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2007 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION WOMEN'S WATER POLO STANDINGS

	MPSF					OVERALL						
	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STREAK
1. Stanford <1>	7	0	1.000	3-0	4-0	14	1	.933	6-1	4-0	4-0	Won 12
2. UCLA <2>	5	0	1.000	3-0	2-0	13	1	.928	4-0	2-0	7-1	Won 3
3. USC <3>	3	1	.750	1-0	2-1	10	3	.769	1-0	6-2	3-1	Won 2
4. Hawaii <7>	5	2	.714	3-0	2-2	9	7	.562	4-0	2-3	3-4	Won 1
5. California <4>	2	2	.500	2-1	0-1	6	6	.500	2-1	0-2	4-3	Won 3
5. Long Beach St <14>	1	1	.500	1-0	0-1	5	5	.500	1-0	0-1	4-4	Won 1
7. San Jose St <6>	2	4	.333	2-2	0-2	6	9	.400	3-2	0-4	3-3	Lost 3
7. San Diego St <9>	1	2	.333	1-1	0-1	8	4	.666	2-1	0-2	6-1	Won 1
7. UCSB <12>	1	2	.333	0-1	1-1	7	8	.466	1-1	2-2	4-5	Lost 1
7. Arizona State <11>	1	2	.333	1-1	0-1	4	7	.363	1-1	0-2	3-4	Won 1
11. UC Irvine <5>	1	3	.250	0-1	1-2	10	5	.666	3-2	2-2	5-1	Lost 2
12. Pacific <NR>	0	4	.000	0-3	0-1	5	8	.384	0-3	0-3	5-2	Won 2
12. CS Northridge <20>	0	5	.000	0-1	0-4	5	9	.357	0-1	0-6	5-2	Lost 2

MPSF Championship Apr. 26-29 at Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ < > Brackets denote National Ranking. Final Standings=Champ. Seeding.

ARIZONA STATE WINS AN OVERTIME THRILLER OVER SAN JOSE STATE

No. 1 STANFORD went south and another three in a row posting wins over ARIZONA STATE, SAN DIEGO STATE and UC SAN DIEGO.....No. 2 UCLA posted three wins at home over UC IRVINE, CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE and Pomona Pitzer. **Kelly Rulon** scored ten times to lead the Bruins for the weekend.....No.3. USC posted a 12-8 win over UC IRVINE. **Brittany Hayes** led the Women of Troy with her sixth hat trick of the season.No. 4 CALIFORNIA got the Gauchos from UC SANTA BARBARA in a 10-7 home conference winNo. 5 UC IRVINE took two unsuccessful trips to LA losing to UCLA and USC... No. 6 SAN JOSE STATE took two road losses against SAN DIEGO STATE and Arizona StateNo. 7 HAWAII won a close one over No. 16 Michigan. Lisa van Raalte scored four goals in the victory.....No. 9 San Diego State split for the weekend losing to Stanford and winning 11-9 over SAN JOSE STATENo. 11 Arizona State hosted the Nor Cal Gals losing to Stanford but coming back to defeat San Jose StateNo. 12 UC Santa Barbara traveled North posting wins over UC Davis, PACIFIC and CaliforniaNo. 14 LONG BEACH STATE won their first home game of the season defeating Cal State Northridge. Goalkeeper Kim Hayes saved nine in the win.....No. 20 CS Northridge lost to UCLA and Long Beach State..... Pacific took a MPSF loss to UC Santa Barbara but came back the next day to score wins over Occidental and Cal State Monterey Bay.....

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KATIE HANSEN - MPSF MIKASA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

WOODLAND, Calif. Katie Hansen led Stanford this week with 14 goals in wins over Arizona State, San Diego State, and UC San Diego. Hansen started the weekend with six goals on Thursday in the victory over Arizona State and then scored four goals in each of the wins over San Diego State and UC San Diego on Friday and Saturday. Hansen has helped push Stanford record to 14-1 and now has 31 goals on the season. **Also nominated this week:** *Brittany Hayes, USC; Kim Hayes, Long Beach State; Lisa van Raalte, Hawaii; Kelly Rulon, UCLA; Stacy Werner, San Diego State*

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WATER POLO COACHES ASSN.
WOMEN'S COLLEGIATE TOP 20
February 28, 2007

Rank	Team	Last Week	Points
1	STANFORD	2	100
2	UCLA	1	95
3	USC	3	90
4	CALIFORNIA	5	85
5	UC IRVINE	9	77
6	SAN JOSE STATE	6	74
7	HAWAII	4	70
8	UC Davis	10	66
9	SAN DIEGO STATE	8	62
10	Loyola Marymount	7	56
11	ARIZONA STATE	11	48
12	UC SANTA BARBARA	12	43
12	Hartwick College	13	43
14	LONG BEACH STATE	15	31
15	Santa Clara University	19	27
16	Michigan	16	25
17	UC San Diego	14	20
18	Cal State Bakersfield	18	16
18	Princeton	17	16
20	Cal State Northridge	RV	3
RV	Brown University	20	2
RV	Indiana	20	1

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MPSF MIKASA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week	Player	School
Feb. 6	Sarah Harris, Fr., Utility – Co Player	PAC
Feb. 6	Brittany Hayes, Sr., Utility – Co Player	USC
Feb. 13	Jackie Prine, Sr., 2MD	UCI
Feb 20	Kelly Mason, So., Utility	HAW
Feb 27	Meridith McColl, Sr., Goalie	STAN
Mar. 6	Katie Hansen, Sr., Driver	STAN

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2007 NCAA WOMEN'S WATER POLO
CHAMPIONSHIP - May 11-13

*Hosted by Long Beach State at the
USA Water Polo National Aquatic Center*

The MPSF champion will gain automatic qualification into the NCAA 8-team tournament along with the conference champions from the Western Water Polo Association, the Collegiate Water Polo Association, the Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference and the MAC. Three at-large teams will be chosen by the NCAA Women's Water Polo Committee. For information regarding the Championship and to purchase tickets visit:

<http://www.longbeachstate.com/local/CHAMPS/NCAAWPOLO07/index.html>

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RECENT RESULTS

Tue., Feb. 27
HAWAII 16, Michigan 15

Thu., Mar. 1
* UCLA 22, UC Irvine 7
* Stanford 14, ARIZONA STATE 8

Fri., Mar. 2
* UCLA 14, CS Northridge 3
* Stanford 14, SAN DIEGO STATE 8

Sat., Mar. 3
UC Santa Barbara 5, UC Davis 5
* LONG BEACH STATE 8, CS Northridge 4
* SAN DIEGO STATE 11, San Jose State 9
* USC 12, UC Irvine 8
Stanford 13, UC San Diego 3
* UC Santa Barbara 13, PACIFIC 6

Sun., Mar. 4
* ARIZONA STATE 11, San Jose State 10 OT
* CALIFORNIA 10, UC Santa Barbara 7
Pacific 14, Occidental 7 at UC Santa Cruz Tournament
Pacific 19, CS Monterey Bay 15 at UC Santa Cruz Tourn

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UPCOMING GAMES

Fri., Mar. 9
Marist at UC Santa Barbara (UCSB Mini-Tourney) 1pm
*Pacific at USC 5pm

Sat., Mar. 10
UC San Diego vs. Redlands (UCSB Mini-Tourney) 9am
*San Diego State at UC Santa Barbara 10:30am
*California at UC Irvine 12noon
*Pacific at Long Beach State 12noon
*UCLA at Arizona State 12noon
Indiana at San Jose State 12noon
Marist vs. Redlands (UCSB Mini-Tourney) 12noon
UC San Diego at UC Santa Barbara 1:30pm
San Diego State vs. Marist (at UCSB Mini-Tourney) 3pm
Claremont MS at UC Santa Barbara (Mini-Tourn.) 4:30pm
CS Northridge at Loyola Marymount Mini Tourn. TBD

Sun., Mar. 11
*California at Long Beach State 12noon
*Pacific at UC Irvine 12noon
*UC Santa Barbara at UCLA 1pm

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