



# SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS

## 2018 Men's Soccer Weekly Notes

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### Schedule/Results

**Overall:** 0-1-1 | **Conference:** 0-0-0  
**Home:** 0-0-0 | **Away:** 0-1-2 | **Neutral:** 0-0-0

Date	Opponent	Time
Aug. 18	at Point Loma Nazarene (Ex.)	W, 1-0
Aug. 24	at Santa Clara	L, 2-0
Aug. 26	at San Francisco	T, 1-1
Sept. 1	Army	7 p.m. PT
Sept. 7	LIU-Brooklyn <sup>^</sup>	7 p.m. PT
Sept. 9	UC Irvine <sup>^</sup>	5 p.m. PT
Sept. 14	Brown	7 p.m. PT
Sept. 24	UNLV	7 p.m. PT
Sept. 27	at Stanford* (P12)	5 p.m. PT
Sept. 30	at California* (P12)	12 p.m. PT
Oct. 4	Oregon State*	4 p.m. PT
Oct. 7	Washington*	11:30 a.m. PT
Oct. 13	UCLA*	7 p.m. PT
Oct. 19	at San Diego	7 p.m. PT
Oct. 25	at Oregon State* (P12)	3 p.m. PT
Oct. 28	Washington* (P12)	4 p.m. PT
Nov. 1	Stanford*	7 p.m. PT
Nov. 4	California*	4:30 p.m. PT
Nov. 8	at UCLA* (P12)	TBD

<sup>^</sup> - Courtyard Marriott SD Central Aztec Soccer Tournament

\* - Pac-12 match

(P12) - Pac-12 Networks broadcast

### Team Information

Head Coach.....	Lev Kirshner (Rutgers, 1991)
Record at SDSU (Seasons).....	131-157-54 (18)
Career Record.....	Same
E-mail.....	aztecsoccer@sdsu.edu
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Associate Head Coach.....	Matt Hall (19th Season)
Assistant Coach.....	Josh Hill (Second Season)
Home Facility.....	SDSU Sports Deck (1,250)
2017 Overall Record.....	6-13-0
2017 Pac-12 Record/Finish.....	1-9-0/6th
First Year of Competition.....	1968
All-Time Record.....	473-339-110 (.573)
NCAA Appearances.....	9 ('69, '81, '82, '87, '88, '89, '05, '06, '16)
Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....	7/11
Starters Returning/Lost.....	5/6

### Up Next

#### Army (0-2-0) vs. San Diego State (0-1-1)

Saturday, Sept. 1 | 7:00 p.m. PT | SDSU Sports Deck | San Diego, Calif.

Media Coverage: Live Stream (GoAztecs.com) & Live Stats

Military Appreciation Night | Light the Night | Sunglasses Giveaway

### Last Time Out

The Aztecs opened up their 2018 season by going 0-1-1 against a pair of WCC teams on the road. On Friday, they fell to Santa Clara 2-0 after allowing two second half goals, one via penalty kick. The Broncos attempted 15 shots, while the Aztecs had four.

On Sunday, the Aztecs played San Francisco to a 1-1 draw. SDSU grabbed an early lead after captain Pablo Pelaez connected on a free kick from 25 yards out. The Dons, who played a man down for the final 69 minutes, netted the equalizer in the 62nd minute. This was the Aztecs' first draw since the final match of the 2016 season.

### Aztec Storylines

- Saturday's home opener vs. Army West Point is the annual "Light the Night" match. A tradition that began in 2012, the Aztecs are 5-0-1 in these matches, which includes the historic upset of No. 1 Akron in 2016. This highly anticipated match has averaged over 1,400 fans.
- The Aztecs have won seven of the last eight home openers.
- Redshirt junior midfielder Pablo Pelaez's name was in the news last week. First he was named to the All-Pac-12 Preseason Team as voted on by the league's head coaches. Then he was recognized by Top Drawer Soccer as one of the top 100 college players in the nation and finally, he was named the Aztec's team captain. Pelaez also scored the Aztecs' only goal over the weekend, scoring on a free kick from 25 yards out on the left wing at San Francisco.
- Assistant Coach Josh Hill (2nd Season) also received high praise from Top Drawer Soccer. He was one of nine DI coaches tabbed "Assistant Coach to Watch." Hill has been instrumental in the Aztecs' roster overhaul via the transfer market and is one of the top up-and-coming young coaches in the nation.
- In both matches last the weekend, the Aztecs' starting XI featured six players who have made less than 10 starts for SDSU. Additionally, all five reserves in Friday's match and four of the five in the USF match were new to the program.
- The Aztecs did not have a single draw in the 2017 season. Their last draw came in the final match of the 2016 season when the Aztecs and UNLV tied 1-1 in the first round of NCAA Tournament. The Rebels advanced to the next round after winning PKs 6-5.

## Games 3 | vs. Army (Sept. 1)

### SDSU's Record When...

Category	2018	Streak
Overall	0-1-1	T1
Pac-12 Conference	0-0-0	--
Non-Conference	0-1-1	T1
Last Five	0-1-1	T1
Last 10	0-1-1	T1
Home	0-0-0	--
Away	0-1-1	T1
Neutral	0-0-0	--
Day	0-0-1	T1
Night (5 p.m. or later)	0-1-0	L1
August	0-1-1	T1
September	0-0-0	--
October	0-0-0	--
November	0-0-0	--
Sunday	0-0-1	T1
Monday	0-0-0	--
Tuesday	0-0-0	--
Wednesday	0-0-0	--
Thursday	0-0-0	--
Friday	0-1-0	L1
Saturday	0-0-0	--
Following a Victory	0-0-0	--
Following a Loss	0-0-1	T1
Following a Tie	0-0-0	--
Scoring First	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Scores First	0-1-0	L1
Leading at Halftime	0-0-1	T1
Trailing at Halftime	0-0-0	--
Tied at Halftime	0-1-0	L1
When Leading in Game	0-0-1	T1
When Trailing in Game	0-1-0	L1
In Overtime	0-0-1	T1
SDSU Outshoots Opponent	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Outshoots SDSU	0-1-0	L1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Shots	0-0-0	--
SDSU Has More Fouls	0-1-1	T1
Opponent Has More Fouls	0-0-0	--
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Fouls	0-0-0	--
SDSU Has More Corners	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Has More Corners	0-1-0	L1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Corners	0-0-0	--
In One-Goal Games	0-0-0	--
In Two or More Goal Games	0-1-0	L1
SDSU Scores One Goal	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Scores One Goal	0-0-1	T1
SDSU Scores Two Goals	0-0-0	--
Opponent Scores Two Goals	0-1-0	L1
SDSU Scores 3+ Goals	0-0-0	--
Opponent Scores 3+ Goals	0-0-0	--

## Opponent Notebook

Army West Point comes to San Diego after dropping a pair of matches last weekend. They fell to Seton Hall 2-1 in double overtime in their season opener and then lost 2-1 on the road to Fairleigh Dickinson.

Zac McGraw was named to the MAC Hermann Trophy Watch List as well as being named the Patriot League Preseason Defensive Player of the Year, an award he has won the past two seasons. Keenan O'Shea was also on the preseason All-Patriot League Team.

Head Coach Russell Payne (9th season) had led the Black Knights to a 55-65-24 overall record. He has led Army to back-to-back nine win seasons.

This is the second all-time meeting between the two programs. The Aztecs fell 1-0 at West Point last year, in their season opener.

### Roster

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Last School)
0	Harrison Skinner	GK	6-4	185	RS-Fr.	Henderson, Nev. (Coronado HS)
00	Finn Simmersbach	GK	6-2	180	Fr.	Kamuela, Hawaii (Shattuck-Saint Mary's School)
01	Cameron Hogg	GK	6-0	200	RS-Sr.	Auckland, New Zealand (Univ. of Buffalo)
1	Max Watkin	GK	6-2	195	RS-Jr.	Malibu, Calif. (Malibu HS)
2	Spencer Madden	D	5-9	155	Jr.	Dana Hills, Calif. (Dana Hills HS)
3	Mac Clarke	D	6-2	175	RS-Jr.	Puyallup, Wash. (Emerald Ridge)
4	Ilai Shvika	D	6-0	185	Sr.	Qiryat Tivon, Israel (Drexel Univ.)
5	Dane Rozas	D	6-0	150	So.	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Tesoro HS)
6	Emil Kjellker	MF	6-0	175	Jr.	Hollviken, Sweden (Malmö Borgarskola)
7	Laukoa Santos	MF	5-10	160	RS-Fr.	Waikoloa, Hawaii (Kealakehe HS)
8	Pablo Pelaez	MF	5-8	145	RS-Jr.	San Diego, Calif. (Mt. Everest Academy)
9	DJ Villegas	MF	5-6	140	RS-So.	Sacramento, Calif. (UCLA)
10	Keegan Kelly	MF	5-9	135	RS-So.	Baltimore, Md. (Maryland)
11	Robby Jacobs	F	5-10	160	Jr.	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Clemson)
12	Garrett Amador	D	5-9	175	RS-So.	Anaheim, Calif. (Loyola Marymount)
13	Miles Stray	D	6-1	200	Jr.	Point Reyes, Calif. (Maryland)
14	Esteban Zepeda	D	6-0	150	Fr.	Lincoln, Calif. (Lincoln HS)
15	Hampus Bergdahl	D	6-1	180	Jr.	Karlshamn, Sweden (Syracuse)
16	Andre Gamboa	F	5-10	165	Jr.	Diamond Bar, Calif. (Mt. San Antonio College)
17	Reagan Sherlock	MF	6-0	175	RS-Fr.	San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines HS)
18	Kyle Colonna	D	6-3	175	Fr.	Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista HS)
19	Edwin Quiroz	MF	5-8	145	Jr.	Lancaster, Calif. (Northwest Nazarene)
20	Aleks Berkolds	D	6-1	185	RS-Sr.	Northridge, Calif. (Crespi Carmelite HS)
21	Tevonn Roux	F	6-0	170	So.	Davidson, N.C. (William Amos Hough HS)
22	Chad Morgan	D	5-9	155	RS-Fr.	Northridge, Calif. (Northridge Academy HS)
23	Chris Scatterday	D	6-0	170	Jr.	Danville, Calif. (Northeastern Univ.)
24	Arturo Chavez	MF	5-10	165	Fr.	Lake Forest, Calif. (El Toro HS)
25	Brandon Cerda	MF	5-10	165	Fr.	Mansfield, Texas (Lake Ridge HS)
28	Damian German	F	5-9	155	Sr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Grand Canyon)
29	AJ Valenzuela	MF	6-3	185	Jr.	Tucson, Ariz. (Pima CC)
30	Adam Vargas	MF	5-9	160	Jr.	San Diego, Calif. (Cal State Dominguez Hills)

**Head Coach:** Lev Kirshner (Rutgers, 1991), 19th Season

**Associate Head Coach:** Matt Hall (San Diego, 2001), 19th Season

**Assistant Coach:** Josh Hill (Univ. of La Verne, 2014), 2nd Season

**Director of Operations:** Matt Deemer (Chapman, 2018), 1st Season

### Pronunciations:

#4 Ilai Shvika - Eli sh-VEE-kuh

#17 Reagan Sherlock - RAY-ginn (like Ronald)

#6 Emil Kjellker - ay-MEEL SHELL-ker

#21 Tevonn Roux - ROW

#7 Laukoa Santos - La-KO-uh

#28 Damian German - dom-YON HER-mahn

#8 Pablo Pelaez - pell-lice

**2018 SDU Men's Soccer  
San Diego State Combined Team Statistics (as of Aug 29, 2018)  
All games**

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
ALL GAMES	0-1-1	0-0	0-1-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-1-1	0-0	0-1-1	0-0

<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Att.</b>
8/24/2018	at Santa Clara	L 0-2	678
Aug 26	at San Francisco	To2 1-1	323

<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>	<b>SDSU</b>	<b>OPP</b>
<b>SHOT STATISTICS</b>		
Goals-Shot attempts	1-21	3-25
Goals scored per game	0.50	1.50
Shot pct.	.048	.120
Shots on goal-Attempts	7-21	7-25
SOG pct.	.333	.280
Shots/Game	10.5	12.5
CORNER KICKS	8	6
PENALTY KICKS	0-0	1-1
<b>PENALTIES</b>		
Yellow cards	3	2
Red cards	1	1
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	0	1001
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	2/500
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	pk-att
8	Pelaez, Pablo	2	1	0	2	3	.333	1	.333	0	0-0
7	Santos, Laukoa	2	0	0	0	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0
15	Bergdahl, Hampus	2	0	0	0	3	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10	Kelly, Keegan	2	0	0	0	3	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
20	Berkolds, Aleks	2	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0
11	Jacobs, Robby	2	0	0	0	2	.000	2	1.000	0	0-0
2	Madden, Spencer	2	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0
28	German, Damian	2	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
4	Shvika, Ilai	2	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
30	Vargas, Adam	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
29	Valenzuela, AJ	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
21	Roux, Tevenn	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
13	Stray, Miles	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
9	Villegas, DJ	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
6	Kjellker, Emil	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
3	Clarke, Mac	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
<b>Total</b>		2	1	0	2	21	.048	7	.333	0	0-0
<b>Opponents</b>		2	3	2	8	25	.120	7	.280	1	1-1

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
01	Hogg, Cameron	2	200:00	3	1.35	4	.571	0-1-0	0/0
<b>Total</b>		2	200:00	3	1.35	4	.571	0-1-0	0
<b>Opponents</b>		2	200:00	1	0.45	6	.857	1-0-0	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	1	0	0	0	1
Opponents	0	3	0	0	3

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	7	8	1	5	21
Opponents	12	13	0	0	25

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	2	2	0	0	4
Opponents	2	2	1	1	6

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	4	1	2	1	8
Opponents	5	1	0	0	6

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	17	24	1	0	42
Opponents	16	14	1	1	32

**2018 Army West Point Men's Soccer**  
**ARMY Combined Team Statistics (as of Aug 28, 2018)**  
**All games**

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
ALL GAMES	0-2	0-1	0-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-2	0-1	0-1	0-0

<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Att.</b>
Aug 24	SETON HALL	Lo2 1-2	1024
Aug 27	at Fairleigh Dickinson	L 1-2	312

<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>	<b>ARMY</b>	<b>OPP</b>
<b>SHOT STATISTICS</b>		
Goals-Shot attempts	2-19	4-17
Goals scored per game	1.00	2.00
Shot pct.	.105	.235
Shots on goal-Attempts	8-19	8-17
SOG pct.	.421	.471
Shots/Game	9.5	8.5
CORNER KICKS	8	7
PENALTY KICKS	0-0	1-1
<b>PENALTIES</b>		
Yellow cards	1	3
Red cards	0	0
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	1024	312
Dates/Avg Per Date	1/1024	1/312
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	qw	pk-att
9	O'Shea, Keenan	2	2	0	4	6	.33	3	.50	0	0-0
8	McGraw, Zac	2	0	0	0	4	.00	2	.50	0	0-0
21	DeBruyne, Chris	2	0	0	0	2	.00	1	.50	0	0-0
10	Pereira, Oscar	2	0	0	0	2	.00	1	.50	0	0-0
17	Seye, Ibrahim	2	0	0	0	2	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
13	Burgess, Jake	2	0	0	0	1	.00	1	1.00	0	0-0
11	Kowalewski, Carter	2	0	0	0	1	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
12	Takaki, Christian	2	0	0	0	1	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
2	Whiteman, Eric	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
6	Guiseppi, Roman	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
7	Rojas, Zane	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
15	Grave de Peralta, A	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
16	Field, Alex	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
18	Naquin, Grayson	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
22	Schweickert, Bradle	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
23	Poncy, John	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
26	Flynn, Matt	2	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
25	Riechman, Collin	1	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.00	0	0-0
	Total	2	2	0	4	19	.10	8	.42	0	0-0
	Opponents	2	4	3	11	17	.23	8	.47	2	1-1

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Save	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
1	Stoll, Justin	2	194:29	4	1.85	4	.500	0-2-0	0/0
	Total	2	194:29	4	1.85	4	.500	0-2-0	0
	Opponents	2	194:29	2	0.93	6	.750	2-0-0	0

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
ARMY	1	1	0	0	2
Opponents	2	1	0	1	4

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
ARMY	9	8	2	0	19
Opponents	6	8	1	2	17

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
ARMY	1	2	0	1	4
Opponents	4	1	1	0	6

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
ARMY	4	3	0	1	8
Opponents	3	1	2	1	7

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
ARMY	9	8	0	0	17
Opponents	17	16	1	0	34