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2007 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION FINAL MEN'S WATER POLO STANDINGS

	CONFERENCE					OVERALL						
	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	W	L	PCT	HOME	AWAY	NEUT	STREAK
1. California <2> \$	7	1	.875	5-0	2-1	28	4	.875	14-2	5-1	9-1	Won 3
2. USC <1> %	6	2	.750	4-0	2-2	19	3	.864	5-0	3-2	11-1	Lost 1
3. Stanford <4>	5	3	.625	3-1	2-2	17	8	.680	8-1	4-3	5-4	Lost 2
3. UCLA <5>	5	3	.625	3-2	2-1	21	7	.750	5-2	6-2	10-3	Won 2
5. UC Irvine <3>	4	4	.500	2-2	2-2	14	11	.560	6-5	5-3	3-3	Lost 1
6. Pepperdine <7>	3	5	.375	2-1	1-4	27	10	.730	6-1	2-4	19-5	Won 1
6. UC Santa Barbara <6>	3	5	.375	1-3	2-2	19	14	.576	1-3	7-5	11-6	Lost 1
8. Long Beach State <8>	2	6	.250	1-2	1-4	17	15	.531	6-4	6-5	5-6	Lost 5
9. Pacific <14>	1	7	.125	1-3	0-4	14	17	.452	5-5	2-6	7-6	Lost 3

Final Standings=Championship Seeding....%= MPSF Champion....\$= NCAA Champion.... <> National Ranking

CALIFORNIA REPEATS AS NATIONAL CHAMPION

NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP: No. 2 seed **California** (28-4 overall) defended its NCAA Championship from a year ago, once again topping No. 1 seed **USC** (19-3 overall) in the title game, 8-6, Sunday in Palo Alto, CA. The Bears, who won their NCAA-record 13th national championship, also defeated the Trojans in the 2006 championship game. After a 4-4 tie at the half, senior **Adam Haley** of Cal scored the only goal of the third quarter for a 5-4 advantage. Freshman **Brian Dudley**, who assisted on the go-ahead score, put the Bears up 6-4 early in the final period. Cal extended its lead 8-5 before winning 8-6. Senior Bear scoring leader **Michael Sharf** was named the 2007 NCAA Tournament Most Valuable Player. Senior goalkeeper **Mark Sheredy** recorded 11 saves and was named to the all-tournament first team. Senior **Zac Monsees**, who scored twice, along with senior **Jeff Tyrrell** were also named to the first team while sophomore **Spencer Warden** was given second team honors. Sophomore **J.W. Krumpholz** led the Trojans with a pair of goals and was a first team selection, as was sophomore **Matt Sagehorn** and senior **Tommy Corcoran**....

NCAA THIRD PLACE: No. 3 seed **Navy** (30-6 overall) edged No. 4 seed **Loyola Marymount** (13-17 overall) 7-6 for third place at Stanford's NCAA Championship. Three Midshipmen scored twice, while six Lions scored once. LMU goalkeeper **Andrew Stevens** picked up 13 saves. Navy attackers **Aaron Recko** and **Mike Mulvey** were named to the NCAA All-Tournament second team....

NCAA SEMI-FINAL: **California** knocked off No. 3 seed **Navy** 8-5, led by Sharf and Tyrrell with three goals each. Tied 2-2 after one period, the Bears shutout the Midshipmen in the second and third quarters en route to their second straight championship appearance. Sheredy collected 10 saves....

NCAA SEMI-FINAL: **USC** received a fourth-straight hat trick from Sagehorn as the Trojans reached the NCAA Championship match for the third consecutive year, defeating No. 4 seed **Loyola Marymount** 8-4. USC scored the first four goals of the game....

2007 NCAA ALL-TOURNAMENT FIRST TEAM

MVP	Name	Team	Number	Class	Position
	Michael Sharf	California	# 7	Senior	Utility
	Zac Monsees	California	# 16	Senior	Attacker
	Jeff Tyrrell	California	# 14	Senior	Utility
	Matt Sagehorn	USC	# 6	Sophomore	Driver
	Tommy Corcoran	USC	# 20	Senior	2-Meter Offense
	J.W. Krumpholz	USC	# 3	Sophomore	2-Meter Offense
	Mark Sheredy	California	# 1	Senior	Goalkeeper

2007 NCAA ALL-TOURNAMENT SECOND TEAM

Spencer Warden	California	# 12	Sophomore	Attacker
Gabor Sarusi	USC	# 7	Senior	2-Meter Offense
Shea Buckner	USC	# 5	Sophomore	2-Meter Offense
Tim Hummel	LMU	# 3	Junior	Utility
Aaron Recko	Navy	# 7	Senior	Attacker
Mike Mulvey	Navy	# 11	Junior	Attacker
Adam Shilling	USC	# 1	Senior	Goalkeeper

WATER POLO COACHES ASSN. TOP 20

(As of Nov. 28, 2007)

Rank	Team	Last Week	Points
1	USC	1	100
2	CALIFORNIA	2	95
3	UC IRVINE	5	88
4	STANFORD	3	86
5	UCLA	4	82
6	UC SANTA BARBARA	7	75
7	PEPPERDINE	6	71
8	LONG BEACH STATE	8	63
9	Navy	9	57
10	Loyola Marymount	11	56
11	UC Davis	10	54
12	St. Francis College (NY)	12	45
13	Air Force	14	37
14	PACIFIC	13	36
15	Santa Clara	15	30
16	UC San Diego	16	25
17	George Washington	18	17
18	Cal Baptist	17	16
19	Bucknell	19	11
20	Redlands	20	7

MPSF CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT HOSTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

November 23 - 25, 2007

Spieker Aquatics Complex, Berkeley, CA

<http://calbears.cstv.com/sports/m-wpolo/spec-rel/07-mpsfc-central.html>

The MPSF Championship was determined by an eight-team postseason tournament at the University of California, Berkeley. MPSF teams were seeded on the basis of their finish in conference round-robin play.

MPSF FINALS---Sunday, November 25

Game 12 (1st place): USC 10, UC Irvine 6

Game 11 (3rd place): California 12, Stanford 9

Game 10 (5th place): UCLA 15, UC Santa Barbara 8

Game 9 (7th place): Pepperdine 13, Long Beach State 10

MPSF SEMI-FINALS---Saturday, November 24

Game 8: USC 10, Stanford 6

Game 7: UC Irvine 13, California 12

Game 6: UC Santa Barbara 8, Pepperdine 7

Game 5: UCLA 13, Long Beach State 9 (OT)

MPSF FIRST ROUND---Friday, November 23

Game 4: #5 UC Irvine 10, #4 UCLA 9 (SV-OT)

Game 3: #3 Stanford 7, #6 Pepperdine 4

Game 2: #2 USC 10, #7 UC Santa Barbara 7

Game 1: #1 California 11, #8 Long Beach State 7

2007 MPSF PRESEASON

COACHES' POLL

Rank/School	Points	2006 Record
1. USC	59 (5)	26-2 (8-0/2 nd)
2. California	53 (2)	31-4 (6-2/1 st)
3. UCLA	47 (1)	17-6 (6-2/3 rd)
4. UC Irvine	45 (1)	10-21 (2-6/8 th)
5. Stanford	41	17-9 (5-3/4 th)
6. Pepperdine	34	13-17 (2-6/9 th)
7. UCSB	20	21-14 (3-5/5 th)
8. Long Beach State	14	11-17 (2-6/7 th)
9. Pacific	11	16-17 (2-6/6 th)

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2007 MPSF MIKASA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Week	Student-Athlete	School
Nov. 19	Travis Stachowski	Pepperdine
Nov. 19	Sage Wright	Stanford
Nov. 12	Michael Sharf	California
Nov. 5	Spencer Warden	California
Nov. 5	Tim Hutten	UC Irvine
Oct. 29	Chay Lapin	UCLA
Oct. 29	Zsombor Vincze	UC Santa Barbara
Oct. 22	Steve MacKenzie	Long Beach State
Oct. 22	Collin Mello	UC Irvine
Oct. 15	Shea Buckner	USC
Oct. 8	Vladislav Andreyev	California
Oct. 8	Adam Shilling	USC
Oct. 1	Sage Wright	Stanford
Sept. 24	Scott Davidson	UCLA
Sept. 17	Gabor Sarusi	USC
Sept. 10	JP MacDonnell	Pepperdine
Sept. 10	Jeff Greenwood	Long Beach State
Sept. 4	Miles Price	UC Santa Barbara
Sept. 4	Michael Sharf	California

NCAA MEN'S WATER POLO 39TH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP HOSTED BY STANFORD UNIVERSITY

December 1 & 2, 2007 at

Stanford University

Avery Aquatic Center,

Palo Alto, CA



NCAA FINALS---SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

2 pm: Game 4--California 8, USC 6 (Championship)

12 Noon: Game 3--Navy 7, Loyola Marymount 6 (3rd Place)

NCAA SEMI-FINALS---SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

1:45 pm: Game 2-- No. 2 Seed California 8
No. 3 Seed Navy 5

12 Noon: Game 1-- No. 1 Seed USC 8
No. 4 Seed Loyola Marymount 4