

February 2008 Issue

The Bronco Bulletin

Santa Clara University

Letter from Coach Bento-Jackson:

Hello Bronco Fans,

I'm sure all of you have recuperated from the holidays by now and are working hard in accomplishing your new year's resolutions. As for me, well I already failed at my resolution as I just can not give up ice cream.

As for the Broncos, we are currently 15-4 overall and 4-1 in conference. We are coming off a great weekend in which we pulled off two victories at home. One of the wins was against San Diego who was picked to finish first in our conference in the pre-season polls. It was definitely a crazy ending to a basketball game and it took Chandice Cronk hitting two free throws to seal the win for us. A special moment for Chandice's parents who traveled from Alaska and were in attendance to see their daughter put two terrific performances together.

Between the two games, I was most proud of the defensive performance our girls put on versus San Francisco. We set the tone from the beginning of the game and did a good job of sustaining our defensive effort as we held San Francisco to 31% from the field. In particular, Sara Majors had a very tough defensive assignment in guarding one of the top players in the conference. If looking at a stat sheet you might not think so, but Sara definitely took Dominique Carter out of her comfort zone and made her work for every shot that she took.

To finish out the month, we are now heading to the cold northwest where we will face a much improved Portland team and a very talented Gonzaga team. As always, they will be two games which present many challenges for our basketball team, however, I am confident that our girls are up for the challenge as they have responded well to the many challenges thus far throughout the year.

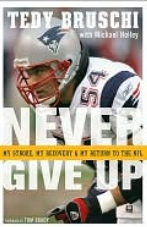

For all you football fans, enjoy the Super Bowl – GO PATRIOTS!!!

Sincerely,

Coach Bento-Jackson



Michelle Bento-Jackson

<u>Book of The Month</u>	<u>Quote of The Month</u>	<u>February Events</u>
<p data-bbox="198 1549 678 1669"><u>Never Give Up: My Stroke, My Recovery, and My Return to the NFL</u></p>  <p data-bbox="360 1717 673 1801">By Tedy Bruschi and Michael Holley</p>	<p data-bbox="701 1549 1039 1764">“Champions are not champions because they do anything extraordinary, but because they do ordinary things better than anyone else.”</p>  <p data-bbox="857 1801 1015 1837">-Chuck Noll</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="1058 1486 1404 1516">• Feb. 2 @Gonzaga 2PM <li data-bbox="1058 1522 1383 1551">• Feb. 4 Breakfast Club <li data-bbox="1058 1558 1372 1587">• Feb. 5 Stanford 7PM <li data-bbox="1058 1593 1421 1623">• Feb. 9 @St. Mary's 7PM <li data-bbox="1058 1629 1421 1659">• Feb. 14 Pepperdine 7PM <li data-bbox="1058 1665 1339 1719">• Feb. 16 LMU 2PM (Alumni Day) <li data-bbox="1058 1726 1356 1755">• Feb. 21 @USD 7PM <li data-bbox="1058 1761 1372 1791">• Feb. 23 @ USF 7 PM <li data-bbox="1058 1797 1383 1827">• Feb. 28 Gonzaga 7PM

3-Point Club Update

With only about a month left in the season, we are at 152 3 point field goals. We are also 4th in the nation in in 3-point field goals made and 10th in 3-point field goal percentage as of January 24.



For more information on the 3-point Club please contact Assistant Coach Anna Martin at (408) 554-6984 or at ADMartin@scu.edu

Don't Forget!

We are having our Alumni Day on February 16th for our 2PM game against LMU. All attending alumni will be honored at halftime.



Come on out with your friends and family to support your Broncos, past and present!

SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Instructional Camp
(6th-12th Grade)
June 23-26, 2008

Team Camp
(HS Varsity Teams)
June 29-July 1, 2008



Position Camp
(9th-12th Grade)
July 31-August 2, 2008

Bronco Buddies Camp
(K-5th Grade)
August 7-10 (9AM-NOON only)

Bronco Sharpshooters Camp
(6th-8th Grade)
August 7-10 (2-5 PM only)

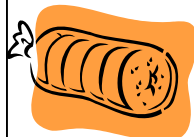
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Breakfast Club!

Come join Coach Bento and the staff on February 4th at 7AM for our monthly Breakfast Club. We will have Noah's bagels, coffee, and orange juice for you as you get to hear from players and coaches about the past month's experiences and what is up next for the Broncos. Prizes will be awarded for trivia questions and raffle contest as well. The cost is only \$5. Parking passes will be handed out at 6:45AM. Please RSVP to Blake Malcolm at (408) 554-5018 or BMalcolm@scu.edu.



See you there!



Bowling for Broncos!

Come out and have some fun bowling at Strike-Cupertino while you help the Bronco's raise money for the team. There will be food, drinks, billiards, and of course, bowling. Form teams of up to 4 or bowl as a Free Agent. Prizes will be awarded to the top team and top bowler. Contestants will be given a T-Shirt and gift bag for the event. Teams can have a member of the Broncos team of your choice bowl one frame for your team for \$5. Raffle tickets will be available throughout the event and silent auction will also take place during the event. The winners will be announced during the award ceremony after bowling. For any questions, please contact Blake Malcolm at (408) 554-5018 or bmalcolm@scu.edu



We'll see you there!

Prices:

Team of 4 - \$800

Doubles - \$450

Free Agent - \$250

Date: April 17, 2008

Schedule

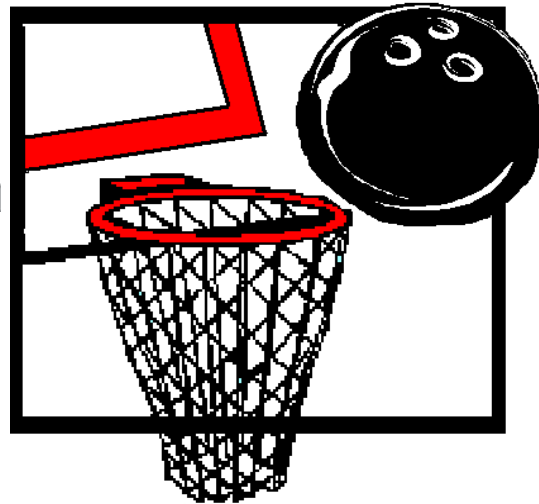
5:30 - 6:00 Registration

6:00 - 8:00 Bowling/Dinner

8:00 - 8:30 Awards and prizes



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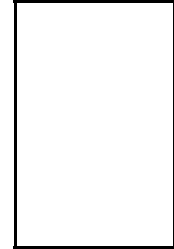
ALL DAY. EVERY DAY.
OUR GAME.™

Pack the House Challenge
vs
Feb. 16 LMU 2 pm

The Pack the House Challenge is a contest among participating schools in which the goal is to sell out or have the largest percent increase from the 2006-07 season. Each conference will have a winner and the representing team from each of the 32 conferences will be evaluated against each other and a champion will be announced on March 3. **Make sure you come out February 16th for our Pack the House Challenge against LMU. Come out and help us set a Santa Clara record for attendance and help us win the Pack the House Challenge!**

COME OUT AND WEAR RED! SHOW YOUR BRONCO SPIRIT!

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11/9/07	L 51-62	at Nevada	Reno, Nev.	7:00 p.m. PT
11/13/07	W 62-52	at Washington State	Pullman, Wash.	7:00 p.m. PT
11/17/07	W 73-51	vs. Boise State	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
11/20/07	W 69-61	vs. Bradley (Alaska Shootout)	Anchorage, Alaska	9:00 p.m. PT
11/21/07	L 50-52	vs. Alaska Anchorage	Anchorage, Alaska	3:00 p.m. PT
11/25/07	W 70-55	vs. Long Beach State	Santa Clara, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
11/29/07	L 95-82	vs. UC Santa Barbara	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
12/1/07	W 67-60	at Sacramento State	Sacramento, Calif.	2:05 p.m. PT
12/8/07	W 71-64	at Pacific	Stockton, Calif.	5:00 p.m. PT
12/12/07	W 79-72	at Cal Poly	San Luis Obispo, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
12/21/07	W 78-58	vs. San Jose State	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
12/29/07	W 76-66	vs. Northern Arizona	Santa Clara, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
12/31/07	W 88-38	vs. CS Fullerton	Santa Clara, Calif.	5:00 p.m. PT
01/4/08	W 78-75	vs. Cal State Bakersfield	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/12/08	L 74-71	vs. Saint Mary's*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/17/08	W 81-57	at Loyola Marymount	Los Angeles, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/19/08	W 71-66	at Pepperdine	Malibu, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
01/24/08	W 66-64	vs. San Diego*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/26/08	W 57-50	vs. San Francisco*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/30/08		at Portland*	Portland, Ore.	7:00 p.m. PT
02/2/08		at Gonzaga*	Spokane, Wash.	2:00 p.m. PT
02/5/08		vs. Stanford	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
02/9/08		at Saint Mary's*	Moraga, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
02/14/08		vs. Pepperdine*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
02/16/08		vs. Loyola Marymount*	Santa Clara, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
02/21/08		at San Diego*	San Diego, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
02/23/08		at San Francisco*	San Francisco, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
02/28/08		vs. Gonzaga*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
03/1/08		vs. Portland*	Santa Clara, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT