



Mountain West Conference NEWS

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2000 Mountain West Conference Men's Tennis Dual Match Standings

Team (Rank)	Conference Dual Matches					Overall Dual Matches						Current Streak
	W	L	Pct.	H	A	W	L	Pct.	H	A	N	
BYU (40)	2	0	1.000	0-0	1-0	6	1	.857	3-0	3-1	0-0	Won 5
Utah	1	0	1.000	0-0	0-0	4	4	.500	4-0	0-3	0-1	Won 3
UNLV (60)	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	3	5	.375	3-0	0-4	0-1	Lost 2
New Mexico (53)	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	2	4	.333	2-2	0-1	0-1	Won 2
San Diego State	0	1	.000	0-1	0-0	1	4	.250	0-2	1-2	0-0	Lost 1
Air Force	0	2	.000	0-0	0-0	8	4	.667	7-0	1-4	0-0	Lost 1

Recent Results:

February 16 (Wednesday)

UTAH def. Idaho State, 7-0

February 18 (Friday)

AIR FORCE def. Point Loma, 4-3

BYU def. Portland, 6-1

Pepperdine def. SAN DIEGO STATE, 5-2

Tulsa def. UNLV, 5-2

February 19 (Saturday)

San Diego def. AIR FORCE, 7-0

BYU def. Idaho State, 5-2

VCU def. UNLV at Tulsa, 7-0

UTAH def. Portland, 6-1

February 20 (Sunday)

*AIR FORCE at SAN DIEGO STATE, PPD - Rain

Key to Tournaments:

(2) USTA/ITA National Team Indoor Championships in
 Louisville, Kent. (16-teams)

Upcoming Schedule:

February 24 (Thursday)

(2) NEW MEXICO vs. No. 5 Mississippi, 4 p.m.

February 25 (Friday)

(2) NEW MEXICO vs. TBD, TBD

February 26 (Saturday)

Montana State at AIR FORCE, 8 a.m.

Boise State at BYU, Noon

(2) NEW MEXICO vs. TBD, TBD

February 27 (Sunday)

Wichita State at AIR FORCE, 9 a.m.

(2) NEW MEXICO vs. TBD, TBD

March 1 (Wednesday)

Michigan at SAN DIEGO STATE, 1:30 p.m.

Notes Key:

Mountain West Conference teams in **BOLD ALL CAPS**

All times listed are local to match site

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**National Rankings:****Mtn. West Teams in Top-75**

(Feb. 23)

Rk	Pvs	School	Rec
40	41	BYU	6-1
53	54	New Mexico	2-4
60	58	UNLV	3-5

Mtn. West Player in Singles

(Feb. 16)

Rk	Pvs	Individual	School
8	10	Matt Amgwerd	UNM

Mtn. West Player in Doubles

(Feb. 16)

15	26	Damien Ward/Gert Vilms	BYU
22	t16	Nic Losee/Carlos Lozano	BYU
48	14	Matt Amgwerd/Nic Dubey	UNM

Media Resources**Obtaining Conference Information**

Online: The Official Mountain West Conference website through FANsOnly: (www.mountainwestconf.com)

Results from men's tennis matches will be made available on the website no later than the Wednesday following the match. Updated conference statistics, standings and notes will be available on a weekly basis. The Mtn. West website also provides links to each school's official website, and sport specialty sites. In addition, the Newsstand provides links to stories from online newspapers.

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Mtn. West Document numbers

(for men's tennis) are as follows: 1071-Release

1079-Composite Results/Schedules

1080-Mtn. West Championship Info.

1081-Breaking News (including player of the week release).

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Player of the Week**Alex Waske • Sr. • SDSU**

San Diego State earned both of this week's Mountain West Conference Men's and Women's Tennis Player of the Week awards. **Alex Waske** (Sr., Frankfurt, Germany) earned the men's honor by posting a win in both singles and doubles in his first action of the season. **Whitney Wells** (Jr., Fresno, Calif.) received the women's honor after she claimed wins at No. 1 singles and doubles in both of SDSU's victories during the week.

Competing in his first match of the season on Feb. 18, Waske claimed a three-set (6-7, 6-4, 6-2) win over No. 30 ranked Robert Kendrick of Pepperdine in the No. 1 singles position. Waske's win was the second of the day for the Aztecs who lost the match, 5-2, to the No. 7 ranked Waves. SDSU freshman Oliver Maiberger won the other team point in straight-sets over No. 58 Stefan Graeff in the No. 2 slot. In doubles play, Waske teamed with Travis Haddon in the No. 2 position to claim an 8-5 win over Pepperdine's duo of John Hui and Kendrick. SDSU is now 8-4 overall and 0-1 in conference play. The Aztecs were also scheduled to face Air Force on Feb. 20, but rain forced that match to be postponed to a future date yet to be determined.

Mountain West Conference Men's Tennis Players of the Week: Feb. 2 – Oliver Maiberger (Fr.) SDSU; Feb. 9 – Tom DeAngelis (Sr.) AFA; Feb. 16 – Danny Erez (Jr.) UNLV; Feb. 23 – Alex Waske (Sr.) SDSU.

New Mexico Host of 2000 Mtn. West Men's Tennis Championship

The inaugural Mountain West Conference Men's Tennis Championship will be hosted by the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, N.M. All six Mtn. West mens' tennis teams will compete in the single-elimination team event for the first league title April 20-22. Seedings will be decided by regular-season dual match results in conference matches.

All requests for media credentials for the inaugural Mountain West Conference Men's Tennis Championship should be submitted in writing to Director of Communications Elaine Adams at the Mtn. West office or New Mexico Media Relations contact Georgette Lombardo prior to the event.

Team-by-Team Notes

Head coach Rich Gugat registered his 600th career victory as **Air Force** defeated Point Loma, 4-3, on Feb. 18. Gugat is one of only five active Division I coaches with 600 wins and owns a 600-156 slate in his 26th season. Chris Zielinski won the decisive match in the No. 6 position to give the Falcons their first road-win of the season. This week, AFA plays host to Montana State on Friday and Wichita State on Saturday. The highest ranked team in the Mtn. West at No. 40 in the nation, **BYU** extended its win streak to five matches with victories over Portland and Idaho State this past week. Leading the way was Nic Loose who claimed both singles matches at No. 2 and teamed with Carlos Lozano for two wins at No. 1 doubles. In their next action, the Cougars host Boise State on Saturday. No. 53 ranked **New Mexico** was idle last week, and begins play at the USTA/ITA National Team Indoor Championships in Louisville, Kent., on Thursday. The Lobos will meet No. 5 Mississippi in the first round of the 16-team event. Senior Alex Waske made his season debut for **San Diego State** vs. Pepperdine on Friday to claim a win over No. 30 Robert Kendrick at No. 1 singles and teamed with Travis Haddon for a win at No. 2 doubles. The Aztecs are idle until Wed., Mar. 1 when they host Michigan. Last week, UNLV suffered two losses in its first indoor action of the season. The Rebels will next compete in the prestigious HEB Invitational in Corpus Christi, Texas Mar. 3-5. Led by freshman Daniel Carlsson, **Utah** claimed wins over Idaho State and Portland this past week. Playing at No. 3-4 singles and No. 3 doubles, Carlsson won all four matches. The Utes are idle until Mar. 3 when they host rival BYU.

2000 Mountain West Conference Men's Tennis Schedule/Scoreboard

Air Force Falcons (8-4/0-2 Mtn. West)

Date	Opponent	Result	Own- Opp
S 30	Abilene Christian	W	7-0
S 30	Colorado Mines	W	6-1
O 8-10	at New Mexico Invite		NTS
O 27-31	at Rolex Regional Tourney		NTS
J 21	Oral Roberts	W	6-1
J 22	Weber State	W	7-0
J 29	Missouri/Kansas City	W	7-0
J 29	Eastern Michigan	W	7-0
J 29	Eastern Washington	W	7-0
F 4	at Colorado	L	3-4
F 11	at BYU *	L	0-7
F 12	at Utah *	L	2-5
F 18	at Point Loma	W	4-3
F 19	at Univ. of San Diego	L	0-7
F 20	at San Diego State *	Ppd.	Rain
F 26	Montana State		8:00 a.m.
F 27	Wichita State		9:00 a.m.
M 4	Gustavus Adolphus		8:00 a.m.
M 5	Drake		10:00 a.m.
M 11	Idaho State		9:00 a.m.
M 18	Metro State		10:00 a.m.
M 26	at Sacramento State		1:00 p.m.
M 28	at Santa Clara		10:00 a.m.
M 29	at St. Mary's		Noon
M 30	at San Francisco		2:00 p.m.
M 31	at Cal Poly		1:00 p.m.
A 8	at Denver		11:00 a.m.

Home matches in bold. * Indicates Mountain West Conference matches. All times listed are local to match site and subject to change.

BYU Cougars (6-1/2-0 Mtn. West)

Date	Opponent	Result	Own- Opp
S 23-26	at ITA Nat Claycourt Champ		NTS
O 7-9	at Utah Invite		NTS
O 14-18	at ITA All-American		NTS
O 27-31	at Rolex Regional Tourney		NTS
N 15-21	at Southern Cal Intercoll.		NTS
J 5-9	at Milwaukee Tennis Classic		NTS
J 21	Coed Cougar Clash		NTS
J 24	at UC San Diego	W	5-1
J 25	at USC (11)	L	0-7
J 27	at San Diego State *	W	4-3
J 28	at Univ. of San Diego	W	4-3
F 11	Air Force Academy *	W	7-0
F 18	Portland	W	6-1
F 19	Idaho State	W	5-2
F 26	Boise State		Noon
M 2	Montana State		10:00 a.m.
M 3	at Utah *		6:00 p.m.
M 10	Utah State		6:00 p.m.
M 21	at Cal/Berkeley		1:30 p.m.
M 22	at Stanford		11:00 a.m.
M 24	vs. Washington at San Jose		Noon
M 25	at Fresno State		1:00 p.m.
M 31	at UNLV *		1:30 p.m.
A 1	vs. New Mexico at Las Vegas		Noon
A 5	Utah *		1:00 p.m.
A 11	at Weber State		2:00 p.m.

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New Mexico Lobos (2-4/0-0 Mtn. West)

Date	Opponent	Result	Own- Opp
J 21	at Minnesota	L	2-5
J 22	vs. Notre Dame at Minnesota	L	2-5
J 28	Florida State	L	3-4
J 30	TCU	L	0-7
F 3-6	at Indiv Indoors Shootout		All Day
F 11	Colorado	W	7-0
F 13	Pennsylvania	W	7-0
F 24-27	at Team Indoors		All Day
M 3-5	at HEB Team Tourney		All Day
M 7	Yale		
M 11	at SMU		
M 17	San Diego State *		2:00 p.m.
M 19	Central Florida		Noon
M 25	Drake		5:00 p.m.
A 1	vs. BYU * at Las Vegas		Noon
A 2	at UNLV *		Noon
A 9	at New Mexico State		11:00 a.m.

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San Diego State Aztecs (1-4/0-1 Mtn. West)

Date	Opponent	Result	Own- Opp
O 9-18	at ITA All-American		NTS
O 15-17	SDSU Fall classic		NTS
O 27-N 1	at Rolex Regional Tourney		NTS
J 7-9	at Jerry's Desert Classic		NTS
J 12	at UCLA (1)	L	1-6
J 27	Brigham Young *	L	3-4
J 30	Pacific (176)	L	3-4
F 4-6	at San Diego Tourney		NTS
F 10	at Santa Clara	W	4-2
F 11	at Stanford	DNP	Rain
F 18	at Pepperdine	L	2-5
F 20	Air Force Academy *		11:00 a.m.
M 1	Michigan		1:30 p.m.
M 3-5	at Pacific Coast Doubles		All Day
M 6	Baylor		1:30 p.m.
M 8	Toledo		1:30 p.m.
M 12	at Fresno State		Noon
M 14	Texas Tech		1:30 p.m.
M 18	at New Mexico *		Noon
M 19	vs. Central Florida at New Mexico		Noon
M 21	Denver		1:30 p.m.
M 25	vs. Utah * at Las Vegas		Noon
M 26	at UNLV *		Noon
A 4	at San Diego		1:30 p.m.
A 8	UC Santa Barbara		1:30 p.m.

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UNLV Rebels (3-5/0-0 Mtn. West)

Date	Opponent	Result	Own- Opp
O 30	at ITA Regional Champ		NTS
J 20	at UCLA (1)	L	0-7
J 21	at USC (11)	L	2-5
J 22	at Pepperdine (10)	L	0-7
F 11	Utah State	W	7-0
F 12	Northern Arizona	W	6-1
F 13	Texas-Arlington	W	4-3
F 18	at Tulsa	L	2-5
F 19	vs. VCU at Tulsa	L	0-7
M 3-5	at HEB Invite		All Day
M 16-19	at Blue-Gray Invite		All Day
M 24	Utah *		1:30 p.m.
M 26	San Diego State *		Noon
M 31	Brigham Young *		1:30 p.m.
A 2	New Mexico *		Noon

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Utah Utes (4-4/1-0 Mtn. West)

Date	Opponent	Result	Own- Opp
S 17-19	at Boise State Open		NTS
O 7-9	Utah Intercollegiates		NTS
O 7-9	at Sun Devil Classic		NTS
O 26-29	at Rolex Regional Champ		NTS
J 21	Utah State	W	7-0
J 28	vs. Oregon at Boise State	L	2-5
J 29	at Boise State	L	0-7
F 7	at Arizona	L	1-6
F 8	at Arizona State	L	0-7
F 12	Air Force Academy *	W	5-2
F 16	Idaho State	W	7-0
F 19	Portland	W	6-1
M 3	Brigham Young *		6:00 p.m.
M 11	at Pepperdine		Noon
M 13	at San Diego		1:00 p.m.
M 14	at USC		1:00 p.m.
M 16	at UC Irvine		1:00 p.m.
M 18	vs. Dartmouth at San Diego		1:00 p.m.
M 24	at UNLV *		1:00 p.m.
M 25	vs. SDSU * at Las Vegas		1:00 p.m.
M 30	Weber State		5:00 p.m.
A 5	at BYU *		1:00 p.m.
A 9	at Fresno State		1:00 p.m.
A 11	at California		1:00 p.m.
A 12	at Stanford		1:00 p.m.

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