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## 2006 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION MEN'S WATER POLO STANDINGS

	CONFERENCE						OVERALL					
	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STREAK
1. USC <1>	5	0	1.000	3-0	2-0	18	0	1.000	11-0	3-0	4-0	Won 18
2. Stanford <4>	4	1	.800	1-0	3-1	13	5	.722	5-2	4-2	4-1	Won 6
2. California <2>	4	1	.800	2-1	2-0	21	3	.875	5-1	6-1	10-1	Won 4
4. UCLA <3>	1	1	.500	1-0	0-1	10	4	.714	2-0	3-2	5-2	Won 1
5. Pacific <6>	2	3	.400	0-2	2-1	14	11	.560	2-2	3-4	9-5	Lost 2
6. UC Santa Barbara <7>	1	3	.250	0-1	1-2	16	11	.593	2-2	4-4	10-5	Lost 1
6. UC Irvine <11>	1	3	.250	0-3	1-0	7	14	.333	1-4	1-4	5-6	Lost 1
8. Pepperdine <10>	0	1	.000	0-1	0-0	10	12	.455	3-2	1-4	6-6	Lost 1
9. Long Beach State <14>	0	4	.000	0-3	0-1	7	12	.368	3-5	1-1	3-6	Won 2

Final Standings=Champ. Seeding: MPSF Champion determined at MPSF Championship Tournament Nov. 24- Nov. 26 at UCI. <> Denotes National Ranking.

### USC VISITS STANFORD, UCLA AT CAL IN MPSF SHOWDOWNS

**USC** pushed its winning streak to 37 games with a 16-6 triumph at UC Irvine Saturday. Senior **Juan Delgadillo** knocked in five goals while senior **Thomas Hale** added four. Junior goalkeeper **Adam Shilling** had nine saves. USC visits UC Santa Cruz Friday (Nov. 3) followed by an MPSF game at Stanford Saturday (Nov. 4)....

**CALIFORNIA** displayed a highly explosive offense with MPSF wins over Pepperdine 17-12 and UC Santa Barbara 19-6 in Berkeley. Senior **John Mann** was the leading scorer for the weekend with eight goals. Junior goalkeeper **Mark Sheredy** combined for 15 saves in the two games. The Bears have another MPSF game at home Saturday (Nov. 4) with UCLA at 1:30pm. Cal won the first meeting this year, 8-6 in the SoCal tourney semi-final....

**STANFORD** outlasted Long Beach State 6-5 and crushed UC Santa Cruz 18-6 this past weekend. Against the 49ers, freshman **Drac Wigo** was credited with the eventual game-winner with 7:16 left. Junior goalkeeper **Sandy Hohener** made perhaps the biggest play of the day, stopping a shot with no time left on the clock. The Cardinal now have a chance to jump into a first place tie as they host top-ranked USC Saturday (Nov. 4) at 1:30pm. This is the first meeting of the season....

**UCLA** defeated No. 8 Loyola Marymount 7-3 Saturday in Westchester. Three Bruins scored twice, while freshman **Chay Lapin** shutout LMU in the first half and registered eight saves in the non-league game. UCLA heads north this weekend to California (Nov. 4) at 1:30pm and Pacific (Nov. 5) at noon....

**UC SANTA BARBARA** is coming off an MPSF split in Northern California, a 19-6 loss to California and a 9-5 win over Pacific. The Gauchos outscored the Tigers 4-0 in the fourth quarter to seal the game. Junior **Rick Wright** collected 18 saves on the weekend, including 11 at Pacific. UCSB is back in its home pool Saturday (Nov. 4) at 2pm against Long Beach State, followed by a visit to UC Irvine Sunday (Nov. 5) at noon....

**UC IRVINE** split a pair of MPSF games this past week, a 7-5 win at No. 10 Pepperdine followed by a 16-6 loss at home to top-ranked USC. Junior **Colin Mello** scored a team-high six goals for the week, including five in Malibu. Junior goalkeeper **Matt Garcia** totaled 17 saves for the two games. The Anteaters are at home Thursday (Nov. 2) at 7pm against Long Beach State (non-league), and again on Sunday (Nov. 5) vs. UCSB (MPSF game) and Cal Baptist....

**PEPPERDINE** took one of three MPSF games this past week, falling 7-5 at home to UC Irvine and 17-12 at California, while upending Pacific in overtime 9-8. Senior **Doug Mann** punched in the eventual game-winner in Stockton 31 seconds into OT. Freshman **JP MacDonnell** tallied eight goals for the week. The Waves host Loyola Marymount in non-league play Thursday (Nov. 2) at 2pm, then return to MPSF action at Long Beach State Sunday (Nov. 5) at noon....

**PACIFIC** came up short in a pair of MPSF home games, 9-5 to UC Santa Barbara and 9-8 to Pepperdine in overtime. Junior goalkeeper **Brian Domecus** totaled 29 in the two games, including a career-high 19 against the Waves. The Tigers are at UC Davis Saturday (Nov. 4) and host UCLA Sunday (Nov. 5) in MPSF play....

**LONG BEACH STATE** fell short at Stanford 6-5, but came back with two wins at UC Davis, 7-3 over the host Aggies and 8-7 over Air Force. Junior goalkeeper **Steve MacKenzie** combined for 31 saves in the three games, including a career-high 14 against the Cardinal. Freshman **Jeff Greenwood** scored twice in each game at Davis. The 49ers have three games this week, beginning with a non-league game at UC Irvine Thursday (Nov. 2) at 7pm....

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### JOHN MANN OF CALIFORNIA NAMED MPSF MIKASA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Woodland, Calif. – Senior **John Mann** of California has earned MPSF Mikasa Player of the Week for October 30. Mann combined for eight goals in wins over Pepperdine and UC Santa Barbara this past weekend, including tying a game-high of five against the Waves. He added four assists and four earned ejections over the two conference games. Mann owns 2.52 goals per game this year (58GLS/23GMS), ranking second in the MPSF....*Also Nominated: Chay Lapin (UCLA); Juan DelGadillo (USC); Steve MacKenzie (LBSU); Colin Mello (UCI)....*

## WATER POLO COACHES ASSN. TOP 20

October 25, 2006				
Rank	Team	Last Week	Points	
1	USC	1	100	
2	CALIFORNIA	2	95	
3	UCLA	3	90	
4	STANFORD	4	84	
5	UC San Diego	5	81	
6	PACIFIC	6	75	
7	UC SANTA BARBARA	9	69	
8	Loyola Marymount	7	62	
9	St. Francis (NY)	8	58	
10	PEPPERDINE	11	56	
11	UC IRVINE	10	52	
12	Navy	12	45	
13	UC Davis	13	43	
14	LONG BEACH STATE	14	37	
15	Princeton	15	30	
16	Santa Clara	18	24	
17	Air Force	16	21	
18	Bucknell	17	15	
19	Redlands	19	10	
20	Cal Baptist	20	4	

### RECENT RESULTS

(Home Team in CAPS)

(\* MPSF Game)

Wed, Oct. 25

\* UC Irvine 7, PEPPERDINE 5

Sat., Oct. 28

\* USC 16, UC IRVINE 6

\* UC Santa Barbara 9, PACIFIC 5

\* CALIFORNIA 17, Pepperdine 12

\* STANFORD 6, Long Beach State 5

Ucla 7, LOYOLA MARYMOUNT 3

Sun., Oct. 29

\* CALIFORNIA 19, UC Santa Barbara 6

\* Pepperdine 9, PACIFIC 8 (OT)

Stanford 18, UC SANTA CRUZ 6

Long Beach State 7, UC DAVIS 3

Long Beach State 8, Air Force 7 (at UC Davis)

### UPCOMING GAMES

(\* MPSF Game)

Thu, Nov. 2

Loyola Marymount at PEPPERDINE

2pm

Long Beach State at UC IRVINE

7pm

Fri, Nov. 3

USC at UC SANTA CRUZ

4pm

Sat., Nov. 4

\* USC at STANFORD

12Noon

\* Ucla at CALIFORNIA

130pm

\* Long Beach State at UC SANTA BARBARA

2pm

Pacific at UC DAVIS

12Noon

Sun., Nov. 5

\* Pepperdine at LONG BEACH STATE

12Noon

\* Ucla at PACIFIC

12Noon

\* UC Santa Barbara at UC IRVINE

12Noon

UC Santa Cruz at CALIFORNIA

10am

Santa Clara at CALIFORNIA

2pm

UC Davis at STANFORD

12Noon

Cal Baptist at UC IRVINE

6pm

## MIKASA SPORTS

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### 2006 MPSF MIKASA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week	Student-Athlete	School
Oct. 30	JOHN MANN	CALIFORNIA
Oct. 23	Duje Kaurlo	PACIFIC
Oct. 23	Jeff Tyrrell	CALIFORNIA
Oct. 16	Adam Shilling	USC
Oct. 9	J.J. Garton	STANFORD
Oct. 2	Jeff Greenwood	LONG BEACH STATE
Sept. 25	Dragan Bakic	PACIFIC
Sept. 18	Juan Delgadillo	USC
Sept. 11	Ross Sinclair	UC SANTA BARBARA
Sept. 5	Brian Kinsel	CALIFORNIA

### 2006 MPSF MEN'S WATER POLO CHAMPIONSHIP

November 24 - 26 at UC Irvine

The MPSF Championship will be determined by an eight-team postseason tournament at the UC Irvine Anteater Aquatics Complex. MPSF teams will be seeded on the basis of their finish in conference round-robin play.

### MPSF WATER POLO ON THE WEB

Midweek sports updates are available on the MPSF website at [www.mpsports.org](http://www.mpsports.org).

### The MPSF... Celebrating 15 Years of NCAA Championship Competition

### 2006 NCAA MEN'S WATER POLO CHAMPIONSHIP

December 2 and 3

Host: Loyola Marymount University

Burns Recreation and Aquatics Center

