



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 (5/6)	6-0	299	157	3-0	3-0	1.000	10-0	457	206	5-0	5-0	0-0	1.000	Won 14
New Mexico	4-2	120	116	1-1	3-1	.667	6-4	209	181	2-2	4-2	0-0	.600	Won 4
BYU	4-2	179	119	2-2	2-0	.667	5-5	246	243	3-3	2-2	0-0	.500	Lost 1
Wyoming	3-3	164	180	2-1	1-2	.500	6-4	285	260	5-1	1-3	0-0	.600	Lost 1
Colorado State	3-3	165	154	2-2	1-1	.500	4-6	244	278	3-3	1-3	0-0	.400	Won 1
Air Force	2-4	171	203	1-2	1-2	.333	4-6	279	325	2-4	2-2	0-0	.400	Lost 1
San Diego State	1-5	117	191	0-2	1-3	.167	3-7	213	279	2-2	1-5	0-0	.300	Won 1
UNLV	1-5	137	232	0-3	1-2	.167	2-8	226	336	1-4	1-4	0-0	.200	Lost 4

WEEK #12 SCHEDULE

<u>AP/ESPN Game (record)</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time/TV/Radio</u>	<u>Series Results/Last Meeting</u>
Saturday, November 20			
- Colorado State (4-6, 3-3)	Falcon Stadium (52,480)	1:00 p.m. MT	Air Force leads 23-18-1
- Air Force (4-6, 2-4)	Colorado Springs, Colo.		2003 Colorado State 30-20
- Wyoming (6-4, 3-3)	University Stadium (37,370)	1:00 p.m. MT	Wyoming leads 31-25
- New Mexico (6-4, 4-2)	Albuquerque, N.M.	(ESPN+Plus/ESPN GamePlan)	2003 New Mexico 26-3
- BYU (5-5, 4-2)	Rice-Eccles Stadium (45,017)	5:00 p.m. MT	Utah leads 50-31-4/47-28-4*
5/6 Utah (10-0, 6-0)	Salt Lake City, Utah	(ESPN2)	2003 Utah 3-0
- UNLV (2-8, 1-5)	Qualcomm Stadium (54,000)	7:00 p.m. PT	San Diego State leads 7-6
- San Diego State (3-7, 1-5)	San Diego, Calif.	(SportsWest/ESPN GamePlan)	2003 San Diego State 7-0

*See "The Game" note on page 11 for explanation of series record.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Saturday, October 30

San Diego State 37, Air Force 31 (Colorado Springs, Colo.; Attendance - 28,514)
Utah 45, Wyoming 28 (Laramie, Wyo.; Attendance - 17,074)
New Mexico 21, BYU 14 (Provo, Utah; Attendance - 53,618)
Colorado State 45, UNLV 10 (Fort Collins, Colo.; Attendance - 14,876)



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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
Transponder K12 analog
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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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10:32 a.m./9:32 a.m.
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11:12 a.m./10:12 a.m.
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11:32 a.m./10:32 a.m.
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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 (NOV. 15, 2004)

Alex Smith (Utah), Heath Farwell and Kirk Morrison (San Diego State) and Garrett Palmer (San Diego State) were named Mountain West Conference Players of the Week. Smith earns Offensive Player of the Week, Farwell and Morrison share Defensive honors, and Palmer receives Special Teams recognition. Smith earns the award for the third straight week, sixth overall this season, and ninth time in his career. Morrison collects his second weekly award this season and third career, while Farwell and Palmer are first-time honorees. The shared defensive honor by Farwell and Morrison marks the first time in league history teammates have earned player of the week honors at the same position.

MWC Offensive Player of the Week

Alex Smith, Utah, Quarterback, Junior

Smith completed 17-of-27 passes (63%) for 244 yards and three touchdowns as Utah captured its second straight Conference title with a 45-28 victory at Wyoming. He also rushed for a season-high 90 yards on 14 carries, including a 27-yard scamper for the Utes' first touchdown.

MWC Co-Defensive Players of the Week

Heath Farwell, San Diego State, Linebacker, Senior

Farwell collected a career-best 19 tackles, seven unassisted and 12 assisted, in the 37-31 win at Air Force. He also caused two fumbles, had 1.5 tackles for a loss and an interception. His first forced fumble came at the 7:24 mark of the second quarter with the game tied 14 apiece. Air Force was at the Aztec five-yard line when Farwell popped the ball loose before being recovered in the end zone by teammate Kirk Morrison.

Kirk Morrison, San Diego State, Linebacker, Senior

Morrison recorded a career-high 19 tackles, including seven solo stops, in the victory at Air Force. He also netted a tackle for a loss, recovered a fumble and intercepted an Air Force pass at the Aztec goal line on the Falcons' final play from scrimmage (13 seconds remaining) that could have tied the game at 37 apiece before the point after attempt.

The combined 38 tackles by Farwell and Morrison ties the school record for the highest tackle total by teammates in the same game.

MWC Special Teams Player of the Week

Garrett Palmer, San Diego State, Kicker, Freshman

Palmer was 3-for-3 on field goals in tough conditions at Air Force, connecting from 26, 37 and 29 yards, respectively, in the win.

UTAH CAPTURES SECOND STRAIGHT MOUNTAIN WEST TITLE

Utah clinched its second-straight outright MWC crown with its win at Wyoming and BYU's loss to New Mexico last Saturday. The Utes are the second team in league history to claim two outright titles (Colorado State in 2000 and 2002), and first team to win back-to-back outright MWC regular season crowns. Heading into the final week of the season, the Utes are 6-0 and have a two-game lead in the conference standings over BYU and New Mexico, both at 4-2. If Utah can defeat BYU Saturday, it would become the first team in MWC history to finish the regular season undefeated. The Utes would also be just the second team in Conference history to go through a league season undefeated. BYU went 7-0 in 2001.

The league title marks the fourth time in Utah history that the program has won back-to-back league titles, and the first since the Utes were Skyline Conference champions from 1951-53. Utah won three straight Big Seven Conference titles from 1940-42 and captured six straight Rocky Mountain championships from 1928-33. During their stint as a Western Athletic Conference member (1962-98), the Utes never repeated as league champs, winning a total of two titles.

LET'S TALK ABOUT RANKINGS

Utah climbed to #5 in the AP Poll and #6 in the ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll this week. The Utes' No. 5 ranking is the highest for a Mountain West team since Nov. 25, 2001 when BYU was 7th in the Coaches Poll. Utah is currently sixth in this week's BCS Rankings. The Utes must finish in the Top 6 of the final BCS Rankings to automatically qualify for a BCS bowl game. You can find more information on the Nov. 15 BCS Rankings on page 6 of this release.

ESPN+PLUS GAME OF THE WEEK

The ESPN+Plus Game of the Week will feature Wyoming at New Mexico Saturday at University Stadium in Albuquerque, N.M. Gary Bender (play-by-play), Kelly Stouffer (color) and Anne-Marie Anderson (sidelines) will call the action beginning at 1 p.m. MT.



2004 NATIONAL POLLS

Associated Press Top 25
(Nov. 14)

Rk	School	Rec	Pts	Pvs
1.	USC (51)	10-0	1,608	1
2.	Auburn (6)	10-0	1,536	3
2.	Oklahoma (8)	10-0	1,536	2
4.	California	8-1	1,409	5
5.	Utah	10-0	1,316	7
6.	Texas	9-1	1,301	6
7.	Michigan	9-1	1,279	9
8.	Louisville	7-1	1,279	12
9.	Wisconsin	9-1	1,012	4
10.	Florida State	8-2	1,004	11
11.	Georgia	8-2	979	8
12.	Miami	7-2	834	18
13.	Boise State	9-0	797	14
14.	LSU	7-2	786	17
15.	Tennessee	7-2	733	15
15.	Virginia Tech	7-2	733	16
17.	Iowa	8-2	626	19
18.	Virginia	7-2	541	10
19.	Boston College	7-2	490	21
20.	Arizona State	8-2	442	20
21.	West Virginia	8-2	330	13
22.	Texas A&M	7-3	274	22
23.	Oklahoma State	7-3	223	25
24.	UTEP	7-2	152	23
25.	Bowling Green	8-2	42	NR

MWC teams receiving votes: None.

ESPN/USA Today Top 25
(Nov. 14)

Rk	School	Rec	Pts	Pvs
1.	USC (51)	10-0	1,514	1
2.	Oklahoma (6)	10-0	1,435	2
3.	Auburn (4)	10-0	1,433	3
4.	California	8-1	1,311	6
5.	Texas	9-1	1,222	7
6.	Utah	10-0	1,203	8
7.	Michigan	9-1	1,191	9
8.	Florida State	8-2	999	12
9.	Wisconsin	9-1	948	4
10.	Georgia	8-2	947	5
11.	Louisville	7-1	880	14
12.	Boise State	9-0	827	13
13.	Miami	7-2	774	17
14.	LSU	7-2	771	15
15.	Virginia Tech	7-2	688	16
16.	Tennessee	7-2	580	18
17.	Iowa	8-2	519	19
18.	Virginia	7-2	501	11
19.	Boston College	7-2	433	21
20.	West Virginia	8-2	419	10
21.	Arizona State	8-2	411	20
22.	Texas A&M	7-3	272	23
23.	Oklahoma State	7-3	229	24
24.	Bowling Green	8-2	117	NR
25.	UTEP	7-2	87	NR

MWC teams receiving votes: None.

ESPN COLLEGE FOOTBALL GAMEDAY TO VISIT THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Chris Fowler, Kirk Herbstreit and Lee Corso bring the ESPN College Football GameDay Show to Salt Lake City Saturday as #5/6 Utah hosts in-state rival BYU. ESPN will broadcast from the University of Utah campus Friday afternoon starting at 3:00 p.m. Saturday's ESPN live national broadcast of College Football GameDay will run from 8:30-10:00 a.m., with continued segments throughout the day. Herbstreit and Corso will break from the set during the game to provide color commentary. Mike Tirico will handle the play-by-play, while Jill Arrington will handle the sideline reports.

WEEK 12 PREVIEW

Four conference games are on tap in the final week of the 2004 regular season. No. 5/6 Utah hosts in-state rival BYU Saturday. The Utes must win to complete an undefeated regular season, while BYU needs the victory to become bowl eligible. New Mexico hosts Wyoming in Albuquerque - the winner would finish no lower than second place in the league standings. Colorado State faces in-state rival Air Force in Colorado Springs, with the both teams looking to salvage a 5-6 season and possibly place as high as a tie for third in the conference standings. San Diego State welcomes UNLV to Qualcomm Stadium in San Diego in the final game of Rebels' head coach John Robinson's storied career.

WEEK 11 WRAP

Utah scored over 40 points for the fifth straight game, and improved to 10-0 overall and 6-0 in the MWC, with a 45-28 at Wyoming. The Cowboys lost at home for the first time in 2004 (5-1). New Mexico became bowl eligible with a 21-14 win at BYU. The Lobos are 6-4 on the year and 4-2 in the MWC. The Cougars dropped to 3-3 in league play and 5-5 overall. BYU will need a win at Utah Saturday to become bowl eligible. San Diego State captured its first conference win of the season at Air Force, 37-31. The loss ends the Falcons hopes of going to a bowl game this season. Colorado State cruised to a 45-10 victory over UNLV in Fort Collins. The win evened the Rams' conference record at 3-3, while the Rebels fell to 1-5.

BOWL SCENARIO

New Mexico joined Utah and Wyoming as the third MWC team to become bowl eligible. The Lobos improved to 6-4 with their win at BYU. The Utes are currently 10-0, while the Cowboys are 6-4. BYU is 5-5 on the year and needs a win at Utah Saturday to become bowl eligible.

Team	Record	Games Remaining	Home	Road
BYU	5-5	1	-	Utah
New Mexico*	6-4	1	Wyoming	-
Utah*	10-0	1	BYU	-
Wyoming*	6-4	1	-	New Mexico

*Bowl eligible

UTAH'S SMITH AMONG NATIONAL LEADERS IN RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A QUARTERBACK

Utah junior quarterback Alex Smith has rushed for nine touchdowns this season and currently ranks tied for fourth nationally in rushing touchdowns by a QB.

1.	Walter Washington (Temple)	15
2.	Jared Zabransky (Boise State)	12
3.	Aaron Polanco (Navy)	10
4.	Vince Young (Texas)	9
	Kent Smith (Central Michigan)	9
	Alex Smith (Utah)	9
7.	Reggie McNeal (Texas A&M)	8
	Josh Cribbs (Kent State)	8
9.	Pat Julmiste (South Florida)	7
	James Kilian (Tulsa)	7

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 55 in his career. Colorado State's Jeff Babcock is currently second on the list with 50.

MAKING THEIR POINTS

UNLV and Wyoming played a triple-overtime thriller won by the Cowboys, 53-45, on Nov. 6, tying as the longest game in MWC history (Utah over Air Force, 48-45 - 3 ot, Nov. 1, 2003). The 98 combined points rank as the highest-scoring conference game in MWC annals, and third-most points all time. The Rebels' point total of 45 is the most scored in a loss for an MWC contest, and matches the all-time MWC record for most points scored in a loss (BYU 45-72 defeat at Hawai'i in 2001). Utah and Colorado State joined the points party after netting a total of 94 in their contest, which currently sits sixth all-time. The Utes' compilation of 63 points against the Rams ties for the most points scored in a conference game (BYU over Air Force, 63-33 in 2001), and third-most all-time.



MWC Highs/Lows

Most Points in the First Quarter

28 - Utah vs. UNLV (10-23-04)

Most Points in the Second Quarter

21 - Utah vs. Colorado State (11-6-04)

21 - Air Force at Army (11-6-04)

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

21 - Utah at Utah State (9-18-04)

Most Points in the Third Quarter

23 - BYU vs. San Diego State (11-6-04)

Most Points in the Fourth Quarter

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

Most Points in the First Half

42 - Utah vs. Colorado State (11-6-04)

42 - Utah vs. UNLV (10-23-04)

Most Points in the Second Half

38 - BYU at Air Force (10-23-04)

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

Most Points in the First Quarter (MWC Opponent)

28 - Utah vs. UNLV (10-23-04)

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

Most Points in the Second Quarter (MWC Opponent)

24 - Utah at San Diego State (10-30-04)

21 - USC at BYU (9-18-04)

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

Most Points in the Third Quarter (MWC Opponent)

21 - BYU at Air Force (10-23-04)

21 - Utah vs. UNLV (10-23-04)

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)

38 - BYU at Air Force (10-23-04)

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

**2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE
PRESEASON POLL**

Rk.	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

FIRST TIME FOR OVERTIME

The Mountain West saw its first overtime game of the year Nov. 6 with Wyoming defeating UNLV, 53-45, in triple overtime. There have been 26 overtime games played this season in NCAA Division I-A football, with only three of those contests going beyond two overtimes. The UNLV/Wyoming game matches the Michigan/Michigan State three overtime contest, won by the Wolverines, 45-37, on Oct. 30. The Eastern Michigan vs. Central Michigan game is the longest this season, with EMU winning in four overtime periods, 61-58, this past Saturday. The ACC and MAC lead the nation with four overtime games apiece in 2004.

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). 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 seven straight victories (BYU won five in a row from 2000-2001 and Colorado State won five straight from 2001-03).

HOME CONFERENCE RECORDS

Team	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	Total	Pct.
Air Force	1-2	3-1	2-1	2-2	2-1	1-2	11-9	.550
BYU	2-1	3-1	3-0	2-2	0-3	2-1	12-9	.571
Colorado State	2-1	4-0	2-1	3-1	2-1	1-1	15-6	.714
New Mexico	2-2	2-1	2-2	3-0	2-2	1-1	12-8	.600
San Diego State	1-3	0-3	1-3	2-1	2-2	0-1	6-14	.300
UNLV	0-4	3-0	1-3	1-2	0-4	0-2	5-16	.238
Utah	2-1	1-3	3-0	2-2	2-1	2-0	13-7	.650
Wyoming	2-2	0-3	0-4	1-2	2-2	1-0	7-14	.333

ROAD CONFERENCE RECORDS

Team	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	Total	Pct.
Air Force	1-3	2-1	1-3	2-1	1-3	1-1	8-13	.381
BYU	3-1	2-1	4-0	0-3	3-1	2-0	14-6	.700
Colorado State	3-1	2-1	3-1	3-0	2-2	1-0	14-6	.700
New Mexico	1-2	1-3	2-1	2-2	3-0	1-1	12-9	.571
San Diego State	2-1	3-1	1-2	2-2	1-2	0-1	10-11	.476
UNLV	1-2	1-3	2-1	2-2	2-1	1-0	9-11	.450
Utah	3-1	2-1	1-3	1-2	4-0	1-0	14-7	.667
Wyoming	2-1	0-4	0-3	0-4	0-3	0-1	3-17	.150

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		
	W-L	Pct.		W-L	Pct.	Bowls
Colorado State	29-12	.707		46-26	.639	5
Utah	27-14	.659		45-22	.672	3
BYU	25-16	.610		39-32	.549	2
New Mexico	24-17	.585		32-34	.485	2
Air Force	19-22	.463		40-29	.580	2
San Diego State	16-25	.390		23-44	.343	0
UNLV	14-27	.341		28-40	.412	1
Wyoming	10-31	.244		21-45	.318	0

UTAH'S ALEX SMITH A HEISMAN AND O'BRIEN AWARD CANDIDATE

Utah junior QB Alex Smith received official notification from the Heisman Trophy Trust that he is a candidate for the 2004 Heisman Trophy. Smith is among approximately 15 players who received notification. The Heisman ballots will be mailed out on November 17 to 923 Heisman electors, who are comprised of 870 media representatives, the previous 52 Heisman winners and one fan vote. The votes will be tabulated on December 8 by the independent accounting firm of Deloitte. The Heisman finalists will be invited to New York for the 70th anniversary of the Heisman Presentation. On December 11, the winner will be announced live from the presentation on ESPN.

Smith is also one of 13 semifinalists for the 2004 Davey O'Brien National Quarterback Award, presented annually to the nation's best QB. Three finalists will be announced Tuesday, Nov. 23 by the National College Football Awards Association in a joint effort among college football award programs. The thirteen semifinalists in alphabetical order, are: Jason Campbell, Sr., Auburn; Timmy Chang, Sr. Hawaii; David Greene, Sr., Georgia; Chris Leak, So., Florida; Stefan LeFors, Sr., Louisville; Matt Leinart, Jr., USC; Reggie McNeal, Jr., Texas A&M; Kyle Orton, Sr., Purdue; Aaron Rodgers, Jr., California; Alex Smith, Jr., Utah; Andrew Walter, Sr., Arizona State; Jason White, Sr., Oklahoma; and Jared Zabransky, So., Boise State. The winner of the 2004 Davey O'Brien Award will be announced on the 2004 Home Depot College Football Awards Show Thursday, Dec. 9.



MWC TEAMS IN THE WEEKLY POLLS

ESPN/USA Today 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	-
Oct. 26	-	-	-	-	-	10	-
Oct. 31	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Nov. 7	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Nov. 15	-	-	-	-	-	6	-

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	-
Oct. 25	9	-
Oct. 31	7	-
Nov. 7	7	-
Nov. 15	5	-

LAST WEEK'S TOP PERFORMERS

Passing

37-22-1-247 and 1 Pass TD - John Beck, BYU vs. UNM
 27-17-0-244 and 3 Pass TDs - Alex Smith, Utah at WYO
 28-17-2-278 and 2 Pass TDs - Corey Bramlet, WYO vs. Utah
 32-17-1-232 and 2 Pass TDs - Kevin O'Connell, SDSU at AFA
 16-12-0-211 and 2 Pass TDs - Caleb Hanie, CSU vs. UNLV

Receiving

6-142-2 - Jovon Bouknight, Wyoming vs. Utah
 4-125-1 - Hank Baskett, New Mexico at BYU
 5-95-1 - Robert Ortiz, SDSU at Air Force

Rushing

16-135-2 - Adam Fitch, Air Force at Army
 14-105-1 - Maty Johnson, Utah at Wyoming
 28-103-2 - Brandon Bornes, San Diego State at Air Force
 25-101-1 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico at BYU

Tackles

19 (7-12) - Heath Farwell, SDSU at Air Force
 19 (7-12) - Kirk Morrison, SDSU at Air Force
 13 (8-5, FF 1) - Tommy Hackenbruck, Utah at Wyoming
 11 (10-1, INT 1) - Travis Garcia, Colorado State vs. UNLV

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.

17 - Wyoming snapped its 17-game MWC road losing streak with a 53-45 triple-overtime victory at UNLV Nov. 6. The Cowboys' last conference road win was Nov. 6, 1999 when they defeated Utah 43-29 in Salt Lake City. The Cowboys will attempt to win back-to-back conference road games this weekend for the first time since 1998 when they were a member of the WAC (defeated TCU and CSU).

18 - The number of scoring drives Utah has compiled in excess of 80 yards this season.

18 - The number of 100 yard rushing games for New Mexico running back DonTrell Moore, surpassing Winslow Oliver's (1992-95) school record of 16. Moore, the MWC's all-time leading rusher, also passed Oliver for second place on the school's career rushing list with 3,415 yards.

15 - 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 broke Eric Jack's single-season school record of 14 set in 1993 after posting one pass deflection on Nov. 6 at Colorado State.

14 - Utah's current win streak that ranks third nationally (Boise State-20, Southern California-19). The Utes won their final four games in 2003 and are 10-0 this season. The 14-game streak is the second-longest in school history behind the 16 straight wins from 1928-30. The Utes' last loss was Oct. 25, 2003 against New Mexico, 47-35.

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

6 - Utah moved up to sixth in the latest BCS Poll released Monday, Nov. 15, after defeating Wyoming, 45-28. The Utes had the highest debut by a non-automatic qualifying BCS team ever in the initial poll of a season at number seven on Oct. 18. 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).

5 - The current number of undefeated teams remaining in the NCAA in 2004, including Utah at 10-0 (Auburn, Boise State, Oklahoma, and Southern California).

5 - New Mexico will be looking for its first five-game win streak under head coach Rocky Long when it faces Wyoming Saturday. A win would also mark the longest win streak by the Lobos since opening the 1997 season 6-0 under former head coach Dennis Franchione.

4 - The number of touchdowns BYU WR Todd Watkins has caught in excess of 69 yards this season.

2 - Utah ranks second in the nation in scoring offense and total offense. The Utes are currently averaging 45.7 points per game, which trails only Boise State (48.22) nationally, and are on pace to break their school record of 42.5 ppg. Utah's 499.20 yards per game of total offense is second behind only Louisville (528.13 ypg) this season.

2 - The number of receptions BYU WR Austin Collie needs against Utah to break Matt Bellini's freshman record of 51 set in 1987. Collie already owns BYU freshman records for yards (697) and touchdowns (7) this season.

0 - BYU has not scored a touchdown in the last two games against Utah. The Cougars scored two field goals in a 13-6 Ute win in 2002 and went scoreless in last year's 3-0 victory by Utah.

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



BCS Poll (Nov. 15)

Rk	Team	Associated Press			USA Today/ESPN			Computers			BCS	
		Rk	Pts.	Pct.	Rk	Pts.	Pct.	Rk	Pts.	Pct.	Avg.	Prev.
1.	Southern California	1	1608	.9895	1	1514	.9928	2	96	.960	.9808	1
2.	Oklahoma	T-2	1536	.9452	2	1435	.9410	1	100	1.000	.9621	2
3.	Auburn	T-2	1536	.9452	3	1433	.9397	3	92	.920	.9350	3
4.	California	4	1409	.8671	4	1311	.8597	5	83	.830	.8522	4
5.	Texas	6	1301	.8006	5	1222	.8013	4	84	.840	.8140	6
6.	Utah	5	1316	.8098	6	1203	.7889	6	82	.820	.8062	7
7.	Michigan	7	1279	.7871	7	1191	.7810	9	68	.680	.7494	9
8.	Florida State	10	1004	.61	78	8999	.6551	13	49	.490	.5876	12
9.	Boise State	13	797	.4905	12	827	.5423	8	72	.720	.5843	10
10.	Louisville	8	1046	.6437	11	880	.5770	14	46	.460	.5602	14
11.	Georgia	11	979	.6025	10	947	.6210	16	42	.420	.5478	8
12.	Miami (FL)	12	834	.5132	13	774	.5075	10	62	.620	.5469	17
13.	Wisconsin	9	1012	.6228	9	948	.6216	18	38	.380	.5415	5
14.	Arizona State	20	442	.2720	21	411	.2695	7	76	.760	.4338	16
15.	Virginia Tech	T-15	733	.4511	15	688	.4511	17	39	.390	.4307	18
16.	LSU	14	786	.4837	14	771	.5056	19	29	.290	.4264	19
17.	Tennessee	T-15	733	.4511	16	580	.3803	15	44	.440	.4238	15
18.	Iowa	17	626	.3852	17	519	.3403	11	51	.510	.4119	20
19.	Virginia	18	541	.3329	18	501	.3285	21	26	.260	.3071	11
20.	Texas A&M	22	274	.1686	22	272	.1784	12	50	.500	.2823	21
21.	Boston College	19	490	.3015	19	433	.2839	23	6	.060	.2152	23
22.	Oklahoma State	23	223	.1372	23	229	.1502	20	28	.280	.1891	22
23.	West Virginia	21	330	.2031	20	419	.2748	NR	2	.020	.1659	13
24.	UTEP	24	152	.0935	25	87	.0570	22	19	.190	.1135	24
25.	Bowling Green	25	42	.0258	24	117	.0767	NR	0	.000	.0342	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 Yausi 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
Oct. 25	QB John Beck, BYU 20-31-319-1, 4 Pass TD	DE Evroy Thompson, New Mexico 7 TT (3-4), 3 TFL, 1 sack, 1 FF	K/P Matt Payne 2 FGM (23/53), 5 PAT/20-yard fake punt
Nov. 1	QB Alex Smith, Utah 22-33-293-0, 5 Pass TD/45 yd rush	LB Nick Speegle, New Mexico 8 TT (7-1), 2 TFL FS John Wendling, Wyoming 11 TT (7-4), 2 PBU	K Wes Zunker, New Mexico 2 PAT/4 FG (21, 30, 46, 50)
Nov. 8	QB Alex Smith, Utah 21-26-291-0, 4 Pass TD/55 yd rush QB J.J. Raterink, Wyoming 22-36-227-1, 4 Pass TD	DB Morgan Scalley, Utah 5 TT (2-3), 2 INT for 40 yds 88-yard fumble return for TD	K/P Matt Payne, BYU 46.8 punt avg., 3 FG (34, 42, 43)
Nov. 15	QB Alex Smith, Utah 17-27-244-0, 3 Pass TD 90 yard rush, 1 Rush TD	LB Heath Farwell, San Diego State 19 TT (7-12), 1.5 TFL, 2 FF, 1 INT LB Kirk Morrison, San Diego State 19 TT (7-12), 1 TFL, 1 FR, 1 INT	K Garrett Palmer, San Diego State 3 FGM (26, 27, 39)



**AIR FORCE FALCONS
4-6, 2-4 MWC**

This Week: vs. Colorado State

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * Despite the 31-37 loss to San Diego State last Saturday, the Falcons compiled 486 total yards, including a season-high 353 rushing. In the last two games, Air Force has averaged 349 yards rushing and moved from eighth to fourth in the national rankings.
- * QB Adam Fitch ran for a career-long 69-yard touchdown against SDSU. His previous career long was 22 yards earlier this season vs. Army. The run is also the longest by a Falcon this season. The previous long this season was 58 yards by Darnell Stephens vs. New Mexico.
- * Fitch's 135 rushing yards against SDSU was also a career-high, bettering his 115-yard performance at Army Nov. 6.
- * Air Force committed a season-high six turnovers against San Diego State. The Falcons had two interceptions and four fumbles. The Aztecs also blocked an Air Force punt in the game.
- * The Air Force vs. Colorado State game will not be nationally televised for the first time in eight years. The game will also be played during daylight hours for the first time in eight years. The last time the game was not nationally televised was in 1996 at the Academy.
- * Air Force is averaging 142.6 yards per game passing this season, which is the 11th-best effort in school history and the most yards since the option era record of 157.0 was set in 2000. The team's completion percentage of 60.0 is on pace to set a new single season school record (56.6 set in 2000).
- * Air Force is currently 4-6 overall with one game remaining this season. The Falcons will record just their third losing season during the Fisher DeBerry era and first since 1993. The only other losing seasons in DeBerry's 21-year career came in 1988 (5-7) and 1993 (4-8).



**BYU COUGARS
5-5, 4-2 MWC**

This Week: at Utah

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * BYU K/P Matt Payne tossed a 12-yard completion to holder Riley Weber to give BYU a 7-0 lead over New Mexico in the first quarter Saturday. The play marked Payne's first-career touchdown pass. Payne is the only player in the country listed on both the Ray Guy and Lou Groza Award watch lists. Payne also punted the ball four times, averaging 47.8 yards per kick, while pinning the Lobos inside their 20 two times.
- * BYU's streak of five straight games without allowing a single point in the first quarter was halted by UNM RB Marcus Smith's 15-yard TD run at the 3:23 mark of the opening quarter. The Lobos are only the third BYU opponent to score in the first quarter this season. The Lobos finished the first quarter with 14 points, marking the second highest point total allowed by the Cougars this season. (Boise State posted 16 first-quarter points.)
- * QB John Beck completed 22-of-37 passes for 247 yards and one touchdown in the loss to New Mexico. Beck has compiled 3,214 passing yards this season. Only Ty Detmer (5,812) and John Walsh (4,678) have posted more passing yards during their sophomore campaigns.
- * BYU senior Matt Payne had his NCAA record streak of 14 consecutive field goals from 40-49 yards end after missing a 43 yard attempt in the second quarter against New Mexico. Payne broke John Carney's (Notre Dame) 19-year-old record of 12 straight field goals from 40-49 yards, set in 1984-85.
- * Freshman WR Austin Collie had four receptions for 83 yards against UNM. Collie leads the Cougars with seven touchdowns. On the season he has 50 receptions for 697 yards.



**COLORADO STATE RAMS
4-6, 3-3 MWC**

This Week: at Air Force

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * Colorado State is 26-8 in games played during the month of November during Sonny Lubick's tenure. A win at Air Force Saturday would mark the 12th season in a row the Rams have enjoyed a winning record in November.
- * Safety Travis Garcia, a walk-on not on scholarship, has played on special teams all season and as a backup in the secondary, made a career-most 11 tackles, 10 unassisted, had two tackles for loss, deflected two passes, and made his first career interception vs. UNLV.
- * A safety has led or tied for team honors in total tackles in all 10 games this season.
- * Since Sonny Lubick's arrival at Colorado State in 1993, the Rams are 31-9 when scored on the opening drive of the game. CSU is 12-24 in games the opponent has scored on the opening drive.
- * Colorado State is 0-3 in 2004 when the Rams have scored fewer than 20 points in a game, and 0-6 when allowing 20 or more points in a game.
- * Joel Dreessen enters the Air Force game with 120 career receptions for 1,270 yards and 10 touchdowns, the second-most receptions in school history by a tight end. Keli McGregor holds the record, 153, from 1981-84.
- * David Anderson caught a school-record 72 passes for a record-setting 1,282 yards in 2003. To date in 2004, he has 53 receptions for 895 yards, 105 yards shy from becoming only the second player in school history to record two seasons of more than 1,000 receiving yards. Greg Primus had 1,081 yards in 1991, and a season later had 1,002 receiving yards.
- * Colorado State has an 8-3 record in the final regular season game during Sonny Lubick's 11 years as head coach. The Rams are a perfect 8-0 in final games played on the road.
- * Colorado State entered 2004 with a streak of five consecutive bowl game appearances, the longest active streak in the MWC.



**NEW MEXICO LOBOS
6-4, 4-2 MWC**

This Week: vs. Wyoming

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * New Mexico improved to 8-0 following scheduled open weeks under Rocky Long with a 21-14 win at BYU. Dating back to 1996, the Lobos have won 11 straight. The last loss after a bye was 48-42 to San Diego State in Albuquerque on Oct. 19, 1996.
- * New Mexico's win against the Cougars marked the first time in the 54-year history of the series the Lobos have won back-to-back games in Provo. In 2002, UNM ended a 31-year drought with its 20-16 win at LaVell Edwards Stadium.
- * New Mexico has won four road games this year (4-2), including three straight, for the first time since 1997 (4-1). The Lobos' two setbacks were at Oregon State and at Air Force. New Mexico is 6-1 in its last seven MWC road games, 8-2 in its last 10 and 10-3 in its last 13.
- * The Lobos lead the MWC in rushing defense (99.8 ypg), total defense (321.9 ypg), scoring defense (18.1 ppg) and are second in pass defense efficiency with a rating of 113.46.
- * New Mexico had a season-high seven sacks at BYU, the most since the 2003 regular season finale at Wyoming.
- * In the past seven games, New Mexico has forced 19 turnovers while committing just five. During its current four-game win streak, UNM has a 14-to-2 turnover advantage.
- * RB DonTrell Moore rushed for 101 yards on 25 carries at BYU. It was his fourth straight 100-yard game on the road, fifth overall this season and 18th in his career. Moore became the school's career scoring leader after a one-yard TD in the fourth quarter at BYU. He has 246 career points, surpassing former K David Margolis, who had 244 from 1989-91.
- * WR Hank Baskett notched his third 100-yard receiving game of the year with 125 yards on just four catches at BYU. He also grabbed his third TD of the year.



SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS
3-7, 1-5 MWC

This Week: vs. UNLV

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * San Diego State claimed its first Conference win of the season at Air Force last Saturday, 37-31.
- * San Diego State snapped a 10-game losing streak when trailing at halftime, dating back to the 38-34 win at Air Force in 2002. The Aztecs' were behind 17-21 at Air Force Saturday before prevailing, 37-31. The win was the eighth straight for SDSU when leading after three quarters.
- * Freshmen accounted for 31 of San Diego State's 37 points against Air Force, including two rushing touchdowns by RB Brandon Bornes, two passing touchdowns by QB Kevin O'Connell, three field goals and four extra points by K Garrett Palmer, and a touchdown reception by TE Eric Miclot.
- * The San Diego State/UNLV game will feature four of the top six tacklers in the MWC, including the top two tacklers in Adam Seward of UNLV and Kirk Morrison of San Diego State.
- * WR Jeff Webb has caught at least one pass in 20 consecutive games, and has at least three catches in each of his last 14 outings.
- * Senior linebacker Kirk Morrison has 386 career tackles, ranking second all-time at San Diego State behind Whip Walton (407).
- * San Diego State has averaged 27 points, 421 yards of total offense and 183 rushing yards per game over its last three contests. San Diego State has rushed for at least 162 yards in all three games, marking the first time SDSU has broken the 150-yard mark three straight times since 2001.
- * San Diego State won at Air Force despite being outgained offensively, 486 to 456. It was the first time since a Nov. 4, 2000 at New Mexico (17-16) that SDSU won a game despite being outgained.



UNLV REBELS
2-8, 1-5 MWC

This Week: at San Diego State

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * A victory at San Diego State would give head coach John Robinson the most away-game wins in UNLV history with 16.
- * The Rebels will finish the season below .500 for the ninth time in the last 10 years.
- * UNLV's defense has forced 10 turnovers in its two victories and just five in its eight losses.
- * RB Dominique Dorsey has rushed for a conference-leading 1,215 yards this season to give him 2,788 yards in his career. He began the season 12th on the UNLV all-time rushing chart, and has climbed all the way to second. Dorsey has more yards than any Rebel since the school moved to Division I in 1978, trailing only Mike Thomas (3,149 in 1973-74)
- * LB Adam Seward leads the MWC in tackles with 10.8 per game. He is also the all-time league leader with 420 tackles.
- * WR Earvin Johnson is second on UNLV's career catch list with 177 receptions. He needs 11 more catches in his final game at SDSU to pass the Rebels all-time leader Damon Williams (187 from 1995-98). Johnson also needs only 37 yards to surpass Williams in career receiving yards (2,558). Last game at Colorado State, Johnson broke Williams' consecutive games catching a pass record with his 40th straight reception.
- * After starting the year 8-14 in red-zone chances, the Rebels have scored on 21 of 24 trips inside opponent 20-yard lines (14 TDs/seven FGs).
- * Rebel opponents are just 4-of-13 on fourth-down attempts in 2004 for a league-low 31 percent success rate.
- * UNLV has recorded 19 QB sacks in the last six games after posting a just five in the first four contests.



UTAH UTES
10-0, 6-0 MWC

This Week: vs. BYU

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * Utah's 10-0 start is the best in school history, breaking the previous record of 8-0 set in 1930 and 1994. Utah has finished the season unbeaten and untied three previous times in its history: 1926, 7-0; 1929, 7-0 and 1930, 8-0. The 1928 Utes finished 5-0-2 and the 1941 team finished 6-0-2.
- * The 2004 Utes own the second-longest win streak in school history (14). The school record is 16 straight wins from 1928-30. The 2004 Utes hold the school record for consecutive road/neutral site wins with 10.
- * The Utes have been ranked in the Top-25 for 12 straight weeks in the AP and 13 straight weeks in the coaches poll, which ties the school record from 1994 for both consecutive weeks and most total weeks in the two polls. The 2004 Utes are ranked in the top 10 in both polls for a fourth-straight week, which is also an outright school record.
- * Utah has won or shared 25 league championships in its 111-year football history. Utah shared the Mountain West Conference crown in 1999 (BYU and CSU) and won it outright in 2003 and 2004.
- * Urban Meyer won his 20th game as Utah head coach last week at Wyoming. Meyer, currently 20-2 at the helm of the Utes, has more wins than any previous second-year Ute coach.
- * Utah's 457 total points this season is a new school record (the old mark was 426 points in 1994).
- * Utah has dominated the scoreboard in the first half this season, outscoring opponents 306-96.
- * Utah has scored on 54-of-57 red zone attempts this season (95%) if you don't count three 4th-quarter kneel downs against North Carolina, UNLV and San Diego State. Of those penetrations, 46 have been converted into touchdowns (85%). Opponents have scored on 19-of-29 (66%) trips inside Utah's 20 yard line — 16 of those touchdowns.



WYOMING COWBOYS
6-4, 3-3 MWC

This Week: at New Mexico

Up Next: End of regular season

What You Should Know:

- * Wyoming fell to #7 Utah Saturday, 28-45. The game was delayed by a power outage that moved kickoff back an hour and 39 minutes.
- * Wyoming had trailed a total of 14 minutes and 44 seconds out of 300 total minutes played in five previous home games this season. Against Utah, the Cowboys never held the lead.
- * Despite the loss to the Utes, Wyoming finished the season at home with a 5-1 record, the Pokes best mark since 1998 (5-1).
- * WR Jovon Bouknight had a career high 142 yards receiving on six reception against Utah. His previous career high was 121 yards at UNLV on Nov. 6, 2004. It was his second 100-yard game of the season and fourth of his career. Bouknight has caught at least two passes in 34 consecutive games — every game of his college career.
- * QB Corey Bramlet threw for a career high 278 yards vs. Utah. His previous high was 256 against both Colorado State and Air Force. Bramlet also led the Cowboys in rushing with 51 yards and two rushing TDs.
- * In each of Wyoming's four losses this season the Cowboys have had more turnovers than their opponents. The Pokes turned the ball over three times against Utah, while the Utes committed just one turnover.
- * Wyoming's defense had allowed only three total points (at Colorado State) in the third quarter this season prior to the Utah game. The Utes tallied 14 points against the Cowboys.



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**CURRENT MWC HEAD
COACHING RECORDS**

Air Force – Fisher DeBerry
Overall:160-94-1 (21st season)
School:160-94-1 (21st season)

BYU – Gary Crowton
Overall:47-35 (6th season)
School:26-22 (3rd season)

Colorado State – Sonny Lubick
Overall:116-69 (16th season)
School:95-50 (12th season)

New Mexico – Rocky Long
Overall:39-44 (7th season)
School:39-44 (7th season)

San Diego State – Tom Craft
Overall:13-22 (3rd season)
School:13-22 (3rd season)

UNLV – John Robinson
Overall:132-76-4 (18th season)
School:28-41 (6th season)

Utah – Urban Meyer
Overall:37-8 (4th season)
School:20-2 (2nd season)

Wyoming – Joe Glenn
Overall:168-71-1 (20th season)
School:10-12 (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			
John Beck, So., BYU	4	390	at Boise State
Justin Holland, Jr., Colorado State	3	403	at Colorado
Alex Smith, Jr., Utah	2	359	Texas A&M
100-Yard Rushing Games - High			
Dominique Dorsey, Sr., UNLV	6	189	Utah State
DonTrell Moore, Jr., New Mexico	5	167	Washington State
Curtis Brown, So., BYU	4	159	Wyoming
Adam Fitch, Jr., Air Force	2	135	San Diego State
Joseph Harris, Jr., Wyoming	2	121	Ole Miss
Brandon Bornes, Fr., San Diego State	2	112	Utah
Marty Johnson, Sr., Utah	2	105	at Arizona, at Wyoming
Michael Franklin, Jr., San Diego State	2	101	Idaho State
Dan Shaffer, Sr., Air Force	1	131	Eastern Washington
Jimmy Green, Jr., Colorado State	1	124	Wyoming
D.D. Cox, Sr., New Mexico	1	110	at New Mexico State
Quinto Ganther, Jr., Utah	1	106	at New Mexico
Kevin O'Connell, Fr., San Diego State	1	101	at BYU
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	5	211	Boise State
David Anderson, Jr., Colorado State	4	156	at Colorado
Steve Savoy, So., Utah	4	154	North Carolina
Hank Baskett, Sr., New Mexico	3	165	Washington State
Jeff Webb, Jr., San Diego State	3	138	Utah
Paris Warren, Sr., Utah	3	137	Air Force
Dustin Osborn, So., Colorado State	2	122	Minnesota
Earvin Johnson, Sr., UNLV	2	144	New Mexico
Dustin Pleasant, Jr., Wyoming	1	140	Appalachian State
Robert Ortiz, Jr., San Diego State	1	125	at Michigan
Jovon Bouknight, Jr., Wyoming	2	142	Utah
Alec Messerall, Sr., Air Force	1	103	Navy
J.P. Waller, Sr., Air Force	1	102	Navy
Multiple Touchdown Games - Rushing			
Ivan Harrison, So., Wyoming	2	3	at UNLV
Alex Smith, Jr., Utah	2	2	Texas A&M/at N. 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
Dominique Dorsey, Sr., UNLV	1	2	at Utah
Darnell Stephens, Sr., Air Force	1	2	BYU
Adam Fitch, Jr., Air Force	1	2	San Diego State
Corey Bramlet, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	Utah
Brandon Bornes, Fr., San Diego State	1	2	at Air Force
Multiple Touchdown Games - Passing			
Alex Smith, Jr., Utah	8	5	at SDSU
John Beck, So., BYU	4	4	at Air Force
Shaun Carney, Fr., Air Force	3	2	E. Wash./UNLV/Navy
Caleb Hanie, Fr., Colorado State	3	2	New Mexico/at Utah/UNLV
Shane Steichen, So., UNLV	2	4	Wyoming
Matt Dlugolecki, Sr., San Diego State	2	2	Idaho State/Nevada
Justin Holland, Jr., Colorado State	2	2	at Colorado/Montana State
Corey Bramlet, Jr., Wyoming	2	2	Appalachian St./Air Force/Utah
Kevin O'Connell, Fr., San Diego State	2	2	Utah/at Air Force
J.J. Raterink, Sr., Wyoming	1	4	at UNLV
Kurt Nantkes, Sr., UNLV	1	2	Nevada, Reno
Multiple Touchdown Games - Receiving			
Paris Warren, Sr., Utah	2	3	Colorado State
Earvin Johnson, Sr., UNLV	2	2	3 times, last vs. Wyoming
Steve Savoy, So., Utah	2	2	at Arizona/at SDSU
Robert Ortiz, Jr., San Diego State	1	2	Idaho State
Dustin Pleasant, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	Appalachian State
Dennis Pitta, Fr., BYU	1	2	at Air Force
Jeff Webb, Jr., San Diego State	1	2	Utah
Austin Collie, Fr., BYU	1	2	San Diego State
Damon Morton, Fr., Colorado State	1	2	at Utah
Jovon Bouknight, Jr., Wyoming	1	2	Utah



WEEK 12 GAME PREVIEWS



UNLV at San Diego State
Saturday, November 20
Quakcomm Stadium (54,000)
San Diego, Calif.
7 p.m. (PT) - SportsWest



GAME NOTES

RB Dominique Dorsey rushed for 89 yards on 19 carries in UNLV's 45-10 loss at Colorado State. It was the Rebels fourth straight defeat. San Diego State compiled 456 yards of total offense, including 224 rushing and 232 passing, in the 37-31 win at Air Force. QB Kevin O'Connell connected on 17-of-32 passes for 232 yards and two touchdowns, while RB Brandon Bornes rushed for 103 yards on 28 carries and scored and a pair of TDs.

THE GAME

The UNLV-San Diego State winner had never scored less than 20 points before last year's 7-0 Aztec win. The 2003 game also marked the first shutout by either team and was the lowest-scoring game in UNLV history. Only five of the 13 games have been decided by seven points or less.

THE SERIES

San Diego State leads the series 7-6. Last Meeting: November 8, 2003, in Las Vegas, Nev.; a 7-0 Aztec win.

THE COACHES

John Robinson is in his sixth season at UNLV and is 28-41 overall. In his 18th year as a head coach, Robinson is the nation's 17th-winningest active coach with a career record of 132-76-4. 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). Tom Craft is in his third season at San Diego State and has posted a 13-22 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.).

Players to Watch - UNLV (2-8, 1-5 MWC)

Passer: Shane Steichen (8 GP, 150-73-8, 48.7 Pct., 826 Yds, 7 TD)
Rusher: Dominique Dorsey (10 GP, 206 Att., 1,215 Yds, 5.9 Avg Per Rush, 6 TD)
Receiver: Earvin Johnson (10 GP, 54 Rec., 713 Yds, 13.2 Avg Per Rec., 8 TD)
Tackler: Adam Seward (10 GP, 50-58-108, TFL 5-6, FF 1, FR 1, PBU 4)

Players to Watch - San Diego State (3-7, 1-5 MWC)

Passer: Kevin O'Connell (8 GP, 211-99-9, 46.9 Pct., 1,153 Yds, 8 TD)
Matt Dlugolecki (6 GP, 203-123-8, 60.6 Pct., 1,349 Yds, 6 TD)
Rusher: Michael Franklin (10 GP, 106 Att., 461 Yds, 4.3 Avg Per Rush, 2 TD)
Brandon Bornes (10 GP, 112 Att., 502 Yds, 4.5 Avg Per Rush, 6 TD)
Receiver: Jeff Webb (10 GP, 66 Rec., 831 Yds, 12.6 Avg Per Rec., 6 TD)
Tackler: Kirk Morrison (10 GP, 65-40-105, TFL 9-18, PBU 2, INT 1, FF 1, FR 3)

TALE OF THE TAPE

UNLV	Category	San Diego State
2-8	Overall Record	3-7
1-5	Conference Record	1-5
Lost 4	Current Streak	Won 1
28	Touchdowns Scored	24
17	Rushing Touchdowns	9
11	Passing Touchdowns	15
35	Touchdowns Allowed	30
15	Rushing TDs Allowed	13
20	Passing TDs Allowed	17
L, 10-45 at CSU	Last Week	W, 37-31 at AFA
Regular season complete	Next Week	Regular season complete

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	UNLV	NCAA	MWC	SDSU	NCAA
Scoring Off.	6th	22.6	84th	7th	21.3	92nd
Scoring Def.	8th	33.6	103rd	6th	27.9	76th
Pass Off.	6th	162.6	104th	4th	251.6	28th
Pass Def.	3rd	210.5	59th	6th	228.5	82nd
Rush Off.	3rd	182.3	32nd	6th	132.3	81st
Rush Def.	6th	177.5	82nd	3rd	144.5	56th
Total Off.	7th	344.9	85th	4th	383.9	50th
Total Def.	5th	388.0	69th	4th	373.0	60th
TO Margin	8th	-1.40	112th	5th	-0.40	86th
Punting	6th	35.6	61st	7th	32.9	94th
Punt Returns	6th	6.1	99th	3rd	9.0	61st
KO Returns	2nd	21.1	44th	7th	18.3	96th



Wyoming at New Mexico
Saturday, November 20
University Stadium (37,370)
Albuquerque, N.M.
1 p.m. (MT) - ESPN+Plus



GAME NOTES

RB DonTrell Moore rushed for 101 yards and a touchdown on 25 attempts in New Mexico's 21-14 win at BYU. WR Hank Baskett was a key to the Lobo victory with four receptions for 125 yards and a touchdown. QB Corey Bramlet threw for 278 yards on 17-of-28 completions and two touchdowns in the 28-45 loss to Utah in Laramie. The game was delayed an hour and 39 minutes due to a power outage at the stadium.

THE GAME

New Mexico has won four of that last five games against Wyoming in MWC play. The Lobos have won three straight over the Cowboys in Albuquerque, dating to 1993, but Wyoming has the overall edge, 16-13, in games played in New Mexico.

THE SERIES

Wyoming leads the series 31-25. Last Meeting: November 22, 2003, in Laramie, Wyo.; a 26-3 Lobo 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 168-71-1 career record. 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 39-44.

Players to Watch - Wyoming (6-4, 3-3 MWC)

Passer: Corey Bramlet (10 GP, 269-156-12, 58.0 Pct., 1,889 Yds, 10 TD)
J.J. Raterink (10 GP, 58-36-2, 62.1 Pct, 352 Yds, 4 TD)
Rusher: Ivan Harrison (8 GP, 128 Att., 478 Yds, 3.7 Avg Per Rush, 5 TD)
Receiver: Jovon Bouknight (10 GP, 49 Rec., 840 Yds, 17.1 Avg Per Rec., 7 TD)
Tackler: Guy Tuell (10 GP, 37-29-66, TFL 7.5-18, PBU 1, INT 1)

Players to Watch - New Mexico (6-4, 4-2 MWC)

Passer: Kole McKamey (9 GP, 171-83-6, 48.5 Pct, 1,025 Yds, 5 TD)
Rusher: DonTrell Moore (9 GP, 198 Att., 932 Yds, 4.7 Avg Per Rush, 4 TD)
Receiver: Hank Baskett (10 GP, 45 Rec., 760 Yds, 16.9 Avg Per Rec., 3 TD)
Tackler: Nick Speegle (10 GP, 36-40-76, TFL 12-37, Sacks 2-14, PBU 5)

TALE OF THE TAPE

Wyoming	Category	New Mexico
6-4	Overall Record	6-4
3-3	Conference Record	4-2
Lost 1	Current Streak	Won 4
32	Touchdowns Scored	21
16	Rushing Touchdowns	16
16	Passing Touchdowns	5
30	Touchdowns Allowed	23
17	Rushing TDs Allowed	10
13	Passing TDs Allowed	13
L, 28-45 vs. Utah	Last Week	W, 21-14 at BYU
Regular season complete	Next Week	Regular season complete

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	WYO	NCAA	MWC	UNM	NCAA
Scoring Off.	2nd	28.5	43rd	8th	20.9	95th
Scoring Def.	4th	26.0	66th	1st	18.1	19th
Pass Off.	5th	232.2	41st	8th	118.2	114th
Pass Def.	7th	231.3	86th	5th	222.1	72nd
Rush Off.	5th	144.3	72nd	4th	163.1	53rd
Rush Def.	5th	172.0	77th	1st	99.7	10th
Total Off.	6th	376.5	58th	8th	281.3	111th
Total Def.	7th	403.3	85th	1st	321.8	27th
TO Margin	3rd	+0.40	36th	2nd	+1.30	5th
Punting	3rd	37.4	31st	5th	36.0	53rd
Punt Returns	1st	15.5	7th	5th	7.3	90th
KO Returns	4th	20.7	51st	8th	17.4	108th



WEEK 12 GAME PREVIEWS



Colorado State at Air Force
Saturday, November 20
Falcon Stadium (52,480)
Colorado Springs, Colo.
1 p.m. (MT)



GAME NOTES

QB Caleb Hanie completed 12-of-16 passes for 211 yards and two touchdowns as Colorado State cruised past UNLV, 45-10, last Saturday in Fort Collins. WR David Anderson threw a 34-yard scoring strike to fellow WR Dustin Osborn in the first quarter. Anderson was the first player other than a QB to throw a TD pass since 2001 when RB Henri Childs connected with QB Bradlee Van pelt on a 56-yard TD pass at UNLV. Air Force fell to San Diego State last week, 31-37. The Falcons were led by QB Adam Fitch, who rushed for a career-high 135 yards and two scores.

THE GAME

The annual in-state rivalry between Air Force and Colorado State dates back to 1957. Since 1980, the two teams have played for possession of the Ram-Falcon Trophy. The Rams have won three consecutive games and four of the last five. CSU leads the series 8-3 since Sonny Lubick arrived in Fort Collins in 1993. Air Force head coach Fisher DeBerry is 10-10 all-time vs. the Rams. Eleven of the last 14 games in the series have been decided by 10 points or less.

THE SERIES

Air Force leads the series 23-18-1. Last Meeting: October 16, 2003, in Fort Collins, Colo., a 30-20 Ram victory.

THE COACHES

Sonny Lubick is in his 16th season as a head coach with an all-time record of 116-69. After guiding the Rams to a 7-6 mark last season, Lubick has posted a 95-50 mark in 11-plus years in Fort Collins. 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 160-93-1 mark.

Players to Watch - Colorado State (4-6, 3-3 MWC)

Passer: Caleb Hanie (6 GP, 120-68-6, 56.7 Pct., 975 Yds, 6 TD)
Rusher: Jimmy Green (7 GP, 115 Att., 371 Yds, 3.2 Avg Per Rush, 3 TD)
Receiver: David Anderson (10 GP, 53 Rec., 895 Yds, 16.9 Avg Per Rec., 2 TD)
Tackler: Adam Lancisero (10 GP, 59-24-83, TFL 5-23, Sacks 2-12, INT 1, FR 1)

Players to Watch - Air Force (4-6, 2-4 MWC)

Passer: Adam Fitch (7 GP, 35-22-1, 62.9 Pct, 314 Yds, 1 Pass TD, 5 Rush TD)
Shaun Carney (9 GP, 131-80-6, 61.1 Pct., 1,112 Yds, 9 Pass TD; 6 Rush TD)
Rusher: Darnell Stephens (10 GP, 66 Att., 386 Yds., 5.8 Avg Per Rush, 7 TD)
Receiver: J.P. Waller (10 GP, 27 Rec., 390 Yds, 14.4 Avg Per Rec., 1 TD)
Tackler: John Rudzinski (10 GP, 27-38-65, TFL 6-18, Sack 1-9, PBU 2, FF 3)

TALE OF THE TAPE

Colorado State	Category	Air Force
4-6	Overall Record	4-6
3-3	Conference Record	2-4
Won 1	Current Streak	Lost 1
26	Touchdowns Scored	37
12	Rushing Touchdowns	27
14	Passing Touchdowns	10
31	Touchdowns Allowed	39
18	Rushing TDs Allowed	23
13	Passing TDs Allowed	16
W, 45-10 vs. UNLV	Last Week	L, 31-37 vs. SDSU
Regular season complete	Next Week	Regular season complete

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	CSU	NCAA	MWC	AFA	NCAA
Scoring Off.	5th	24.4	66th	3rd	27.9	45th
Scoring Def.	5th	27.8	75th	7th	32.5	99th
Pass Off.	3rd	264.5	19th	7th	142.6	110th
Pass Def.	1st	193.0	29th	4th	221.4	71st
Rush Off.	7th	112.0	96th	1st	267.8	4th
Rush Def.	7th	206.6	103rd	8th	209.2	104th
Total Off.	5th	376.5	58th	2nd	410.4	31st
Total Def.	6th	399.6	82nd	8th	430.6	103rd
TO Margin	7th	-1.10	109th	4th	0.00	58th
Punting	4th	37.2	35th	8th	30.8	111th
Punt Returns	8th	4.8	111th	7th	6.0	102nd
KO Returns	5th	19.8	64th	6th	19.1	77th



BYU at Utah
Saturday, November 20
Rice-Eccles Stadium (45,017)
Salt Lake City, Utah
5 p.m. (MT) - ESPN2



GAME NOTES

QB John Beck completed 22-of-37 pass attempts for 247 yards, one touchdown, and one interception in the 14-21 loss to New Mexico in Provo. WR Austin Collie led all BYU receivers with four catches for 83 yards. QB Alex Smith completed 17-of-27 passes for 244 yards and three touchdowns as Utah scored on its first five possessions in the 45-28 win at Wyoming.

THE GAME

This rivalry between BYU and Utah is so intense that the two institutions can't even agree on their series record. Independent researchers contend that the second-longest series in Ute gridiron history dates back to 1896 when BYU was known as the BY Academy. Therefore, the Utah record books have the Utes leading the series 50-31-4. However, BYU doesn't count the BY Academy years, equally removing three Ute wins and losses for a 47-28-4 record. Utah has won six of the last 10 games, including each of the last two. Utah leads 34-16-1 in Salt Lake City.

THE SERIES

Utah leads the series 47-28-4. Last Meeting: November 22, 2003, in Provo, Utah; a 3-0 Ute win.

THE COACHES

BYU is coached by Gary Crowton, who is in his fourth season. He has led the Cougars to a 26-22 record. Crowton has a 47-35 career record in his seventh season. 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 37-8. 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 - BYU (5-5, 4-2 MWC)

Passer: John Beck (10 GP, 311-175-8, 56.3 Pct., 2,350 Yds, 13 TD)
Rusher: Curtis Brown (10 GP, 140 Att., 705 Yds, 5.0 Avg Per Rush, 5 TD)
Receiver: Todd Watkins (10 GP, 48 Rec., 1,001 Yds, 20.9 Avg Per Rec., 5 TD)
Tackler: Cameron Jensen (10 GP, 48-45-93, TFL 11.5-29, Sack 1-10, INT 2, FR 2)

Players to Watch - Utah (10-0, 6-0 MWC)

Passer: Alex Smith (10 GP, 256-169-2, 66.0 Pct., 2,440 Yds, 27 Pass TD)
Rusher: Marty Johnson (10 GP, 142 Att., 727 Yds, 5.1 Avg Per Rush, 13 TD)
Receiver: Steve Savoy (10 GP, 55 Rec., 844 Yds, 15.3 Avg Per Rec., 10 TD)
Tackler: Spencer Toone (10 GP, 35-58-93, TFL 3-4, FF 1, FR 3)

TALE OF THE TAPE

BYU	Category	Utah
5-5	Overall Record	10-0
4-2	Conference Record	6-0
Lost 1	Current Streak	Won 14
27	Touchdowns Scored	58
11	Rushing Touchdowns	30
16	Passing Touchdowns	28
28	Touchdowns Allowed	26
14	Rushing TDs Allowed	18
14	Passing TDs Allowed	8
L, 14-21 vs. UNM	Last Week	W, 45-28 at WYO
Regular season complete	Next Week	Regular season complete

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	MWC	BYU	NCAA	MWC	Utah	NCAA
Scoring Off.	4th	24.6	64th	1st	45.7	2nd
Scoring Def.	3rd	24.3	54th	2nd	20.6	33rd
Pass Off.	1st	286.2	12th	1st	265.2	12th
Pass Def.	8th	233.8	87th	2nd	197.5	37th
Rush Off.	8th	106.8	103rd	2nd	234.0	11th
Rush Def.	2nd	128.8	39th	4th	158.4	69th
Total Off.	3rd	393.0	39th	1st	499.2	2nd
Total Def.	3rd	362.6	54th	2nd	355.9	46th
TO Margin	6th	-1.00	106th	1st	+1.60	1st
Punting	1st	41.8	2nd	2nd	41.1	4th
Punt Returns	4th	8.3	75th	2nd	10.5	50th
KO Returns	3rd	21.1	46th	1st	25.8	7th



2004 ATTENDANCE FIGURES

REGULAR SEASON HOME

Team	G	Total	Avg.	High
Air Force	6	231,861	38,643	50,075
BYU	6	350,759	58,460	65,251
Colorado State	6	163,776	27,296	33,501
New Mexico	4	151,075	37,769	40,182
San Diego State	4	154,427	38,607	57,216
UNLV	5	109,352	21,870	27,596
Utah	5	219,341	43,868	45,416
Wyoming	6	97,991	16,332	22,331
Total	42	1,478,582	35,204	65,251

REGULAR SEASON ROAD/NEUTRAL SITES

Team	G	Total	Avg.	High
Air Force	4	121,711	30,427	44,043
BYU	4	132,847	33,212	38,235
Colorado State	4	215,826	53,956	85,521
New Mexico	6	200,789	33,465	53,618
San Diego State	6	300,156	50,026	109,432
UNLV	5	302,254	60,451	108,625
Utah	5	167,119	33,424	52,790
Wyoming	4	174,197	43,549	65,600
Total	38	1,615,259	42,507	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	1	0	1.000
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	16	16	.500

2004 NONCONFERENCE RECORDS

Team	Ranked		
	Opp.	Div I	Overall
Air Force	0-1	1-2	2-2
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	12-16	16-16

2004 MWC TOP PERFORMANCES

Rushing Yards

- 189 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. Utah State (9/25/04)
- 180 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. Wyoming (11/6/04)
- 179 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV at Utah (10/23/04)
- 166 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico vs. Washington St. (9/3/04)
- 159 - Curtis Brown, BYU vs. Wyoming (10/16/04)
- 154 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico at Colorado State (10/30/04)
- 141 - DonTrell Moore, New Mexico at UNLV (10/16/04)
- 141 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV vs. Nevada, Reno (10/2/04)
- 135 - Adam Fitch, Air Force vs. San Diego State (11/13/04)
- 131 - Dan Shaffer, Air Force vs. E. Washington (9/11/04)
- 128 - Joseph Harris, Wyoming vs. Air Force (10/30/04)
- 128 - Curtis Brown, BYU at Air Force (10/23/04)
- 124 - Jimmy Green, Colorado State vs. Wyoming (10/22/04)
- 121 - Joseph Harris, Wyoming vs. Ole Miss (9/25/04)
- 121 - Dominique Dorsey, UNLV at Tennessee (9/5/04)
- 112 - Brandon Bornes, San Diego State vs. Utah (10/30/04)
- 115 - Adam Fitch, Air Force at Army (11/6/04)
- 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)
- 153 - Todd Watkins, BYU at Air Force (10/23/04)
- 150 - Steve Savoy, Utah at New Mexico (10/1/04)

Tackles

- 20 - Adam Lancisero, Colorado State at Utah (11/6/04)
- 20 - Adam Seward, UNLV vs. Wyoming (11/6/04)
- 19 - Heath Farwell, SDSU at Air Force (11/13/04)
- 19 - Kirk Morrison, SDSU at Air Force (11/13/04)
- 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 (5p), Utah at San Diego State (10/30/04)
- 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 - Alex Smith (4p), Utah vs. Colorado State (11/6/04)
- 4 - J.J. Raterink (4p), Wyoming at UNLV (11/6/04)
- 4 - Shane Steichen (4p), UNLV vs. Wyoming (11/6/04)
- 4 - Alex Smith (1r, 3p), Utah vs. UNLV (10/23/04)
- 4 - John Beck (4p), BYU at Air Force (10/23/04)
- 4 - Shaun Carney (3r, 1p), Air Force at Utah (9/25/04)
- 4 - Marty Johnson (4r, 0p), Utah vs. Air Force (9/25/04)



2004 WATCH LISTS

Heisman (top collegiate player)
Alex Smith, Utah

Bednarik (outstanding defensive player)
Brady Poppinga, BYU
Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Zach Morris, Wyoming

Biletnikoff (top wide receiver)
David Anderson, Colorado State
Earvin Johnson, UNLV

Butkus (outstanding linebacker)
Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Matt McCoy, San Diego State

Doak Walker (top running back)
Dominique Dorsey, UNLV

Hossman (national player of the year)
Kirk Morrison, San Diego State
Jamaal Brimmer, UNLV
Alex Smith, Utah

John Mackey Award (best tight end)
Daniel Coats, BYU
Matt Bartz, Colorado State
Jeremy Justice, San Diego State
Greg Estandia, UNLV

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

Lou Groza (outstanding kicker)
Matt Payne, BYU
Wes Zunker, New Mexico

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

Outland (top interior lineman)
Erik Pears, Colorado State
Mike Kracalik, San Diego State
Chris Kemoetau, Utah
Trenton Franz, Wyoming
Zach Morris, Wyoming

Ray Guy (outstanding punter)
Matt Payne, BYU
Gary Cook, UNLV

Rimington (outstanding center)
Ryan Cook, New Mexico
Jasper Harvey, San Diego State

Thorpe (top defensive back)
Jamaal Brimmer, UNLV

UTAH'S SMITH AND MEYER SEMIFINALISTS FOR 2004 MAXWELL AWARDS

Utah quarterback Alex Smith and head coach Urban Meyer have been named semifinalists for the 2004 Maxwell Football Club awards, honoring the nation's best collegiate football player and coach. Smith is one of 12 semifinalists for the 68th-annual Maxwell Award, which goes to the Collegiate Player of the Year. The other semifinalists include; Cedric Benson (Texas), Reggie Bush (USC), Braylon Edwards (Michigan), David Greene (Georgia), Matt Leinart (USC), Kyle Orton (Purdue), Adrian Peterson (Oklahoma), Aaron Rodgers (California), Jason White (Oklahoma), Carnell Williams (Auburn), DeAngelo Williams (Memphis). Meyer is one of nine semifinalists for the 12th-annual George Munger Coach of the Year award along with, Barry Alvarez (Wisconsin), Bobby Bowden (Florida State), Pete Carroll (USC), Larry Coker (Miami), Mark Richt (Georgia), Bob Stoops (Oklahoma), Jeff Tedford (California) and Tommy Tuberville (Auburn).

TWO MWC ATHLETES AMONG BILETNIKOFF AWARD SEMIFINALISTS

Two of the semifinalists for the 2004 Biletnikoff award were MWC players. David Anderson of Colorado State and Earvin Johnson of UNLV join Mark Clayton (Oklahoma), Braylon Edwards (Michigan), Derek Hagan (Arizona State), Chris Henry (West Virginia), Antonio Holmes (Ohio State), Chad Owens (Hawaii), Dante Ridgeway (Ball State), Taylor Stubblefield (Purdue) and Troy Williamson (South Carolina). Three finalists will be named Nov. 15, and the winner will be announced Dec. 9 on the ESPN College Football Awards Show from Orlando, Fla.

BYU'S PAYNE AND UNLV'S COOK AMONG RAY GUY AWARD SEMIFINALISTS

BYU's Matt Payne and UNLV's Gary Cook were named to the list of 10 semifinalists for the fifth-annual Ray Guy Award. The award is presented annually to the nation's top collegiate punter. Payne and Cook were selected from a list of 41 initial candidates. The 2004 Ray Guy Award recipient will be announced on Thursday, December 9, 2004 on the Home Depot College Football Awards Show, televised live on ESPN. The other semifinalists include; Dustin Colquitt (Tennessee), Brandon Fields (Michigan State), Bo Freelend (Alabama), Chris Kluwe (UCLA) and Tom Malone (Southern California), Adam Podlesh (Maryland), Daniel Sepulveda (Baylor) and Steve Weatherford (Illinois).

BYU'S PAYNE AND CSU'S BABCOCK AMONG GROZA AWARD SEMIFINALISTS

BYU's Matt Payne and Colorado State's Jeff Babcock are semifinalists for the 2004 Lou Groza Collegiate Place-Kicker Award. The finalists for the award will be honored at a banquet held on Tuesday, December 7, 2004 at the West Palm Beach Marriott. The award will then be presented at the 2004 ESPN Home Depot College Football Awards Show on Thursday, December 9, 2004 in Orlando.

WYOMING'S TRENTON FRANZ GARNERS NATIONAL SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD

Wyoming senior offensive lineman Trenton Franz was one of 15 student-athletes named to the 2004 National Scholar-Athlete Class by the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame announced Nov. 1. The 15 student-athletes come from all NCAA divisions, I-A, I-AA, II, and III and averaged a 3.7 GPA as a group. The 2004 Division I-A Scholar-Athlete Award Class is below.

Trenton Franz, Wyoming, OL, Civil Engineering
William Bajema, Oklahoma State, TE, General Business
Jeffrey Berk, West Virginia, OL, Education
David Greene, Georgia, QB, Risk Management
Josh Haldi, Northern Illinois, QB, Accounting
James Leonhard, Wisconsin, FS, Kinesiology
Michael Munoz, Tennessee, OL, Political Science
Bryan Randall, Virginia Tech, QB, Sociology

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 Kemoetau	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	73-152	48.0%	24-38	63.2%	17-36	47.2%	15-38	39.5%	17-40	42.5%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	60-133	45.1%	17-37	45.9%	20-35	57.1%	12-31	38.7%	11-30	36.7%	0-0	0.0%
BYU	55-165	33.3%	14-39	35.9%	11-47	23.4%	15-38	39.5%	15-41	36.6%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	59-163	36.2%	12-35	34.3%	14-43	32.6%	14-38	36.8%	19-47	40.4%	0-0	0.0%
Colorado State	58-146	39.7%	12-33	36.4%	13-37	35.1%	14-35	40.0%	19-41	46.3%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	55-140	39.3%	14-32	43.8%	19-44	43.2%	10-30	33.3%	12-34	35.3%	0-0	0.0%
New Mexico	49-153	32.0%	11-37	29.7%	14-44	31.8%	12-31	38.7%	12-41	29.3%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	62-160	38.8%	17-34	50.0%	14-37	37.8%	10-42	23.8%	21-47	44.7%	0-0	0.0%
San Diego State	45-156	28.8%	8-35	22.9%	15-47	31.9%	10-34	29.4%	12-40	30.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	57-161	35.4%	9-32	28.1%	15-48	31.2%	13-40	32.5%	20-41	48.8%	0-0	0.0%
UNLV	46-140	32.9%	7-32	21.9%	10-31	32.3%	13-37	35.1%	15-37	40.5%	1-3	33.3%
Opponents	64-158	40.5%	17-37	45.9%	21-47	44.7%	14-36	38.9%	11-37	29.7%	1-1	100.0%
Utah	65-129	50.4%	18-33	54.5%	20-34	58.8%	13-30	43.3%	14-32	43.8%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	51-149	34.2%	10-32	31.2%	12-43	27.9%	14-36	38.9%	15-38	39.5%	0-0	0.0%
Wyoming	68-159	42.8%	20-38	52.6%	16-43	37.2%	13-34	38.2%	18-43	41.9%	1-1	100.0%
Opponents	52-145	35.9%	13-30	43.3%	12-41	29.3%	10-36	27.8%	16-35	45.7%	1-3	33.3%

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Team	Overall	Pct.	1st Qtr	Pct.	2nd Qtr	Pct.	3rd Qtr	Pct.	4th Qtr	Pct.	OT	Pct.
Air Force	4-9	44.4%	0-1	0.0%	1-1	100.0%	2-4	50.0%	1-3	33.3%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	8-17	47.1%	1-3	33.3%	3-6	50.0%	1-2	50.0%	3-6	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
BYU	9-13	69.2%	1-1	100.0%	2-4	50.0%	1-1	100.0%	5-7	71.4%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	5-13	38.5%	0-1	0.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-2	0.0%	5-9	55.6%	0-0	0.0%
Colorado State	6-10	60.0%	1-1	100.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	4-7	57.1%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	5-13	38.5%	1-1	100.0%	2-5	40.0%	1-2	50.0%	1-5	20.0%	0-0	0.0%
New Mexico	2-7	28.6%	1-1	100.0%	1-5	20.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	10-16	62.5%	1-2	50.0%	2-3	66.7%	1-2	50.0%	6-9	66.7%	0-0	0.0%
San Diego State	12-27	44.4%	4-5	80.0%	1-4	25.0%	1-6	16.7%	6-12	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	6-14	42.9%	1-1	100.0%	1-5	20.0%	3-3	100.0%	1-5	20.0%	0-0	0.0%
UNLV	7-13	53.8%	0-1	0.0%	1-2	50.0%	1-1	100.0%	4-7	57.1%	1-2	50.0%
Opponents	4-13	30.8%	0-2	0.0%	0-3	0.0%	1-2	50.0%	3-6	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Utah	6-12	50.0%	3-3	100.0%	2-3	66.7%	1-2	50.0%	0-4	0.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	14-22	63.6%	1-1	100.0%	1-3	33.3%	4-6	66.7%	8-12	66.7%	0-0	0.0%
Wyoming	9-19	47.4%	3-5	60.0%	3-7	42.9%	0-1	0.0%	3-6	50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents	10-17	58.8%	0-1	0.0%	3-5	60.0%	3-4	75.0%	3-5	60.0%	1-2	50.0%

TIME OF POSSESSION

Team	Total	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT
Air Force	318:53	74:25	77:57	84:30	82:01	0:00
Opponents	281:07	75:35	72:03	65:30	67:59	0:00
BYU	297:27	76:33	77:03	68:59	74:52	0:00
Opponents	302:28	73:27	72:57	80:56	75:08	0:00
Colorado State	305:59	66:19	73:33	85:10	80:57	0:00
Opponents	293:41	83:41	76:27	64:46	68:47	0:00
New Mexico	296:24	81:06	78:25	70:39	66:14	0:00
Opponents	303:35	68:54	71:35	79:20	83:46	0:00
San Diego State	292:08	86:08	69:23	73:17	63:20	0:00
Opponents	307:48	63:52	80:37	76:39	86:40	0:00
UNLV	273:04	61:38	64:54	71:51	74:41	0:00
Opponents	326:46	88:22	85:06	78:09	75:09	0:00
Utah	309:41	77:58	73:04	74:07	84:32	0:00
Opponents	290:19	72:02	76:56	75:53	65:28	0:00
Wyoming	315:35	78:23	77:17	72:04	87:51	0:00
Opponents	284:25	71:37	72:43	77:56	62:09	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	37	33	210	28	21	7	5	0	2	1	1	0	0
BYU	30	22	132	17	10	7	5	4	2	1	0	1	0
Colorado State	36	27	149	17	11	6	10	1	0	2	2	1	3
New Mexico	26	21	127	16	14	2	5	3	1	1	0	0	0
San Diego State	34	22	121	14	7	7	8	5	4	1	1	1	0
UNLV	40	32	185	22	13	9	10	2	1	3	2	0	0
Utah	57	52	337	46	26	20	6	0	1	1	1	1	1
Wyoming	44	33	195	24	15	9	9	2	4	3	1	1	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	47	40	246	32	20	12	8	0	3	1	2	1	0
BYU	29	22	129	16	11	5	6	3	3	1	0	0	0
Colorado State	45	33	203	26	17	9	7	3	2	3	1	2	1
New Mexico	35	25	151	19	8	11	6	4	1	4	1	0	0
San Diego State	42	31	179	22	10	12	9	5	2	1	2	1	0
UNLV	42	31	181	22	11	11	9	4	4	1	0	1	1
Utah	28	18	112	15	12	3	3	2	3	2	3	0	0
Wyoming	40	32	182	22	15	7	10	1	2	1	2	1	1



MWC SINGLE-GAME RECORDS UPDATE (ALL GAMES)

INDIVIDUAL

TOTAL OFFENSE

MOST PLAYS

T-1. 75(67p, 8r) John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV10/8/04
T-So. Record: .75, John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV10/8/04

RUSHING

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

T-2. 4Marty Johnson So., (Utah) vs. Air Force9/25/04

PASSING

PASSING ATTEMPTS

1. 67John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV10/8/04
So. Record: .67, John Beck, So., (BYU) vs. UNLV10/8/04

PASSING TOUCHDOWNS

T-1. 5Alex Smith, Jr., (Utah) at San Diego State10/30/04

RECEIVING

YARDS

5. 232David Anderson, Jr., (CSU) vs. BYU10/2/04

PUNTING

NUMBER OF PUNTS

1. 14Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah10/1/04
2. 12Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU10/8/04
Jr. Record: .14, Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah10/1/04
Sr. Record: .12, Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU10/8/04

PUNT YARDS

1. 579Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah10/1/04
2. 526Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU10/8/04
Jr. Record: .579, Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah10/1/04
Sr. Record: .526, Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU10/8/04

PUNT AVERAGE

4. 579Tyler Gaus, Jr., (UNM) vs. Utah10/1/04
5. 526Gary Cook, Sr., (UNLV) vs. BYU10/8/04

LONGEST PUNT

1. 90Donny Heaton, Jr., (AFA) vs. Utah9/25/04
2. 89Jeff Babcock, Sr., (CSU) vs. New Mexico10/30/04
3. 79Matt Payne, Sr., (BYU) vs. USC9/18/04
Jr. Record: .90, Donny Heaton, Jr., (AFA) vs. Utah9/25/04
Sr. Record: .79, Matt Payne, Sr., (BYU) vs. USC9/18/04

PUNT RETURNS

LONGEST PUNT RETURN

T-2. 87Josh Barge, Jr., (WYO) vs. Ole Miss9/25/04

DEFENSE

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

T-5. 79Joe Miklos Jr., (UNLV) vs. Nevada, Reno10/2/04

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN

T-5. 79Joe Miklos Jr., (UNLV) vs. Nevada, Reno10/2/04
T-Jr. Record: .79, Joe Miklos Jr., (UNLV) vs. Nevada, Reno10/2/04

TEAM

SCORING

TOUCHDOWNS - GAME

T-1. 7Utah at Utah State9/18/04
T-1. 7Utah vs. Air Force9/25/04

POINTS - GAME (CONF. ONLY)

T-1. 63Utah vs. Colorado State11/6/04
T-1. 63Utah vs. UNLV10/22/04

POINTS - QUARTER

T-2. 28UNLV vs. Nevada, Reno10/2/04

POINTS - HALF

T-2. 41Utah at Utah State9/18/04
T-2. 41Wyoming vs. Appalachian State9/4/04

POINTS - TWO TEAMS

3rd. 98Wyoming (53) at UNLV (45) [3ot]11/6/04

PASSING

ATTEMPTS

1. 68BYU vs. UNLV10/8/04

TOTAL OFFENSE

YARDS - GAME

3. 669Utah vs. North Carolina10/16/04

DEFENSE

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

4. 117UNLV vs. Nevada, Reno10/2/04

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED

T-3. 8Utah at New Mexico10/1/04

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED - RUSHING

T-2. 1New Mexico vs. Washington State9/3/04

PENALTIES

MOST PENALTIES - ONE TEAM

1. 22UNLV vs. Wyoming11/6/04

MOST YARDAGE - ONE TEAM

1. 167UNLV vs. Wyoming11/6/04

MOST PENALTIES - TWO TEAMS

T-3. 26UNLV (22) vs. Wyoming (4)11/6/04



2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE FOOTBALL TELEVISION SCHEDULE

(National and regional broadcasts as of Nov. 15, 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	Wis 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	CSU 30-7	National
Sat., Oct. 23	BYU at Air Force	ESPN+Plus	BYU 41-24	Regional
Sat., Oct. 23	San Diego State at New Mexico	SportsWest	UNM 19-9	Local
Sat., Oct. 23	UNLV at Utah	ERT at UNLV/KJZZ (SLC)	Utah 63-28	Local
Sat., Oct. 30	New Mexico at Colorado State	ESPN+Plus	UNM 26-17	Regional
Sat., Oct. 30	Utah at San Diego State	KJZZ (SLC)	Utah 51-28	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	Air Force at Army	Altitude	Army 31-22	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	San Diego State at BYU	ESPN+Plus	BYU 49-16	Regional
Sat., Nov. 6	Wyoming at UNLV	SportsWest	WYO 52-45 3 ot	Local
Sat., Nov. 6	Colorado State at Utah	ESPN2	Utah 63-31	National
Sat., Nov. 13	New Mexico at BYU	SportsWest	UNM 21-14	Local
Sat., Nov. 13	UNLV at Colorado State	SportsWest/FSN RM	CSU 45-10	Local
Sat., Nov. 13	San Diego State at Air Force	ESPN+Plus	SDSU 37-31	Regional
Sat., Nov. 13	Utah at Wyoming	ABC	Utah 45-28	Regional
Sat., Nov. 20	Wyoming at New Mexico	ESPN+Plus	1:00 p.m. MT	Regional
Sat., Nov. 20	BYU at Utah	ESPN2	5:00 p.m. MT	National
Sat., Nov. 20	UNLV at San Diego State	SportsWest	7:00 p.m. PT	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.

\$ Telecasts came on the air at 5:30 p.m. MT; actual kick time was 5:45 p.m. MT.

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 was available nationwide on all CSTV cable/satellite affiliates and outlets. SportsWest distributed the game via syndication, including KUTV in the Salt Lake and additional clearances in outer markets (e.g., Amarillo, Phoenix, Tulsa and Wyoming). KRON-TV carried the game on simulcast in the Bay Area.

~ As part of a supplemental cable agreement between ESPN Regional and Altitude Sports & Entertainment, this ESPN+Plus production was distributed to the full Altitude regional cable footprint. Thus, ERT overlapped its own syndicated MWC Game of the Week to some degree with regionally-distributed product on two different platforms. In this case, Altitude was a regional affiliate of ESPN Regional, rather than the local rights holder for Air Force. Thus, distribution beyond the local DMA was permitted.



2004 MOUNTAIN WEST CONFERENCE SCHEDULE/RESULTS

AIR FORCE FALCONS (4-6, 2-4 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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 #14 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	L 24-41	BYU (ESPN+Plus)	38,235
10/30	L 26-43	at Wyoming	13,716
11/6	W 31-22	at Army (Altitude)	40,129
11/13	L 31-37	San Diego State (ESPN+Plus)	28,514
11/20		Colorado State	1 p.m. MT

SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS (3-7, 1-5 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	L 9-19	at New Mexico (SportsWest)	37,287
10/30	L 28-51	#9/10 Utah (KJZZ-SLC)	32,683
11/6	L 16-49	at BYU (ESPN+Plus)	53,345
11/13	W 37-31	at Air Force (ESPN+Plus)	28,514
11/20		UNLV (SportsWest)	7 p.m. PT

BYU COUGARS (5-5, 4-2 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	W 41-24	at Air Force (ESPN+Plus)	38,235
11/6	W 49-16	San Diego State (ESPN+Plus)	53,345
11/13	L 14-21	New Mexico (SportsWest)	53,618
11/20		at Utah (ESPN2)	5 p.m. MT

UNLV REBELS (2-8, 1-5 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	L 28-63	#9/10 at Utah (ERT at UNLV/KJZZ)	40,341
11/6	L 45-53 3ot	Wyoming (SportsWest)	19,752
11/13	L 10-45	at Colorado State (SportsWest/FSN-RM)	14,876
11/20		at San Diego State (SportsWest)	7 p.m. PT

COLORADO STATE RAMS (4-6, 3-3 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	W 30-7	Wyoming (ESPN2)	30,108
10/30	L 17-26	New Mexico (ESPN+Plus)	24,573
11/6	L 31-63	at #7/8 Utah (ESPN2)	44,222
11/13	W 45-10	UNLV (SportsWest/FSN-RM)	14,876
11/20		at Air Force	1 p.m. MT

UTAH UTES (10-0, 6-0 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	W 63-28	UNLV (ERT at UNLV/KJZZ)	40,341
10/30	W 51-28	at San Diego State (KJZZ-SLC)	32,683
11/6	W 63-31	Colorado State (ESPN2)	44,222
11/13	W 45-28	at Wyoming (ABC)	17,074
11/20		BYU (ESPN2)	5 p.m. MT

NEW MEXICO LOBOS (6-4, 4-2 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	W 19-9	San Diego State (SportsWest)	37,287
10/30	W 26-17	at Colorado State (ESPN+Plus)	24,573
11/13	W 21-14	at BYU (SportsWest)	53,618
11/20		Wyoming (ESPN+Plus)	1 p.m. MT

WYOMING COWBOYS (6-4, 3-3 MWC)

Date	Score	Opponent	Attn/Time
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	L 7-30	at Colorado State (ESPN2)	30,108
10/30	W 43-26	Air Force	13,716
11/6	W 53-45 3ot	at UNLV (SportsWest)	19,752
11/13	L 28-45	# 7/8 Utah (ABC)	17,074
11/20		at New Mexico (ESPN+Plus)	1 p.m. MT