

2003 Game Recaps

September 28, 2003

ANTEATERS SHUT OUT NEVADA 3-0

Irvine, Calif. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (6-2-2) shut out the Nevada Wolf Pack (2-7) 3-0 at Anteater Stadium.

Sophomore Lindsay Duke (LaVerne/Bonita HS) earned her first goal of the season as she blasted the ball into goalkeeper Megan Tarpenning and had it sneak across the goal line in the 24th minute. Freshman Lauryn Birkinshaw (Aliso Niguel HS) picked up the assist on the goal. Freshman Britney Webster (Capistrano Valley HS) launched a shot from 20 yards out past Tarpenning to put the 'Eaters up 2-0. Sophomore Kim Lloyd (Monrovia HS) scored on a cross from Birkinshaw in the 62nd minute. Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Aliso Niguel HS) picked up her sixth shutout of the season with three saves on the afternoon. Goalkeeper Megan Tarpenning had four saves on the afternoon for the Wolf Pack.

September 21, 2003

ANTEATERS TIE #21 USC; 0-0 IN DOUBLE OVERTIME

Los Angeles - The UC Irvine Anteaters (5-2-2) tied the No. 21 USC Trojans (3-3-2) 0-0 after double overtime in Los Angeles.

Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver earned her fifth shutout of the season and picked up five saves against the Trojans. Welliver dropped her goals against average to 0.35. Her five shutouts this season have moved her to eighth on the all-time UCI list in her first season. Trojan goalkeeper Julie Peterson picked up a pair of saves as she earned the shutout for USC.

The Anteaters will host the Nevada Wolf Pack on Sunday, Sept. 28th. at 1:00 p.m. at Anteater Stadium.

September 19, 2003

ANTEATERS SHUT OUT BOISE STATE 2-0

Irvine, Calif. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (5-2-1) shut out the Boise State Broncos (2-5) 2-0 at Anteater Stadium.

Senior captain Caroline Kabe (Palos Verdes Estates/Peninsula HS) knocked in what would be the gamewinner on a penalty kick at 53:08. Senior Hayley McNallan (Tacoma, WA/Curtis HS) hooked up with sophomore Lauren Baer (Thousand Oaks/Westlake HS) as Baer knocked in her first goal of the year just a minute and ten seconds after Kabe's goal. Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Aliso Niguel HS) earned her fourth shutout on the season and picked up three saves. Bronco goalkeeper Kim Parker had one save and allowed the two goals.

September 14, 2003

ANTEATERS SHUTOUT PORTLAND STATE; 1-0

Missoula, Montana. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (4-2-1) defeated the Portland State Vikings (1-4) 1-0 at the Montana Diadora Cup in Missoula.

Senior forward Hayley McNallan (Tacoma, WA/Curtis HS) scored the gamewinner less than a minute into the second half as her free kick got past Viking goalie Joell Giger. McNallan has four goals on the year, including two gamewinners and is now tied for seventh on UCI's all-time goal list. Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Laguna Niguel HS) earned her third shutout of the season while picking up two saves.

Junior Alyson Spencer (Temecula/Chapparal HS), senior Leah Dawson (Anaheim Hills/Long Beach CC) and junior Tara Weldon (Los Angeles/Immaculate Heart HS) were each named to the Diadora Cup All-Tournament Team.

September 12, 2003

ANTEATERS FALL TO MONTANA 1-0

Missoula, Montana. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (3-2-1) lost to the Montana Grizzlies (1-3-1) 1-0 in the Montana Diadora Cup in Missoula.

Jaime Rizzuto scored the game's lone goal in the 65th minute with assists to Tara Schwager and Lindsay Winans. Anteater goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Laguna Niguel HS) picked up four saves for UCI. Sarah Braseth earned the shutout for the Grizzlies and had four saves on the night.

September 7, 2003

ANTEATERS TOP AKRON 2-0

Irvine, Calif. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (3-1-1) defeated the Akron Zips (1-2-1) 2-0 in the UC Irvine Nike Holiday Inn Invitational at Anteater Stadium.

Sophomore Kim Lloyd (Monrovia HS) knocked in the game winning shot off of a corner kick by senior Hayley McNallan (Tacoma, WA/Curtis HS) in the 65th minute. McNallan would seal the victory for UCI in the 82nd minute with a shot 20 yards out into the upper right corner of the net. Junior Tara Weldon (Los Angeles/Immaculate Heart HS) headed the ball to McNallan for the assist.

Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Aliso Niguel HS) earned her second straight shutout in the match and had four saves for UCI. Junior goalkeeper Crystal Tabor had three saves on the day for the Zips.

The UC Irvine Nike Holiday Inn Invitational Offensive Co-MVP's were Hayley McNallan for UCI and Kandace Wilson for Cal State Fullerton. Defensive MVP for the tournament was junior Alyson Spencer (Temecula/Chaparral HS) of UC Irvine and the Goalkeeper MVP went to Marissa Welliver of UCI.

September 5, 2003

ANTEATERS AND LOBOS TIE 0-0 IN DOUBLE OVERTIME

Irvine, Calif. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (2-1-1) and the New Mexico Lobos (0-1-1) tied 0-0 in double overtime at the UC Irvine Nike Holiday Invitational at Anteater Stadium.

Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Aliso Niguel HS) earned her first career shutout in the match and had one save. Junior goalkeeper Kristen Winters earned the shutout for the Lobos. Winters picked up six saves for New Mexico. The Anteaters had 14 shots on the night and the Lobos had six.

September 1, 2003

ANTEATERS WIN SOCCER TOWN CLASSIC AFTER 4-1 WIN OVER SAN DIEGO STATE

Fullerton, Calif. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (2-1) won the Cal State Fullerton Soccer Town Classic as they defeated the San Diego State Aztecs (0-2) 4-1 in Fullerton. The win is the first over San Diego State since 1996 for UCI.

The 'Eaters got on the board early as sophomore Kim Lloyd (Monrovia HS) knocked in the first of her two goals on the afternoon from 18-yards out in the fifth minute after an assist from senior Caroline Kabe (Palos Verdes Estates/Peninsula HS). Senior Hayley McNallan added what would be the gamewinning goal on a chip shot over the Aztec goalkeeper. Sophomore Lindsay Duke (LaVerne/Bonita HS) earned the assist on the play. Kim Lloyd would get her second goal of the afternoon on a short cross from junior Lachelle Manzano in the 28th minute; senior Leah Dawson (Anaheim Hills/Long Beach CC) also earned an assist on the play. The 'Eaters scored their first three goals on just five shots.

In the second half, freshman Lauryn Birkinshaw (Aliso Niguel HS) earned her first career goal off an assist by junior Tara Weldon (Los Angeles/Immaculate Heart HS) in the 70th minute. The Aztecs got on the board in the 72nd minute as Kim Castellanos converted a penalty kick past goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Laguna Niguel HS).

August 30, 2003

UCI TOPS FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON 3-0

Fullerton, Calif. - The UC Irvine women's soccer team exploded for three goals in the second half and outshot Fairleigh Dickinson 21-6 for the match as the Anteaters opened the 2003 SOCCER TOWN Classic with a 3-0 victory over the Knights on Saturday evening at Titan Stadium.

UCI evens its record at 1-1 overall while the Knights drop their season opener and fall to 0-1 overall on the year.

After a scoreless first half, UCI junior Angie Mouw scored the first goal of the year for the Anteaters off a cross from teammate Brittany Webster. Webster's cross went over the head of the FDU keeper to a waiting Mouw, who headed the ball just inside the near post for the 1-0 lead. Hayley McNallan would add a second goal in the 84th minute, taking advantage of a yellow card called against the Knights, bending a free kick to the far post from just outside the penalty area. McNallan would have her hand in the third goal of the half for the Anteaters, finding Allyson Spencer with a corner kick in the box as Spencer headed it home in the 87th minute from about three yards out for the final tally.

August 29, 2003

ANTEATERS FALL TO 13TH RANKED WAVES 1-0 IN OVERTIME

Malibu, Calif. – The UC Irvine Anteaters (0-1) lost their season opener to the 13th ranked (NSCAA) Pepperdine Waves 1-0 in overtime in Malibu. Ali Pavoni knocked in the game winning shot off an assist from Lindsey Redlin 1:37 into the first overtime period. Freshman goalkeeper Marissa Welliver (Aliso Niguel HS) held the Waves scoreless for over 90 minutes in her first collegiate game. Welliver picked up six saves for the Anteaters. The Anteaters had a chance late in the second half to win, when sophomore Lindsay Duke's (LaVerne/Bonita HS) header sailed just left of the goal. Goalkeeper Anna Picarelli earned the shutout for the Waves while picking up four saves.

The Anteaters will face the Fairleigh Dickinson Knights at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday in the Cal State Fullerton Soccer Town Classic at Titan Stadium.