



# MPSF NEWS

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## 2007 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION **WOMEN'S LACROSSE STANDINGS**

	MPSF					OVERALL						
	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STREAK
1. Oregon	2	0	1.000	2-0	0-0	9	5	.643	6-0	3-5	0-0	Won 1
2. California	1	0	1.000	1-0	0-0	5	3	.625	5-1	0-2	0-0	Lost 2
3. Stanford	1	1	.500	0-0	1-1	4	6	.400	1-3	3-3	0-0	Won 1
4. Denver <14>	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	10	2	.833	2-1	7-1	1-0	Lost 1
5. St. Mary's	0	1	.000	0-1	0-0	2	7	.222	2-5	0-2	0-0	Lost 3
6. UC Davis	0	2	.000	0-0	0-2	6	5	.545	5-2	1-3	0-0	Won 2

*MPSF Champion determined at MPSF Tournament May 4-6 at UC DAVIS...< > denote National Ranking...Final Standings=MPSF Tournament seeding.*

### NO. 14 DENVER VISITS STANFORD AND UC DAVIS FOR MPSF BATTLES

**DENVER** extended its win streak to 10 straight with wins over Harvard 20-7 at home and at Duquesne 21-10, before coming up just short of 12<sup>th</sup>-ranked Johns Hopkins, 15-13. Senior **Kristie Leggio** turned in another phenomenal week with 23 points on 13 goals and 10 assists. She dished out seven assists and totaled 13 points in the win over the Crimson, both single-game school records. Her 10 assists this week also puts her atop the all-time assist chart in Pioneer history. Sophomore **Steph Coyne** was credited with seven assists for the week, while **Megan Carver** scored seven goals. The 14<sup>th</sup>-ranked Pioneers, who have five of the top eight MPSF scorers in this week's conference stats, take a 10-2 record into Palo Alto Friday night to face Stanford for their first MPSF game. The conference road swing will continue at UC Davis Sunday (Apr. 8), with Denver winning last year, 20-5....

**STANFORD** split a pair of non-conference games this past week, falling to third-ranked Maryland 15-7, before storming back with an impressive upset win at then 12<sup>th</sup>-ranked Vanderbilt, 10-9. Freshman **Dana Lindsay** scored her only goal of the game at the perfect time, and just her fourth of the season, with four seconds left in regulation to lift the Cardinal past the Commodores. Four different Cardinal scored twice in a game that featured five ties. Freshman **Lauren Schmidt** tallied a team-high three goals in the loss to the Terrapins. Junior goalkeeper **Laura Shane** combined for 26 saves in two complete games. The Cardinal (4-6 /1-1) host 14<sup>th</sup>-ranked Denver (10-2/0-0) Friday (Apr. 6) at 7pm in an MPSF showdown. The last seven meetings have gone Stanford's way, including a 12-6 MPSF Championship last year, as well as 10 of 11 wins in the overall series....

**UC DAVIS** has won back-to-back games and four of its last five with routs of 13-2 at Bucknell and 17-5 at home over St. Mary's, both in non-conference action. Senior **Megan O' Connor** recorded a seven-goal, six-assist week. In the first ever game played at the new Aggie multi-use stadium, she collected a game-high seven points on three goals and four assists against SMC. Sophomore **Patrice Clark** recorded 10 goals and two assists for the week, including five strikes in the first half against the Gaels. Junior **Katie McGovern** added eight goals and four assists. Junior goalkeeper **Hilary Harkins** posted 11 saves in each complete game win. The 6-5 Aggies host No. 14 Denver in an MPSF contest Sunday (Apr. 8) at noon. ....

**OREGON** was involved in three tight games on the east coast this past week, edging Columbia 13-12 and Lehigh 11-10, and falling to Stony Brook, 16-14 in between the two wins. Senior **Brook Dieringer** totaled nine goals and two assists for the week, and moved up 11 spots to No. 14 on this season's MPSF scoring chart. Junior **Theresa Waldron** compiled two goals and seven assists in the three games. Sophomore **Sarah MacDonald** scored the game-winner at Lehigh with 4:29 left, while freshman **Sam Debow** picked up 10 saves in goal. Junior **Jana Bradley** netted a season-high four goals in the win at Columbia. The Ducks (9-5 overall/2-0 MPSF) have a lengthy rest, before playing their final three on the road in MPSF play, starting April 14 at California....

**CALIFORNIA** dropped its first two of a four game road trip, 9-6 at No. 12 Vanderbilt, and 9-8 in overtime at Ohio State. Sophomore **Madeleine Dale** scored twice in each game, while senior **Hilary Lynch** combined for 22 saves (13 vs. Vandy). The 5-3 Bears move on to No. 12 Notre Dame Saturday and No. 1 and defending NCAA Champion Northwestern Monday (Apr. 9)....

**ST. MARY'S** dropped its lone game last week, 17-5 at UC Davis in non-conference action. **Sonja Kapusta** and **Dana Elfvin** each knocked in a pair of goals in the loss. SMC, 2-7 overall, visits 0-8 Davidson Tuesday and 2-6 (as of 4/2) Manhattan Friday....

### **LEGGIO AND CHRISTY SHARE MPSF PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

*Woodland, Calif.* – Denver senior **Kristie Leggio** put away Pioneer single-game records seven assists and 13 points in a win over Harvard. She combined for a 23-point week on 10 goals and 13 assists in three games and became the school's all-time leader in assists with 65 in just a year and a half. Freshman **Julie Christy** of Stanford tallied two goals and dished out the game-winning assist with four seconds left to top No. 12 Vanderbilt. She also accounted for Stanford's lone assist at No. 3 Maryland....

ILWCA DIVISION I TOP-20 POLL

<http://www.iwlca.org/>

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Rank	Team	Points	Last Week
1	Northwestern (14)	296	1
2	North Carolina	277	2
3	Maryland	271	3
4	Duke (1)	262	5
5	Virginia	244	4
6	James Madison	216	6
7	Georgetown	207	7
8	Syracuse	190	8
9	Princeton	177	9
10	Penn State	166	10
11	Pennsylvania	161	14
12	Notre Dame	133	11
13	Johns Hopkins	119	12
14	<b>DENVER</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>15</b>
15	Yale	95	16
16	Dartmouth	74	17
17	Rutgers	48	18
18	Connecticut	44	19
19	Vanderbilt	41	12
20	Delaware	12	NR

UPCOMING GAMES

**Tue, Apr. 3**  
St. Mary's at DAVIDSON 7pm

**Fri, Apr. 6**  
St. Mary's at MANHATTAN 10am  
\*Denver at STANFORD 7pm

**Sat, Apr. 7**  
California at NOTRE DAME 1pm

**Sun, Apr. 8**  
\*Denver at UC DAVIS NOON

**Mon, Apr. 9**  
California at NORTHWESTERN 4pm

RECENT RESULTS

**Sun, Apr. 1**  
UC DAVIS 17, St. Mary's 5 (Non-Conference)  
OHIO STATE 9, California 8 (OT)  
JOHNS HOPKINS 15, Denver 13

**Sat, Mar. 31**  
Stanford 10, VANDERBILT 9  
Oregon 11, LEHIGH 10

**Fri, Mar. 30**  
STONY BROOK 16, Oregon 14  
Denver 21, DUQUESNE 10

**Wed, Mar. 28**  
Oregon 13, COLUMBIA 12  
MARYLAND 15, Stanford 7  
UC Davis 13, BUCKNELL 2  
VANDERBILT 9, California 6

**Tue, Mar. 27**  
DENVER 20, Harvard 7

\*MPSF GAME  
Home team in CAPS

**2007 MPSF WOMEN'S LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP**

May 4-6, at the University of California, Davis

The 2007 MPSF Championship will be determined by a six-team postseason tournament. Teams will be seeded on the basis of conference finish.

**MPSF Quarterfinals - Fri, May 4**

Game 1: #5 Seed vs. #4 Seed  
Game 2: #6 Seed vs. #3 Seed  
No. 1 and No. 2 seeds have quarterfinal byes

**MPSF Semifinals - Sat, May 5**

Game 3: Losers Games 1 & 2  
Game 4: Winner Game 1 vs. #1  
Game 5: Winner Game 2 vs. #2

**MPSF Finals - Sun, May 6**

Game 6: 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Losers Games 4 & 5  
Game 7: 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Winners Games 4 & 5

**MPSF LACROSSE ON THE WEB**

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

**2007 MPSF PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

Week	Student-Athlete	School
Apr. 2	Kristie Leggio	Denver
Apr. 2	Julie Christy	Stanford
Mar. 26	Kristie Leggio	Denver
Mar. 19	Steph Coyne	Denver
Mar. 12	Laura Shane	Stanford
Mar. 12	Ali Flury	Denver
Mar. 5	Kristie Leggio	Denver
Feb. 26	Liz Reifsnyder	California
Feb. 19	Lauren Schmidt	Stanford
Feb. 12	Ilsa Van Den Berg	Oregon

**2007 NCAA WOMEN'S LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP**

May 25 & 27 at University of Pennsylvania

Franklin Field

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania



The NCAA provides for a 16-team championship tournament which opens with first-round action on May 13, with winners advancing to quarterfinals on May 19. Quarterfinal winners advance to semifinal games at the University of Pennsylvania on May 25, ending with the championship game on May 27.