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### 2001 LMU Schedule/Results

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
<b>JAN. 30</b>	<b>CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE</b>	<b>W, 7-3</b>
Feb. 2	at Hawaii Hilo	W, 6-1
Feb. 3	at Hawaii Hilo (DH)	W, 6-4; W, 11-6
Feb. 4	at Hawaii Hilo	W, 3-1
Feb. 6	at UCLA	L, 10-6
<b>FEB. 9</b>	<b>CAL STATE DOMINGUEZ HILLS</b>	<b>W, 9-5</b>
<b>FEB. 10</b>	<b>MISSOURI</b>	<b>L, 10-7</b>
<b>FEB. 11</b>	<b>CAL STATE LOS ANGELES</b>	<b>W, 7-6</b>
Feb. 13	at Cal State Fullerton	L, 5-3
<b>FEB. 16</b>	<b>CALIFORNIA</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>FEB. 17</b>	<b>CALIFORNIA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>FEB. 18</b>	<b>CALIFORNIA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
Feb. 20	at USC	5:00 p.m.
<b>FEB. 23</b>	<b>UC SANTA BARBARA</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>FEB. 24</b>	<b>UC SANTA BARBARA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>FEB. 25</b>	<b>UC SANTA BARBARA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
Feb. 27	at Cal State Northridge	2:30 p.m.
Mar. 2	at Cal Poly	5:00 p.m.
Mar. 3	at Cal Poly	5:00 p.m.
Mar. 4	at Cal Poly	1:00 p.m.
<b>MAR. 6</b>	<b>UCLA</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 9</b>	<b>*GONZAGA</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 10</b>	<b>*GONZAGA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 11</b>	<b>*GONZAGA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
Mar. 13	at San Diego State	6:00 p.m.
Mar. 16	*at Santa Clara	7:00 p.m.
Mar. 17	*at Santa Clara	1:00 p.m.
Mar. 18	*at Santa Clara	1:00 p.m.
<b>MAR. 20</b>	<b>SAN DIEGO STATE</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 23</b>	<b>*SAN FRANCISCO</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 24</b>	<b>*SAN FRANCISCO</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 25</b>	<b>*SAN FRANCISCO</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 27</b>	<b>LONG BEACH STATE</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 30</b>	<b>*PORTLAND</b>	<b>2:00 P.M.</b>
<b>MAR. 31</b>	<b>*PORTLAND</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 1</b>	<b>*PORTLAND</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
Apr. 3	at Long Beach State	7:00 p.m.
Apr. 6	*at Saint Mary's	2:00 p.m.
Apr. 7	*at Saint Mary's	1:00 p.m.
Apr. 8	*at Saint Mary's	1:00 p.m.
<b>APR. 10</b>	<b>CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE</b>	<b>3:00 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 12</b>	<b>*PEPPERDINE</b>	<b>2:30 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 14</b>	<b>*PEPPERDINE</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 16</b>	<b>*PEPPERDINE</b>	<b>2:30 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 17</b>	<b>CAL STATE FULLERTON</b>	<b>2:30 P.M.</b>
Apr. 20	*at San Diego	3:00 p.m.
Apr. 21	*at San Diego	1:00 p.m.
Apr. 22	*at San Diego	1:00 p.m.
<b>APR. 24</b>	<b>USC</b>	<b>2:30 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 27</b>	<b>*SANTA CLARA</b>	<b>2:30 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 28</b>	<b>*SANTA CLARA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
<b>APR. 29</b>	<b>*SANTA CLARA</b>	<b>1:00 P.M.</b>
May 4	*at San Francisco	2:30 p.m.
May 5	*at San Francisco	1:00 p.m.
May 6	*at San Francisco	1:00 p.m.
May 8	at Cal State Northridge	3:00 p.m.
May 11	*at Gonzaga	2:00 p.m.
May 12	*at Gonzaga	1:00 p.m.
May 13	*at Gonzaga	1:00 p.m.

**BOLD CAPS** - Denotes Home Games

\* - West Coast Conference Games

## Lions To Host Bears in Series

### BRIEFLY

Off to a 7-3 start to the 2001 season, the Lions continue its toughest four-game set so far this season, starting the week with a 5-3 loss at No. 19 Cal State Fullerton on the road. They return home for a three-game series against California at Page Stadium... The Lions home turf has been tough on opponents, as LMU has won eight of its last nine at Page Stadium. The University of Missouri broke the Lions seven game home winning streak on Saturday, but the Lions responded with a 7-6 win over Cal State Los Angeles.

### BEAR HUNTING...

The University of California Bears will come into Page Stadium following a mid-week contest against Pacific on Tuesday, Feb. 13. Heading into that game, the Bears are 4-2 on the season, sweeping Santa Clara in three games and picking up a single win in a three-game series against BYU. Similar to Cal State Fullerton, the Bears will come into Los Angeles with a solid pitching staff. As a team Cal enters the week with a 2.00 ERA, striking out 47 batters and walking only 14. In 54 innings of work, they have allowed only 12 earned runs, led by Trevor Hutchinson's 0.60 ERA. He has split his two starts on the season, pitching 15.0 innings, throwing a complete game against Santa Clara in the first game of the season, allowing one earned run and striking out 15. On offense, the Bears are led by second baseman Carson White, who leads the team with a .391 batting average. His 11 total bases is tied for the team high with Clint Hoover, who enters the week with a .348 batting average.

### Upcoming Games...

Feb. 16	California	2:00 p.m.
Feb. 17	California	1:00 p.m.
Feb. 18	California	1:00 p.m.

(Page Stadium)  
#-Denotes game on KXLU 88.9 FM

### MID-WEEK...

The Loyola Marymount University baseball team grabbed an early 2-0 lead on the 19th ranked team in the country, Cal State Fullerton, but could not hold it as the Titans rallied to defeat the Lions 5-3 in a non-conference match-up in Fullerton Wednesday night. Junior C.J. Wilson started the Lions scoring in the top of the first inning with a two-run homer off Fullerton starter Wes Littleton. The homer scored Robert Hirsh, who reached on a double. The Titans scored one in the first and then took a 3-2 lead in the second when David Bacani and Kyle Boyer each singled in runs. The Lions tied the score at 3-3 in the top of the fifth when Jack Brooks scored on a sacrifice fly by Hirsh. It would be the closest the Lions would come, as

### 2001 Statistical Leaders (by position as of 2/15/01)

Pos.	Player	GP/GS	Avg.	AB	R	H	HR	RBI
C	Kris Zacuto	10/9	.289	38	6	11	0	5
1B	Jeff Walker	10/10	.257	35	6	9	2	7
2B	Jack Brooks	9/7	.364	22	3	8	0	0
SS	Mario Cordero	10/10	.281	32	4	9	0	5
3B	Tommy Perez	5/5	.400	15	3	6	1	4
DH	Joshua Whitesell	8/4	.318	22	3	7	0	3
INF	Mark Carroll	6/4	.353	17	3	6	0	2
OF	David Maffei	10/10	.289	34	9	10	0	6
OF	Robert Hirsh	10/10	.294	34	12	10	0	6
OF	C.J. Wilson	10/10	.258	31	5	8	1	11
OF	Billy Lockin	10/4	.263	19	3	5	0	1

Pitcher	W-L	S	ERA	G	GS	IP	SO	BB
RHP Chris Gray	1-0	0	0.96	7	0	9.1	5	2
LHP Joshua Whitesell	2-0	0	3.00	6	2	9.0	8	4
LHP C.J. Wilson	0-1	1	2.70	5	1	10.0	12	4
RHP James Clelland	1-0	0	5.56	5	1	11.1	7	5
RHP Vincent Cordova	1-0	0	1.04	3	2	8.2	4	3

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**THE COACH...**LMU Head Coach Frank Cruz (Pepperdine, '83) enters his fifth season at Loyola Marymount with a mark of 128-109-1. The Lions 40 wins in 2000 is fourth all-time at LMU for wins in a season, and for their efforts, Cruz was named the West Coast Conference Coach of the Year. It is his second coach of the year honor. He first earned the honor in 1998. Cruz entered the baseball coaching ranks as the head coach at University High School in Los Angeles. He coached there for eight seasons before accepting an assistant coaching position at USC under head coach Mike Gillespie. Cruz coached at USC for four years before being named the 6th head coach in school history at LMU. Two years ago, Cruz was named Recruiter of the Year by Collegiate Baseball after signing 10 recruits to play for the Lions in 1998, six of which were drafted. In just four seasons, Cruz has guided the Loyola Marymount University baseball program to three West Coast Conference titles. Establishing a major turnaround with the program, Cruz has posted back-to-back-to-back 30-plus win seasons. LMU was 21-39 three years ago in Cruz's first season. The Lions finished 34-23-1 in 1998, 33-28 in 1999 and 40-19 a year ago. Cruz has also guided the Lions to three-consecutive NCAA Regional appearances. In addition, on Feb. 1, 2000, Cruz was named an assistant coach for the 2000 USA Baseball National Team and led the to a first place finish in international play.

**THE RECORD ON CRUZ...**

Year	School	Overall	League	Finish
1997	Loyola Marymount	21-39	11-17	6th
1998	Loyola Marymount	34-23-1	21-8	1st*
1999	Loyola Marymount	33-28	18-12	1st
2000	Loyola Marymount	40-19	22-8	1st*
2001	Loyola Marymount	7-3	0-0	--
<b>Totals 4 Years</b>		<b>135-112-1</b>	<b>72-45</b>	

Career Record:..... 135-112-1 / 5th Year  
 Record at LMU: ..... 135-112-1 / 5th Year  
 Career WCC Record:..... 72-45  
 WCC Tourn. Record: ..... 4-1  
 NCAA Tournament Record:..... 2-6  
 Career Win No.100..... 3-10-00 vs San Francisco, 16-4  
 \*WCC Coach of the Year

Lions starter freshman Joshua Whitesell had a rough outing, giving up five hits and three runs in only one and a third inning of work. Senior Brian Felten pitched solid relief in striking out five batters in two and two-third innings. However, he would get the loss, giving up an unearned run in the bottom of the fifth. The error occurred on Jason Corapci's hit to third baseman Tommy Perez, who was seeing his first action since pulling his hamstring in the series against Hawaii-Hilo. The run scored on Kay's single to center field. Perez had a solid outing at the plate, finishing 2-for-2 on the evening. Wilson finished 1-for-3 with the two RBI. The Lions finished with only five hits on the evening, two more coming on singles by Moon Cordero and Jack Brooks.

**WEEK IN REVIEW...**

Last week for the Lions began with a 10-6 loss to crosstown Pac-10 rival UCLA, that gave LMU their first loss of the season. LMU, who has held a lead in every game this season, took an early three-run lead on the Bruins, but suffered a four-run seventh by UCLA. The Lions came back with nine runs on 11 hits against Cal State Dominguez at Page Stadium on Friday for a 9-5 victory. David Maffei hit a home run and Joshua Whitesell picked up the victory to extend the Lions home winning streak to seven games. Thanks to rain in San Luis Obispo, the Lions were able to schedule an unexpected game against the Big 12's University of Missouri on Saturday. What was slated as an open date for the Lions, turned into their first loss at home since April 22, 2000. The Lions trailed early, but responded with four runs in the third to take a 4-3 lead. However, Missouri scored three in the fourth and three in the sixth to build a 9-4 lead. They added one in the ninth, to make it 10-4. The Lions attempted a rally with three in the bottom, but fell 10-7 at Page Stadium. The Lions responded in the fourth game of the week with a hard fought one-run win against Cal State Los Angeles on Sunday, 7-6. Joshua Muecke earned his first collegiate win and Brian Felten earned the save.

**PITCHING BY COMMITTEE...**

The Lions entered the 2001 season looking to fill the shoes of its 2000 starting rotation that finished 28-11, with three players selected to play with professional programs. So far this 2001 season, nine pitchers have appeared in three or more games for the Lions, with six throwing in more than eight total innings. Seniors **Chris Gray** and **James Clelland** have both earned solid playing time, as Gray leads the team with six appearances and Clelland leads the team in innings pitched with 11.1.

**PRONUNCIATIONS...**

James Clelland .....	<b>CLEL-land</b>
Matt Greuber .....	<b>GREW-ber</b>
Jonathan Higashi .....	<b>HIG-ah-she</b>
Brady Koch .....	<b>COACH</b>
Chad Lindhom .....	<b>LIND-home</b>
David Maffei .....	<b>MAFF-ee</b>
Marion Mauch .....	<b>MOCK</b>
Joshua Muecke .....	<b>MICKY</b>
Tony Nieto .....	<b>KNEE-YET-TOE</b>
Carl Stoerber .....	<b>STOE-ber</b>
Kris Zacuto .....	<b>ZUH-KOO-TOE</b>

**2001 LMU Baseball Roster**

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	B-T	HOMETOWN	LAST SCHOOL
1	Marion Mauch	2B	5-10	165	Jr-2V	L-R	Playa Del Rey, CA	Loyola High School
3	C.J. Wilson	LHP/OF	6-2	193	Jr-TR	L-L	Huntington Beach, CA	Santa Ana Junior College
4	Robert Hirsch	OF	6-1	195	Sr-3V	R-R	Agoura Hills, CA	Crespi High School
5	Jack Brooks	2B	5-9	165	Sr-3V	L-R	La Mirada, CA	La Mirada High School
6	James Rivero	OF	6-3	180	Fr-HS	R-R	Sherman Oaks, CA	Notre Dame High School
8	Pete Oswald	INF	5-10	160	So-1V	L-R	East Bountiful, UT	Judge Memorial High School
9	Chris Gray	RHP	5-11	180	Sr-3V	R-R	West Hills, CA	Chaminade High School
11	Mark Carroll	INF	6-2	170	Fr-HS	R-R	Arcadia, CA	Arcadia High School
12	Joshua Muecke	LHP	6-2	180	Fr-HS	L-L	San Diego, CA	Scripps Ranch
14	Jonathan Higashi	C	5-11	175	Fr-HS	R-R	West Hills, CA	Chaminade High School
16	Chad Lindholm	INF	5-11	175	So-1V	L-R	Los Alamitos, CA	Los Alamitos High School
17	Brian Felten	RHP	6-4	205	Sr-3V	R-R	Granada Hills, CA	Crespi High School
18	Mario "Moon" Cordero	INF	5-10	165	Sr-1V	R-R	Long Beach, CA	Long Beach JC/St. John Bosco HS
19	Brady Koch	C/OF	5-11	185	Fr-HS	R-R	Manhattan Beach, CA	Mira Costa High School
20	Tommy Perez	1B/3B	6-0	195	Jr-2V	R-R	Burbank, CA	Burroughs High School
21	Vincent Cordova	RHP	6-2	195	Fr-HS	R-R	Whittier, CA	California High School
22	Jeff Walker	1B	6-0	210	Sr-1V	R-L	Sunnyvale, CA	Canada JC/St. Francis HS
24	James Clelland	RHP	6-3	180	Sr-3V	R-R	Arcadia, CA	Arcadia High School
25	Matt Gruber	RHP	6-5	220	Sr-TR	R-R	Naperville, IL	University of Iowa
29	Kris Zacuto	C	6-1	195	Jr-2V	R-R	Westchester, CA	St. Bernard High School
30	Billy Lockin	INF/OF	5-8	155	Fr-HS	R-R	Thousand Oaks, CA	Thousand Oaks High School
32	Joshua Whitesell	LHP/1B	6-2	210	Fr-HS	L-L	Rialto, CA	Rialto High School
33	Joe Silva	INF	5-10	170	So-TR	R-R	Torrance, CA	Lynn University
34	Bill Brundige	RHP	6-2	190	Jr-1V	R-R	Diamond Bar, CA	Fullerton JC/Servite HS
35	Brian Barton	OF	6-3	175	Fr-HS	R-R	Los Angeles, CA	Westchester High School
36	Nathan Durham-Hammer	OF	6-0	180	Fr-HS	R-R	Oakland, CA	Bishop Odowd High School
37	David Maffei	OF	5-10	180	Sr-2V	R-R	San Francisco, CA	San Mateo Junior College
41	Matt Cova	RHP	6-1	190	Fr-TR	R-R	Santa Maria, CA	Arizona State University
42	Kayzell Milton	OF	6-0	185	Jr-1V	R-R	Fremont, CA	San Mateo Junior College
43	Scott LaFontaine	C	5-11	175	Sr-2V	R-R	Honolulu, HI	University of Hawaii
45	Anthony Santana	OF	5-11	175	Fr-HS	R-R	Downey, CA	Downey High School
46	Carl Stoerber	INF	6-3	175	Fr-HS	R-R	Beverly Hills, CA	Beverly Hills High School

**Head Coach:** Frank Cruz (13) **Assistants:** Tony Nieto (15), Robbie Moen (7), Joe Gandara (49)



**2001 LMU TRACK RECORD...**

Overall Record:	7-3
West Coast:	0-0
Non-Conference:	7-3
vs Ranked Teams:	0-1
vs Non-Ranked Teams:	7-2
Home Record:	3-1
Road Record:	4-2
Neutral Record:	0-0
January Record:	1-0
February Record:	6-3
March Record:	0-0
April Record:	0-0
May Record:	0-0
Extra Innings:	0-0
Day Games:	6-1
Night Games:	1-2
vs Left Handed Pitchers:	2-1
vs Right Handed Pitchers:	5-2
1-Run Games:	1-0
2-Run Games:	2-1
3-Run Games:	0-1
4-Run Games:	2-1
5+Run Games:	2-0
Shutouts:	0-0
LMU Scores First:	6-2
Opponent Scores First:	1-1
Leading After 7 Innings:	7-0
Trailing After 7 Innings:	0-3
Tied After 7 Innings:	0-0
Last 5 Games:	2-3
Last 10 Games:	7-3
Current Streak:	Loss 1
Last Win:	2-11-01; vs. Cal State L.A.; 7-6
Last Loss:	2-14-01 at Cal State Fullerton; 5-3
Current Home Streak:	Won 1
Last Win:	2-11-01; vs. Cal State L.A.; 7-6
Last Loss:	2-10-01; vs. Missouri; 10-7
Current Road Streak:	Loss 2
Last Win:	2-4-01 at Hawaii-Hilo; 3-1
Last Loss:	2-14-01 at Cal State Fullerton; 5-3
Current Neutral Streak:	Loss 1
Last Win:	5-20-00 vs. Pepperdine; 6-2
Last Loss:	5-27-00 vs. USC; 5-13
Longest Win Streak:	5, (Jan. 30 - Feb. 4)
Longest Losing Streak:	1, (Three Times)
Largest Winning Margin:	5, at Hawaii-Hilo; 11-6 (2-3-01)
Largest Losing Margin:	4, at UCLA (2-6-01)
Longest Game:	3:35, at Hawaii-Hilo, Game 2, 2-3-01
Shortest Game:	2:42, vs. CS Dominguez Hills, 2-9-01
Largest Home Crowd:	419, vs. CS Northridge; 1-30-01
Largest Road Crowd:	678 at CS Fullerton; 2-14-01

Gray and freshman **Joshua Whitesell** enter the week without allowing an earned run. Gray has done in eight and a third innings of work, striking out five, walking one and allowing nine hits. Whitesell has pitched in seven and two-third innings, striking out seven, walking two and allowing just five hits. Opposing batters are hitting a mere .185 against Whitesell. Junior transfer **C.J. Wilson** has the lowest allowed batting average for opponents at .171.

**A QUIET LEADER...**

Junior first baseman **Kris Zacuto** quietly became a force for the Lions in the 2000 season. Thus, heading into the 2001 season he has been named a third team All-American by the NCBWA. As one of the returning offensive forces in the Lions' line-up, Zacuto has begun in the middle of the order. While playing primarily at first base a year ago, the junior has been a mainstay at catcher while suppling time at first base in late inning situations in 2001. Through the first five games of the season, Zacuto was only hitting .235 with a double and three RBI. However, in the return to Los Angeles for the Lions recent four-game stretch, the senior finished hitting .412 (7-for-17). He is now hitting .324 on the season with 11 hits in 36 at-bats. He has a double and five RBI while accumulating a .677 slugging percentage.

**SENIOR LEADERS...**

The Loyola Marymount University baseball team has five players on the roster who know how to win West Coast Conference championships. Five seniors return to the Lions' roster this season that have been a part of the Lions' last three WCC titles. Outfielder **Robert Hirsh**, second baseman **Jack Brooks**, and pitchers **James Clelland**, **Brian Felten** and **Chris Gray** will compete in their fourth and final year in a Lions' uniform. All told, there are 10 seniors on the squad this season.

**GRAND FINALE...**

Senior **Robert Hirsh** has begun his final campaign with a bang. The outfielder leads the team with a .312 batting average, 30 points better than his career average. In 32 at-bats, Hirsh has 10 hits, two for doubles and five RBI. He has scored 11 runs on the season, including six in the past four games. He started the season hitting in the first six games, which included two multiple hit games. He started the season with a 2-for-4 effort against Cal State Northridge and had his second multiple hit game in the first of a doubleheader against Hawaii-Hilo, finishing 2-for-3 with an RBI. With runners on base, Hirsh is 8-for-17 (.471).

**CAMEO APPEARANCE...**

Senior right-handed pitcher **Chris Gray** has become a staple out of the bullpen for the Lions in his previous three years with LMU. Entering his final season, Gray has broken into the top 10 list for appearances. With his six already this season, he surpassed Steve Suricao for 10th place and moved into ninth, replacing Drew Bentz. Darryl Scott holds the record for appearances by a pitcher at 131 in his career that spanned from 1987-90. Last season, LMU's Ben Bonilla moved to sixth all-time with 89. Of Gray's 80 current appearances, only seven have been starts. He holds an 9-10 record with a 6.04 career ERA. With two more, he will tie Tom Henderson for 8th. He needs 18 to move into second place.

**Career Appearances**

<u>Name</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Years</u>
1. Darryl Scott	131	1987-90
2. Joe Caruso	98	1989-91
3. Jeff Cecchin	92	1995-98
4. Shawn Hammett	90	1992-95
Tim Layana	90	1983-86
6. Ben Bonilla	89	1997-00
7. Rod Volk	85	1971-74
8. Tom Henderson	82	1973-76
9. Chris Gray	80	1998-current
10. Drew Bentz	79	1974-77

**A WALK TO FIRST**



Senior **Jeff Walker** was primarily used as designated hitter in 2000, finishing the season with a .333 batting average, 10 homeruns and 42 RBI, earning him all-conference accolades. In his move to first base this season, Walker's is hitting .290 on the season, going 9-for-31 from the plate. He leads the team (tied with David Maffei) with two homeruns and 17 total bases. He also has a .548 slugging percentage and has scored three runs on the season. Defensively, the senior has opened some eyes. He has 64 putouts and only one error in his first day-to-day defensive assignment while at LMU.

### A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING...

With a diving play in rightfield that helped the Lions to a 7-6 win over Cal State L.A., **C.J. Wilson** has shown he can do a little everything for the Lions. In addition to his tremendous arm strength in the outfield, Wilson has appeared in five games as a pitcher, earning the start against the University of Missouri. Despite getting the loss, he has pitched 10 innings on the season and has allowed a mere .171 batting average to his opponents, the best on the team. He leads the team with 12 strikeouts and has allowed only four walks. In allowing only six hits and three earned runs, the lefty has a 2.70 ERA. He has helped himself on the flip side. Despite only hitting .250 (7-for-24), he leads the team with nine RBI. He has added a double and scored four times.

### ANOTHER TWO-WAY THREAT...

Another two-way threat for the Lions is freshman **Joshua Whitesell**. The lefty from Rialto High School has been a pleasant addition to the Lions line-up, pitching in five games and appearing in seven offensively. He has a 0.00 ERA, allowing a mere five hits on the season. Meanwhile as a designated hitter, he has a .389 batting average, going 7-for-18 with two doubles and nine total bases. Against Cal State L.A., he finished 2-for-4 with a run scored. The day prior against Missouri, he was got a single in his only plate appearance as a pinch hitter in the Lions' small rally in the ninth. The past week he also earned the win against Cal State Dominguez Hills, pitching two and a third innings, allowing a single hit. He started the week with a start against UCLA. Whitesell only went two innings, but only allowed two hits and no runs.

### LIONS PICKED TO WIN COAST AGAIN...

The WCC coaches selected the Lions as the favorite to win the Coast Division followed by Gonzaga. Collegiate Baseball Newspaper also selected LMU to win the Coast Division, while all both polls picked Pepperdine to win the West Division and overall league title.

### WCC COACHES POLL

#### Coast Division

#### 1. LOYOLA MARYMOUNT

2. Gonzaga
3. San Francisco
4. Santa Clara

#### West Division

1. Pepperdine
2. San Diego
3. Portland
4. Saint Mary's

### CRUZ HELPS TEAM USA TO MEMORABLE SUMMER

Loyola Marymount University head baseball coach Frank Cruz became a major frequent flyer this summer. The fifth-year head coach of the Lions was asked to be an assistant coach for the USA National Baseball team this summer, which took him to almost every corner of the world, finishing the tour in Haarlem, The Netherlands. Similar to what he has done with the Lions' program in leading them to three consecutive West Coast Conference titles, Team USA found unparalleled success this summer. Cruz was part of the USA National Team's win over Cuba, 8-5, to claim the championship of the Baseball Week Tournament in Haarlem, The Netherlands Sunday. The win was the second for the National Team over Cuba in four days after defeating the Cubans 9-1. Cruz helped Team USA finish the 2000 Red, White and Blue Tour with a 27-3-1 record, including a 6-0 mark in the tour-

namment. Team USA closed the season with a 21-game unbeaten streak dating to July 7th, which included 20 wins and one tie. The Americans won its last eight games in a row. Cuba dropped to 4-2 in the tournament, with their only losses coming to the USA. The victory gives the National Team a .900 winning percentage, the best in team history. The 1984 team, featuring future Major League All-Stars McGwire, Barry Larkin, Will Clark and B.J. Surhoff, was 37-5-1, for an .881 winning percentage. Cruz and the LMU Lion's program has seen similar success in owning the WCC the past three seasons. In 2000, the Lions posted a 22-8 record in the WCC and 40-19 overall. The team featured six future MLB draft picks and ranked third all-time for victories in a season. Entering his fifth season at LMU, Cruz has posted a 128-109-1 record and has earned two WCC Coach of the Year honors (1998 & 2000).

### BREAKING THE WIN BARRIER...

The Lions entered the 2001 season with three consecutive 30-plus win season. The only other time they had three or more consecutive seasons of 30 or more wins was from 1986-1991 when they did it six straight years. The 40 wins in 2000 was the fourth best in LMU history. In 1986, the Lions won a record 50 games... The 2000 season featured a 10-game win streak near the end of the season, as the Lions won 13 of their last 17 and 16 of their last 21 games. The Lions went 12-4 in three-game series last season and were 23-0 when scoring 10 or more runs, which included a 30-run outburst against Saint Mary's.

### WCC THREE-PEAT...

Ranked #16 at the time, the Loyola Marymount Lions captured their third straight West Coast Conference Championship with a 6-2 win over Pepperdine University at Page Stadium in game two of the WCC baseball championships. Junior right fielder Jason Aspito led the Lions offensively with his 10th home run of the season. He finished the game 2-for-4, scoring two runs and driving in three RBIs. RHP Michael Schultz went the distance for LMU, he gave up just two runs on four hits while fanning five batters for his ninth win of the season. After using a solid pitching performance from junior Billy Traber to take game one in the best-of-three series, the Lions turned the pitching duties to Schultz. The junior shut down the Waves, going seven before allowing the two runs in the eighth. He closed the game with a perfect ninth to lift the Lions to the title. The Lions took a 1-0 lead in the fifth as Jeff Walker's single drove in Kris Zacuto. The first baseman singled to left with two outs. Schultz faced the minimum in the bottom half to hold the 1-0 lead. LMU broke through in the sixth, scoring three runs thanks to the home run by Aspito. The blast to right that hit the scoreboard scored Scott Walter and Mike Hymes. The Lions added two in the eighth, also with two outs. The rally started with Aspito's single. Aspito scored on Anthony Angel's triple. Angel was driven in by Zacuto's single. For the two game championship series, Angel, the WCC co-player of the year, finished 6-for-10 with two doubles, a triple and four RBI.

### TRACKING LMU WEEK-BY-WEEK IN THE 2000 NATIONAL POLLS...

DATE	BA	BW/ESPN	CB
Preseason	No.17	No.28	NR
Feb. 7	No.16	No.28	NR
Feb. 14	No.16	No.28	No.30
Feb. 21	No.20	No.45	NR
Feb. 28	No.20	T-No.30	No.22
Mar. 6	No.25	No.43	No.27
Mar. 13	No.23	No.35	No.29
Mar. 20	NR	T-No.33	NR
Mar. 27	NR	No.39	NR
Apr. 3	NR	No. 44	NR
Apr. 10	NR	No. 36	No. 26
Apr. 17	NR	No. 33	No. 17
Apr. 24	No. 22	No. 32	No. 14
May 1	No. 17	No. 23	No. 14
May 8	No. 16	No. 25	No. 14
May 15	No. 17	No. 24	No. 20
May 22	No. 12	No. 24	No. 20
May 29	No. 15	No. 24	No. 24



**2001 FINAL  
WEST COAST CONFERENCE  
BASEBALL STANDINGS**

as of Feb. 12, 2000

**WEST DIVISION**

	WCC	GB	ALL	Streak
Pepperdine	0-0	--	6-0	W6
San Diego	0-0	--	3-4	L1
Portland	0-0	--	0-0	--
Saint Mary's	0-0	--	3-3	W1

**COAST DIVISION**

	WCC	GB	ALL	Streak
LMU	0-0	--	7-2	W1
Gonzaga	0-0	--	0-0	--
Santa Clara	0-0	--	0-6	L6
San Francisco	0-0	--	3-3	L1

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**TICKET INFORMATION...**Men's baseball tickets are available at the LMU Ticket Office, or you can call (310) 338-4532. Ticket prices: \$5 General Admission; \$3 Children 12 and under and Senior Citizens; \$2 Children wearing a Little League Uniform..

**LIONS ON THE RADIO...**Loyola Marymount, in conjunction with KXLU Radio 88.9 FM, will broadcast select LMU Basketball games, live. Please check the LMU Website for information on which games will be broadcast on KXLU, the radio home of LMU athletics.

**WATCH LMU'S WEBSITE...**If you can't catch a game, be sure to look for scores, player information, rosters, biographies and more on LMU's web site at: [www.LMULions.com](http://www.LMULions.com)  
You can also get weekly conference standings, statistics and more at: [www.wccsports.com](http://www.wccsports.com)

**WEST COAST CONFERENCE SCORE HOTLINE...**For updated scores from games around the league, call the WCC Score Hotline at (650) 266-9191.

**LMU SPORTS HOTLINE...**For updated scores and quick statistics from LMU baseball games, please call the LMU Sports Hotline at (310) 338-LION following each game.

**DIRECTIONS TO LOYOLA MARYMOUNT...**Loyola Marymount University is located in the Westchester District of Los Angeles. From Los Angeles International Airport, proceed north on Sepulveda, to Lincoln Boulevard (Highway 1). Continue 1.4 miles west and turn right at Manchester Boulevard. At the first stoplight, approximately two blocks, turn left on Loyola Boulevard. From the 405 Freeway (north or south) exit Manchester Boulevard, turn left coming from the south or right from the north. Continue on Manchester heading west approximately three miles and turn right on Loyola Boulevard. The campus gate will be visible four blocks later. Page Stadium is behind Gersten Pavilion, the first building on the right.

**REFERENCE TO LOYOLA MARYMOUNT...**When referring to the University, please use its full title, Loyola Marymount University. The abbreviation "LMU" is also acceptable, but please avoid using "Loyola" or "Marymount" alone. Other NCAA institutions including Loyola College in Baltimore, Maryland, Loyola University in New Orleans, Louisiana and Loyola University in Chicago, Illinois are often confused with LMU. Also, no hyphens should be used when spelling out the full name of the University. Thank you for your consideration.

June 9 No. 17 No. 19 No. 24  
Final No. 16 No. 25 No. 24

**KEY:** BA = Baseball America Poll; BW/ESPN = USA Today Baseball Weekly/ESPN Coaches Poll; CB = Collegiate Baseball Poll

**PIPE LINE TO THE PROS**

The 2000 season produced some of the top prospects in the country, as five Lions were selected in the first 20 rounds of the 2000 Major League Baseball draft. Junior lefthanded pitcher Billy Traber, who was named second team All-American by Collegiate Baseball, was the 16th overall pick in the draft, being selected by the New York Mets. Right-hander Michael Schultz, who was also a junior, was selected in the second round with the 69th overall pick by the Arizona Diamondbacks. Schultz's and Traber's battery mate, junior Scott Walter, was selected by the Kansas City Royals in the third round with the 74th overall pick. The third team All-America selection was a Johnny Bench Award finalist for the country's best catcher and finished tops in the West Coast Conference with 19 home runs. In the ninth round, the Chicago White Sox selected utility specialist Jason Aspito with the 262nd pick in the 2000 draft. The WCC Co-Player of the Year, senior Anthony Angel, was selected by the Houston Astros in the 14th round as the 427th pick in the 2000 draft. Following the draft, the Arizona Diamondbacks remained committed to the Lions pitching, signing senior Ben Bonilla as a free agent.

**LIONS AND THE REGIONALS...**

The three-time defending West Coast Conference Champions headed into their third straight Regional appearance as the number three seed and facing Cal State Fullerton in the Lions first game. Behind the efforts of second team All-American Billy Traber, LMU earned its first postseason win since the upset of Stanford in 1998, 6-4 over the number two seeded Titans. Traber's complete game, 13-strikeout performance included two bases loaded jams, coming in the fifth and ninth innings with no outs. In the fifth, after the Titans loaded the bases on a walk, a single and an error, Traber struckout the next three batters to get out of the jam. With a 6-3 lead in the ninth, the Titans again loaded the bases. Traber allowed a run on a sac fly and retired the next two batters on a fly and a ground out for his 10th win of the season. David Maffei's two-run home run in the first inning started a four-run outburst for the Lions in the first two innings of the game. The win allowed the Lions to advance in the winner's bracket against Southern California. USC used a three-run eighth and a five-run ninth to break a 5-5 tie in the top of the eighth for a 13-5 win over the Lions. LMU dropped to 0-3 against the Trojans on the season. The Lions allowed 18 hits in the loss, dropping the Lions to an elimination game against Cal State Fullerton, who defeated Virginia Tech to advance. Michael Schultz went seven and two-thirds innings and picked up his sixth loss of the season. Jeff Walker was an offensive spark for the Lions, finishing the game 2-for-4 with two RBI and a double. Senior Ben Bonilla pitched a complete game for the Lions, but picked up his first loss of the season in a 5-2 defeat to Cal State Fullerton, knocking the Lions out of the NCAA Tournament. Fullerton's Ronnie Corona went eight innings and allowed only four hits and struckout 12 Lions for the win. Kirk Saarloos came in the ninth for the save. The Lions had only five players reach base, as Fullerton advanced to the championship against USC. The Trojans would win the regional to advance to the Super Regional. The Lions finished the season 40-19 (22-8).

**RECORDS VS. OPPONENTS  
IN POSTSEASON...**

Alabama .....	0-1
Arizona .....	0-2
Arizona State .....	0-1
Arkansas .....	1-0
Cal State Fullerton .....	1-1
Eastern Kentucky .....	1-0
Hawaii .....	2-0
Long Beach State .....	0-1
LSU .....	1-0
McNeese State .....	1-0
Nevada .....	0-1
Oklahoma .....	1-1
Oklahoma State .....	0-2
Stanford .....	1-1
UCLA .....	1-0
UC Santa Barbara .....	1-1
USC .....	0-3
Washington State .....	0-1
Wichita State .....	0-1

**COACH OF THE YEAR..**

Head Coach Frank Cruz, wrapping up his fourth season as skipper of [www.LMULions.com](http://www.LMULions.com)



the LMU Baseball program, earned career win No.100 on March 10 when his Lions defeated San Francisco, 16-4, in Game 1 of LMU's three game series at Page Stadium. Cruz has guided LMU to 30-plus win seasons in each of the past three years. The 40 wins this season is his career high here at LMU.

### 19 YEARS OF BASEBALL AT PAGE STADIUM...

Now in its 19th season as the home of Lion baseball, George C. Page Stadium represents one of the finest collegiate baseball facilities in the country. The facility, which has been the site of filming for numerous commercials as well as feature films, is named in honor of George C. Page, president of the Incentive Aid Foundation. Maynard Kambak, father of LMU baseball alumnus Jeff Kambak, assisted Mr. Page in the stadium's construction that was completed in 1983. LMU's historic first game in Page Stadium was played on March 19, 1983, LMU losing to Cal State Fullerton, 5-1. This season the Lions were an impressive 21-6 at Page Stadium, which was the best winning percentage (.778) in the conference. They enter the 2001 campaign with a five game win streak at Page Stadium. Since 1997, when Frank Cruz took over the program, LMU has established a 71-45 record at Page, a winning percentage of more than 61 percent. That percentage is also the Lions' overall mark at home in the park's 18 years, as the LMU has posted a 316-201 record (.611). Some of the best years have come in the five conference titles the Lions have won while calling Page Stadium home. They are 168-55 in conference championship years at home. The first Page Stadium conference title came in 1986 when the Lions posted a 24-8 record at home that season. The best record came in 1988, when LMU was 30-4 at home (88 percent).

## 2001 LMU Baseball Game Highs

### TEAM GAME HIGHS

#### Team Batting

<b>At Bats:</b>	41, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Runs Scored:</b>	11, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Hits:</b>	15, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>RBIs:</b>	10, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Doubles:</b>	4, vs. CS Northridge (1/30/01)
<b>Triples:</b>	1, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Total Bases:</b>	23, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Walks:</b>	8, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Strikeouts:</b>	9, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Sac Hits:</b>	1, vs. CS Northridge (1/30/01) 1, vs. Cal State L.A. (2-11-01)
<b>Sac Flies:</b>	2, at UCLA (2-6-01)
<b>Stolen bases:</b>	1 (Three Games)
<b>Hit by Pitch:</b>	4, 2 games
<b>Caught Stealing:</b>	2, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Runners LOB:</b>	16, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Hit into DP:</b>	2, at UCLA (2-6-01) & vs. Missouri (2-10-01)

#### Team Fielding

<b>Putouts:</b>	27 (Seven games)
<b>Assists:</b>	14, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Errors:</b>	4, at UCLA (2-6-01)
<b>Passed Balls:</b>	1, vs. CS Dominguez Hills
<b>DPs Turned:</b>	1, (Five games)

#### Team Pitching

<b>Innings Pitched:</b>	9.0 (Seven games)
<b>Runs Allowed:</b>	1, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01 & 2-4-01)
<b>Strikeouts:</b>	11, vs. Missouri (2-10-01)
<b>Walks Allowed (Min.):</b>	1, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-4-01)
<b>Hits Allowed (Min.):</b>	5, vs. Cal State L.A.
<b>Wild Pitches:</b>	3, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-4-01)
<b>Hit batters:</b>	1, vs. CS Northridge (1/30/01) 1, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01) 1, at UCLA (2-6-01)

### INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

#### Individual Batting

<b>At-Bats:</b>	5, 12 games
<b>Runs Scored:</b>	3, Robert Hirsh, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01) 3, David Maffei, vs. CS Dominguez Hills (2-9-01)
<b>Hits:</b>	4, C.J. Wilson, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>RBIs:</b>	4, C.J. Wilson, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Doubles:</b>	1, 13 games
<b>Triples:</b>	1, David Maffei, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Home runs:</b>	1, 5 games
<b>Total Bases:</b>	7, Jeff Walker, vs. CS Northridge (1/30/01)
<b>Walks:</b>	3, C.J. Wilson vs. UCLA (2-6-01)
<b>Strikeouts:</b>	3, 2 games
<b>Sac Hits:</b>	1, Robert Hirsh, vs. CS Northridge (1/30/01) 1, David Maffei, vs. Cal State L.A.
<b>Sac Flies:</b>	1, 7 games
<b>Stolen Bases:</b>	1, 3 games
<b>Hit by Pitch:</b>	2, Mario Cordero, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Caught Stealing:</b>	1, 5 games
<b>Runners LOB:</b>	6, Kris Zacuto, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01) 6, Joshua Whitesell, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)

#### Individual Fielding

<b>Putouts:</b>	12, Jeff Walker, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Assists:</b>	6, Tommy Perez vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01) 6, Billy Lockin at UCLA (2-6-01)
<b>Errors:</b>	2, 3 games
<b>Passed Balls:</b>	1, Kris Zacuto, vs. Cal State Dominguez Hills (2-9-01)

#### Individual Pitching

<b>Innings Pitched:</b>	6.0, James Clelland, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-2-01)
<b>Strikeouts:</b>	7, C.J. Wilson, vs. Missouri (2-01-01)
<b>Wild Pitches:</b>	3, Vincent Cordova, vs. Hawaii-Hilo (2-3-01)
<b>Hit Batters:</b>	1, 3 games

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## 2001 RECAP

### GAME #1 - LMU 7, CS NORTHBRIDGE 3

(JAN. 30, 2001)

CS Northridge	002	001	000	-	3	10	4
LMU	100	140	01x	-	7	10	0

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
MILTON, Kayzell	5	2	2	0	0	2
HIRSH, Robert	4	1	2	0	0	0
WALKER, Jeff	3	1	3	2	1	0

E - Stotts(2); Smith(2); Gorman 2(2). DP - LMU 1. LOB - Northridge 8; LMU 9. 2B - Stotts(3); Arroyo(1); Hanson(3); Milton(1); Hirsh (1); Zacuto(1); Waker(1). HR - Walker(1).HBP - Archer; Cordero. SH - Hirsh. SB - Perez(1).

#### PITCHING

Cal State Northridge	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
MOSHER, Craig	4.1	7	6	6	2	3
McDERMOTT, Ryan	2.1	1	0	0	0	3
FRICK, Mike	1.1	2	1	0	0	2

#### Loyola Marymount

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
GRUBER, Matt	2.0	2	0	0	0	2
MUECKE, Joshua	1.0	3	2	2	0	0
FELTEN, Brian	1.0	1	0	0	1	0
CORDOVA, Vincent	1.0	1	0	0	0	1
CLELLAND, James	1.0	1	1	1	1	0
WHITESSELL, Joshua	1.0	0	0	0	0	1
GRAY, Chris	1.0	2	0	0	0	0
WILSON, C.J.	1.0	0	0	0	0	0

Win - CORDOVA (1-0). Loss - MOSHER (0-2). Save - None. WP - FRICK(1).HB - McDERMOTT;GRAY.BK - MUECKE(1). Start: 2:00 pm Time: 2:59 Attendance: 419

### GAME #2 - LMU 6, HAWAII-HILO 1

(FEB. 2, 2001)

LMU	200	030	010	-	6	14	0
Hawaii-Hilo	000	000	001	-	1	8	0

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
PEREZ, Tommy	5	2	2	2	0	1
WALKER, Jeff	4	1	3	2	1	0
MAFFEI, David	4	1	3	0	0	0

DP - UHH 1. LOB - LMU 10, UHH 8. 2B - Hirsh; Park. 3B - Maffei. HR - Perez, Walker. HBP - Zacuto, Brooks; Hobbs. CS - Walker, Maffei; Peterson R.

#### PITCHING

Loyola Marymount	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
CLELLAND, James	6.0	4	0	0	1	2
COVA, Matt	2.0	1	0	0	1	1
BRUNDIGE, Bill	1.0	3	1	1	0	0

#### Hawaii-Hilo

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
BERNAL, Anthony	5.0	8	5	5	1	6
REYES, Sergio	3.0	5	1	1	0	3
MIYAKE, Darin	1.0	1	0	0	2	0

Win - CLELLAND (1-0). Loss - BERNAL (0-2). Save - None. WP - CLELLAND; REYES; MIYAKE. HB - CLELLAND; BERNAL; REYES. BK - None. Start: 6 p.m. Time: 3:05 Attendance: 275.

### GAME #3 - LMU 6, HAWAII-HILO 1

(FEB. 3, 2001 - GAME 1)

LMU	001	011	3	-	6	7	1
Hawaii-Hilo	220	000	0	-	4	8	3

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
HIRSH, Robert	3	0	2	1	2	0
ZACUTO, Kris	4	1	1	1	1	2
LOCKIN, Billy	1	1	1	0	0	0

E - Walker; Chu, D.; Kaneshiro, J. 2. DP - LMU 1. LOB - LMU 13, UHH 6. 2B - Whitesell. CS - Hobbs.

#### PITCHING

Loyola Marymount	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
MUECKE, Joshua	3.2	6	4	2	3	1
GRAY, Chris	3.1	2	0	0	0	3

#### Hawaii-Hilo

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
SIFF, Ben	4.2	4	2	1	3	3
UNGER, Brian	1.0	2	1	1	1	0
DAUGHERTY, Clay	0.2	1	3	2	1	1
SUZUKI, Shaun	0.2	0	0	0	1	1

Win - Gray (1-0). Loss - Dougherty (0-1). Save - None. WP - Mueke, Siff, Unger, Dougherty. HBP - Unger, Dougherty 2, Suzuki.

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Start: 1:00 p.m. Time: 2:56. Attendance 150.

### GAME #4 - LMU 11, HAWAII-HILO 6

(FEB. 3, 2001 - GAME 2)

LMU	300	111	311	-	11	15	2
Hawaii-Hilo	000	230	001	-	6	10	1

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
WHITESSELL, Joshua	5	1	2	0	0	0
WILSON, C.J.	5	0	4	4	0	0
MAFFEI, David	3	1	2	0	1	1
HIGASHI, Jonathan	4	0	2	1	0	0

E - Silva, Felten, Kaneshiro. DP - UHH 1. LOB - LMU 16, UHH 9. 2B - Wilson; Oligo, Peterson, R. HR - Rooke, B. SB - Gray; Petersen, R. CS - Oligo, K. SF - Cordero.

#### PITCHING

Loyola Marymount	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
FELTEN, Brian	4.1	5	5	4	3	4
GRUBER, Matt	1.2	2	0	0	3	2
WILSON, C.J.	1.0	0	0	0	0	2
WHITESSELL, Joshua	1.0	1	0	0	0	2
COVA, Matt	1.0	2	1	1	0	0

#### Hawaii-Hilo

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
SHIMBUKU, Robert	6.0	9	6	5	3	2
SUZUKI, Shaun	1.0	4	3	3	0	0
UNGER, Brian	1.0	1	1	1	3	1
DAUGHERTY, Clay	1.0	1	1	1	2	2

Win - Gruber (1-0). Loss - Shimbuku (0-2). Save - None. WP - Cova, Felten, Shimabuku, Daugherty 4. HBP - Shimbakuku 3, Suzuki Start: 4:35 p.m. Time: 3:35. Attendance 150.

### GAME #5 - LMU 3, HAWAII-HILO 1

(FEB. 4, 2001)

LMU	001	200	000	-	3	7	0
Hawaii-Hilo	000	100	000	-	1	9	3

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
CARROLL, Mark	3	1	2	0	1	0
HIRSH, Robert	3	0	1	1	0	0
CORDER, Mario	4	1	2	0	0	0

E - Hobbs, Watts 2. LOB - LMU 6, UHH 8. 2B - Maffei, Park, Hobbs. SB - Carroll. CS - Cordero. SH - Rhodes, Hobbs. SF - Hirsh.

#### PITCHING

Loyola Marymount	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
CORDOVA, Vincent	4.2	4	1	1	1	2
WHITESSELL, Joshua	1.1	1	0	0	0	0
GRAY, Chris	2.0	2	0	0	0	2
WILSON, C.J.	1.0	2	0	0	0	0

#### Hawaii-Hilo

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
WATTS, Zeb	6.0	7	3	1	2	3
REYES, Sergio	3.0	0	0	0	0	3

Win - Whitesell (1-0). Loss - Watts (0-2). Save - Wilson (1). WP - Cordova 3. Start: 1:09 p.m. Time: 2:45. Attendance 150.

### GAME #6 - UCLA 10, LMU 6

(FEB. 6, 2001)

LMU	201	030	000	-	6	11	4
UCLA	003	304	00x	-	10	13	2

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
LOCKIN, Billy	5	0	2	0	0	0
HIRSH, Robert	2	2	1	0	1	0
ZACUTO, Kris	5	1	3	0	0	1
WALKER, Jeff	3	0	1	3	0	0

E - Cordero 2, Carroll, Felten; Shelly, Canales. DP - LMU 1; UCLA 2. LOB - LMU 7, UCLA 10. 2B - Walker; Whitesell, Maffei, Pearl, Baron, Reece 2. HBP - Shelly. SF - Walker, Whitesell, Sheeley, Reece. SB - Francisco, Reece, Canales. CS - Lockin; Rasmussen.

#### PITCHING

Loyola Marymount	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
WHITESSELL, Joshua	2.0	2	0	0	1	1
CLELLAND, James	0.2	3	3	3	2	1
GRUBER, Matt	1.1	2	3	3	1	0
MUECKE, Joshua	1.0	2	2	1	0	2
FELTEN, Brian	1.0	1	2	1	2	0
GRAY, Chris	0.2	3	0	0	0	0
WILSON, C.J.	1.1	0	0	0	0	3

#### UCLA

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
DAVERN, Mike	3.0	5	3	3	3	1
CLARK, Wade	5.0	5	3	3	1	4
DIAZ, Paul	0.0	1	0	0	1	0
KUNES, Mike	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
CORDEIRO, Chris	0.2	0	0	0	0	0

Win - Clark (1-0). Loss - Muecke (0-1). Save - None.

WP - Felten; Gray; Clark. HB - Gray

Start: 5:00 p.m. Time: 3:27. Attendance 377.

### GAME #7 - LMU 9, CS DOMINGUEZ HILLS 5

(FEB. 9, 2001)

LMU	201	030	000	-	6	11	4
UCLA	003	304	00x	-	10	13	2

#### LMU Hitting Leaders

	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
LOCKIN, Billy	5	0	2	0	0	0
HIRSH, Robert	2	2	1	0	1	0
ZACUTO, Kris	5	1	3	0	0	1
WALKER, Jeff	3	0	1	3	0	0

E - Cordero 2, Carroll, Felten; Shelly, Canales. DP - LMU 1; UCLA 2. LOB - LMU 7, UCLA 10. 2B - Walker; Whitesell, Maffei, Pearl, Baron, Reece 2. HBP - Shelly. SF - Walker, Whitesell, Sheeley, Reece. SB - Francisco, Reece, Canales. CS - Lockin; Rasmussen.

#### PITCHING

Loyola Marymount	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
WHITESSELL, Joshua	2.0	2	0	0	1	1
CLELLAND, James	0.2	3	3	3	2	1
GRUBER, Matt	1.1	2	3	3	1	0
MUECKE, Joshua	1.0	2	2	1	0	2
FELTEN, Brian	1.0	1	2	1	2	0
GRAY, Chris	0.2	3	0	0	0	0
WILSON, C.J.	1.1	0	0	0	0	3

#### CSDH

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
DAVERN, Mike	3.0	5	3	3	3	1
CLARK, Wade	5.0	5	3	3	1	4
DIAZ, Paul	0.0	1	0	0	1	0
KUNES, Mike	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
CORDEIRO, Chris	0.2	0	0	0	0	0

Win - Clark (1-0). Loss - Muecke (0-1). Save - None.

WP - Felten; Gray; Clark. HB - Gray

Start: 5:00 p.m. Time: 3:27. Attendance 377.

### GAME #8 - MISSOURI 10, LMU 7

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WIRMANI, Andrew	3.0	2	2	2	2	1
MARCHAEL, Kevin	2.0	2	0	0	2	1

LMU	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
GRUBER, Matt	3.1	3	5	5	5	2
MUECKE, Joshua	4.2	2	1	1	3	3
GRAY, Chris	0.2	0	0	0	1	0
FELTEN, Brian	0.1	0	0	0	0	0

Win - Muecke (1-1). Loss - Wirmani (1-2). Save - Felten (1)  
 WP - Johnson, Wirmani, Marchael. HB - Johnson 2. PB - Arroyo.  
 Start: 1:00 p.m. Time: 3:13. Attendance 326.

**GAME #10 - CAL STATE FULLERTON 5, LMU 3  
 (FEB. 14, 2001)**

LMU	200	010	000	-	3	5	4
CS Fullerton	210	010	01x	-	5	10	2

LMU Hitting Leaders	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
WILSON, C.J.	3	1	1	2	0	1
PEREZ, Tommy	2	0	2	0	0	0
BROOKS, Jack	3	1	1	0	0	1

E - LMU - Hirsh; Zacuto; Perez; Cordero. CSF - Rouse, Stringfellow. DP - LMU 1; CSF 10. 2B - CSF - Norris, Stringfellow.  
 HR - LMU - Wilson. HBP - LMU - Wilson, Perez. SH - CSF Kay; Rifkin. SF - LMU - Hirsh. SB - LMU - Wilson; CSF - Kay. CS - CSF - Corapci..

**PITCHING**

LMU	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
WHITESELL, Joshua	1.1	5	3	3	2	1
FELTEN, Brian	2.2	2	1	0	0	5
MUECKE, Joshua	3.0	2	0	0	2	4
GRAY, Chris	1.0	1	1	1	1	0

Fullerton	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
LITTLETON	4.2	3	3	3	2	5
ESQUIBEL	1.1	0	0	0	0	0
WAROFF	1.1	2	0	0	0	1
CORDERO	1.2	0	0	0	0	2

Win - Esquibel (1-0). Loss - Felten (0-1). Save - Cordero (1)  
 Start: 6:02 p.m. Time: 3:20. Attendance 678.