



SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS

2018 Men's Soccer Weekly Notes

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Schedule/Results

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

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	L, 2-1
Sept. 7	LIU-Brooklyn [^]	7 p.m. PT
Sept. 9	UC Irvine [^]	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

[^] - 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
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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.....	12/11
Starters Returning/Lost.....	5/6

Up Next

The Courtyard Marriott San Diego Central Aztec Soccer Tournament

LIU Brooklyn (1-2-1) vs. San Diego State (0-2-1)

Friday, Sept. 7 | 7:00 p.m. PT | SDSU Sports Deck on Montezuma Road | San Diego, Calif.

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

UC Irvine (2-1-1) vs. San Diego State (0-2-1)

Sunday, Sept. 9 | 5:00 p.m. PT | SDSU Sports Deck on Montezuma Road | San Diego, Calif.

Media Coverage: Live Stats | Socks Giveaway

Last Time Out

- The Aztecs fell in the 2018 home opener 2-1 to Army West Point. SDSU got on the scoreboard first with a beautiful display of passing between Damian German, Emil Kjellker and Keegan Kelly to set up Pablo Pelaez for a 23rd minute goal. SDSU took the lead in to half time but saw the Black Knights score two second half goals, one in the 58th minute and another in the 80th minute, to earn the win.

Aztec Storylines

- The Aztecs will be hosting the 11th annual Courtyard Marriott San Diego Central Aztec Soccer Tournament this week. They will host LIU Brooklyn Friday evening and UC Irvine on Sunday at 5:00 p.m. Both those teams will also face Loyola Marymount. In the tournament's ten year history, the Aztecs have been crowned champions four times (2009, '11, '14 & '16).
- The Aztecs are in the midst of a stretch of five consecutive home matches (Sept. 1 – 24). They will then begin Pac-12 play with a pair of matches in the Bay Area against Stanford (Sept. 27) and Cal (Sept. 30), before returning for three more consecutive home matches (Oct. 4-13), meaning seven of their next nine matches will be at home.
- Pablo Pelaez, the Aztec's captain, has scored a goal in each of the last two matches, putting him in a tied for third in the Pac-12 with 0.67 goals per match. Washington's Scott Menzies leads the conference with four goals in four matches.
- Assistant Coach Josh Hill (2nd Season) recently 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.
- The Aztecs have fielded a different starting XI in all three matches so far this season, but each lineup combination has featured at least six players who entered the year with less than 10 career starts for the Aztecs. Of the 17 players who played in their last match, eight are new to the program this year. SDSU's 13 newcomers were recently named a top 30 2018 recruiting class by Top Drawer Soccer.
- The Aztecs' schedule will only get more difficult as the season progresses. 10 of SDSU's final 14 matches are against teams ranked or receiving votes in the latest United Soccer Coaches Poll.

SDSU's Record When...

Category	2018	Streak
Overall	0-2-1	L1
Pac-12 Conference	0-0-0	--
Non-Conference	0-2-1	L1
Last Five	0-2-1	L1
Last 10	0-2-1	L1
Home	0-1-0	L1
Away	0-1-1	T1
Neutral	0-0-0	--
Day	0-0-1	T1
Night (5 p.m. or later)	0-2-0	L2
August	0-1-1	T1
September	0-1-0	L1
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	0-1-0	L1
Following a Victory	0-0-0	--
Following a Loss	0-0-1	T1
Following a Tie	0-1-0	L1
Scoring First	0-1-1	L1
Opponent Scores First	0-1-0	L1
Leading at Halftime	0-1-1	L1
Trailing at Halftime	0-0-0	--
Tied at Halftime	0-1-0	L1
When Leading in Game	0-1-1	L1
When Trailing in Game	0-1-0	L1
In Overtime	0-0-1	T1
SDSU Outshoots Opponent	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Outshoots SDSU	0-2-0	L1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Shots	0-0-0	--
SDSU Has More Fouls	0-1-1	T1
Opponent Has More Fouls	0-1-0	L1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Fouls	0-0-0	--
SDSU Has More Corners	0-1-1	L1
Opponent Has More Corners	0-1-0	L1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Corners	0-0-0	--
In One-Goal Games	0-1-0	L1
In Two or More Goal Games	0-1-0	L1
SDSU Scores One Goal	0-1-1	L1
Opponent Scores One Goal	0-0-1	T1
SDSU Scores Two Goals	0-0-0	--
Opponent Scores Two Goals	0-2-0	L2
SDSU Scores 3+ Goals	0-0-0	--
Opponent Scores 3+ Goals	0-0-0	--

Opponent Notebook**LIU Brooklyn**

The Blackbirds are 1-2-1 on the season... Their lone win was a 2-1 victory in extra time against Northeastern... They went 6-9-3 in 2017... They have allowed eight goals through four matches with six of them coming in the second half... Fredrik Mathisen leads the team with two goals; Romario Guscott has a goal and an assist... Sam Ilin and Anthony Sciola have both made two starts in goal. They have combined for a 1.88 goals allowed average... Head Coach TJ Kostecky (20th season) enters the year with a 126-173-44 career record at LIU Brooklyn... This is the first ever meeting between these two programs.

UC Irvine

The Anteaters are 2-1-1 so far this year... Their only loss was at UCLA (1-0)... They are receiving votes in the latest United Soccer Coaches Poll... UC Irvine opened the season without allowing a goal for 252 minutes, the third-longest stretch to open a season in program history... Senior Ivan Canales is the team's active career leader in goals (16), assists (15) and points (47)... Goalkeeper Greg Patenaude has 13 saves and a goals allowed average of 0.68... Head Coach Yossi Raz is in his second season after spending four years as the head coach at Cal Poly Pomona... The Aztecs are 12-7-5 all-time against UC Irvine... They last played in 2015 as part of the Courtyard Marriott Central San Diego Tournament and tied 0-0.

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	Itai 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 (Kealahou 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)
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	RS-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

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Matt Deemer (Chapman, 2018), 1st Season

Pronunciations:

#4 Itai 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 Sep 05, 2018)
All games**

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	0-2-1	0-1	0-1-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-2-1	0-1	0-1-1	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
8/24/2018	at Santa Clara	L 0-2	678
Aug 26	at San Francisco	To2 1-1	323
9/1/18	ARMY	L 1-2	742

TEAM STATISTICS	SDSU	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	2-30	5-35
Goals scored per game	0.67	1.67
Shot pct.	.067	.143
Shots on goal-Attempts	10-30	10-35
SOG pct.	.333	.286
Shots/Game	10.0	11.7
CORNER KICKS		
	14	9
PENALTY KICKS		
	0-0	2-2
PENALTIES		
Yellow cards	4	3
Red cards	1	1
ATTENDANCE		
Total	742	1001
Dates/Avg Per Date	1/742	2/500
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	pk-att
8	Pelaez, Pablo	3	2	0	4	4	.500	2	.500	0	0-0
10	Kelly, Keegan	3	0	1	1	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0
6	Kjellker, Emil	3	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
15	Bergdahl, Hampus	3	0	0	0	5	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
7	Santos, Laukoa	3	0	0	0	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0
28	German, Damian	3	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
20	Berkolds, Aleks	3	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0
11	Jacobs, Robby	3	0	0	0	2	.000	2	1.000	0	0-0
4	Shvika, Ilai	3	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0
2	Madden, Spencer	2	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0
30	Vargas, Adam	3	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
29	Valenzuela, AJ	3	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
17	Sherlock, Reagan	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
22	Morgan, Chad	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
21	Roux, Tevenn	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
13	Stray, Miles	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
12	Amador, Garrett	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
9	Villegas, DJ	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
3	Clarke, Mac	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
	Total	3	2	2	6	30	.067	10	.333	0	0-0
	Opponents	3	5	3	13	35	.143	10	.286	2	2-2

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
01	Hogg, Cameron	3	290:00	5	1.55	5	.500	0-2-0	0/0
	Total	3	290:00	5	1.55	5	.500	0-2-0	0
	Opponents	3	290:00	2	0.62	8	.800	2-0-0	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	2	0	0	0	2
Opponents	0	5	0	0	5

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	14	10	1	5	30
Opponents	16	19	0	0	35

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	3	2	0	0	5
Opponents	3	3	1	1	8

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	8	3	2	1	14
Opponents	7	2	0	0	9

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	21	31	1	0	53
Opponents	23	19	1	1	44