-around competition with 38.825.

UPCOMING MEETS

Mon, March 24		
Denver at AIR FORCE	6 pm	
Fri, March 28		
MPSF Championships	5 pm	
Sat, April 12		
NCAA West Regional Championships	5 pm	
April 18-19		
Air Force at USAG Championship	TBA	
April 24-26		
NCAA Championships	TBA	

RECENT MEETS (Home Team in CAPS)

Fri, March 14		
Air Force 189.550, ALASKA ANCHORAGE 191.675		
Seattle Pacific 188.525, WASHINGTON 194.450		
Sun, March 16		
Air Force 190.975, ALASKA ANCHORAGE 190.250		
UC Davis at CALIFORNIA: 4 th , 191.325		
Fri, March 21		
Washington 194.550, SEATTLE PACIFIC 192.200		
Sun, March 23		
Stanford 197.000, Sac State 194.600, UC DAVIS 194.275, SJ State 193.900		

2008 MPSF GYMNASTS OF THE WEEK

Week	Student-Athlete	School
Jan. 14	Tanya Ho	UC Davis
Jan. 21	Abbey Rogers	Air Force
Jan. 28	Lida Gehlen	UC Davis
Feb. 4	Jessica Portlock	Alaska Anchorage
Feb. 11	Michelle Kulovitz	UC Davis
Feb. 18	Tanya Ho	UC Davis
Feb. 25	Stacey Nicolini	UC Davis
March 3	Michelle Bobinski	UC Davis
March 10	Tanya Ho	UC Davis
March 17	Abbey Rogers	Air Force
March 24	Anissa Madird	Seattle Pacific

MPSF GYMNASTICS ON THE WEB

Midweek sports updates are available on the MPSF website at www.mpsports.org.

2008 NCAA WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIP

April 24-26, 2008 at University of Georgia • Athens, Ga.

MPSF RANKINGS – TOP 6

BY REGIONAL QUALIFYING AVERAGE

TEAM SCORES:	RQS	Avg.	High
1 UC Davis	191.520	190.641	192.875
2 Alaska, U. of	190.435	189.407	191.675
3 Air Force Academy	189.280	187.942	190.975
4 Seattle Pacific	188.420	187.745	192.200
VAULT:	RQS	Avg.	High
UC Davis	48.685	48.477	48.800
1 Michelle Bobinski (UCD)	9.800	9.762	9.850
- Stacey Nicolini (UCD)	9.790	9.700	9.850
- Michelle Kulovitz (UCD)	9.755	9.618	9.800
4 Jessica Portlock (UAA)	9.750	9.643	9.850
5 Marcy Miller (UCD)	9.720	9.700	9.800
6 Tanya Ho (UCD)	9.705	9.697	9.825
UNEVEN P-BARS:	RQS	Avg.	High
UC Davis	48.235	47.718	48.725
1 Lida Gehlen (UCD)	9.825	9.695	9.850
2 Tanya Ho (UCD)	9.735	9.591	9.800
- Kristy Boswell (UAA)	9.720	9.630	9.800
4 Jessica Portlock (UAA)	9.710	9.548	9.750
5 Christie Chinaka (SPU)	9.705	9.612	9.775
6 Michelle Bobinski (UCD)	9.700	9.540	9.800
BALANCE BEAM:	RQS	Avg.	High
UC Davis	47.515	47.132	48.250
- ANISSA MADRID (SPU)	9.670	9.572	9.775
2 Stacey Nicolini (UCD)	9.625	9.502	9.750
- Brittany Dutton (AFA)	9.625	9.327	9.700
4 Abigail Rogers (AFA)	9.605	9.233	9.700
5 Kendall McCann (UCD)	9.585	9.384	9.750
- Brooke Nall (UAA)	9.585	9.520	9.725
FLOOR EXERCISE:	RQS	Avg.	High
Air Force	47.855	47.333	48.150
1 Abigail Rogers (AFA)	9.810	9.671	9.850
2 Michelle Kulovitz (UCD)	9.755	9.637	9.875
3 Kelsey Fullerton (UAA)	9.730	9.634	9.825
- BRIANNA STEIGAUF (SPU)	9.725	9.567	9.800
5 Adee Schoffman (UCD)	9.675	9.545	9.775
- Jessica Portlock (UAA)	9.660	9.584	9.700
ALL-AROUND:	RQS	Avg.	High
1 Abigail Rogers (AFA)	38.165	37.554	38.825
2 Tanya Ho (UCD)	37.940	37.993	38.875
3 Brittany Dutton (AFA)	37.915	37.747	38.425
4 Michelle Denise (AFA)	37.820	37.570	38.325
5 Courtney Williams (UAA)	37.485	37.230	38.325
6 ASHLEY DOMRES (SPU)	37.460	37.587	38.225