



Buck Shaw Stadium



Na me d packed house assembled to watch after former North Carolina beat Santa Clara, Santa Clara Notre Dame and Portland for the football coach, NCAA Championship. The two-day Lawrence T. attendance of 17,600 was a record for the event, and the 8,800 that filled the expanded seating on each day of the tournament marked the largest crowds ever to watch a collegiate women's soccer game in U.S. history.

"Buck" Shaw, Buck Shaw Stadium has served as a showcase for some of Santa Clara University's proudest athletic achievements since the facility opened in 1962. Besides serving as the home for the Bronco soccer team, the 6,800-seat facility also housed Santa Clara baseball until 2005.

The stadium was dedicated on October 6, 1962, prior to the football game between Santa Clara and Occidental, but was first used in the Broncos' loss to UC Davis on Sept. 22, 1962. Through the years, the spirit of Buck Shaw has been kept alive by the many great athletes who have competed on the stadium's turf over the past 44 years.

Buck Shaw Stadium earned national attention 11 years ago, when it played host to the 1996 NCAA Women's College Cup. Earlier in the season, a crowd of 3,714, a SCU regular-season soccer attendance record, came to watch the Santa Clara women defeat top-ranked Notre Dame 3-1. On Dec. 6 and 8, a

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The Santa Clara men's and women's soccer teams have used the facility to great advantage. From 1988 through '92, the men's squad put together a 43-match unbeaten streak in Buck Shaw, including five home victories in the NCAA Tournament in 1989 and '91. The women's team has compiled a 183-25-12 mark on the home turf since 1986, including a 32-match win streak from 1997-2000, and in 1989, '90, '97, '98,

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Buck Shaw Stadium Directions

From Interstate 280, take Interstate 880 north toward Oakland. Exit at The Alameda, and follow The Alameda for approximately one mile as it winds into campus. Signs direct visitors to the Buck Shaw Stadium parking lot. From southbound Highway 101, exit at De La Cruz Boulevard. Veer right when De La Cruz splits between San Jose and Santa Clara. Turn right at Lafayette Street and then another right on El Camino Real. Buck Shaw Stadium will be on the right.

Records at Buck Shaw

Team

Most Goals
13, vs. Sacramento State, 10/29/80
Most Assists
13 vs. Sacramento State, 10/29/80;
vs. San Jose State, 9/19/89
Biggest Margin of Victory
13, vs. Sacramento State, 10/29/80
Most Shots
38, vs. CS Hayward, 9/17/94
Most Saves
7, vs. USE, 11/3/94 ; vs. FIU, 9/21/05

Fastest Goal
0:29, Alberto Cruz vs.
Sacramento State, 9/17/91

Opponent Team Records

Most Goals
5, four times, last by UCLA, 9/7/86
Most Assists
5, UCLA, 9/7/86
Biggest Margin of Victory
5, three times, last by UCLA, 9/7/86
Most Shots
36, California, 10/1/85
Most Saves
14, CS Stanislaus, 10/16/89

Individual

Most Goals
3, five times, last by Jamil Walker
vs. Saint Mary's, 11/2/02
Most Assists
6, Mark Abele vs.
Sacramento State, 10/29/80
Most Shots
8, John Nicholson vs.
San Diego State, 9/25/85
Most Saves
7, Peter Zaratini vs. USE, 11/3/94;
Kevin Sweeney vs. FIU, 9/21/05

Top-10 Men's Soccer Crowds at Buck Shaw Stadium

Date	Opponent	Att.
Nov. 18, 1989	Fresno State *	4,715
Sept. 22, 2006	San Jose State+	4,017
Dec. 2, 1995	Portland *	3,836
Nov. 23, 1991	Fresno State *	3,366
Sept. 21, 1996	California	3,213
Oct. 4, 1991	Washington	3,208
Sept. 19, 1990	UCLA	2,956
Nov. 13, 1993	USF *	2,700
Nov. 15, 1991	Stanford *	2,665
Sept. 18, 1993	California	2,632

* NCAA Tournament game; +Doubleheader

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Year	W	L	T	Pct.
1978	8	2	1	.773
1979	5	4	0	.556
1980	6	5	1	.542
1981	7	2	0	.778
1982	3	3	1	.500
1983	8	4	0	.667
1984	0	10	0	.000
1985	5	6	1	.438
1986	5	4	5	.536
1987	7	2	0	.778
1988	8	1	1	.850
1989	13	0	1	.964
1990	8	0	2	.900
1991	13	0	1	.964
1992	4	3	0	.571
1993	9	1	1	.864
1994	5	2	1	.688
1995	8	3	1	.708
1996	4	2	1	.643
1997	7	2	0	.778
1998	8	1	1	.850
1999	8	2	0	.800
2000	5	2	0	.714
2001	5	5	0	.500
2002	8	1	0	.889
2003	8	0	2	.900
2004	7	2	0	.778
2005	7	1	1	.833
2006	5	2	3	.650
Totals	194	72	25	.710