
THE BRONCO BULLETIN

November 2007

Hello Bronco Fans,

I hope this letter finds you in good spirits and you are as excited about the upcoming basketball season as the Broncos are.

It has been a while since I have touched base with you and I have a couple new updates. I am excited to share with you that I have added three Broncos to our staff. Michelle Cozad has returned to Santa Clara after one year of coaching at her alma mater Delta Community College. Anna Martin has also joined our staff as she just completed her basketball career in the spring and received her degree in Psychology. These two young ladies, in addition to Jenn Bradley, truly know what it means to be a Bronco as they all played for me. They have a complete understanding of my philosophies and they all have a winning mentality.

Lastly, we have added a new position on our staff. Blake Malcolm joins the staff as our Director of Basketball Operations. He is a graduate of Long Beach State, where he worked with the men's basketball program, and he is currently working on his masters in Sports Management at San Jose State. I love the dynamic of our staff and I have surrounded our players with hard workers, people that are passionate about our program and above all terrific people.

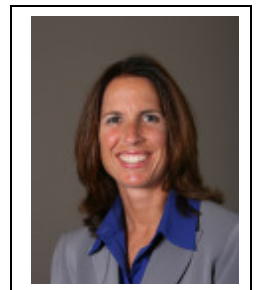
You will also be seeing new faces on the basketball court as we have five new freshmen. This past summer the freshmen attended summer school and were able to get an early taste of what their experiences at Santa Clara were going to be like. They are all transitioning to college both in the classroom and on the courts and I am very pleased with their progress thus far.

The team has definitely shown that they are committed to working hard as we prepare for the season. We have completed three weeks of pre-season conditioning and on October 12th we began practice. The girls are pushing each other to reach new heights and we as coaches have been happy with their efforts in practices.

We hope you had a wonderful summer and are ready to get back onto the basketball courts to support the Broncos.

Sincerely,

Michelle Bento-Jackson



Chandice Cronk wins WCC Sportmanship Award

On Thursday October 18, Chandice Cronk, along with Brody Angley, received Good Sportsmanship Awards from the West Coast Conference. "Chandice has been a joy to coach over the past three years and she has continued to improve throughout her career," Coach Bento says. "She will leave Santa Clara University as probably the best pure shooter to ever wear a Bronco uniform. Chandice is a hard worker, a competitor, and definitely leads by example.

Chandice has shown her teammates and coaches that she is ready and wanting to do whatever it takes for our team to be successful this year. We have high expectations of Chandice this year and she is one that we will depend on for offensive production."



Meet the Team: Our Freshman

Nicole Gall

How do you spend most of your free time?

“Sleeping A LOT, laying in the sun, and doing outdoorsy stuff.”

What is your favorite aspect about Santa Clara University?

“The location/beautiful campus and of course the basketball team.”

What is your greatest accomplishment so far?

“Getting a full ride scholarship to Santa Clara.”



Kathy Willinsky

How do you spend most of your free time?

“In my free time I like to hang out with my friends and go shopping.”

What is your favorite aspect about Santa Clara University?

“My favorite aspect of Santa Clara is the campus, especially all the flowers and the mission church.”

What is your greatest accomplishment so far?

“My greatest accomplishment so far is being able to play basketball at the Division I level school.”



Rhianna Faithfull

How do you spend most of your free time?

“In my free time I enjoy clowning around with mates, watching movies, going to the beach.”

What is your favorite aspect about Santa Clara University?

“My favorite aspect of Santa Clara is our team, the campus, and the beautiful California weather.”

What is your greatest accomplishment so far?

“My greatest accomplishment is moving from Australia and earning a Division I scholarship.”



Becky Goll

How do you spend most of your free time?

When I have free time, I like to call up my family and friends from back home to check on how things are going.

What is your favorite aspect about Santa Clara University?

My favorite aspect is the convenience of everything on and off campus, whether it is the bank, Costco, or San Francisco.

What is your greatest accomplishment so far?

My greatest accomplishment is passing the AP calculus test.



Kelli Parker

How do you spend most of your free time?

I don't really have a lot of free time, but when I do have it, I like to hang out with friends, eat junk food, and just live life!!

What is your favorite aspect about Santa Clara University?

I love the diversity!! and also that our school is BEAUTIFUL!! But my favorite aspect of Santa Clara, personally, is the fact that I can see a lot of my family whenever I want because my mom's side mostly lives up here

What is your greatest accomplishment so far?

My greatest accomplishment so far is just being able to say that I am a Bronco! I always wanted to go to an amazing college and play sports, and I'm so happy with the choice that I made. The girls are great, the classes are awesome, and the coaches just top off the perfect school in my mind!



Broncos Participate in Breast Cancer Walk at Golden Gate Park



To help support with the fight against Breast Cancer, on October 20 the Santa Clara Women's Team raised \$3,171. Thanks for your donations!



More new additions to our team...

Coach Michelle Cozad Coach Anna Martin



**Director of Basketball Operations
Blake Malcolm**



November Events

- Nov. 4 Exhibition vs. SF State
- Nov. 9 @ Nevada
- Nov. 13 @ Washington St.
- Nov. 11 vs. Boise State
- Nov. 20-21 Alaska Shootout
- Nov. 25 vs. Long Beach State
- Nov. 29 vs. UCSB

Motivational Quote of the Month

“Higher Expectations produce higher results.”

Book of the Month

Geno: In Pursuit of Perfection by Geno Auriemma, Jackie MacMullan, and Diana Taurasi

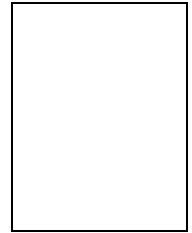
Breakfast Club Announcements

The 1st Breakfast Club meeting of the 2007-08 season will be held on Nov. 5 in the University Suite in the Leavey Center. The meeting will start at 7am with discussion from coaches and players about the season. Noah's bagels, coffee, and refreshments will served. Parking Passes will be handed out prior to the meeting in front of the Leavey Center. A great way to start off your day for only \$5! Any questions, please contact

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Future Breakfast Club Meetings: Dec. 3, Jan. 7, Feb. 4, March TBA

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11/9/07	at Nevada	Reno, Nev.	7:00 p.m. PT
11/13/07	at Washington State	Pullman, Wash.	7:00 p.m. PT
11/17/07	vs. Boise State	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
11/20/07	vs. Bradley (Alaska Shootout)	Anchorage, Alaska	9:00 p.m. PT
11/21/07	vs. Alaska Shootout	Anchorage, Alaska	TBA
11/25/07	vs. Long Beach State	Santa Clara, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
11/29/07	vs. UC Santa Barbara	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
12/1/07	at Sacramento State	Sacramento, Calif.	2:05 p.m. PT
12/8/07	at Pacific	Stockton, Calif.	5:00 p.m. PT
12/12/07	at Cal Poly	San Luis Obispo, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
12/21/07	vs. San Jose State	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
12/29/07	vs. Northern Arizona	Santa Clara, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
12/31/07	vs. CS Fullerton	Santa Clara, Calif.	5:00 p.m. PT
01/4/08	vs. Cal State Bakersfield	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/12/08	vs. Saint Mary's*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/17/08	at Loyola Marymount	Los Angeles, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/19/08	at Pepperdine	Malibu, Calif.	2:00 p.m. PT
01/24/08	vs. San Diego*	Santa Clara, Calif.	7:00 p.m. PT
01/26/08	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