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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. New Mexico (# 24)	3	0	1	10	1-0-1	2-0-0	8	3	1	.708	3-2-1	4-1-0	1-0-0	Won 3
2. San Jose State	2	1	0	6	2-1-0	0-0-0	7	5	0	.583	4-2-0	2-3-0	1-0-0	Won 1
3. Denver	1	1	1	4	0-1-0	1-0-1	5	4	1	.550	2-2-0	2-0-1	1-2-0	Lost 1
4. Air Force	1	2	0	3	0-0-0	1-2-0	3	7	1	.318	2-0-0	1-4-1	0-3-0	Won 1
4. Sacramento State	1	2	0	3	1-1-0	0-1-0	2	9	1	.208	2-5-0	0-3-1	0-1-0	Lost 1
6. UNLV	1	3	0	3	1-1-0	0-2-0	5	6	2	.462	4-2-1	1-4-0	0-0-1	Lost 3

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.

FIRST PLACE NEW MEXICO UNBEATEN IN LAST SEVEN; SJSU IN SECOND

NEW MEXICO swept its first MPSF road trip of the season, 4-1 at San Jose State and 1-0 at Sacramento State. Sunday, senior **David Gualdarama** kicked in an early 10th-minute game-winner, from junior **Chris Wright's** assist. Wright also assisted on the second goal Friday, a game in which four different Lobos' scored. Senior **Mike Graczyk** needed just two saves against the Hornets for his fourth shutout. Conference leader New Mexico, 6-0-1 in its last seven games, hosts UNLV Saturday (Oct. 20) at 7 pm....

SAN JOSE STATE made it four of its last five in the win column and jumped to second place in the MPSF with a 3-0 home shutout over UNLV Sunday. Three Spartans scored, beginning in the 21st-minute with senior **Ismael Ibarra**. Junior **Richard Mann** earned his second shutout. Senior **Julio Gonzalez** recorded a pair of weekend goals. San Jose State, who also dropped a 4-1 contest to New Mexico Friday, travels to Air Force (Oct. 19) and Denver (Oct. 21) this weekend....

AIR FORCE picked up a 2-1 MPSF road victory over Denver Saturday. All three goals in the game were scored in the first half, beginning with senior **Andy Nigro's** ninth minute tally, assisted by freshman **Kyle Moses**. Nigro then returned the favor and found Moses in the 43rd-minute which proved to be the game-winner. Senior **Brian Guyette** collected 15 saves in 90 minutes of work, which ties the national single-game high this year for any goalkeeper. The Falcons return home to face San Jose State Friday (Oct. 19) at 7 pm and Sacramento State Sunday (Oct. 21) at 1 pm....

SACRAMENTO STATE split a pair of 1-0 home outcomes, an overtime win against UNLV and a regulation loss to New Mexico. Friday, senior **Eli Millan** scored the golden goal in the 100th minute to edge the Rebels. Millan also put away a game-winner in double-overtime at UNLV in 2006. Sophomore **Ryan Kenny** collected six saves in his first shutout of the year. The Hornets hit the road to face Denver Friday (Oct. 19) and Air Force Sunday (Oct. 21)....

DENVER dropped a 2-1 MPSF game to Air Force at home Saturday. Sophomore **Kellan Christensen** scored his team-leading sixth goal of the season in the 12th-minute. The Pioneers remain home for conference action this weekend with Sacramento State Friday (Oct. 19) at 4 pm and San Jose State Sunday (Oct. 21) at 1 pm....

UNLV was blanked twice on the road, 1-0 in overtime at Sacramento State Friday and 3-0 at San Jose State Sunday. The Rebels stay on the road and visit Albuquerque to take on New Mexico Saturday (Oct. 20) at 7 pm....

NIGRO NAMED MPSF BRINE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Woodland, CA---**Air Force** senior forward **Andy Nigro** (Colorado Springs, CO/ St. Mary's HS) registered one goal and one assist for his first three season points in an important 2-1 MPSF road win at Denver Saturday. He put away a ninth-minute goal and dished out a 43rd-minute game-winning assist. The Falcons snapped a six-game winless streak in the process, while picking up their first conference win. Nigro joins goalkeeper Brian Guyette as the two Falcons to earn this honor in 2007....

UPCOMING GAMES

(All Times Local)
* MPSF Game

Fri, Oct. 19	
* Sacramento State at DENVER	4 pm
* San Jose State at AIR FORCE	7 pm
Sat, Oct. 20	
* UNLV at NEW MEXICO	7 pm
Sun, Oct. 21	
* Sacramento State at AIR FORCE	1 pm
* San Jose State at DENVER	1 pm

RECENT RESULTS

(Home team in CAPS)

Sun, Oct. 14
* SAN JOSE STATE 3, UNLV 0
* New Mexico 1, SACRAMENTO STATE 0
Sat, Oct. 13
* Air Force 2, DENVER 1
Fri, Oct. 12
* New Mexico 4, SAN JOSE STATE 1
* SACRAMENTO STATE 1, UNLV 0 (OT)

BRINE - OFFICIAL BALL SPONSOR MPSF MEN'S SOCCER

2007 BRINE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Week	Player	School
Oct. 15	Andy Nigro, Sr, Forward	Air Force
Oct. 8	Chris Wright, Jr, Forward	New Mexico
Oct. 1	Lewis Sweeney, Jr, Goalkeeper	San Jose St.
Sept. 24	Joe Mathot, Jr, Midfield	Denver
Sept. 24	Mike Graczyk, Sr, Goalkeeper	New Mexico
Sept. 17	Diego Barrera, Sr, Midfield	New Mexico
Sept. 10	Brian Guyette, Sr, Goalkeeper	Air Force
Sept. 4	Nick Cukar, So, Midfield	San Jose St.

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.



NCAA/Adidas Top 25 Poll

October 9, 2007 - <http://www.ncaa.com/>

Rank	Team	Record	LW
1	Connecticut	11-1-0	2
2	Wake Forest	7-0-2	1
3	Notre Dame	8-1-2	3
4	Virginia	7-1-2	5
5	Santa Clara	7-1-2	6
6	Northwestern	8-1-1	7
7	Harvard	8-1-1	8
8	Virginia Tech	6-1-3	9
9	Duke	7-3-0	4
10	SMU	6-2-2	11
11	Boston College	7-1-1	19
12	Creighton	5-1-3	10
13	Indiana	7-3-1	17
14	UC Santa Barbara	6-2-2	18
15	South Florida	7-2-1	12
16	California	7-2-1	21
17	Furman	10-1-0	22
18	St. Louis	4-1-3	14
19	West Virginia	6-4-0	13
20	Brown	7-1-1	15
21	Michigan	8-2-1	16
22	Akron	8-2-1	RV
23	Tulsa	5-2-2	20
24	New Mexico	6-3-1	24
25	Gonzaga	7-2-1	RV

Soccer Times Top 25 Poll

October 8 - <http://www.soccertimes.com/>

Rank	School	Record	Pts	LW
1	Connecticut (8)	11-1-0	391	2
2	Wake Forest (7)	7-0-2	383	1
3	Notre Dame (1)	8-1-2	373	3
4	Santa Clara	7-1-2	345	4
5	Virginia	7-1-2	316	6
6	Northwestern	8-1-1	309	8
7	Southern Methodist	6-2-2	291	10
8	Creighton	5-1-3	272	7
9	Duke	7-3-0	242	5
10	Harvard	8-1-1	236	13
11	UC Santa Barbara	6-2-2	230	16
12	Virginia Tech	6-1-3	216	15
13	Boston College	7-1-1	208	20
14	Saint Louis	4-1-3	203	11
15	Indiana	7-3-1	185	17
16	South Florida	7-2-1	177	9
17	California	7-2-1	143	21
18	West Virginia	6-4-0	129	12
19	Akron	8-2-1	96	24
20	Brown	7-1-1	95	14
21	Tulsa	5-2-2	81	19
22	Michigan	8-2-1	74	18
23	South Carolina	8-3-0	56	25t
24	New Mexico	6-3-1	41	25t
25	Villanova	9-3-0	23	23