



MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE 2004 FOOTBALL

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STANDINGS

<u>Team</u>	<u>MWC</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>Hm</u>	<u>Rd</u>	<u>Pct</u>	<u>Overall</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>Hm</u>	<u>Rd</u>	<u>Nu</u>	<u>Pct</u>	<u>Streak</u>
Utah (9/10)	2-0	77	42	1-0	1-0	1.000	6-0	235	91	3-0	3-0	0-0	1.000	Won 10
Air Force	2-1	90	82	1-0	1-1	.667	3-3	167	182	2-2	1-1	0-0	.500	Won 1
BYU	2-1	75	58	1-1	1-0	.667	3-4	142	182	2-1	1-2	0-0	.429	Won 1
New Mexico	1-2	54	76	0-1	1-1	.333	3-4	143	141	1-2	2-2	0-0	.429	Won 1
UNLV	1-2	54	71	0-2	1-0	.333	2-5	143	175	1-3	1-2	0-0	.286	Lost 1
Wyoming	1-1	33	34	1-0	0-1	.500	4-2	154	114	4-0	0-2	0-0	.667	Lost 1
Colorado State	1-1	42	48	0-1	1-0	.500	2-4	121	172	1-2	1-2	0-0	.333	Won 1
San Diego State	0-2	27	41	0-1	0-1	.000	2-4	123	129	2-1	0-3	0-0	.333	Lost 3

WEEK #8 SCHEDULE

<u>AP/ESPN Game (record)</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time/TV/Radio</u>	<u>Series Results/Last Meeting</u>
Friday, October 22			
- Wyoming (4-2, 1-1)	Hughes Stadium (34,000)	7:30 p.m. MT	Colorado State leads 51-39-5
- Colorado State (2-4, 1-1)	Fort Collins, Colo.	(ESPN2)	2003 Wyoming 35-28
Saturday, October 23			
- BYU (3-4, 2-1)	Falcon Stadium (52,480)	1 p.m. MT	BYU leads 18-6
- Air Force (3-3, 2-1)	Colorado Springs, Colo.	(ESPN+Plus)	2003 Air Force 24-10
- San Diego State (2-4, 0-2)	University Stadium (37,370)	4:30 p.m. MT	San Diego State leads 20-10
- New Mexico (3-4, 1-2)	Albuquerque, N.M.	(SportsWest)	2003 New Mexico 30-7
- UNLV (2-5, 1-2)	Rice-Eccles Stadium (45,017)	5 p.m. MT	Utah leads 8-1
9/10 Utah (6-0, 2-0)	Salt Lake City, Utah	(ERT-LV/KJZZ-SLC)	2003 Utah 28-10

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Saturday, October 16

BYU 24, Wyoming 13 (Provo, Utah; Attendance - 58,737)
 Colorado State 21, San Diego State 17 (San Diego, Calif.; Attendance - 31,129)
 New Mexico 24, UNLV 20 (Las Vegas, Nev.; Attendance - 19,065)
 Utah 46, North Carolina 16 (Salt Lake City, Utah; Attendance - 45,319)



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Information on the Mountain West Conference can be found on the official MWC website (www.TheMWC.com). Each football box score will be made available on the website immediately following each game. Updated conference statistics and standings, along with conference leaders will also be available on a daily basis. The MWC website also provides links to each school's official website, and sport specialty sites that post national polls, etc. In addition, the MWC Newsstand provides links to stories from newspapers around the MWC and nation.

SATELLITE FEED

The Mountain West Conference will provide a weekly satellite feed of highlights and interviews from each of the eight member institutions. The feed will run each Wednesday during the season, beginning September 3 and concluding November 17. The feed is contracted through Lanier Korsmeyer, Link Up Communications, 414-453-8785.

Day: Wednesday, Sept 3 - Nov. 17
Time: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. MT
Coordinates: Galaxy 11
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WEEKLY COACHES TELECONFERENCE

This call is open to media only. The teleconference will be held every Tuesday August 31 through Nov. 16. Audio clips from each head coach and Commissioner Thompson will be made available each Tuesday by 3 p.m. on the official MWC website - www.TheMWC.com. Please call the MWC office for the replay telephone number.

Media Call-in Number: 801-303-7410

Mountain/Pacific

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Call Schedule

Moderator, MWC
Urban Meyer, Utah
Gary Crowton, BYU
Rocky Long, New Mexico
Sonny Lubick, Colorado State
Fisher DeBerry, Air Force
Joe Glenn, Wyoming
John Robinson, UNLV
Tom Craft, San Diego State
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In addition to the above sources, the Conference staff welcomes the opportunity to assist in your coverage of MWC football. Please feel free to contact Javan Hedlund, Assistant Commissioner for Communications, via email at jhedlund@TheMWC.com or phone at 719-488-4051.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK (OCT. 18, 2004)

Alex Smith (Utah), Kirk Morrison (San Diego State), and Tyler Gaus (New Mexico) were named Mountain West Conference Players of the Week. Smith claims Offensive Player of the Week, Morrison takes the Defensive honor, and Gaus receives Special Teams recognition. Smith earns the award for the third time this season and sixth time in his career. Morrison is honored for the second time in his career, while Gaus is a first time honoree.

MWC Offensive Player of the Week

Alex Smith, Utah, Quarterback, Junior

Smith completed 29-of-37 passes for 341 yards and four touchdowns in Utah's 46-16 victory over North Carolina. The 341 yards through the air are the second most of his career, while the four TD passes tie a career high. Smith also rushed 10 times for 55 yards and a touchdown.

MWC Defensive Player of the Week

Kirk Morrison, San Diego State, Linebacker, Senior

In the 21-17 loss to Colorado State, Morrison recorded 14 tackles, including eight solo, as San Diego State limited the Rams to a season-low 196 yards of total offense. He also had two tackles for loss, forced a fumble and recovered a fumble. The 14 tackles are one shy of his career best of 15 set vs. Nevada, Reno earlier this season.

MWC Special Teams Player of the Week

Tyler Gaus, New Mexico, Punter, Junior

In New Mexico's 24-20 win at UNLV, Tyler Gaus punted eight times for a 41.6-yard average. He placed four balls inside the Rebels 13-yard line (11, 3, 13 and 6-yard lines, respectively), with his final kick key in the victory as the 53-yard effort pinned UNLV on its own six yard line for its final drive of the game. New Mexico forced a Rebel fumble at midfield and preserved the win.

WEEK 8 PREVIEW

A full slate of conference games are on tap for Week 8 of the season. The action begins Friday night as Colorado State hosts Wyoming in The Border War. The game will be televised on ESPN2. On Saturday, #9/10 Utah welcomes UNLV to Salt Lake City, Air Force hosts BYU in Colorado Springs and San Diego State travels to Albuquerque to face New Mexico.

WEEK 7 WRAP

In the lone non-conference game of the week, Utah cruised past North Carolina, 46-16, in its first-ever game against an Atlantic Coast Conference opponent.

In league play, New Mexico captured its first MWC win of the season with a 24-20 win at UNLV. Colorado State grabbed its first conference victory with a 21-17 win at San Diego State, while Wyoming had its three game win streak halted as BYU defeated the Cowboys, 24-13.

ESPN+PLUS GAME OF THE WEEK

The ESPN+Plus Game of the Week will feature Air Force and BYU Saturday at Falcon Stadium in Colorado Springs, Colo. Trey Bender (play-by-play), Kelly Stouffer (color) and Anne-Marie Anderson (sidelines) will call the action beginning at 1 p.m. MT.

LET'S TALK ABOUT RANKINGS

Utah climbed to #9 in the AP Poll and remained #10 in the ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll. The Utes' No. 9 ranking is the highest for a Mountain West team since Dec. 2, 2001 when BYU was 8th in the Coaches Poll. Earlier that season, the Cougars had the MWC's highest ranking ever at 7th in the Nov. 25 Coaches Poll. Teams from the Mountain West Conference are 15-13 all-time when taking a national Top 25 ranking into a non-conference game. Conversely, MWC teams are 7-31 vs. ranked non-conference opponents.



2004 NATIONAL POLLS

Associated Press Top 25
(Oct. 18)

Rk	School	Rec	Pts	Pvs
1.	USC (50)	6-0	1,610	1
2.	Oklahoma (13)	6-0	1,567	2
3.	Auburn (2)	7-0	1,478	4
4.	Miami	5-0	1,448	3
5.	Florida State	5-1	1,304	7
6.	Wisconsin	7-0	1,240	10
7.	California	4-1	1,215	8
8.	Texas	5-1	1,081	9
9.	Utah	6-0	1,072	11
10.	Georgia	5-1	1,040	12
11.	Tennessee	5-1	999	13
12.	Purdue	5-1	957	5
13.	Michigan	6-1	895	14
14.	Virginia	5-1	738	6
15.	West Virginia	5-1	627	17
15.	Louisville	4-1	627	18
17.	Texas A&M	5-1	561	23
18.	LSU	4-2	528	20
19.	Boise State	6-0	467	21
20.	Florida	4-2	450	22
21.	Arizona State	5-1	305	15
22.	Oklahoma State	5-1	273	16
23.	Virginia Tech	5-2	194	NR
24.	Notre Dame	5-2	134	NR
25.	Iowa	4-2	62	NR

MWC teams receiving votes: None.

ESPN/USA Today Top 25
(Oct. 18)

Rk	School	Rec	Pts	Pvs
1.	USC (50)	6-0	1,514	1
2.	Oklahoma (10)	6-0	1,470	2
3.	Miami (1)	5-0	1,380	3
4.	Auburn	7-0	1,359	4
5.	Florida State	5-1	1,234	7
6.	Georgia	5-1	1,124	8
7.	Wisconsin	7-0	1,088	12
8.	California	4-1	1,071	9
9.	Texas	5-1	1,026	11
10.	Utah	6-0	1,015	10
11.	Michigan	6-1	943	13
12.	Purdue	5-1	832	5
13.	Tennessee	5-1	815	14
14.	West Virginia	5-1	669	16
15.	Virginia	5-1	665	6
16.	Boise State	6-0	557	18
17.	LSU	4-2	489	21
18.	Louisville	4-1	482	17
19.	Florida	4-2	447	22
20.	Texas A&M	5-1	404	NR
21.	Oklahoma State	5-1	272	15
22.	Virginia Tech	5-2	253	NR
23.	Arizona State	5-1	194	19
24.	Texas Tech	4-2	121	NR
25.	Notre Dame	5-2	92	NR

MWC teams receiving votes: None.

LAST WEEK'S TOP PERFORMERS

Passing

29-37-1 for 341 yards and 4 TDs - Alex Smith, Utah vs. North Carolina

Receiving

10 for 154 yards and a TD - Steve Savoy, Utah vs. North Carolina

6 for 144 yards and 2 TDs - Earvin Johnson, UNLV vs. New Mexico

7 for 129 yards and a TD - Jeff Webb, San Diego State vs. Colorado State

Rushing

24 for 171 yards and a TD - Curtis Brown, BYU vs. Wyoming

26 for 141 yards and a TD - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico at UNLV

18 for 110 yards - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. New Mexico

Tackles

14 (8-6) - Kirk Morrison, San Diego State vs. Colorado State

11 (9-2) - Adam Lancisero, Colorado State at San Diego State

11 (8-3) - John Wendling, Wyoming at BYU

11 (5-6) - Reggie Butler, UNLV vs. New Mexico

11 (5-6) - Eric Weddell, Utah vs. North Carolina

11 (2-9) - Brady Poppinga, BYU vs. Wyoming

INSIDE THE NUMBERS

91% - Utah head coach Urban Meyer's winning percentage against automatic qualifying BCS opponents. In 11 career games, Meyer is 10-1 against BCS teams. The win over Texas A&M in the season opener avenged his only loss to a BCS school. Meyer is 5-1 against the BCS as Utah's head coach.

13 - The total number of pass breakups by New Mexico CB Brandon Payne. He leads both the Mountain West and NCAA in pass breakups this season. He is one deflection shy of Eric Jack's single-season school record of 14 set in 1993. Fellow MWC mates Derrick Martin of Wyoming and Donny Baker of San Diego State are also ranked in the top 10 nationally. Martin has nine pass deflections, while Baker has eight.

12 - The number of consecutive field goals between 40 and 49 yards for BYU's Matt Payne, tying the NCAA record. Payne's 46-yard, second-quarter field goal tied John Carney of Notre Dame, who set the record with 12 straight field goals during the 1984-85 seasons.

10 - Utah's current win streak that ranks third nationally (Boise State-17, Southern California-15). The Utes won their final four games in 2003 and are 6-0 this season. The Utes' last loss was Oct. 25, 2003 against New Mexico, 47-35.

8 - The Utes' consecutive road or neutral site win streak that started on Sept. 27, 2003 at Colorado State.

8 - Utah is seventh in the first BCS Poll of the 2004 season, marking the highest debut by a non-automatic qualifying BCS team ever in the initial poll of a season. The previous high was Northern Illinois at No. 10 in 2003. Only one non-automatic qualifying BCS school to be ranked in the initial Top 15 has ever completed the regular season undefeated (Marshall in 1999).

7 - The current number of undefeated teams remaining in the NCAA in 2004, including Utah at 6-0 (Auburn, Boise State, Miami (Fla.), Oklahoma, Southern California and Wisconsin).

3 - The number of field goals Colorado State's Jeff Babcock needs to break Steve DeLine's school record of 46 (1983-86) career field goals. Babcock has also attempted 60 field goals, eight shy of breaking Jon Poole's record set from 1980-83.

1 - Caleb Hanie will be the first true freshman quarterback to start a game for Colorado State since Mark Miller in 1981.

0 - The amount of points Wyoming's defense has allowed in the third quarter this season.



MWC HIGHS/LOWS

Most Points in the First Quarter

- 24 - San Diego State vs. Idaho State (9-4-04)
- 24 - Wyoming vs. Appalachian State (9-4-04)

Most Points in the Second Quarter

- 21 - Utah vs. Air Force (9-25-04)
- 21 - Utah at Utah State (9-18-04)

Most Points in the Third Quarter

- 14 - New Mexico at UNLV (10-16-04)
- 14 - BYU at Boise State (9-24-04)
- 14 - New Mexico at New Mexico State (9-25-04)
- 14 - Air Force at Utah (9-25-04)
- 14 - Utah vs. Air Force (9-25-04)
- 14 - New Mexico vs. Washington State (9-3-04)

Most Points in the Fourth Quarter

- 28 - UNLV vs. Nevada (10-2-04)

Most Points in the First Half

- 41 - Utah at Utah State (9-18-04)
- 41 - Wyoming vs. Appalachian State (9-4-04)

Most Points in the Second Half

- 35 - UNLV vs. Nevada (10-2-04)

Most Points in the First Quarter (MWC Opponent)

- 17 - Michigan vs. San Diego State (9-18-04)

Most Points in the Second Quarter (MWC Opponent)

- 21 - Utah vs. Air Force (9-25-04)
- 21 - USC at BYU (9-18-04)
- 21 - USC vs. Colorado State (9-11-04)

Most Points in the Third Quarter (MWC Opponent)

- 14 - California at Air Force (9-4-04)

Most Points in the Fourth Quarter (MWC Opponent)

- 21 - California at Air Force (9-4-04)

Most Points in the First Half (MWC Opponent)

- 28 - USC vs. Colorado State (9-11-04)

Most Points in the Second Half (MWC Opponent)

- 35 - California at Air Force (9-4-04)

SDSU'S MORRISON NAMED BUTKUS AWARD SEMIFINALIST

The Downtown Athletic Club of Orlando announced last week that San Diego State senior linebacker Kirk Morrison is one of 12 semifinalists for the 2004 Butkus Award, presented annually to the best linebacker in college football. The field will be trimmed to three on Nov. 11th with the winner announced Dec. 10. The semifinalists were chosen from a preseason watch list of 68 players. Morrison was a first-team All-America linebacker last year, according to College Football News. He is a two-time all-conference player and the reigning Mountain West Defensive Player of the Year. Morrison is also on the watch list for the Bronko Nagurski Trophy (outstanding defensive player), the Chuck Bednarik Award (outstanding defensive player), the Lombardi Award (outstanding offensive or defensive lineman) and the Lott Trophy (defensive impact player of the year). Morrison is currently fourth all-time at San Diego State with 343 tackles. He entered the season 11th among the nation's active players in career tackles. Morrison is also eighth all-time at SDSU in tackles for loss (39).

WINS AGAINST AUTOMATIC QUALIFYING BCS CONFERENCES

With six wins vs. automatic qualifying BCS conference teams, the MWC is tied for third among the 11 Division I-A leagues in non-conference wins against BCS opponents.

Big Ten	7
Conference USA	7
MWC	6
ACC	6
Big XII	6
Big East	5
Pac-10	4
MAC	3
WAC	3
SEC	2
Sun Belt	1

HOME AND ROAD RECORD COMPARISONS

Five of eight MWC teams have posted perfect home records, but no MWC team has gone unbeaten at home in league play since New Mexico accomplished the feat in 2002. Colorado State is the only MWC team to win four conference games at home in a season (2000). The Rams lead the MWC with a .737 win percentage on the road (13-5) and a .722 mark at home (13-5) in league play. Four of eight MWC teams have posted perfect road records since 2001, with Utah holding the longest road win streak in MWC history with its current six straight victories (BYU won five in a row from 2000-2001 and Colorado State won five straight from 2001-03).

HOME CONFERENCE RECORDS

<u>Team</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Air Force	1-2	3-1	2-1	2-2	2-1	1-0	11-7	.611
BYU	2-1	3-1	3-0	2-2	0-3	1-1	11-8	.579
Colorado State	2-1	4-0	2-1	3-1	2-1	0-1	13-5	.722
New Mexico	2-2	2-1	2-2	3-0	2-2	0-1	11-8	.579
San Diego State	1-3	0-3	1-3	2-1	2-2	0-1	6-13	.316
UNLV	0-4	3-0	1-3	1-2	0-4	0-2	5-15	.250
Utah	2-1	1-3	3-0	2-2	2-1	1-0	11-7	.611
Wyoming	2-2	0-3	0-4	1-2	2-2	1-0	6-13	.316

ROAD CONFERENCE RECORDS

<u>Team</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Air Force	1-3	2-1	1-3	2-1	1-3	1-1	8-12	.400
BYU	3-1	2-1	4-0	0-3	3-1	1-0	13-6	.684
Colorado State	3-1	2-1	3-1	3-0	2-2	1-0	14-5	.737
New Mexico	1-2	1-3	2-1	2-2	3-0	1-1	10-9	.526
San Diego State	2-1	3-1	1-2	2-2	1-2	0-1	9-9	.500
UNLV	1-2	1-3	2-1	2-2	2-1	1-0	9-9	.500
Utah	3-1	2-1	1-3	1-2	4-0	1-0	12-7	.632
Wyoming	2-1	0-4	0-3	0-4	0-3	0-1	2-16	.111

**2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE
PRESEASON POLL**

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Team (first place votes)</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Utah (15)	127
2.	Colorado State (1)	98
3.	San Diego State	87
4.	New Mexico	86
5.	BYU	54
	UNLV	54
7.	Air Force	42
8.	Wyoming	23

NEW MEXICO'S MOORE LOOKING FOR THIRD STRAIGHT 1,000-YARD RUSHING SEASON

In the first five years of the MWC, 11 players have reached the 1,000-yard rushing mark in a single season. DonTrell Moore of New Mexico has rushed for over 1,000 yards in two consecutive seasons, becoming the first running back in Mountain West history to post back-to-back 1,000-yard rushing campaigns. He collected 1,134 yards in his freshman season in 2002 and finished last year with 1,450. Thus far through the 2004 season, Moore has 607 yards.



AHEAD OF THE CLASS

Through the first five-plus years of the MWC, Colorado State sits atop the league standings in overall wins and MWC victories. Below is a look at how all eight MWC teams have fared:

School	MWC Record		Overall Record		Bowls
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.	
Colorado State	27-10	.730	44-24	.647	5
Utah	23-14	.622	41-22	.651	3
BYU	23-15	.605	37-31	.544	2
New Mexico	21-17	.553	29-34	.460	2
Air Force	19-19	.500	39-26	.600	2
San Diego State	15-22	.405	22-41	.349	0
UNLV	14-24	.368	28-37	.431	1
Wyoming	8-29	.216	19-43	.306	0

BCS POLL (OCT. 18)

Rk	Team	Associated Press			USA Today/ESPN			Computers Avg.			BCS Avg.	Prev.
		Rk	Pts.	Pct.	Rk	Pts.	Pct.	Rk	Pts.	Pct.		
1.	Southern Calif.	1	1610	.991	1	1514	.993	1	99	.990	.9912	NR
2.	Miami (FL)	4	1448	.891	3	1380	.905	2	96	.960	.9187	NR
3.	Oklahoma	2	1567	.964	2	1470	.964	5	82	.820	.9161	NR
4.	Auburn	3	1478	.910	4	1359	.891	3	91	.910	.9036	NR
5.	Florida State	5	1304	.802	5	1234	.809	6	81	.810	.8072	NR
6.	Wisconsin	6	1240	.763	7	1088	.713	8	70	.700	.7255	NR
7.	Utah	9	1072	.660	10	1015	.666	4	85	.850	.7251	NR
8.	California	7	1215	.748	8	1071	.702	12	57	.570	.6733	NR
9.	Tennessee	11	999	.615	13	815	.534	7	75	.750	.6331	NR
10.	Georgia	10	1040	.640	6	1124	.737	14	45	.450	.6090	NR
11.	Texas	8	1081	.665	9	1026	.673	13	47	.470	.6027	NR
12.	Purdue	12	957	.589	12	832	.546	15	44	.440	.5248	NR
13.	Michigan	13	895	.551	11	943	.618	16	35	.350	.5064	NR
14.	Boise State	19	467	.287	16	557	.365	10	64	.640	.4309	NR
15.	Virginia	14	738	.454	15	665	.436	17	34	.340	.4101	NR
16.	Texas A&M	17	561	.345	20	404	.265	11	61	.610	.4067	NR
17.	Louisville	15T	627	.386	18	482	.316	20	30	.300	.3340	NR
18.	Arizona State	21	305	.188	23	194	.127	9	66	.660	.3250	NR
19.	Louisiana State	18	528	.325	17	489	.321	22	20	.200	.2819	NR
20.	West Virginia	15T	627	.386	14	669	.439	NR	0	.000	.2748	NR
21.	Oklahoma State	22	273	.168	21	272	.178	18	33	.330	.2255	NR
22.	Florida	20	450	.277	19	447	.293	NR	0	.000	.1900	NR
23.	Notre Dame	24	134	.082	25	92	.060	21	22	.220	.1209	NR
24.	UAB	27	41	.025	32	19	.012	19	32	.320	.1192	NR
25.	Virginia Tech	23	194	.119	22	253	.166	NR	0	.000	.0951	NR

2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Date	Offense	Defense	Special Teams
Sept. 6	QB Alex Smith, Utah 29-21-359-0, 3 Pass TDs/2 Rush TDs	LB Brady Poppinga, BYU 12 TT (7-5), 1 sack; 2 TFL; 1 FF, 1 FR	K/P Matt Payne, BYU 2 FGM, career long 53/46.8 yds per punt
Sept. 13	QB Kole McKamey, New Mexico 12-24-173-0, 1 Pass TD/2 Rush TDs	S Josh Bazinet, New Mexico 12 TT (8-4), 1 sack, 2 PBU, 3 QB hurries	K Wes Zunker, New Mexico 2 FGM, 43-yard game winner
Sept. 20	QB Shaun Carney, Air Force 12-14-139-0, 2 TD pass/64 Rush yards	LB Matt McCoy, San Diego State 18 TT (17-1), 1 TFL	K/P Matt Payne, BYU 1 FGM, 48.3 yds. per punt/ MWC record 79-yard punt
Sept. 27	QB Alex Smith, Utah 13-23-260-0, 2 Pass TDs/1 Rush TD	CB Ryan Smith, Utah 10 TT (7-3), 2 FF, 1 INT, 1 PBU CB Derrick Martin, Wyoming 9 TT (8-1), 7 PBU, 1 INT	KR Josh Barge, Wyoming 87-yard punt return for TD
Oct. 4	WR David Anderson, Colorado State 12-232, 1 TD	S Joe Miklos, UNLV 4 TT (2-2), 1 sack, 3 PBU, 1 INT	K/P Matt Payne, BYU 47.6 punt avg., 3 inside 20, 52-yard FG
Oct. 11	WR Jovon Bouknight, Wyoming 6-87, 1 TD	SS Jamaal Brimmer, UNLV 9 TT (6-4), 1 TFL, 1 PBU, 1 FF	K Deric Yaussi 38 and 42-yard FG
Oct. 18	QB Alex Smith, Utah 29-37-341-1, 4 Pass TDs/1 Rush TD	LB Kirk Morrison, San Diego State 14 TT (8-6), 2 TFL, 1 FF, 1 FR	P Tyler Gaus, New Mexico 41.6 punt avg., 4 inside 13-yard line



AIR FORCE FALCONS
3-3, 2-1 MWC

This Week: vs. BYU
Up Next: at Wyoming

What You Should Know:

- * Air Force is 14-11-1 under Fisher DeBerry following an open week. The Falcons have won six of their last eight games dating back to 1998 following an open week. Air Force dropped its last game following an idle week, 45-43, in triple overtime to Utah in 2003.
- * For the fifth time in six games this season, the Falcons scored on their opening possession vs. New Mexico, Oct. 9. AFA scored touchdowns on its first possession against Cal, Eastern Washington, Utah and New Mexico, and hit a field goal vs. Navy. The Falcons did not score on their first possession at UNLV.
- * Air Force held UNM scoreless in the first half, marking the first time since Army last season the Falcons have blanked an opponent in the first half.
- * The 21-point halftime lead vs. UNM is Air Force's largest of the season, and the largest since a 28-7 halftime lead over North Texas last year.
- * Air Force's nine pass attempts against New Mexico were its fewest this season (14 vs. UNLV was the previous low), and the lowest pass output since the Falcons threw just eight times vs. UNLV on Nov. 16, 2002.
- * Senior RB Darnell Stephens' 58-yard touchdown vs. UNM run is the longest of his career, and the longest by any Falcon this season. Stephens' previous long was 46 yards against Army in 2002. The previous best by a Falcon this season was Shaun Carney's 47-yard run against Utah. Stephens' 94 yards on the ground vs. UNM were also a career-high.
- * Freshman QB Shaun Carney set a new Air Force school record by completing 13 consecutive passes dating back to the Navy game, Sept. 30. He ended the Navy game by completing 11 straight passes, followed by connections on his first two attempts against UNM. The streak was broken in the second quarter on a sideline pattern to J.P. Waller. The previous record was 12 set by Bob Parker vs. Colorado State in 1970. The previous option era record was 11 set by Dee Dowis in 1998 vs. Northwestern.



BYU COUGARS
3-4, 2-1 MWC

This Week: at Air Force
Up Next: Open

What You Should Know:

- * The Cougars held Wyoming scoreless in the first quarter. It was the fifth first-quarter shutout of the season for BYU. The Cougars have outscored their opponents 34-23 in the first quarter this season.
- * BYU's four interceptions against Wyoming marked the most interceptions for the Cougars since they had three against USC in 2003. Spencer White, Aaron Francisco, and Jon Burbidge each had an interception in the first half, while Dustin Gabriel intercepted Wyoming's final pass of the game.
- * Matt Payne is seventh in the nation in punting with an average of 45.3 yards per kick. He has pinned opponents inside the 20-yard line 18 times. In the third game of the season, Payne booted a career-long and a then MWC record 79-yard punt.
- * Curtis Brown collected 163 rushing yards on 24 carries against Wyoming. It was his second straight 100-yard game. In the last three games, Brown has carried the ball 47 times for 358 yards and three touchdowns.
- * In the past 18 games, the Cougars are 17-1 when rushing for over 150 yards.
- * The Cougars scored 14 points in the fourth quarter against Wyoming, marking only the second time this season BYU has scored in the final period. On the season, BYU has been outscored 57-28 in the fourth quarter.
- * Freshman WR Austin Collie has caught 37 passes for 437 yards on the season, and leads the team in touchdown receptions with four. All four of his touchdown receptions have been 40-yards or more.



COLORADO STATE RAMS
2-4, 1-1 MWC

This Week: vs. Wyoming
Up Next: vs. New Mexico

What You Should Know:

- * Junior QB Justin Holland was injured (fractured ankle) in the first quarter of the Rams' win at San Diego State and will miss the remainder of the season. Holland passed for 1,622 yards and six touchdowns in 2004, completing 121-of-197 passes. He averaged 270.3 yards per game through the air, and had three games in which he passed for more than 300 yards.
- * Colorado State has never lost back-to-back games to Wyoming since Sonny Lubick's arrival in 1993. Lubick has guided the Rams to eight victories in 11 previous games against Wyoming for possession of the Bronze Boot. Colorado State last lost back-to-back games to Wyoming in 1991 (35-28) in Laramie and 1992 (31-14) in Fort Collins.
- * Colorado State is 37-12 (75.6 percent) in the month of October under Sonny Lubick. The Rams were a perfect 3-0 during October of 2003 and have won five games during the month on four occasions.
- * Colorado State plays its first-ever Friday night game in the history of Sonny Lubick Field at Hughes Stadium when the Rams face rival Wyoming Oct. 22. There have been 17 previous night games in the stadium's history, with CSU holding a record of 9-8.
- * Since 1993, Colorado State has played 15 times on a nationally-televised Thursday or Friday night contest. The Rams are 7-0 in home Thursday night games and 0-2 in Friday night games, both on the road.
- * Colorado State has used six true freshmen in the lineup thus far in 2004 (WR Damon Morton, RB Gartrell Johnson, DE Matt Rupp, H-back Kory Sperry, QB Caleb Hanie, and RB Kyle Bell). The Rams are one of the most youthful teams in the nation with only six seniors (excluding kicking specialists) on the depth chart. The list of fewest seniors listed on a depth chart nationally includes: East Carolina-5; Purdue-5; Buffalo-5; Central Florida-5; SMU-5; Colorado State-6; Florida-6.
- * Colorado State entered 2004 with a streak of five consecutive bowl game appearances, the longest active streak in the MWC.



NEW MEXICO LOBOS
3-4, 1-2 MWC

This Week: vs. San Diego State
Up Next: at Colorado State

What You Should Know:

- * New Mexico defeated UNLV, 24-20, Saturday in Las Vegas. The Lobos have won six of their last eight MWC road games, and eight of the past 11. UNM also avoided an 0-3 conference start for the first time since 1998.
- * New Mexico turned six UNLV turnovers into 17 of its 24 points, including all 10 first half points.
- * After averaging 208 yards in its last two games, UNM finished with 376 yards of total offense. The Lobos compiled 284 total rushing yards and are 18-3 under Rocky Long when rushing for more than 225 yards.
- * New Mexico has yielded an average of 4.3 points (4 FGs, 2 TDs), 49.3 yards rushing, and 137.3 total yards after halftime in the last six contests.
- * Junior CB Gabriel Fulbright recorded a pair of interceptions vs. UNLV, the second multiple takaway game of his career.
- * Junior TB DonTrell Moore notched his third 100-yard rushing game of the season and 16th of his career to tie Winslow Oliver for the most in UNM history. He finished with 141 yards on 26 carries. Moore currently has 3,191 rushing yards and 34 touchdowns in his career.
- * Sophomore QB Kole McKamey's touchdown pass to WR Anthony Carter was the first passing score for the Lobos in five games. McKamey hit WR Hank Baskett with a seven-yard pass against Texas Tech.
- * Senior CB Brandon Payne has four interceptions this season. He currently ranks tied for second in the NCAA. Payne is three picks shy of tying the MWC single-season record of seven set by Kevin Thomas of UNLV in 2001.
- * UNM is 19-3 when scoring first under Rocky Long, including 2-0 this fall.
- * New Mexico was 8-5 last year, increasing its win total for the fifth straight season, a feat no other team in the country can claim. UNM was 3-9 in 1998, 4-7 in 1999, 5-7 in 2000, 6-5 in 2001, 7-7 in 2002 and 8-5 in 2003.



SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS
2-4, 0-2 MWC

This Week: at New Mexico
Up Next: vs. Utah

What You Should Know:

- * The Aztecs won the total offense battle against Colorado State, 366-196, but lost 21-17. SDSU also set a season low with just three penalties for 30 yards, had a new season high with six quarterback sacks, had 15 tackles behind the line of scrimmage against the Rams.
- * SDSU's attendance of 31,129 for the CSU game marked the first time since 1999 the Aztecs' have had three straight home games with 30,000 or more fans.
- * Freshman QB Kevin O'Connell passed for 157 yards on 11-of-26 completions vs. Colorado State after replacing junior QB Matt Dlugolecki. O'Connell has been named the starter for Saturday's game at New Mexico.
- * WR Jeff Webb has caught at least one pass in each of the last 16 games, and has at least three catches in each of his last 11 outings. Webb had seven catches for 129 yards receiving against Colorado State. It was the third time this season and the fifth time in his career he has broken the century mark.
- * Placekicker Garrett Palmer connected on a pair of 48-yard field goals in the first half vs. CSU, marking the second straight season in which an Aztec kicker has converted on two, 45+-yard field goals in one game. J.C. Mejia made 47 and 46-yard field goals at Ohio State in 2003. For the season, Palmer has hit three field goals from over 45 yards and four from over 40 yards out.
- * Senior linebacker Kirk Morrison has 343 career tackles, ranking third all-time at San Diego State behind Whip Walton (407) and Rico Curtis (355).
- * In 2004, SDSU opponents have started with the ball in Aztec territory 13 times, but have managed to score on only four occasions, recording only two touchdowns and two field goals. Since the beginning of the 2003 season, SDSU opponents have started in Aztec territory 34 times and come away with points just 15 times, including a just six touchdowns.



UNLV REBELS
2-5, 1-2 MWC

This Week: at Utah
Up Next: Open

What You Should Know:

- * WR Earvin Johnson passed Len Ware (1996-99) for second place on UNLV's career catch list with 165. Johnson needs 13 receiving yards to pass Demond Thompkins (1991-93) for third on that list (2,396). His career-best 144-yard effort vs. UNM Saturday was UNLV's first 100-yard receiving game since Johnson had 108 yards vs. BYU in 2003 -- a span of 11 games.
- * RB Dominique Dorsey recorded his fourth 100-yard rushing game of the season, and the ninth of his career, with 110 yards against New Mexico.
- * Utah will be the highest-ranked team UNLV has faced since No. 2 Tennessee in 1996. The Utes are the highest-ranked conference opponent the Rebels have faced, besting Colorado State's No. 13 ranking in 2002.
- * Head coach John Robinson has more career losses against the Utes (five) than any other school in the nation other than UCLA (seven) and Washington (five).
- * UNLV's defense has forced 10 turnovers in its two victories and just two in its five losses.
- * After starting the year 8-of-14 in red-zone chances, the Rebel offense has scored on 14 of their last 15 trips inside its opponents' 20-yard line (nine TDs/five FGs).
- * Senior RB Dominique Dorsey's MWC-leading 767 yards rushing this season give him 2,339 in his career, ranking him fourth on UNLV's career rushing list.
- * The Rebels hold a 3-14 record vs. ranked teams, but have won two of their last four such matchups: at No. 14 Wisconsin last year and at No. 13 Colorado State in the 2002 season finale. All three of UNLV's wins over ranked opponents have come on the road vs. teams in the top 15.



UTAH UTES
6-0, 2-0 MWC

This Week: vs. UNLV
Up Next: at San Diego State

What You Should Know:

- * Utah is 6-0 for the first time since 1994, when it began the year 8-0. The Utes are aiming for their fourth 7-0 start in school history this weekend when they host UNLV.
- In the 46-16 win over North Carolina, sophomore CB Eric Weddle recorded 11 tackles (5-6) as part of a Ute defense that held UNC to just 221 yards of total offense.
- * Sophomore WR Steve Savoy had a season-best 154 yards and a score on 10 receptions.
- * Head coach Urban Meyer has been named to the Bobby Dodd Coach of the Year "Watch List." Other Division IA coaches on the Dodd Foundation Watch List include: Pete Carroll, USC; Mark Richt, Georgia; Joe Tiller, Purdue; Larry Coker, Miami; Dan Hawkins, Boise State and Paul Johnson, Navy. This year's recipient will be announced during halftime of the Chick-Fil-A Peach Bowl, Dec. 31, 2004.
- * Utah has won its last 10 games, tying for the third-longest win streak in school history. The Utes won 11 straight from 1904-1905. The school record is 16 straight wins from 1928-30. The 2004 Utes own the school record for consecutive road or neutral site wins with eight.
- * Utah has been red hot in the red zone all season. The Utes have scored on 29-32 red zone attempts (91%), with 27 of those scores touchdowns. Opponents have scored on 12-20 (60%) trips inside Utah's red zone—nine of those touchdowns.
- * In addition to sitting atop the standings, Utah leads the Mountain West Conference in total offense (498.2 ypg), total defense (315.5 ppg), scoring offense (39.2 ppg), scoring defense (15.2 ppg), pass efficiency offense (167.3) and pass defense (190.0).



WYOMING COWBOYS
4-2, 1-1 MWC

This Week: at Colorado State
Up Next: vs. Air Force

What You Should Know:

- * Wyoming had its three game win streak halted with a 24-13 loss at BYU. Despite the loss, the Cowboys are in the midst of their best start since 1999. UW is 4-2 overall and 1-1 in conference play this season. Wyoming also began the 1999 season 4-2 and 1-1 in league play in the first season of the MWC.
- * Junior WR Jovon Bouknight moved into a tie for fourth in Wyoming history with his 14th career touchdown reception last week at BYU. Bouknight is tied with former Cowboy greats Malcom Floyd (2000-03), Gene Huey (1965-68) and Dewey McConnell (1948-61) with 14 career TD catches.
- * Bouknight has caught at least two passes in 30 consecutive games -- every game of his college career. He had four receptions for 59 yards and one TD catch against BYU. Bouknight needs only 17 more receiving yards to move into eighth place on the Wyoming career receiving yards list. Bouknight enters this week with 1,856 receiving yards. He is chasing Allyn Griffin, who had 1,873 receiving yards from 1981, 1983-85 at Wyoming.
- * Wyoming has won eight of its last 18 games (44.4 percent) over the past two seasons. The three seasons prior, Wyoming won only five of 34 games (14.7 percent).
- * Wyoming has forced 16 opponent turnovers this season. The Cowboys have scored on seven possessions immediately following an opponent turnover. Three of those scores have been touchdowns, the other four turnovers were turned into field goals (33 points total). That is a total of 33 points scored off turnovers by the Cowboys in 2004.
- * Wyoming is 4-0 at home in 2004, marking the Cowboys' first 4-0 start at home since 1998. Wyoming went on to post a 5-1 home record that season.



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CURRENT MWC HEAD
COACHING RECORDS

Air Force – Fisher DeBerry
Overall:159-91-1 (21st season)
School:159-91-1 (21st season)

BYU – Gary Crowton
Overall:45-34 (6th season)
School:24-21 (3rd season)

Colorado State – Sonny Lubick
Overall:114-67 (16th season)
School:93-48 (12th season)

New Mexico – Rocky Long
Overall:36-44 (7th season)
School:36-44 (7th season)

San Diego State – Tom Craft
Overall:12-19 (3rd season)
School:12-19 (3rd season)

UNLV – John Robinson
Overall:132-73-4 (18th season)
School:28-38 (6th season)

Utah – Urban Meyer
Overall:33-8 (4th season)
School:16-2 (2nd season)

Wyoming – Joe Glenn
Overall:166-69-1 (20th season)
School:8-10 (2nd season)

2004 MOUNTAIN WEST LEADER BOARD

400-Yard Passing Games			
Name, Cl., School	No.	No.	(Opponent)
Justin Holland, Jr., Colorado State	1	403	at Colorado
300-Yard Passing Games			
Justin Holland, Jr., Colorado State	3	403	at Colorado
Alex Smith, Jr., Utah	2	359	Texas A&M
John Beck, So., BYU	2	390	at Boise State
100-Yard Rushing Games - High			
Dominique Dorsey, Sr., UNLV	4	189	Utah State
DonTrell Moore, Jr., New Mexico	3	167	Washington State
Curtis Brown, So., BYU	2	159	Wyoming
Michael Franklin, Jr., San Diego State	2	101	Idaho State
Dan Shaffer, Sr., Air Force	1	131	Eastern Washington
Joseph Harris, Jr., Wyoming	1	121	Ole Miss
D.D. Cox, Sr., New Mexico	1	110	at New Mexico State
Quinto Ganther, Jr., Utah	1	106	at New Mexico
Marty Johnson, Sr., Utah	1	105	at Arizona
200-Yard Receiving Games - High			
David Anderson, Jr., Colorado State	1	232	BYU
Todd Watkins, Fr., BYU	1	211	at Boise State
100-Yard Receiving Games - High			
Todd Watkins, Jr., BYU	3	211	Boise State
David Anderson, Jr., Colorado State	3	156	at Colorado
Hank Baskett, Sr., New Mexico	2	165	Washington State
Steve Savoy, So., Utah	3	154	North Carolina
Paris Warren, Sr., Utah	2	137	Air Force
Dustin Osborn, So., Colorado State	2	122	Minnesota
Jeff Webb, Jr., San Diego State	2	107	at Michigan
Earvin Johnson, Sr., UNLV	1	144	New Mexico
Dustin Pleasant, Jr., Wyoming	1	140	Appalachian State
Robert Ortiz, Jr., San Diego State	1	125	at Michigan
Alec Messerall, Sr., Air Force	1	103	Navy
J.P. Waller, Sr., Air Force	1	102	Navy
Multiple Touchdown Games - Rushing			
Alex Smith, Jr., Utah	2	2	Texas A&M/at New Mexico
Joseph Harris, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	Appalachian State
Kole McKamey, So., New Mexico	1	2	Texas Tech
Curtis Brown, So., BYU	1	2	at Colorado State
Uldis Jaunarajs, Jr., Colorado State	1	2	BYU
C.R. Davis, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	La.-Monroe
Dyante Perkins, Sr., UNLV	1	2	Nevada, Reno
Erick Jackson, So., UNLV	1	2	Nevada, Reno
Multiple Touchdown Games - Passing			
Alex Smith, Jr., Utah	4	4	North Carolina
Shaun Carney, Fr., Air Force	3	2	Eastern
Wash/UNLV/Navy			
Matt Dlugolecki, Sr., San Diego State	2	2	Idaho State/Nevada
Justin Holland, Jr., Colorado State	2	2	at Colorado/Montana State
John Beck, So., BYU	1	2	at Boise State
Corey Bramlet, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	Appalachian State
Kurt Nantkes, Sr., UNLV	1	2	Nevada, Reno
Shane Steichen, So., UNLV	1	2	New Mexico
Multiple Touchdown Games - Receiving			
Earvin Johnson, Sr., UNLV	2	2	Nevada, Reno/New Mexico
Steve Savoy, So., Utah	1	2	at Arizona
Robert Ortiz, Jr., San Diego State	1	2	Idaho State
Dustin Pleasant, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	Appalachian State



WEEK 8 GAME PREVIEWS



Wyoming at Colorado State
Friday, October 22
Hughes Stadium (34,000)
Fort Collins, Colo.
7:30 p.m. (MT) - ESPN2



GAME NOTES

Wyoming QB Corey Bramlet completed 23-of-40 pass attempts for 219 yards, one touchdown and four interceptions in the 24-13 loss at BYU. His longest pass was a 35-yard touchdown to WR Jovon Bouknight in the third quarter. The loss ended the Cowboys' three-game win streak. Colorado State DE Terrance Carter recovered a San Diego State fumble deep in Aztec territory with just under two minutes remaining in the game to setup a game-winning touchdown by Jimmy Green two plays later to give the Rams a 21-17 victory. Freshman QB Caleb Hanie replaced the injured Justin Holland and completed 12-of-19 passes for 115 yards and a touchdown.

THE GAME

Wyoming leads the Bronze Boot series 19-17 over Colorado State. The two schools have been playing for the Bronze Boot trophy since 1968. The Bronze Boot was originally worn in Vietnam by a Colorado State alumnus. This will be the 37th meeting in the Bronze Boot series. The Cowboys are looking for their first win in Fort Collins since the 1998 season. UW defeated CSU 27-19 in Fort Collins on Nov. 7, 1998. Overall, Wyoming and Colorado State meet for the 96th time. It is the oldest series for each of the two Front Range rivals, with the series beginning in 1899.

THE SERIES

Colorado State leads the series 51-39-5. Last Meeting: Nov. 1, 2003, in Laramie, Wyo.; a 35-28 Cowboy win.

THE COACHES

Joe Glenn is in his second season at Wyoming. In 2003, he led the Cowboys to a 4-8 record. Prior to Wyoming, Glenn spent 14 seasons as a head coach at the Division I-AA and II levels. During that time, Glenn claimed two Division II national titles at Northern Colorado, and a I-AA crown while at Montana. In 19 seasons of coaching, Glenn has compiled a 166-69-1 career record. Sonny Lubick is in his 16th season as a head coach with an all-time record of 114-67. After guiding the Rams to a 7-6 mark last season, Lubick has posted a 93-48 mark in 11-plus years in Fort Collins.

Players to Watch - Wyoming (4-2, 1-1 MWC)

Passer: Corey Bramlet (6 GP, 175-93-8, 53.1 Pct., 1,086 Yds, 6 TD)
Rusher: Joseph Harris (6 GP, 54 Att., 233 Yds, 4.3 Avg Per Rush, 3 TD)
Receiver: Dustin Pleasant (6 GP, 31 Rec., 364 Yds, 11.7 Avg Per Rec., 3 TD)
Tackler: Derrick Martin (6 GP, 29-8-37, TFL 1.5-10, PBU 9, INT 2)

Players to Watch - Colorado State (2-4, 1-1 MWC)

Passer: Caleb Hanie (2 GP, 21-14-1, 66.7 Pct., 122 Yds, 1 TD)
Rusher: Uldis Jaunarajs (6 GP, 83 Att., 354 Yds, 4.3 Avg Per Rush, 3 TD)
Receiver: David Anderson (6 GP, 42 Rec., 697 Yds, 16.6 Avg Per Rec., 2 TD)
Tackler: Ben Stratton (6 GP, 37-14-51, PBU 3)

TALE OF THE TAPE

Wyoming	Category	CSU
4-2	Overall Record	2-4
1-1	Conference Record	1-1
Lost 1	Current Streak	Won 1
15	Touchdowns Scored	13
7	Rushing Touchdowns	6
8	Passing Touchdowns	7
12	Touchdowns Allowed	19
7	Rushing TDs Allowed	11
5	Passing TDs Allowed	8
L, 13-24 at BYU	Last Week	W, 21-17 at SDSU
Air Force	Next Week	New Mexico

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	WYO	NCAA	MWC	CSU	NCAA
Scoring Off.	3rd	25.7	57th	8th	20.2	92nd
Scoring Def.	2nd	19.0	35th	7th	28.7	79th
Pass Off.	5th	213.3	55th	1st	290.7	9th
Pass Def.	7th	248.3	95th	2nd	190.0	42nd
Rush Off.	5th	142.8	68th	8th	82.8	115th
Rush Def.	5th	133.8	52nd	8th	230.7	110th
Total Off.	6th	356.2	71st	4th	373.5	53rd
Total Def.	5th	382.2	72nd	8th	424.7	93rd
TO Margin	2nd	0.83	25th	8th	-1.50	107th
Punting	6th	35.9	60th	4th	37.6	37th
Punt Returns	1st	15.3	11th	7th	5.1	105th
KO Returns	4th	20.6	91st	6th	19.8	63rd



BYU at Air Force
Saturday, October 23
Falcon Stadium (52,480)
Colorado Springs, Colo.
1 p.m. (MT) - ESPN+Plus



GAME NOTES

RB Curtis Brown accounted for 230 of the Cougars' 416 total yards in BYU's 24-13 victory over Wyoming. Brown carried 24 times for 159 yards, had one pass completions for 40 yards and had three receptions for 31 yards. Air Force defeated New Mexico, 28-23, in Colorado Springs, Colo., Oct. 9. HB Darnell Stephens led the Falcons with a career-best 94 yards rushing, while fellow running mate Anthony Butler added a season-high 79 yards. Air Force was open last week.

THE GAME

BYU leads 18-6 overall and 15-6 in conference games. The Cougars are 9-3 at the Academy. AFA has won two straight and five of the last seven in the series. BYU won 12 straight games in the series from 1983 to 1994. Since that time, Air Force has held a 5-2 series lead.

THE SERIES

BYU leads the series 18-6. Last Meeting: September 27, 2003, in Provo, Utah, a 24-10 Falcon victory.

THE COACHES

BYU is coached by Gary Crowton, who is in his fourth season. He has led the Cougars to a 24-21 record. Crowton has a 45-34 career record in his seventh season. Air Force is coached by Fisher DeBerry, who is in his 21st season. DeBerry, the winningest coach in service academy history, has led the Falcons to a 159-91-1 mark.

Players to Watch - BYU (3-4, 2-1 MWC)

Passer: John Beck (7 GP, 218-118-6, 54.1 Pct., 1,471 Yds, 5 TD)
Rusher: Curtis Brown (7 GP, 90 Att., 457 Yds, 5.1 Avg Per Rush, 4 TD)
Receiver: Todd Watkins (7 GP, 38 Rec., 707 Yds, 18.6 Avg Per Rec., 3 TD)
Tackler: Aaron Francisco (7 GP, 32-28-60, TFL 4-9, Sack 1-1, FF 1, PBU 4, INT 1)

Players to Watch - Air Force (3-3, 2-1 MWC)

Passer: Shaun Carney (6 GP, 87-61-4, 70.1 Pct., 841 Yds, 8 Pass TD; 5 Rush TD)
Rusher: Dan Shaffer (6 GP, 67 Att., 336 Yds., 5.0 Avg Per Rush, 2 TD)
Receiver: J.P. Waller (6 GP, 14 Rec., 232 Yds, 16.6 Avg Per Rec., 1 TD)
Tackler: John Rudzinski (6 GP, 17-23-40, TFL 3.5-7, PBU 2, FF 1)

TALE OF THE TAPE

BYU	Category	Air Force
3-4	Overall Record	3-3
2-1	Conference Record	2-1
Won 1	Current Streak	Won 1
15	Touchdowns Scored	22
8	Rushing Touchdowns	14
7	Passing Touchdowns	8
20	Touchdowns Allowed	23
9	Rushing TDs Allowed	16
11	Passing TDs Allowed	7
W, 24-13 vs. Wyoming	Last Week	W, 28-23 vs. New Mexico
vs. San Diego State	Next Week	at Wyoming

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	BYU	NCAA	MWC	AFA	NCAA
Scoring Off.	7th	20.3	91st	2nd	27.8	46th
Scoring Def.	6th	26.0	68th	8th	30.3	87th
Pass Off.	3rd	272.9	17th	7th	145.0	108th
Pass Def.	8th	259.4	104th	3rd	194.7	43rd
Rush Off.	7th	92.9	112th	1st	256.0	12th
Rush Def.	2nd	114.0	29th	7th	193.5	93rd
Total Off.	5th	365.7	65th	3rd	401.0	39th
Total Def.	4th	373.4	64th	6th	388.2	78th
TO Margin	7th	-1.14	102nd	4th	0.33	40th
Punting	1st	41.2	4th	8th	29.3	115th
Punt Returns	4th	7.4	83rd	5th	7.2	87th



WEEK 8 GAME PREVIEWS



UNLV at Utah
Saturday, October 23
Rice-Eccles Stadium (45,017)
Salt Lake City, Utah
5 p.m. (MT) - ERT-LV/KJZZ-SLC



GAME NOTES

UNLV WR Earvin Johnson caught two touchdown passes and finished with 144 yards receiving as the Rebels fell to New Mexico, 24-20. RB Dominique Dorsey ran for 110 yards on 18 carries. UNLV was slowed by six turnovers, including four fumbles. Utah racked-up 669 yards of total offense as it cruised to a 46-16 victory over North Carolina Saturday. QB Alex Smith connected on 29-of-37 passes for 341 yards and four touchdowns, while also running for 55 yards and a score.

THE GAME

UNLV and Utah have met nine times with the Utes leading the series 8-1, and winning eight straight. The Rebels are 0-4 all-time at Rice-Eccles Stadium. Utah is the only MWC school UNLV has not defeated since those five meetings. Utah has outscored the Rebels 188-71 in the five meetings since 1999. UNLV's lone victory in the series was a 43-41 win in Las Vegas in 1979 when Todd Peterson kicked a then-school record 49-yard field goal in the final seconds.

THE SERIES

Utah leads the series 8-1. Last Meeting: October 18, 2003, in Las Vegas, Nev.; a 28-10 Ute win.

THE COACHES

John Robinson is in his sixth season at UNLV and is 28-38 overall. In his 18th year as a head coach, Robinson is the nation's 17th-winningest active coach with a career record of 132-73-4. Prior to UNLV, Robinson coached at Southern California for 12 years (1976-82, '93-97) and with the NFL's Los Angeles Rams for nine years (1983-91). Urban Meyer is in his second season at Utah. In his inaugural year, Meyer led the Utes to the MWC title with a 10-2 overall record and a 6-1 league mark. In three-plus years as a head coach, Meyer boasts an overall record of 33-8. Prior to the 2003 season, he spent two seasons guiding Bowling Green. During his time at BGSU, Meyer led the Falcons to a 17-6 mark.

Players to Watch - UNLV (2-5, 1-2 MWC)

Passer: Kurt Nantkes (7 GP, 128-62-7, 48.4 Pct., 800 Yds, 4 TD)
Shane Steichen (5 GP, 66-33-3, 50.0 Pct., 384 Yds, 3 TD)
Rusher: Dominique Dorsey (7 GP, 129 Att., 767 Yds, 5.9 Avg Per Rush, 3 TD)
Receiver: Earvin Johnson (7 GP, 42 Rec., 575 Yds, 13.7 Avg Per Rec., 6 TD)
Tackler: Ryan Claridge (7 GP, 28-39-67, TFL 7.5-30, Sacks 3.5-23, FF 1)

Players to Watch - Utah (6-0, 2-0 MWC)

Passer: Alex Smith (6 GP, 151-98-2, 64.9 Pct., 1,460 Yds, 12 Pass TD)
Rusher: Marty Johnson (6 GP, 91 Att., 511 Yds, 5.6 Avg Per Rush, 7 TD)
Receiver: Steve Savoy (6 GP, 35 Rec., 531 Yds, 15.2 Avg Per Rec., 5 TD)
Tackler: Spencer Toone (5 GP, 21-34-55, TFL 2.5-4, FR 3)

TALE OF THE TAPE

UNLV	Category	Utah
2-5	Overall Record	6-0
1-2	Conference Record	2-0
Lost 1	Current Streak	Won 10
17	Touchdowns Scored	32
10	Rushing Touchdowns	19
7	Passing Touchdowns	13
17	Touchdowns Allowed	11
7	Rushing TDs Allowed	9
10	Passing TDs Allowed	2
L, 20-24 vs. New Mexico Open	Last Week Next Week	W, 46-16 vs. N. Carolina at San Diego State

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	UNLV	NCAA	MWC	Utah	NCAA
Scoring Off.	5th	20.4	88th	1st	39.2	6th
Scoring Def.	5th	25.0	61st	1st	15.2	15th
Pass Off.	6th	169.1	96th	4th	264.8	22nd
Pass Def.	4th	208.3	22nd	1st	190.0	38th
Rush Off.	4th	160.6	53rd	2nd	233.3	12th
Rush Def.	6th	183.1	85th	3rd	125.5	44th
Total Off.	7th	329.7	82nd	1st	498.2	4th
Total Def.	7th	391.4	79th	1st	315.5	31st
TO Margin	6th	-1.00	99th	T2nd	0.83	25th
Punting	3rd	38.7	25th	2nd	41.0	6th
Punt Returns	8th	2.4	116th	3rd	8.2	71st
KO Returns	3rd	21.1	50th	1st	21.7	40th



San Diego State at New Mexico
Saturday, October 23
University Stadium (37,370)
Albuquerque, N.M.
4:30 p.m. (MT) - SportsWest



GAME NOTES

Despite outgaining Colorado State offensively, 366-196, San Diego State fell to the Rams, 21-17, Saturday. In his first extensive action of the season, QB Kevin O'Connell passed for 157 yards on 11-of-26 completions. New Mexico RB DonTrell Moore ran for 141 yards and a touchdown on 26 carries to lead the Lobos to a 24-20 win over UNLV Saturday. It was New Mexico's first conference win of the season.

THE GAME

San Diego State and New Mexico meet for the 31st time Saturday. The Lobos have won three straight for the first time since the first three games of the series (1953-56). UNM has a 4-1 lead in MWC games, including last year's 30-7 victory in San Diego. The Aztecs have a 10-4 lead in Albuquerque, including an eight-game winning streak from 1986-2000. SDSU has a 10-6 advantage in San Diego, however, the Lobos have won four in a row at Qualcomm Stadium after losing seven straight between 1984-95.

THE SERIES

San Diego State leads the series 20-10. Last Meeting: October 18, 2003, in San Diego, Calif.; a 30-7 Lobo victory.

THE COACHES

Tom Craft is in his third season at San Diego State and has posted a 12-19 record, including a 6-6 mark last year. Prior to SDSU, the former Aztec quarterback and offensive coordinator compiled a 115-56-1 record in 16 seasons as head coach at Palomar Junior College (Calif.). Rocky Long is in his seventh season at his alma mater and is second on the school's all-time win list with a record of 36-44.

Players to Watch - New Mexico (3-4, 1-2 MWC)

Passer: Kole McKamey (6 GP, 125-59-5, 47.2 Pct, 666 Yds, 2 TD)
Rusher: DonTrell Moore (6 GP, 122 Att., 607 Yds, 5.0 Avg Per Rush, 2 TD)
Receiver: Hank Baskett (7 GP, 35 Rec., 508 Yds, 14.5 Avg Per Rec., 1 TD)
Tackler: Josh Bazinet (7 GP, 36-19-55, TFL 5-38, Sacks 3-34, INT 1, FR 3, FF 2)

Players to Watch - San Diego State (2-4, 0-2 MWC)

Passer: Matt Dlugolecki (6 GP, 203-123-8, 60.6 Pct., 1,349 Yds, 6 TD)
Kevin O'Connell (4 GP, 57-24-2, 42.1 Pct., 275 Yds, 2 TD)
Rusher: Michael Franklin (6 GP, 92 Att., 400 Yds, 4.3 Avg Per Rush, 2 TD)
Receiver: Robert Ortiz (6 GP, 28 Rec., 392 Yds, 14.0 Avg Per Rec., 3 TD)
Tackler: Kirk Morrison (6 GP, 41-21-62, TFL 7.5-13, PBU 1, FF 1, FR 1)

TALE OF THE TAPE

San Diego State	Category	New Mexico
2-4	Overall Record	3-4
0-2	Conference Record	1-2
Lost 3	Current Streak	Won 1
14	Touchdowns Scored	14
5	Rushing Touchdowns	12
9	Passing Touchdowns	2
12	Touchdowns Allowed	18
4	Rushing TDs Allowed	10
8	Passing TDs Allowed	8
L, 17-21 vs. Colorado State vs. Utah	Last Week Next Week	W, 24-20 at BYU at Utah

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	SDSU	NCAA	MWC	UNM	NCAA
Scoring Off.	4th	20.5	86th	6th	20.4	88th
Scoring Def.	4th	21.5	48th	3rd	20.1	41st
Pass Off.	2nd	273.0	16th	8th	117.6	115th
Pass Def.	6th	222.0	73rd	5th	216.0	66th
Rush Off.	6th	132.2	77th	3rd	174.6	37th
Rush Def.	1st	103.0	17th	4th	131.9	50th
Total Off.	2nd	405.2	35th	8th	292.1	107th
Total Def.	2nd	325.0	38th	3rd	347.9	52nd
TO Margin	5th	-0.67	86th	1st	1.00	17th
Punting	7th	32.5	97th	5th	36.1	56th
Punt Returns	2nd	9.6	52nd	6th	6.8	91st
KO Returns	7th	19.3	75th	7th	14.8	115th



2004 ATTENDANCE FIGURES

REGULAR SEASON HOME

Team	G	Total	Avg.	High
Air Force	4	165,112	41,278	50,075
BYU	4	243,796	60,949	65,251
Colorado State	3	94,219	31,406	33,501
New Mexico	3	113,788	37,929	40,182
San Diego State	3	121,744	40,591	57,216
UNLV	4	89,600	22,400	27,596
Utah	3	134,778	44,926	45,416
Wyoming	4	67,201	16,800	22,331
Total	28	1,030,268	36,795	65,251

REGULAR SEASON ROAD/NEUTRAL SITES

Team	G	Total	Avg.	High
Air Force	2	67,866	33,933	44,043
BYU	3	94,612	31,537	32,511
Colorado State	3	171,604	57,201	85,521
New Mexico	4	122,598	30,650	36,369
San Diego State	3	181,010	60,337	109,432
UNLV	3	247,037	82,346	108,625
Utah	3	117,722	39,241	52,790
Wyoming	2	124,337	62,169	65,600
Total	23	1,120,786	48,730	109,432

2004 MWC NONCONFERENCE RECORD

Conference	W	L	Pct.
ACC	1	0	1.000
Big 12	2	2	.500
Big East	0	0	.000
Big Ten	0	3	.000
Conference USA	0	0	.000
Independents	1	1	.500
Mid-American	0	0	.000
Pac-10	1	7	.125
SEC	1	1	.500
Sunbelt	3	1	.750
WAC	2	1	.667
Div. I-AA	4	0	1.000
Total	15	16	.484

2004 NONCONFERENCE RECORDS

Team	Ranked		
	Opp.	Div I	Overall
Air Force	0-1	0-2	1-2
BYU	0-2	1-3	1-3
CSU	0-2	0-3	1-3
New Mexico	0-0	2-2	2-2
SDSU	0-1	1-2	2-2
UNLV	0-2	1-3	1-3
Utah	0-0	4-0	4-0
Wyoming	0-0	2-1	3-1
Totals	0-8	11-16	15-16

2004 MWC PRESEASON MEDIA POLL

Team (first place votes)	Points
1. Utah (15)	127
2. Colorado State (1)	98
3. San Diego State	87
4. New Mexico	86
5. BYU	54
UNLV	54
7. Air Force	42
8. Wyoming	23

2004 MWC TOP PERFORMANCES

Rushing Yards

- 189 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. Utah State (9/25/04)
- 166 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico vs. Washington St. (9/3/04)
- 159 - Curtis Brown, BYU vs. Wyoming (10/16/04)
- 141 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico at UNLV (10/16/04)
- 141 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. Nevada, Reno (10/2/04)
- 131 - Dan Shaffer, Air Force vs. E. Washington (9/11/04)
- 121 - Joseph Harris, Wyoming vs. Ole Miss (9/25/04)
- 121 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV at Tennessee (9/5/04)
- 159 - Curtis Brown, BYU vs. Wyoming (10/16/04)
- 110 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. New Mexico (10/16/04)
- 110 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico vs. Air Force (10/9/04)
- 110 - D.D. Cox, New Mexico at New Mexico State (9/25/04)

Passing Yards

- 403 - Justin Holland, Colorado State at Colorado (9/4/04)
- 390 - John Beck, BYU at Boise State (9/24/04)
- 359 - Alex Smith, Utah vs. Texas A&M (9/2/04)
- 359 - Justin Holland, Colorado State vs. BYU (10/2/04)

Receiving Yards

- 232 - David Anderson, Colorado State vs. BYU (10/2/04)
- 211 - Todd Watkins, BYU at Boise State (9/24/04)
- 165 - Hank Baskett, New Mexico vs. Washington State (9/3/04)
- 156 - David Anderson, Colorado State at Colorado (9/4/04)
- 154 - Steve Savoy, Utah vs. North Carolina (10/16/04)
- 150 - Steve Savoy, Utah at New Mexico (10/1/04)

Tackles

- 18 - Matt McCoy, San Diego State at Michigan (9/18/04)
- 18 - Adam Seward, UNLV vs. Air Force (9/18/04)
- 18 - Ryan Claridge, UNLV vs. Air Force (9/18/04)

Points Scored

- 24 - Marty Johnson, Utah vs. Air Force (9/25/04)

TDs Scored

- 4 - Marty Johnson, Utah vs. Air Force (9/25/04)

TDs Responsibility

- 5 - Alex Smith (2r, 3p), Utah vs. Texas A&M (9/2/04)
- 5 - Alex Smith (1r, 4p), Utah vs. North Carolina (10/16/04)
- 4 - Shaun Carney (3r, 1p), Air Force at Utah (9/25/04)
- 4 - Marty Johnson (4r, 0p), Utah vs. Air Force (9/25/04)

MWC TEAMS IN THE WEEKLY POLLS

USA Today/ESPN Coaches Poll

	AFA	BYU	CSU	UNM	SDSU	Utah	WYO
Preseason	rv	rv	rv	rv	rv	21	-
Aug. 31	-	rv	rv	-	rv	19	-
Sept. 7	-	rv	-	-	rv	16	-
Sept. 13	-	-	-	-	rv	14	-
Sept. 19	-	-	-	-	-	14	-
Sept. 26	-	-	-	-	-	14	-
Oct. 3	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
Oct. 10	-	-	-	-	-	10	rv
Oct. 17	-	-	-	-	-	10	-

Associated Press Media Poll

	Utah	WYO
Preseason	20	-
Sept. 6	17	-
Sept. 13	15	-
Sept. 19	14	-
Sept. 26	14	-
Oct. 3	11	-
Oct. 10	11	rv
Oct. 17	9	-



2004 WATCH LISTS

Bednarik (outstanding defensive player)

Brady Poppinga, BYU
Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Zach Morris, Wyoming

Outland (top interior lineman)

Erik Pears, Colorado State
Mike Kracalik, San Diego State
Chris Kemoetau, Utah
Trenton Franz, Wyoming
Zach Morris, Wyoming

Lombardi (top down lineman)

Erik Pears, Colorado State
Ryan Cook, New Mexico
Claude Terrell, New Mexico
Mike Kracalik, San Diego State
Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Adam Seward, UNLV
Zach Morris, Wyoming

Nagurski (top defensive player)

Brady Poppinga, BYU
Morgan Scalley, Utah
Matt McCoy, San Diego State
Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Derrick Martin, Wyoming
Zach Morris, Wyoming

Thorpe (top defensive back)

Jamaal Brimmer, UNLV

Butkus (outstanding linebacker)

Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Matt McCoy, San Diego State

Rimington (outstanding center)

Ryan Cook, New Mexico
Jasper Harvey, San Diego State

John Mackey Award (Best Tight End)

Daniel Coats, BYU
Matt Bartz, Colorado State
Jeremy Justice, San Diego State
Greg Estandia, UNLV

Groza (outstanding kicker)

Matt Payne, BYU
Wes Zunker, New Mexico

Hossman (national player of the year)

Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Jamaal Brimmer, UNLV
Alex Smith, Utah

Ray Guy (outstanding punter)

Matt Payne, BYU
Gary Cook, UNLV

BYU'S PAYNE IS MWC'S ALL-TIME FIELD GOAL LEADER, CSU'S BABCOCK CLOSE BEHIND
BYU senior Matt Payne is the MWC's all-time leader in field goals with 50 in his career. Colorado State's Jeff Babcock is currently second on the list with 44.

UNLV'S ROBINSON TO RETIRE AT THE END OF SEASON

UNLV football head coach John Robinson announced Sept. 26 that he will retire at the end of the 2004 season. Robinson, who is the most successful bowl-game coach in college football history with a winning percentage of .889 (8-1), currently sits as the 18th-winningest active coach in Division I-A at .641 (130-72-4). Robinson had another year remaining on his contract but cited family health issues, along with the Rebels' unexpected 0-4 start to the season, as reasons for his decision.

UTAH FAVORED TO WIN 2004 MWC TITLE

Just because a team is picked to win the Mountain West Conference football title by the league media, doesn't always mean they'll capture the crown. In fact, of the six preseason polls since 1999, only two teams chosen by the media to win the league title have actually done so. Below is look at how the preseason poll favorite has fared in regular-season play.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Predicted Champion</u>	<u>Predicted Champ Finish</u>	<u>Actual Champion</u>	<u>Bowl Game</u>
1999	BYU	T-1st	BYU/CSU/Utah	Motor City
2000	Utah	T-5th	Colorado St.	None
2001	Colorado St.	2nd	BYU	New Orleans
2002	Colorado St.	1st	Colorado St.	Liberty
2003	Colorado St.	3rd	Utah	San Francisco
2004	Utah	???	???	???

WYOMING'S MARTIN NAMED BRONKO NAGURSKI NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Wyoming cornerback Derrick Martin was named the Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week on Sept. 27 for his performance in the Cowboys' 37-32 win over Ole Miss. The sophomore recorded nine tackles (eight of them unassisted), broke up seven passes and had a diving interception in the end zone. He was the second straight Mountain West Conference player to win the weekly award. San Diego State linebacker Matt McCoy was the Sept. 20 honoree. For the fourth straight season, the All-America committee of the the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) will select the winner of the weekly award on behalf of the Charlotte Touchdown Club. The winner is announced each Tuesday throughout the season. Martin has been added to the Watch List for the 2004 Bronko Nagurski Trophy which will be presented on Dec. 6 in Charlotte, N.C., by the FWAA and the Charlotte Touchdown Club.

SAN DIEGO STATE'S MCCOY NAMED BRONKO NAGURSKI NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Aztec linebacker Matt McCoy was named Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week for his performance in SDSU's near upset of Michigan Sept. 18. The junior made 17 unassisted tackles (18 total) in the 24-21 loss at Michigan. He had one tackle for a three-yard loss. Eight of his tackles limited Michigan to three yards or less and six of those were for two yards or less. McCoy has been added to the Watch List for the 2004 Bronko Nagurski Trophy.

2004 PRESEASON ALL-MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE TEAM

Offense

WR	David Anderson*	Jr.	Colorado State
WR	Paris Warren*	Sr.	Utah
OL	Claude Terrell*	Jr.	New Mexico
OL	Mike Kracalik	Sr.	San Diego State
OL	Ryan Cook*	Jr.	New Mexico
OL	Erik Pears *	Sr.	Colorado State
OL	Chris Kemoeatu	Sr.	Utah
TE	Joel Dreessen	Sr.	Colorado State
QB	Alex Smith	Jr.	Utah
RB	DonTrell Moore*	Jr.	New Mexico
RB	Lynell Hamilton*	So.	San Diego State

Defense

DL	Zach Morris	Sr.	Wyoming
DL	Brady Poppinga*	Sr.	BYU
DL	Patrick Goodpaster	Sr.	Colorado State
DL	Steve Fifita	Jr.	Utah
LB	Kirk Morrison*	Sr.	San Diego State
LB	Matt McCoy	Jr.	San Diego State
LB	Adam Seward*	Sr.	UNLV
DB	Jamaal Brimmer*	Sr.	UNLV
DB	Morgan Scalley	Sr.	Utah
DB	Aaron Francisco*	Sr.	BYU
DB	Gabriel Fulbright	Jr.	New Mexico

Specialists

P	Matt Payne*	Sr.	BYU
PK	Wes Zunker*	Sr.	New Mexico
Ret.	Bo Nagahi	Sr.	Utah

* member of the 2003 All-Mountain West Conference first-team.



MISC. STATS

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Team	Overall	Pct.	1st Qtr	Pct.	2nd Qtr	Pct.	3rd Qtr	Pct.	4th Qtr	Pct.	OT	Pct.
Air Force	50-98	51.0%	21-28	75.0%	9-22	40.9%	10-23	43.5%	10-25	40.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	32-72	44.4%	10-19	52.6%	7-17	41.2%	8-20	40.0%	7-16	43.8%	0-0	0.0%
BYU	41-122	33.6%	9-27	33.3%	9-34	26.5%	12-30	40.0%	11-31	35.5%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	44-117	37.6%	9-26	34.6%	11-29	37.9%	11-27	40.7%	13-35	37.1%	0-0	0.0%
Colorado State	33-88	37.5%	7-21	33.3%	8-23	34.8%	8-20	40.0%	10-24	41.7%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	35-84	41.7%	10-19	52.6%	12-25	48.0%	8-21	38.1%	5-19	26.3%	0-0	0.0%
New Mexico	34-109	31.2%	9-28	32.1%	13-35	37.1%	9-22	40.9%	3-24	12.5%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	46-115	40.0%	13-24	54.2%	11-24	45.8%	7-32	21.9%	15-35	42.9%	0-0	0.0%
San Diego State	28-100	28.0%	7-27	25.9%	9-29	31.0%	5-20	25.0%	7-24	29.2%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	32-104	30.8%	5-22	22.7%	8-31	25.8%	7-27	25.9%	12-24	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
UNLV	31-95	32.6%	6-24	25.0%	8-21	38.1%	10-26	38.5%	7-24	29.2%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	41-112	36.6%	12-28	42.9%	14-32	43.8%	9-26	34.6%	6-26	23.1%	0-0	0.0%
Utah	39-78	50.0%	10-22	45.5%	8-15	53.3%	11-20	55.0%	10-21	47.6%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	35-98	35.7%	7-24	29.2%	10-30	33.3%	10-23	43.5%	8-21	38.1%	0-0	0.0%
Wyoming	33-95	34.7%	10-22	45.5%	6-23	26.1%	7-23	30.4%	10-27	37.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	23-88	26.1%	6-19	31.6%	5-29	17.2%	4-19	21.1%	8-21	38.1%	0-0	0.0%

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Team	Overall	Pct.	1st Qtr	Pct.	2nd Qtr	Pct.	3rd Qtr	Pct.	4th Qtr	Pct.	OT	Pct.
Air Force	2-5	40.0%	0-1	0.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	1-2	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	5-10	50.0%	0-0	0.0%	3-6	50.0%	1-1	100.0%	1-3	33.3%	0-0	0.0%
BYU	3-7	42.9%	0-0	0.0%	1-3	33.3%	1-1	100.0%	1-3	33.3%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	4-8	50.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%	4-6	66.7%	0-0	0.0%
Colorado State	4-7	57.1%	1-1	100.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	2-4	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	3-6	50.0%	0-0	0.0%	1-2	50.0%	1-2	50.0%	1-2	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
New Mexico	2-6	33.3%	1-1	100.0%	1-4	25.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	7-10	70.0%	0-1	0.0%	2-3	66.7%	1-1	100.0%	4-5	80.0%	0-0	0.0%
San Diego State	8-15	53.3%	4-4	100.0%	1-3	33.3%	0-3	0.0%	3-5	60.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	3-9	33.3%	1-1	100.0%	0-4	0.0%	2-2	100.0%	0-2	0.0%	0-0	0.0%
UNLV	3-7	42.9%	0-1	0.0%	1-2	50.0%	0-0	0.0%	2-4	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	3-10	30.0%	0-2	0.0%	0-2	0.0%	1-2	50.0%	2-4	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Utah	3-6	50.0%	2-2	100.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-2	0.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	6-12	50.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-2	0.0%	3-5	60.0%	2-4	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Wyoming	5-10	50.0%	2-3	66.7%	2-5	40.0%	0-1	0.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	6-12	50.0%	0-1	0.0%	3-5	60.0%	0-1	0.0%	3-5	60.0%	0-0	0.0%

TIME OF POSSESSION

Team	Total	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT
Air Force	205:24	52:58	49:25	50:33	52:28	0:00
Opponents	154:36	37:02	40:35	39:27	37:32	0:00
BYU	206:36	53:56	53:01	48:51	50:48	0:00
Opponents	213:24	51:04	51:59	56:09	54:12	0:00
Colorado State	182:26	39:29	43:50	50:42	48:25	0:00
Opponents	177:14	50:31	46:10	39:14	41:19	0:00
New Mexico	202:20	58:28	58:10	46:31	39:11	0:00
Opponents	217:40	46:32	46:50	58:29	65:49	0:00
San Diego State	180:14	52:07	43:54	43:56	40:17	0:00
Opponents	179:46	37:53	46:06	46:04	49:43	0:00
UNLV	184:15	38:41	46:08	47:54	51:32	0:00
Opponents	235:35	66:19	58:52	57:06	53:18	0:00
Utah	185:55	46:50	37:15	46:25	55:25	0:00
Opponents	174:05	43:10	52:45	43:35	34:35	0:00
Wyoming	189:42	43:24	43:57	47:26	54:55	0:00
Opponents	170:18	46:36	46:03	42:34	35:05	0:00

MWC INSIDE THE RED ZONES

Team	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	FGA	---- Failed to score inside RZ ----				Game
									Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	
Air Force	22	20	129	17	10	7	3	0	2	0	0	0	0
BYU	19	13	75	9	8	1	4	2	2	1	0	1	0
Colorado State	23	21	89	11	6	5	6	1	0	2	1	1	1
New Mexico	19	14	86	11	10	1	3	3	1	1	0	0	0
San Diego State	17	11	61	7	3	4	4	2	2	0	1	1	0
UNLV	29	22	122	14	9	5	8	2	1	3	1	0	0
Utah	32	29	192	27	18	9	2	0	0	1	1	0	1
Wyoming	22	16	88	10	7	3	6	1	2	2	1	0	0

OPPONENTS INSIDE MWC RED ZONES

Team	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	FGA	---- Failed to score inside RZ ----				Game
									Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	
Air Force	27	22	145	20	15	5	2	0	2	0	2	1	0
BYU	21	16	92	11	7	4	5	2	2	1	0	0	0
Colorado State	29	20	124	16	10	6	4	3	1	2	1	1	1
New Mexico	25	20	120	15	8	7	5	1	0	3	1	0	0
San Diego State	22	14	78	9	3	6	5	5	2	0	1	0	0
UNLV	26	18	98	11	5	6	7	3	3	1	0	1	0
Utah	20	12	70	9	7	2	3	1	3	2	2	0	0
Wyoming	19	13	66	7	6	1	6	1	2	1	1	1	0



MWC SINGLE-GAME RECORDS UPDATE (ALL GAMES)

INDIVIDUAL

TOTAL OFFENSE

MOST PLAYS

T-1. 75(67p, 8r) John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV 10/8/04
T-So. Record: . 75, John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV 10/8/04

RUSHING

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

T-2. 4 Marty Johnson So., (Utah) vs. Air Force 9/25/04

PASSING

PASSING ATTEMPTS

1. 67 John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV 10/8/04
So. Record:67, John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV 10/8/04

RECEIVING

YARDS

5. 232 David Anderson, Jr., (CSU) vs. BYU 10/2/04

PUNTING

NUMBER OF PUNTS

1. 14 Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah 10/1/04
2. 12 Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU 10/8/04
Jr. Record:14, Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah 10/1/04
Sr. Record:12, Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU 10/8/04

PUNT YARDS

1. 579 Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah 10/1/04
2. 526 Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU 10/8/04
Jr. Record:579, Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah 10/1/04
Sr. Record:526, Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU 10/8/04

PUNT AVERAGE

4. 579 Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah 10/1/04
5. 526 Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU 10/8/04

LONGEST PUNT

1. 90 Donny Heaton, Jr., (AFA) vs. Utah 9/25/04
2. 79 Matt Payne, Sr., (BYU) vs. USC 9/18/04
Jr. Record:90, Donny Heaton, Jr., (AFA) vs. Utah 9/25/04
Sr. Record:79, Matt Payne, Sr., (BYU) vs. USC 9/18/04

PUNT RETURNS

LONGEST PUNT RETURN

T-2. 87 Josh Barge, Jr., (WYO) vs. Ole Miss 9/25/04

DEFENSE

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

T-5. 79 Joe Miklos Jr., (UNLV) vs. Nevada, Reno 10/2/04

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN

T-5. 79 Joe Miklos Jr., (UNLV) vs. Nevada, Reno 10/2/04
T-Jr. Record:79, Joe Miklos Jr., (UNLV) vs. Nevada, Reno 10/2/04

TEAM

SCORING

TOUCHDOWNS - GAME

T-1. 7 Utah at Utah State 9/18/04
T-1. 7 Utah vs. Air Force 9/25/04

POINTS - QUARTER

T-2. 28 UNLV vs. Nevada, Reno 10/2/04

POINTS - HALF

T-2. 41 Utah at Utah State 9/18/04
T-2. 41 Wyoming vs. Appalachian State 9/4/04

PASSING

ATTEMPTS

1. 68 BYU vs. UNLV 10/8/04

TOTAL OFFENSE

YARDS - GAME

3. 669 Utah vs. North Carolina 10/16/04

DEFENSE

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

4. 117 UNLV vs. Nevada, Reno 10/2/04

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED

T-3. 8 Utah at New Mexico 10/1/04

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED - RUSHING

T-2. 1 New Mexico vs. Washington State 9/3/04



2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE FOOTBALL TELEVISION SCHEDULE
(National and regional broadcasts as of Oct. 18, 2004)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Game</u>	<u>TV</u>	<u>Time/Result</u>	<u>Nat./Reg.</u>
Thu., Sept. 2	Texas A&M at Utah	ESPN	Utah 41-21	National
Fri., Sept. 3	Washington State at New Mexico	ESPN	WSU 21-17	National
Sat., Sept. 4	California at Air Force	ESPN2#	Cal 56-14	Split National
Sat., Sept. 4	Colorado State at Colorado	FSN^	CU 27-24	Split National
Sat., Sept. 4	Notre Dame at BYU	ESPN	BYU 20-17	National
Sun., Sept. 5	UNLV at Tennessee	ESPN	Tenn 42-17	National
Sat., Sept. 11	UNLV at Wisconsin	ESPN	Wisc 18-3	National
Sat., Sept. 11	Wyoming at Texas A&M	FSN	A&M 31-0	Regional
Sat., Sept. 11	Colorado State at USC	ABC	USC 49-0	Regional
Sat., Sept. 11	Texas Tech at New Mexico	KRQE (ABQ)	UNM 27-24	Local (Tape delayed)
Sat., Sept. 11	Utah at Arizona	KJZZ (SLC)	Utah 23-6	Local
Sat., Sept. 11	BYU at Stanford	CSTV /KUTV - SLC	Stanford 37-10	National/Local
Sat., Sept. 18	San Diego State at Michigan	ESPN	Mich 24-21	National
Sat., Sept. 18	New Mexico at Oregon State	KRQE (ABQ)	Ore. State 17-7	Local (Tape delayed)
Sat., Sept. 18	Utah at Utah State	KJZZ (SLC)	Utah 48-6	Local
Sat., Sept. 18	USC at BYU	ESPN	USC 42-10	National
Sat., Sept. 18	Minnesota at Colorado State	ESPN2	Minn 34-16	National
Fri., Sept. 24	BYU at Boise State	ESPN	BSU 28-27	National
Sat., Sept. 25	Montana State at Colorado State	MSU Network	CSU 39-14	Local
Sat., Sept. 25	Nevada at San Diego State	SportsWest	SDSU 27-10	Local
Sat., Sept. 25	Utah State at UNLV	SportsWest	USU 31-21	Local
Sat., Sept. 25	Air Force at Utah	ESPN+Plus	Utah 49-35	Regional
Thu., Sept. 30	Navy at Air Force	ESPN	Navy 24-21	National
Fri., Oct. 1	Utah at New Mexico	ESPN2	Utah 28-7	National
Sat., Oct. 2	San Diego State at UCLA	FSN West 2	UCLA 33-10	Local
Sat., Oct. 2	BYU at Colorado State	SportsWest & FSN-RM	BYU 31-21	Local
Fri., Oct. 8	UNLV at BYU	ESPN2	UNLV 24-20	National
Sat., Oct. 9	San Diego State at Wyoming	ESPN+Plus	WYO 20-10	Regional
Sat., Oct. 9	New Mexico at Air Force	SportsWest	AF 28-23	Local
Sat., Oct. 16	New Mexico at UNLV	ESPN+Plus	Noon PT	Regional
Sat., Oct. 16	Colorado State at San Diego State	ABC	CSU 21-17	Regional
Sat., Oct. 16	Wyoming at BYU	SportsWest	BYU 24-13	Local
Sat., Oct. 16	North Carolina at Utah	KJZZ (SLC)	Utah 46-16	Local
Fri., Oct. 22	Wyoming at Colorado State	ESPN2	7:30 p.m. MT	National
Sat., Oct. 23	BYU at Air Force	ESPN+Plus	1:00 p.m. MT	Regional
Sat., Oct. 23	San Diego State at New Mexico	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Sat., Oct. 23	UNLV at Utah	ERT at UNLV /KJZZ (SLC)	5:00 p.m. MT	Local
Sat., Oct. 30	New Mexico at Colorado State	ESPN+Plus	1:00 p.m. MT	Regional
Sat., Oct. 30	Utah at San Diego State	KJZZ (SLC)	6:00 p.m. PT	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	TBD	ESPN+Plus	1:00 p.m. MT	Regional
Sat., Nov. 6	Air Force at Army	Altitude	1:00 p.m. ET	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	San Diego State at BYU%	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	Wyoming at UNLV%	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	Colorado State at Utah*	FSN RM	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 13	TBD	ESPN+Plus	1:00 p.m. MT	Regional
Sat., Nov. 13	TBD	ABC	4:00 p.m. PT	Regional
Sat., Nov. 13	San Diego State at Air Force%	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 13	New Mexico at BYU%	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 13	UNLV at Colorado State*	Fox Spts. Net RM	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 13	Utah at Wyoming*	KJZZ (SLC)	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 20	TBD&	ESPN+Plus	1:00 p.m. MT	Regional
Sat., Nov. 20	Colorado State at Air Force*	Fox Spts. Net RM	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 20	Wyoming at New Mexico%	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Sat., Nov. 20	UNLV at San Diego State%	SportsWest	TBD	Local
Thu., Dec. 23	Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl	ESPN	6:30 p.m. PT	National
Thu., Dec. 30	Emerald Bowl	ESPN2	1:30 p.m. PT	National
Fri., Dec. 31	AutoZone Liberty Bowl	ESPN	2:30 p.m. CT	National

All dates and game times subject to change.

Was experiment by ESPN with regionalization. Base split was Virginia-Temple game to ACC & Big East markets and Cal-Air Force game to the rest of the country. Depending upon the ebb and flow of the two contests, additional parts of the country were brought in and out of the two games for updates.

^ Distribution was somewhere between a full national and a traditional Big XII regional clearance. Game time was adjusted to maximize clearances.

+ Game will be available nationwide on all CSTV affiliates and outlets. SportsWest is also carrying the game via syndication, which will include KUTV in the Salt Lake City market and additional clearances in outer markets (e.g., Albuquerque, Arizona, Boise, Tulsa, etc.). KRON-TV will carry the game on simulcast in the Bay Area.

% Provided game is not selected for ESPN+Plus and window is available.

* Possible if available - depending upon ESPN+Plus pick and available window(s).

& It is anticipated that, should ESPN+Plus not select the BYU at Utah contest, that SportsWest and KJZZ would pick up the game as part of their local institutional packages. Similarly, Fox Sports Net RM, SportsWest and/or Altitude Sports & Entertainment (ASE) would be expected to pursue the Colorado State at Air Force game if it becomes available.

[NOTE: This schedule will continue to evolve as the season approaches and then progresses. ABC and ESPN/ESPN2/ESPN+Plus may select additional games involving MWC schools. Those additional games and the option or TBD weeks (listed above) in the ABC and ESPN+Plus regional schedules will be announced as those determinations are made - often according to the contractual window (e.g., six-day or 12-day picks). Additional games from other sources are also possible, including telecasts from the local outlets of MWC institutions and other possible "supplemental exposure" opportunities. Games picked up by local institutional packages will be dictated by available inventory and available windows under the MWC and institutional television contracts after the various entities have made their selections in priority order.]



2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE SCHEDULE/RESULTS

AIR FORCE FALCONS (3-3, 2-1 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/4	L 14-56	#13/15 California (ESPN2)	50,075
9/11	W 42-20	Eastern Washington	34,389
9/18	W 27-10	at UNLV	23,823
9/25	L 35-49	at Utah (ESPN+Plus)	44,043
9/30	L 21-24	Navy (ESPN)	44,279
10/9	W 28-23	New Mexico (SportsWest)	36,369
10/23		BYU (ESPN+Plus)	1 p.m. MT
10/30		at Wyoming	1 p.m. MT
11/6		at Army (Altitude)	1 p.m. ET
11/13		San Diego State	TBA
11/20		Colorado State	TBA

SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS (2-4, 0-2 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/4	W 38-21	Idaho State	57,216
9/18	L 21-24	at #17/17 Michigan (ESPN)	109,432
9/25	W 27-10	Nevada (SportsWest)	33,429
10/2	L 10-33	at UCLA	52,038
10/9	L 10-20	at Wyoming (ESPN+Plus)	19,540
10/16	L 17-21	Colorado State (ABC)	31,129
10/23		at New Mexico (SportsWest)	4:30 p.m. MT
10/30		Utah (KJZZ-SLC)	6 p.m. PT
11/6		at BYU	TBA
11/13		at Air Force	TBA
11/20		UNLV	TBA

BYU COUGARS (3-4, 2-1 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/4	W 20-17	Notre Dame (ESPN)	65,251
9/11	L 10-37	at Stanford (CSTV/KUTV-SLC)	31,500
9/18	L 10-42	#1/1 USC (ESPN)	63,467
9/24	L 27-28	at #21/21 Boise State (ESPN)	30,601
10/2	W 31-21	at Colorado State (SW/FSN-RM)	32,511
10/8	L 20-24	UNLV (ESPN2)	56,341
10/16	W 24-13	Wyoming (SportsWest)	58,737
10/23		at Air Force (ESPN+Plus)	1 p.m. MT
11/6		San Diego State	TBA
11/13		New Mexico	TBA
11/20		at Utah	TBA

UNLV REBELS (2-5, 1-2 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/5	L 17-42	#14/14 at Tennessee (ESPN)	108,625
9/11	L 3-18	at #21/22 Wisconsin (ESPN)	82,071
9/18	L 10-27	Air Force	23,823
9/25	L 21-31	Utah State (SportsWest)	19,116
10/2	W 48-13	Nevada, Reno	27,596
10/8	W 24-20	at BYU (ESPN2)	56,341
10/16	L 20-24	New Mexico (ESPN+Plus)	19,065
10/23		at Utah (ERT at UNLV/KJZZ)	5 p.m. MT
11/6		Wyoming	TBA
11/13		at Colorado State	TBA
11/20		at San Diego State	TBA

COLORADO STATE RAMS (2-4, 1-1 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/4	L 24-27	at Colorado (FSN)	54,954
9/11	L 0-49	at #1/1 USC (ABC)	85,521
9/18	L 16-34	# 22/22 Minnesota (ESPN2)	33,501
9/25	W 39-14	Montana State (MSU Network)	28,207
10/2	L 21-31	BYU (SW/FSN-RM)	32,511
10/16	W 21-17	at San Diego State (ABC)	31,129
10/22		Wyoming (ESPN2)	7:30 p.m. MT
10/30		New Mexico (ESPN+Plus)	1 p.m. MT
11/6		at Utah	TBA
11/13		UNLV	TBA
11/20		at Air Force	TBA

UTAH UTES (6-0, 2-0 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/2	W 41-21	Texas A&M (ESPN)	45,419
9/11	W 23-6	at Arizona (KJZZ)	52,790
9/18	W 48-6	at Utah State (KJZZ)	24,750
9/25	W 49-35	Air Force (ESPN+Plus)	44,043
10/1	W 28-7	at New Mexico (ESPN2)	40,182
10/16	W 46-16	North Carolina (KJZZ)	45,319
10/23		UNLV (ERT at UNLV/KJZZ)	5 p.m. MT
10/30		at San Diego State (KJZZ-SLC)	6 p.m. PT
11/6		Colorado State	TBA
11/13		at Wyoming	TBA
11/20		BYU	TBA

NEW MEXICO LOBOS (3-4, 1-2 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/3	L 17-21	Washington State (ESPN)	34,860
9/11	W 27-24	Texas Tech (KRQE)	38,746
9/18	L 7-17	at Oregon State (KRQE)	35,950
9/25	W 38-3	at New Mexico State (KRQE)	31,214
10/1	L 7-28	#14/14 Utah (ESPN2)	40,182
10/9	L 23-28	at Air Force (SportsWest)	36,369
10/16	W 24-20	at UNLV (ESPN+Plus)	19,065
10/23		San Diego State (SportsWest)	4:30 p.m.
10/30		at Colorado State (ESPN+Plus)	1 p.m. MT
11/13		at BYU	TBA
11/20		Wyoming	TBA

WYOMING COWBOYS (4-2, 1-1 MWC)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Attn/Time</u>
9/4	W 53-7	Appalachian State	13,205
9/11	L 0-31	at Texas A&M (FSN)	65,600
9/25	W 37-32	Ole Miss	22,331
10/2	W 31-10	Louisiana-Monroe	12,125
10/9	W 20-10	San Diego State (ESPN+Plus)	20,026
10/16	L 13-24	at BYU (SportsWest)	58,737
10/22		at Colorado State (ESPN2)	7:30 p.m. MT
10/30		Air Force	1 p.m. MT
11/6		at UNLV	TBA
11/13		Utah	TBA
11/20		at New Mexico	TBA