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2006 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION WOMEN'S LACROSSE UPDATE #11

	MPSF					OVERALL						
	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STREAK
1. Denver	4	1	0.800	1-1	2-0	14	4	0.778	7-1	5-3	2-0	Lost 1
2. Stanford <16>	4	1	0.800	3-0	1-1	10	5	0.667	6-2	3-2	1-1	Won 5
3. California	4	1	0.800	1-1	3-0	7	9	0.438	3-4	4-5	0-0	Won 2
4. Oregon	2	3	0.400	1-2	1-1	8	8	0.500	3-3	4-4	1-1	Lost 2
5. St. Mary's	1	4	0.200	0-1	1-2	4	12	0.250	2-5	2-6	0-1	Lost 3
6. UC Davis	0	5	0.000	0-3	0-2	8	8	0.500	5-3	3-5	0-0	Won 1

MPSF Champion determined at MPSF Championship May 5-7 at University of Oregon. Final Standings=Champ. Seeding. < > Brackets denote National Ranking.

CAL TOPS OREGON, DENVER GETS NO. 1 SEED

CALIFORNIA claimed a share of the MPSF regular season title and solidified a three seed in this weekend's league tournament with a 12-4 win at **OREGON** on Sunday. Golden Bear juniors Laura Cavallo and Liz Reifsnyder each posted four goals and two assists. Cal takes on No. 6 seed UC Davis in quarterfinal action Friday at 6pm in Eugene, Oregon. The Ducks, who received one goal from four players in their regular season finale, will be seeded fourth in the MPSF Tournament they host, and meet No. 5 seed St. Mary's in the quarterfinals Friday at 4pm.....16th-ranked **STANFORD** extended its winning streak to five games to close the regular season, with victories at Connecticut, 10-7, followed by a 5-4 upset over 10th-ranked and Ivy League Champion Cornell on the Harvard campus. Against the Huskies, the Cardinal were led by seniors Megan Burkner and Sarah Bach. Bach tallied five points on four goals and one assist while Burkner added four points on three goals and one assist. Holding the Big Red to their lowest scoring game of the season, sophomore goalkeeper Laura Shane collected 14 saves, including two in the closing moments, to secure the win. Her eight saves against UConn two days earlier gave her 22 saves in another stellar weekend. The Cardinal will be the No. 2 seed in this weekend's conference tournament, and will play the winner of the California/UC Davis game in the semi-finals at 4pm on Saturday..... It was a true senior day for **DENVER** last Wednesday as the Pioneers crushed Colorado College, 27-7, to finish their best-ever home season at 7-1. The 27 goals and 38 points were both DU single-game records. Junior Kristie Leggio led all players with 10 points, also a DU single-game record, scoring seven goals with three assists. Seniors Tanya Fuchs and Stephanie Greenlees shined in their home finale with five goals apiece, with Fuchs adding four assists for nine points. The Pioneers ended their regular season with a 19-10 setback at second-ranked and defending national champion Northwestern on Sunday. Fuchs led all players with six goals, thus finishing her two-game week with 15 points. By virtue of winning the three-way goal differential tiebreaker, Denver is the No. 1 seed in this weekend's MPSF Tournament and will face the St. Mary's/Oregon winner at 2pm Saturday.....**UC DAVIS** avenged an early season loss to **ST. MARY'S**, 14-5, in non-league action Saturday in Moraga. Patrice Clark recorded a hat trick for the Aggies, scoring all three goals in the second half. Katie McMahon, Tiffany Lee, and Katie McGovern added two goals each. Megan O' Connor dished out three assists. Sophomore Kim Reny led the Gaels with a pair of goals.....

SHANE AND FUCHS NAMED CO-PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

WOODLAND, Calif. – **STANFORD** sophomore goalkeeper Laura Shane (Baltimore, MD) and **DENVER** senior attacker Tanya Fuchs (Bay Shore, NY) share MPSF Player of the Week honors to finish the regular season. Shane combined for 22 saves in two games back east, including a pair of late stoppers to secure an upset over No. 10 Cornell. Fuchs recorded 15 points on 11 goals and four assists in two games, including a game-high six goals at No. 2 Northwestern.

MPSF PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week	Player	School
Feb. 13	Katie McMahon	UC Davis
Feb. 20	Liz Reifsnyder	California
Feb. 27	Liz Piselli	Stanford
Mar. 6	Sarah Bach	Stanford
Mar. 13	Kristie Leggio	Denver
Mar. 20	Katie McMahon	UC Davis
Mar. 27	Karen Morton	Denver
Apr. 3	Kristie Leggio	Denver
Apr. 10	Kristie Leggio	Denver
Apr. 17	Liz Piselli	Stanford
Apr. 24	Laura Cavallo	California
May 1	Laura Shane	Stanford
May 1	Tanya Fuchs	Denver

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ILWCA DIVISION I TOP-30 POLL

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May 1, 2006

Rank	Team (1 st Pl. Votes)	Points
1	Northwestern 15-1(14)	298
2	Virginia 15-3 (1)	285
3	Duke 15-2	272
4	Georgetown 12-3	255
5	North Carolina 12-5	239
6	Maryland 12-6	218
7	Notre Dame 12-3	216
8	Dartmouth 10-4	189
9	Boston 13-4	177
10	Cornell 11-3	170
11	Richmond 14-3	143
12	Johns Hopkins 11-3	128
13	James Madison 12-4	110
14	Princeton 10-5	105
15	William & Mary 10-6	88
16	STANFORD 10-5	68
17	Hofstra 10-6	63
18	Syracuse 10-6	62
19	Penn State 8-8	45
20	Pennsylvania 9-6	18

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2006 NCAA WOMEN'S LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP

May 26 & 28 at Boston University

The NCAA provides for a 16-team Championship Tournament which opens with First-Round action on May 14, with winners advancing to Quarterfinals on May 20. Quarterfinal winners advance to semifinal games at Boston University on May 26, culminating with the Championship on May 28.

RECENT RESULTS

Home team in CAPS *MPSF Game

Wed. April 26

DENVER 27, Colorado College 7

Fri. April 28

Stanford 10, CONNECTICUT 7

Sat. April 29

UC Davis 14, ST. MARY'S 5

(NON-CONFERENCE GAME)

Sun. April 30

*California 12, OREGON 4

#16 Stanford 5, #10 Cornell 4 (at Cambridge, MA.)

#1 NORTHWESTERN 19, Denver 10

2006 MPSF WOMEN'S LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP

May 5-7, at the University of Oregon

The 2006 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 5

4:00pm Game 1: #5 St. Mary's vs. #4 Oregon

6:00pm Game 2: #6 UC Davis vs. #3 California
No. 1 and No. 2 seeds have quarterfinal byes

MPSF Semifinals - Sat., May 6

12noon Game 3: Losers Games 1 & 2

2:00pm Game 4: Winner Game 1 vs. #1 Denver

4:00pm Game 5: Winner Game 2 vs. #2 Stanford

MPSF Finals - Sun., May 7

11:00am Game 6: 3rd Place: Losers Games 4&5

1:00pm Game 7: 1st Place: Winners Games 4&5

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