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## 2007 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION MEN'S SOCCER STANDINGS

	CONFERENCE						OVERALL							
	W	L	T	PTS	HOME	AWAY	W	L	T	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STREAK
1. Denver	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2	1	0	.667	2-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	Won 1
1. San Jose State	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2	1	0	.667	0-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	Lost 1
3. New Mexico (#24)	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2	2	0	.500	1-1-0	0-1-0	1-0-0	Won 1
3. Air Force	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2	2	0	.500	2-0-0	0-1-0	0-1-0	Won 2
5. UNLV	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1	2	1	.375	0-0-0	1-2-0	0-0-1	Won 1
6. Sacramento State	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	4	0	.000	0-2-0	0-1-0	0-1-0	Lost 4

*The MPSF champion is determined by a double-round robin conference schedule. The top finishing team from the conference season is the MPSF champion and NCAA Automatic Qualifier.*

### AIR FORCE EVENS RECORD WITH TWO SHUTOUTS

**AIR FORCE** bounced back nicely with a pair of shutout wins over St. Francis 1-0 and Birmingham Southern 2-0, recovering from two losses the previous week. Sunday, freshman **Kyle Schafer** scored the first goal of his career with eight seconds left in the first half, all the Falcons needed for the win. Friday, senior **Ian Hauck** and junior **Jason Dall** each scored in the first half. Senior goalkeeper **Brian Guyette** notched two complete game shutout victories. Air Force now travels to West Point, NY to face Marist Friday (Sept. 14) and Army Sunday (Sept. 16)....

**DENVER** is off to a 2-1 start in '07 with two shutout wins over Marquette 1-0 (Aug. 31) and most recently over Birmingham Southern 7-0 this past Sunday. The Pioneers were up 2-0 against the Panthers, before breaking the game wide open right away in the second frame. Sophomore **Kellan** and junior **Kyle Christensen** combined for five goals over about a 26 minute span. Sophomore **Collin Audley** dished out a pair of assists on the day. Denver will take on Evansville and Albany in the Wisconsin Green Bay Tournament this weekend (Sept. 15 & 16)....

**No. 24 NEW MEXICO** received a 30<sup>th</sup>-minute strike from senior **Diego Barrera** via an assist by junior goalkeeper **Mike Graczyk** and sophomore **Stephen Brown** which would hold up for a 1-0 victory over Cincinnati Sunday in Albuquerque. Graczyk picked up three saves in the complete game shutout. The Lobos welcome the University of Washington Friday (Sept. 14) and defending National Champion UC Santa Barbara Sunday (Sept. 16)....

**SAN JOSE STATE** got off to a quick start in the new season with two wins at the Davidson Tournament, 2-1 over Charlotte and 3-2 in double overtime over the host Wildcats. Sophomore **Nick Cukar** scored twice on opening weekend, while freshman **Efrain Burgos Jr.** knocked home his first collegiate goal, a 101<sup>st</sup>-minute game-winner to finish the trip. The Spartans, who fell short at San Francisco Sunday 3-2, visit the Big West at UC Riverside Friday and UC Irvine Sunday (Sept. 14 & 16). San Jose State shutout both teams in 2005....

**UNLV** is 1-2-1 after its first two weeks of competition, with the win this past Sunday at Florida Atlantic 2-1. Freshman **Danny Cruz** tied the game less than a minute into the second half at FAU, while junior **Lamar Neagle** knocked in a free kick game winner with only four seconds left in regulation. The Rebels are back in action at the UNLV Adidas Classic this weekend, taking on Cal Poly Friday (Sept. 14) and Cal State Northridge Sunday (Sept. 16)....

**SACRAMENTO STATE** dropped two games in its Copa De Causeway, 2-0 to Portland and 2-1 to Oregon State. Freshmen **Fernando Cabadas** and **Alex DeTorres** were named to the All-Tournament Team. The Hornets visit the Big West Conference in Southern California this weekend, taking on UC Irvine Friday (Sept. 14) and UC Riverside Sunday (Sept. 16). ....

### GUYETTE AND CUKAR EARN FIRST TWO MPSF BRINE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

**9/10/07---**Air Force senior goalkeeper **Brian Guyette** (Phoenix, AZ/ Brophy Prep) posted two shutout victories over St. Francis (1-0) and Birmingham Southern (2-0) this past weekend to help the Falcons even their record at 2-2. This was his seventh and eighth career shutouts. Guyette owns a scoreless streak of over 218 minutes with a season GAA of 0.75....

**9/4/07---**San Jose State sophomore midfielder **Nick Cukar** (Milbrae, CA/Capuchino HS) scored two unassisted goals to open the season at the Davidson Tournament, one each against Charlotte and the host Wildcats, to lead the Spartans to a 2-0 start. His 50<sup>th</sup>-minute tally on opening day was the eventual game-winner....

## UPCOMING GAMES

### Fri, Sept. 14

San Jose State at UC RIVERSIDE	3pm
Cal Poly at UNLV	7pm
Washington at NEW MEXICO	7pm
Air Force vs. Marist (at Army)	730pm
Sacramento State at UC IRVINE	8pm

### Sat, Sept. 15

Denver vs. Evansville (at Green Bay, WI)	1pm
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### Sun, Sept. 16

Air Force at ARMY	12Noon
Denver vs. Albany (at Green Bay, WI)	1pm
Sacramento State at UC RIVERSIDE	1pm
San Jose State at UC IRVINE	2pm
Cal State Northridge at UNLV	230pm
UC Santa Barbara at NEW MEXICO	3pm

## RECENT RESULTS

(Home team in CAPS)

### Sun, Sept. 9

DENVER 7, Birmingham Southern 0  
 NEW MEXICO 1, Cincinnati 0  
 AIR FORCE 1, St. Francis (PA) 0  
 Oregon State 2, SACRAMENTO STATE 1  
 UNLV 2, FLORIDA ATLANTIC 1  
 SAN FRANCISCO 3, San Jose State 2

### Fri, Sept. 7

St. Francis (PA) 1, DENVER 0  
 Portland 2, SACRAMENTO STATE 0  
 AIR FORCE 2, Birmingham Southern 0  
 FLORIDA GULF COAST 2, UNLV 1  
 Loyola Marymount 1, NEW MEXICO 0

### Sun, Sept. 2

New Mexico 3, Hartwick 1 (at Akron)  
 San Jose State 3, DAVIDSON 2  
 NAVY 1, Air Force 0  
 Butler 4, Sacramento State 0 (at Dayton)  
 Xavier 4, UNLV 0 (at Cincinnati)

### Fri, Aug. 31

DENVER 1, Marquette 0  
 San Jose State 2, Charlotte 1 (at Davidson, NC)  
 UNLV 1, Pittsburgh 1 (at Cincinnati)  
 AKRON 3, New Mexico 1  
 Maryland Baltimore County 2, Air Force 1 (at Navy)  
 DAYTON 2, Sacramento State 1

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### MPSF MEN'S SOCCER

## 2007 BRINE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Week	Player	School
Sept. 10	Brian Guyette, Sr, Goalkeeper	Air Force
Sept. 4	Nick Cukar, So, Midfield	San Jose State

## 2007 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP

The 2007 NCAA College Cup semifinals and championship matches, hosted by North Carolina State University, will take place Friday, December 14 & Sunday, December 16, at SAS Stadium in Cary, North Carolina. First-round NCAA Tournament play begins on Friday, November 23 and Saturday, November 24.



## Soccer Times Top 25 Poll

September 10 - <http://www.soccertimes.com/>

Rank	School	Record	Pts	LW
1	Wake Forest (15)	4-0-0	399	1
2	Indiana (1)	3-0-1	377	T4
3	SMU	2-0-1	364	7
4	Connecticut	4-0-0	352	9
5	Duke	3-1-0	318	2
6	Maryland	2-1-1	292	T4
7	Santa Clara	3-1-0	274	6
8	Notre Dame	2-1-1	264	10
9	West Virginia	2-1-0	260	18
10	Virginia	3-1-0	235	3
10	Ohio State	3-0-1	235	23
12	UC Santa Barbara	1-1-1	215	12
13	Northwestern	3-0-1	212	13
14	Creighton	1-0-2	198	16
15	Harvard	3-0-0	164	T20
16	UCLA	0-2-1	142	11
17	California	2-1-0	135	8
18	South Florida	4-0-0	119	nr
19	Gonzaga	2-1-0	102	nr
20	Brown	2-0-0	94	nr
21	Michigan	4-0-0	72	nr
22	Virginia Tech	3-1-0	67	13
23	St. Louis	0-1-2	61	14
24	Washington	1-1-1	43	15
25	Tulsa	3-1-0	34	nr

## NSCAA/Adidas Top 25 Poll

September 4, 2007 - <http://www.nscAA.com/>

Rank	Team	2007 Record	LW
1	Wake Forest	2-0-0	3
2	Duke	2-0-0	4
3	Virginia	2-0-0	5
4	Indiana	1-0-1	7
5	Santa Clara	2-0-0	6
6	Maryland	1-0-1	9
7	California	1-0-0	11
8	SMU	0-0-1	8
9	Notre Dame	1-1-0	10
10	Northwestern	2-0-0	14
11	UCLA	0-2-0	2
12	St. Louis	0-0-1	22
13	UC Santa Barbara	0-0-1	1
14	Connecticut	2-0-0	25
15	South Carolina	1-0-0	RV
16	Washington	1-0-1	18
17	Fairfield	2-0-0	RV
18	Akron	2-0-0	NR
19	Clemson	1-1-0	12
20	West Virginia	1-1-0	13
21	Harvard	1-0-0	24
22	Ohio State	1-0-1	RV
23	Towson	1-0-1	20
24	New Mexico	1-1-0	15
25	Creighton	1-0-1	NR