



Loyola Marymount University 2000 Women's Volleyball

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2000 WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

17-7 Overall 7-3 WCC

Date	Opponent	Results
9-1	vs. Cal Poly ^	W, 3-2
	vs. San Jose St.^	W, 3-1
9-2	vs. Arizona St.^	W, 3-0
9-8	LMU vs. Indiana St.#	W, 3-0
9-9	LMU vs. C. Michigan#	W, 3-0
	LMU vs. UConn#	W, 3-0
9-15	vs. Indiana+	W, 3-0
9-16	vs. Duke+	L, 2-3
	vs. Marquette+	W, 3-0
9-21	vs. No. 24 Notre Dame!	L, 1-3
9-22	vs. No. 4 Colorado State!	L, 0-3
9-23	vs. Wyoming!	W, 3-0
9-26	San Diego State	W, 3-0
9-29	SAN DIEGO*	W, 3-1
9-30	SAINT MARY'S *	W, 3-0
10-4	at No. 15 UC Santa Barbara	L, 0-3
10-7	No. 6 PEPPERDINE*	L, 1-3
10-13	at Gonzaga*	W, 3-0
10-14	at Portland*	W, 3-1
10-20	SAN FRANCISCO*	W, 3-0
10-21	No. 15 SANTA CLARA*	L, 0-3
10-27	at Saint Mary's*	L, 0-3
10-28	at San Diego*	W, 3-1
11-4	at No. 9 Pepperdine*	W, 3-1
11-10	PORTLAND*	7:00 PM
11-11	GONZAGA*	7:00 PM
11-17	at Santa Clara*	7:00 pm
11-18	at San Francisco*	7:00 pm
12/1-4	NCAA First/Second Round	TBA
12/8-11	NCAA Regionals	TBA
12/15&17	NCAA Championships	TBA

BOLD CAPS - Denotes Home Matches
(played at Gersten Pavilion).

* - Denotes WCC Match.

Dates, times and opponents subject to change
without prior notice.

^ Phoenix Airport Hilton/Sun Devil Challenge - Tempe, AZ

LMU Volleyball Classic -Los Angeles, CA

+ Blimpie/Hoosier Invitational II - Bloomington, IN

! 2000 Golden Dome Invitational - Notre Dame, IN

No. 22 LMU (17-7/7-3 WCC)

vs.

Portland (6-18/2-9 WCC)

Friday, Nov. 10, 2000 - Los Angeles, CA - 7:00 pm

No. 22 LMU (17-7/7-3 WCC)

vs.

Gonzaga (4-21/0-11 WCC)

Saturday, Nov. 11, 2000 - Los Angeles, CA - 7:00 pm

Last Week

The 25th-ranked LMU women's volleyball team pulled off a huge upset against No. 9 Pepperdine, 3-1, last Friday night in Malibu, Calif. The Lions outlasted the Waves in a two-hour and 35 minute marathon which snapped Pepperdine's 28-match West Coast Conference winning streak. LMU hit above .300 in each of the games it won and posted a .316 team hitting percentage on the night.

Senior outside hitter Sarah McFarland was named the AVCA/Sports Import Division I National Player of the Week and the WCC Player of the Week for her 43 kill performance. She also collected a match-leading 18 digs on the night and recorded her 14th double-double of the year. Outside hitters Jaimee Brubacher, a sophomore, and Eleftheria Koukou, a junior, also stepped up big for the Lions both posting double-doubles. Brubacher tallied 13 kills and 16 digs, while Koukou came through with 16 kills and 17 digs.

This Week

The Lions get ready for their final home matches of the 2000 season as they host Portland and Gonzaga this weekend. LMU will face off first against the Portland Pilots on Fri. Nov. 10 and then match-up against the Gonzaga Bulldogs on Sat. Nov. 11. Both WCC contests are scheduled for a 7 p.m. start.

2000 WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Yr-Exp	Hometown (Previous School)
4	Jaimee Brubacher	OH	6-0	So-1V	Scottsdale, AZ (Horizon HS)
5	Ivy Featherstone	DS	5-6	Fr-HS	Manhattan Beach, CA (Mira Costa HS)
6	Candace Boller	MB	6-0	Jr-2V	Valencia, CA (Hart HS)
7	Nicole Oelhman	S	5-10	Fr-HS	Sebstopol, CA (El Molino HS)
8	Eleftheria Koukou	OH/OP	6-1	Jr-TR	Kavala, Greece (Oregon State Univ.)
10	Laura Gustorf	OH	5-9	So-1V	Stockton, CA (St. Mary's HS)
11	Tiana Newsome	MB	5-11	Fr-HS	Peoria, AZ (Centennial HS)
12	Kelly Ward	S	5-10	Jr-2V	Phoenix, AZ (Xavier College Prep)
13	Kristin Gallup	OH	6-2	So-1V	Mission Viejo, CA (Capistrano Valley HS)
14	Sarah McFarland	OP/OH	6-6	Sr-3V	Michigan City, IN (Michigan City HS)
15	Allison Gustorf	MB	6-0	Sr-3V	Stockton, CA (St. Mary's HS)
17	Elizabeth Samson	DS	5-3	Fr-HS	Saratoga, CA (Mitty HS)
18	Kealani Kimball	MB/OH	5-11	Fr-HS	Kaunakakai, HI (Kamehameha Schools)

LMU ATHLETIC MEDIA RELATIONS

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Head Coach:

Steve Stratos (San Diego State '75) - 11th season

Assistants:

Larry Smoot (Long Beach State) - 11th season

Heather Collins-Ramirez (UC Santa Barbara '95) - 4th season

Nathan Jones (San Diego State '99) - 2nd season

2000 STATISTICAL LEADERS

Attacks	Sarah McFarland	1405
	Jaimee Brubacher	409
	Allison Gustorf	382
Kills	Sarah McFarland	638
	Allison Gustorf	183
	Jaimee Brubacher	146
Attack %	Allison Gustorf	.346
	Sarah McFarland	.322
Service Aces	Nicole Oehlman	26
	Laura Gustorf	17
Digs	Sarah McFarland	279
	Jaimee Brubacher	182
	Nicole Oehlman	165
Block Solos	Tiana Newsome	25
	Allison Gustorf	14
Block Assists	Tiana Newsome	81
	Nicole Oehlman	60
	Allison Gustorf	54
Total Blocks	Tiana Newsome	106
	Allison Gustorf	68
	Nicole Oehlman	68
Assists	Nicole Oehlman	1046
	Kelly Ward	53

2000 WCC STANDINGS

	WCC		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
#16 Santa Clara	9	1	21	3
#12Pepperdine	9	1	20	4
#22 Loyola Marymount	7	3	17	7
Saint Mary's	7	4	11	12
San Diego	5	6	11	12
San Francisco	3	7	11	10
Portland	2	9	6	18
Gonzaga	0	11	4	21

LMU ATHLETIC MEDIA RELATIONS

Contact Us

For more information on the team, scores, schedule, opponents, or upcoming athletic events please contact

Volleyball Contact (310) 338-5798
 LMU Athletics Hotline (310) 338-LION

Ticket Information

Tickets for LMU women's volleyball may be purchased at the door one hour prior to game time. The entrance to Gersten Pavilion during the 2000 season, will be located on the west side of the gym on the ground level. For information on tickets call (310) 338-LION.

LMU & the WCC on the Web

If you can't catch a match, be sure to look for scores, player information, rosters, biographies and more on LMU's website at www.LMULions.com You can also get weekly conference standings, statistics and more at www.wccsports.com

Interview Policy

To arrange an interview with Head Coach Steve Stratos or a student-athlete, please contact Marysol Cayado, Assistant Sports Information Director, and a time convenient to both parties will be arranged. Interviews will not be permitted during practice or on the day of a game.

McFarland Named WCC and National Player of the Week

Sarah McFarland, a 6-6 senior outside hitter at then-No. 25 Loyola Marymount University, has been chosen the AVCA/Sports Imports Division I National Player of the Week and West Coast Conference Player of the Week after leading her team to an upset of then-No. 9 Pepperdine on Nov. 4. McFarland chalked up 43 kills, a .365 hitting percentage, 18 digs, three assists, one ace and one block solo in the four-game victory. Her 43-kill performance ranks as the sixth-best four-game kill total in NCAA history. During the match, McFarland moved into third in the West Coast Conference for single-season kills with 638. She now ranks third in WCC career kills with 1,896. With the victory, Loyola Marymount snapped Pepperdine's 28-match conference win-streak, 15-match home-court win streak and 24-match conference home-court win streak.

Triple Double-Trouble

Three Lions went on to record double-doubles against the ninth-ranked Waves last Saturday. Senior Sarah McFarland led the way with her 43 kills and 18 digs, but was not the only Lion to show up to play that evening. Junior Eleftheria Koukou had her best match of the year recording 16 kills, 17 digs, five total blocks, including four solo, and hitting .353 in 34 attempts. Sophomore Jaimee Brubacher also chimed in with her third double-double of the year tallying 13 kills and 16 digs.

Lions Among National And Conference Leaders

Despite competing in one of the toughest volleyball conferences in the country, Loyola Marymount continues to maintain steadfast in the upper tier of the WCC in almost every statistical category. As a team, the Lions lead the conference with 247 blocks and a 2.98 block per game average. Those totals rank the Lions 19th in the nation in team blocks. LMU also ranks second in service aces with a 1.49 per game average and third in hitting percentage (.256) and kills (1421).

Lions In The Rankings

LMU, ranked at No. 25 last week, jumped three spots in the USA Today/AVCA Division I Coaches Top 25 poll this week. The Lions are back at No.22 on the AVCA/USA Today chart following the upset of No. 9 Pepperdine last weekend. The Lions are receiving votes in the Volleyball Magazine Top 20 poll and come in at No. 26.

Title Hopes Still Alive

Loyola Marymount can still win the WCC title and automatic bid to the NCAA tournament if they win their last four WCC matches. The Lions will need some help from some other conference opponents though as Pepperdine and Santa Clara would have to lose either three or four of its remaining games. LMU could also tie for the title if the Waves and Broncos each lose at least twice and the Lions win out their remaining games.

The McFarland Watch

Senior outside hitter Sarah McFarland still remains atop the NCAA statistical kills charts with 638 kills on the season. McFarland's efforts earned her four WCC Player of the Week awards (Sept. 18, 25, Oct. 2, Nov. 6), an AVCA/Sports Import Division I National Player of the Week honor (Nov. 6) and was named WCC Player of the Month for her performance throughout the month of September. The 6-foot-6 native of Michigan City, Ind. has also been stepping up defensively as she continues to lead the Lions with 279 digs.

How May I Assist You?

Freshman setter Nicole Oehlman had a season-best night at the Firestone Fieldhouse last Saturday night. The native of Sebastopol, Calif., collected 83 assists in the contest, one short of Robin Ortgeisen's LMU freshman record of 84 and the fourth-best single-match performance in LMU history. If that wasn't enough, Oehlman came just 12 shy of the NCAA mark for assists in a four-game match.

30+ Kills....No Problem

Senior outside hitter Sarah McFarland recorded her eighth 30+ kill performance of the season Saturday night in Malibu, Calif. Of those eight times, three have been a minimum of 40 kills with her season-high of 45 coming against Notre Dame (Sep. 21). McFarland's numbers don't stop there, the 6-6 All-American has also recorded 14 double-doubles on the year, she has tallied a season-high 24 digs twice on the season (Duke-Sep. 15 and San Diego-Oct. 28).

Stratos Update

Head coach Steve Stratos is entering his eleventh year at the helm of the Loyola Marymount women's volleyball program. In 10 seasons at LMU, Stratos has led the Lions to seven 20-win seasons and seven postseason appearances, which includes four consecutive in the NCAA Championships. Including the Lions record in 2000, Stratos has posted a career total of 229-99, for a .698 winning percentage, the highest in LMU volleyball history and among current WCC coaches. In West Coast Conference action, he owns a record of 115-35, for a .767 winning percentage. With 115 career conference victories, Stratos ranks second among current WCC coaches.

Injury Update

Middle blocker Candace Boller is sidelined for the next three to four weeks as she recovers from foot surgery in the off-season. She is expected to return to the lineup before the end of the season.

USA TODAY/AVCA TOP 25

Nov. 6

1. Nebraska	<p>AVCA/USA Today Weekly Ranking</p> <table border="0"> <tr><td>Preseason</td><td>No. 23</td></tr> <tr><td>Sept. 4</td><td>No. 21</td></tr> <tr><td>Sept. 11</td><td>No. 20</td></tr> <tr><td>Sept. 18</td><td>No. 22</td></tr> <tr><td>Sept. 25</td><td>No. 23</td></tr> <tr><td>Oct. 2</td><td>No. 22</td></tr> <tr><td>Oct. 9</td><td>No. 23</td></tr> <tr><td>Oct. 16</td><td>No. 23</td></tr> <tr><td>Oct. 23</td><td>No. 22</td></tr> <tr><td>Oct. 30</td><td>No. 25</td></tr> </table>	Preseason	No. 23	Sept. 4	No. 21	Sept. 11	No. 20	Sept. 18	No. 22	Sept. 25	No. 23	Oct. 2	No. 22	Oct. 9	No. 23	Oct. 16	No. 23	Oct. 23	No. 22	Oct. 30	No. 25
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The AVCA/USA Today Coaches Poll is posted each Tuesday by 9 am. Updated standings can be found at www.avca.org.

LMU vs. No. 9 Pepperdine (Nov. 4)

Senior outside hitter Sarah McFarland recorded a match-high 43 kills and had 18 digs to help Loyola Marymount record a four-game victory over Pepperdine and snap the Waves' 28-match West Coast Conference (WCC) winning streak Saturday evening at Firestone Fieldhouse. LMU also put an end to Pepperdine's 15-match winning streak as the Lions won by scores of 20-18, 12-15, 15-5, 15-4. Loyola Marymount improved to 17-7 overall and 7-3 in WCC play, while Pepperdine dropped to 20-4 on the season and 9-1 in conference action. The tone was set in the first game as Pepperdine had seven game points but was unable to put LMU away. The opening game took one hour to play and the match lasted 2:35. Junior outside hitter Eleftheria Koukou (16 kills and 17 digs) and sophomore outside hitter Jaimee Brubacher (13 kills, 16 digs) posted double-doubles for the Lions. LMU outthit Pepperdine .316 - .221 in the game and outblocked the Waves 13-6.

Notes On Portland

The University of Portland women's volleyball team (6-18 overall, 2-9 in the West Coast Conference) heads down south for its final road trip of the season with two WCC matches and a non-conference match-up. The Pilots take on southern California powerhouses Loyola Marymount and Pepperdine on Nov. 10 and Nov. 11 before facing independent UC Riverside on Monday (Nov. 13). Bridget DeChant and Lindsey Jastrzab are leading the Pilots offensively with 239 and 231 kills, respectively. Anna Abatzoglou heads up Portland's defense as she has racked up 72 blocks on the year. Doug Sparks is in his first year as head coach of the Portland women's volleyball program. The Lions and the Pilots met earlier this season (Oct. 14) with LMU recording a 3-1 victory.

Notes On Gonzaga

The Bulldogs come into this weekend's contests struggling with a 4-21 overall record and an 0-11 mark in the West Coast Conference. Heather Osberg leads the Zags in their quest for their first conference win of the year with 292 kills. Osberg is closely followed by Britt Whiting who has collected 244 kills this season. Leading the Bulldogs in digs is Heather Signor with 235. Head coach Eva Windlin-Jansen is in her fifth year with the Zags. She has compiled a 32-91 record while at Gonzaga. The Lions defeated the Bulldogs (3-0) earlier this season and own the series advantage at 21-7.

Lions Match-By-Match

#4 Jaimee Brubacher (Outside Hitter • Sophomore • 6-0 • Scottsdale, AZ)

Cal Poly: ...played 4 games, 1 kill (.333), 2 digs, 2 assists; San Jose State:...played 3 games, 1 kill (.000), 2 digs, 1 block; Arizona State:...played 2 games, 1 kill (1.000); Indiana State:...played 2 games, 3 kills (.400), 2 digs; Central Michigan:...played 3 games, 7 kills (.214), 5 digs, 3 aces, 1 block assist; UConn:...played 3 games, 6 kills (.385), 4 digs, 2 block assists; Indiana:...played 3 games, 1 kill (.000), career-high 17 digs, 1 block assist; Duke:...starter...played 5 games, 6 kills (.133), 1 ace, 14 digs, 3 block assists; Marquette:...starter...played 3 games, 12 kills (.310), 6 digs, 1 block assist; Notre Dame:...starter...played 4 games, 12 kills (.143), 10 digs, 5 blocks, 1 service ace; Colorado State:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.048), 5 digs; Wyoming:...starter...played 3 games, 8 kills (.053), 4 digs; San Diego State:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.111), 8 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 9 kills (.200), 19 digs, 3 aces; St. Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 7 kills (.048), 13 digs, 3 aces; UC Santa Barbara:...played 3 games, 3 kills, 5 digs; Pepperdine:...played 4 games, 6 kills (.105), 4 digs; Gonzaga:...starter...played 3 games, 2 kills (.357), 8 digs; Portland:...starter...played 4 games, 6 kills (.273), 5 digs, 1 ace, 3 block assists; San Francisco:...starter...played 3 games, 7 kills (.095), 8 digs, 3 blocks; Santa Clara:...starter...played 2 games, 4 kills (.091), 7 digs; Saint Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 2 kills, 6 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 15 kills (.344), 12 digs, 2 blocks; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 13 kills (.108), 16 digs, 3 aces.

#5 Ivy Featherstone (Defensive Specialist • Freshman • 5-6 • Manhattan Beach, CA)

San Jose State:...played 2 games; Indiana State:...played 2 games, 1 dig; Central Michigan:...played 1 game; UConn:...played 2 games, 1 dig; Marquette:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Colorado State:...played 1 game; Wyoming:...played 2 games, 1 assist; San Diego State:...played 1 game; UC Santa Barbara:...played 3 games, 1 dig; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 5 digs, 3 assists; Santa Clara:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Saint Mary's:...played 1 game.

#7 Nicole Oehlman (Setter • Freshman • 5-10 • Sebastopol, CA)

Phoenix Airport Hilton/Sun Devil Challenge: all-tournament selection, averaged 11.08 assists per game; Cal Poly:...starter...played 5 games, 6 kills (.333), 50 assists, 3 aces, 4 digs, 4 blocks; San Jose State:...starter...played 4 games, 3 kills (.222), 40 assists, 6 digs, 6 blocks; Arizona State:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.375), 43 assists, 10 digs; Indiana State:...starter...played 2 games, 1 kill, 16 assists, 6 digs, 1 block assist; Central Michigan:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.250), 41 assists, 9 digs, 2 aces; UConn:...starter...played 3 games, 6 kills (.556), 50 assists, 9 digs; Indiana:...starter...played 3 games, 2 kills (.200), 46 assists, 6 digs, 4 block assists; Duke:...starter...played five games, 5 kills (.053), 66 assists, 1 ace, 10 digs, 3 block assists; Marquette:...starter...played 3 games, 1 kill (-.167), 35 assists, 1 dig, 1 block assist; Notre Dame:...starter...played 4 games, 8 kills (.222), 53 assists, 16 digs, 6 blocks; Colorado State:...starter...played 1 game, 13 assists 2 digs, 2 aces; Wyoming:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.400), 48 assists, 7 digs, 6 aces; San Diego State:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.500), 44 assists, 6 digs, 3 blocks; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 7 kills (.545), 52 assists, 19 digs, 3 aces; St. Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.571), 48 assists, 9 digs, 3 blocks; UC Santa Barbara:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills, 33 assists, 10 digs, 1 ace; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 4 kills, 50 assists, 7 digs, 5

VOLLEYBALL MAGAZINE TOP 20

Nov. 6

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Others: Utah, Utah State, Kansas State, Michigan State, Texas Tech, **Loyola Marymount**, North Carolina, South Carolina, Michigan, Arizona State, Washington State.

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QUICK FACTS

Head Coach: Steve Stratos
 Alma Mater: San Diego State, '75
 Record at LMU: 229-99, 11th year
 Overall Record: 229-99, 11th year
 Asst Coach: Larry Smoot (LBSU, 11th yr)
 Asst Coach: Heather Collins-Ramirez
 (UCSB, 4th yr)
 Asst Coach: Nathan Jones (SDSU, 2nd yr)

1999 Record: 20-11(.645)
 1999 WCC Record: 9-5 (fourth)
 Final Regular-Season Ranking: N/A

All-Time Program Record: 367-239 (.606)
 All-Time Conference Record: 154-62 (.713)
 Longest Win Streak: 16 matches
 10/4/96 - 12/8/96
 Longest Losing Streak: 12 matches
 11/17/88 - 9/19/89
 WCC Championships: 1994,1995,1996
 NCAA Tournament: ... 1986,1994,1995,1996,1997, 1999
 NIVC Tournament: 1990,1992

2000 Record: 17-7
 2000 WCC Record: 7-3
 Longest Win Streak: 7 matches
 Longest Losing Streak: 2 matches



2000 HONORS

Sarah McFarland
 Phoenix Airport Hilton/Sun Devil Challenge
 All-Tournament & Tournament MVP
 LMU Volleyball Classic Tournament MVP
 Blimpie/Hoosier Invitational II
 All-Tournament & Tournament MVP
 WCC Player of the Week - Sept. 18
 2000 Golden Dome Invitational All-Tournament
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Kristen Gallup
 LMU Volleyball Classic All-Tournament

blocks; Gonzaga:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills (.250), 38 assists, 4 digs, 5 block assists; Portland:...starter...played 4 games, 4 kills (.077), 53 assists, 4 digs; San Francisco:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills (.600), 38 assists, 7 digs, 3 aces, 2 blocks; Santa Clara:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.250), 29 assists, 3 digs, 1 ace, 5 blocks; Saint Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 2 kills, 28 assists, 8 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 4 kills (.333), 49 assists, 11 digs, 4 blocks; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 7 kills (.583), 83 assists, 5 digs.

#8 Eleftheria Koukou (Outside Hitter/Opposite Hitter • Junior • 6-1 • Kavala, Greece)
Cal Poly:...starter...played 5 games, 19 kills (.325), 11 digs, 3 aces; San Jose State:...starter...played 4 games, 1 ace, 12 digs, 3 blocks; Arizona State:...starter...played 3 games, 1 ace, 6 digs, 3 blocks; Indiana State:...played 2 games, 6 kills (.556), 2 assists, 1 ace, 2 digs; Central Michigan:...played 2 games, 1 ace, 1 dig; UConn:...played 1 game, 1 kill (.333), 1 assist; Indiana:...starter...played 3 games, 7 kills (.227), 1 ace, 2 block assists; Duke:...starter...played 5 games, 2 kills (-.100), 5 digs; Marquette:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills (.083), 1 ace, 9 digs; Notre Dame:...played 2 games, 1 kill (.000), 3 assists; San Diego:...played 1 game; St. Mary's:...played 3 games, 12 kills (.357), 5 digs, 3 blocks, 2 aces; UC Santa Barbara:...played 2 games, 4 kills (.167), 4 digs; Pepperdine:...played 1 game, 1 block; Portland:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Santa Clara:...played 2 games, 2 digs; Saint Mary's:...played 3 games, 2 kills (.154), 3 assists; Pepperdine:...played 4 games, 16 kills (.353), 17 digs, 5 blocks.

#10 Laura Gustorf (Outside Hitter • Sophomore • 5-9 • Stockton, CA)
Cal Poly:...played 5 games, 1 kill (.333), 7 digs; San Jose State:...played 4 games, 1 ace, 7 digs, 3 assists; Arizona State:...played 3 games, 2 digs; Indiana State:...starter...played 3 games, 1 assist, 1 ace, 5 digs; Central Michigan:...played 3 games, 1 assist, 7 digs; UConn:...played 3 games, 2 assists, 2 aces, 10 digs; Indiana:...played 3 games, 1 ace, 11 digs; Duke:...played 5 games, 6 digs; Marquette:...played 1 game; Notre Dame:...played 4 games, 9 digs, 4 assists; Colorado State:...played 3 games, 1 kill, 1 dig; Wyoming:...played 3 games, 2 kills, 5 digs; San Diego State:...played 3 games, 8 digs, 2 aces; San Diego:...played 4 games, 5 digs, 2 aces; St. Mary's:...played 3 games, 11 digs, 2 aces; UC Santa Barbara:...played 3 games, 7 digs, 1 ace; Pepperdine:...played 4 games, 5 kills (.050), 14 digs, 1 ace; Gonzaga:...played 3 games, 3 kills, 3 assists, 5 digs, 2 blocks; Portland:...played 4 games, 2 kills, 7 digs, 3 blocks; San Francisco:...starter...played 3 games, 7 digs, 1 ace; Santa Clara:...starter...played 3 games, 2 digs; Saint Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills, 4 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 1 kill (1.000), 10 digs; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 4 kills (.375), 8 digs.

#11 Tiana Newsome (Middle Blocker • Freshman • 5-11 • Peoria, AZ)
Cal Poly:...starter...played 5 games...5 kills (.056), 3 assists, 4 blocks; San Jose State:...starter...played 4 games, 3 kills (.333), match-high 12 blocks; Arizona State:...starter...played 3 games, 5 blocks; Indiana State:...played 3 games, 3 kills (.429), 1 block, 1 block assist; Central Michigan:...played 2 games, 4 kills (.200), 1 block, 1 block assist; UConn:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.333), 1 block; Indiana:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills (-.067), 5 total blocks; Duke:...played 4 games, 5 kills (.300), 1 ace, 2 block assists; Marquette:...played 1 game; Notre Dame:...played 1 game, 1 kill, 2 digs; Colorado State:...played 2 games, 1 kill, 2 assists; Wyoming:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.364), 7 blocks; San Diego State:...played 2 games, 3 kills (.600), 1 block; San Diego:...played 4 games, 9 kills (.412), 8 blocks; St. Mary's:...played 3 games, 4 kills (.154), 2 digs, 6 blocks; UC Santa Barbara:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills, 4 blocks; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 5 kills (.182), 5 blocks; Gonzaga:...starter...played 3 games, 6 kills (.273), 6 blocks; Portland:...starter...played 4 games, 10 kills (.533), 4 blocks; San Francisco:...played 3 games, 7 kills (.636), 3 blocks; Santa Clara:...played 3 games, 3 kills (.286), 6 blocks; Saint Mary's:...played 3 games, 5 kills (.200), 6 blocks; San Diego:...played 4 games, 9 kills (.280), 9 blocks; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 7 kills (.267), 4 blocks.

#12 Kelly Ward (Setter • Junior • 5-10 • Phoenix, AZ)
Cal Poly:...played 1 game, 8 assists, 4 digs, 1 block; Arizona State:...played 2 games; Indiana State:...played 1 game, 1 kill (.500), 12 assists, 1 dig; UConn:...played 3 games, 1 ace, 1 dig; Duke:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Marquette:...played 1 game, 2 kills (.200), 20 assists, 5 digs; Notre Dame:...played 4 games, 5 assists; Colorado State:...played 2 games, 8 assists, 2 digs; San Diego State:...played 2 games, 1 dig, 1 ace; San Diego:...played 1 game; Pepperdine:...played 1 game.

#13 Kristin Gallup (Outside Hitter • Sophomore • 6-2 • Mission Viejo, CA)
Cal Poly:...starter...played 5 games, 8 kills (.167), 14 digs, 2 aces; San Jose State:...starter...played 3 games, 7 kills (.167), 7 digs, 3 blocks; Arizona State:...starter...played 3 games, 6 kills (.286), 1 ace, 8 digs, 2 blocks; LMU Volleyball Classic: all-tournament selection; Indiana State:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.308), 6 digs; Central Michigan:...starter...played 3 games, 7 kills (.583), 7 digs; UConn:...starter...played 3 games, 9 kills (.296), 1 assist, 6 digs, 1 block;

Conference Leaders

Hitting Percentage

1. Jennifer Fopma	PEP	.378
2. Allison Gustorf	LMU	.346
3. Meghan Coolbaugh	SMC	.345
4. Amy Kohl	SCU	.335
5. Lindsey Lampert	USD	.333
6. Kate Taylor	PEP	.323
7. Sarah McFarland	LMU	.322
8. Stacey Rouwenhorst	PEP	.317
9. Brook Terhune	SCU	.289
10. Teresa Russell	USF	.283

Kills (minimum 3.00 per game)

1. Sarah McFarland	LMU	638	7.78
2. Ynez Carrasco	SCU	385	5.00
3. Noel Frohman	USD	338	4.33
4. Amy Kohl	SCU	344	4.25
5. Lindsey Lampert	USD	314	4.08
6. Heather Dill	SMC	307	3.84
7. Meghan Coolbaugh	SMC	310	3.83
8. Teresa Russell	USF	305	3.81
9. Laura Tinetti	USF	302	3.78
10. Stacey Rouwenhorst	PEP	313	3.77

Assists (minimum 5.00 per game)

1. Roz Pelayo	SCU	990	14.78
2. Nicole Oehlman	LMU	1046	13.07
3. Melissa Plass	PEP	998	12.96
4. Ali Martin	USD	928	12.71
5. Emilie Heggli	GON	816	10.20
6. Whitney Hoover	SMC	728	9.71
7. April Scoggin	USF	579	8.64
8. Christen Hamilton	USF	474	8.46
9. Julie Allen	POR	464	5.46

Service Aces (minimum 0.10 per game)

1. Lindsey Lampert	USD	28	0.36
2. Sara Engstrom	POR	29	0.35
3. Nicole Oehlman	LMU	26	0.32
3. Bridget Dechant	POR	27	0.32
5. Meghan Coolbaugh	SMC	25	0.31
6. Jennifer Fopma	PEP	23	0.30
7. Noel Frohman	USD	23	0.29
7. Merrin Thompson	SCU	24	0.29
9. Heather Osberg	GON	22	0.27
9. Christen Hamilton	USF	15	0.27

Blocks (minimum 0.75 per game)

1. Tiana Newsome	LMU	106	1.43
2. Jennifer Fopma	PEP	103	1.34
3. Brook Terhune	SCU	94	1.29
3. Teresa Russell	USF	103	1.29
5. Laura Tinetti	USF	97	1.21
6. Kate Taylor	PEP	84	1.04
7. Ann Mott	USD	71	0.92
7. Anna Abatzoglou	POR	72	0.92
7. Allison Gustorf	LMU	68	0.92
10. Heather Osberg	GON	74	0.91

Digs (minimum 2.00 per game)

1. Ynez Carrasco	SCU	321	4.17
2. Sarah McFarland	LMU	279	3.40
3. Whitney Hoover	SMC	245	3.27
4. Adrian Frediani	USD	253	3.24
5. Bridget Beschen	POR	262	3.08
6. Noel Frohman	USD	235	3.01
7. Amanda Willnerd	USF	216	2.96
8. Jami Bari	SCU	211	2.85
8. Roz Pelayo	SCU	191	2.85
10. Lisa Borom	PEP	186	2.66

Indiana:...starter...played 3 games, 6 kills (.261), 5 digs, 1 block assist; Duke:...starter...played 5 games, 6 kills (.000), 1 ace, 9 digs; Marquette:...played 1 game, 2 digs; Notre Dame:...starter...played 4 games, 6 kills (.037), 12 digs, 4 assists, 5 blocks; Colorado State:...starter...played 3 games, 3 kills (.273), 8 digs; Wyoming:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.333), 5 digs, 2 aces; San Diego State:...starter...played 3 games, 10 kills (.269), 5 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 3 kills, 3 digs, 2 blocks; St. Mary's:...starter...played 3 games; UC Santa Barbara:...starter...played 3 games, 7 kills (.111), 5 digs; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 2 kills, 5 digs, 2 blocks; Portland:...played 1 game, 1 block; San Francisco:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Santa Clara:...played 3 games, 6 digs; Saint Mary's:...played 3 games, 2 kills (.250), 5 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 6 kills (.143), 6 digs, 4 blocks; Pepperdine:...played 3 games, 2 kills, 2 digs.

#14 Sarah McFarland (Outside Hitter • Senior • 6-6 • Michigan City, IN)

Phoenix Airport Hilton/Sun Devil Challenge: all-tournament selection and tournament MVP, averaged 6.42 kills per game; Cal Poly:...starter...played 5 games, match-high 23 kills (.097), 20 digs, 1 block; San Jose State:...starter...played 4 games, match-high 22 kills (.442), 13 digs, 5 blocks; Arizona State:...starter...played 3 games, match-high 32 kills (.383), 7 digs, 3 blocks; LMU Volleyball Classic: all-tournament selection and tournament MVP; Indiana State:...starter...played 3 games, 18 kills (.593), 2 assists, 5 digs; Central Michigan:...starter...played 3 games, 13 kills (.258), 1 ace, 6 digs; UConn:...starter...played 3 games, 29 kills (.377), 13 digs, 1 block; Blimpie/Hoosier Invitational II: all-tournament selection and tournament MVP; Indiana:...starter...played 3 games, 17 kills (.256), 16 digs, 1 block, 4 block assists; Duke:...starter...played 5 games, 39 kills (.287), 1 ace, career-high 24 digs, 4 block assists; Marquette:...starter...played 3 games, 30 kills (.393), 3 aces, 11 digs; 2000 Golden Dome Invitational: all-tournament selection; Notre Dame:...starter...played 4 games, 45 kills (.270), 21 digs, 4 assists, 2 aces, 3 blocks; Colorado State:...starter...played 3 games, 17 kills (.173); Wyoming:...starter...played 3 games, 29 kills (.447), 4 digs, 2 blocks; San Diego State:...starter...played 3 games, 29 kills (.532), 12 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 28 kills (.387), 16 digs, 3 blocks; St. Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 26 kills (.309), 7 digs, 3 blocks; UC Santa Barbara:...starter...played 2 games, 18 kills (.324), 11 digs; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 41 kills (.337), 14 digs; Gonzaga:...starter...played 3 games, 22 kills (.488), 10 digs, 2 blocks, 1 ace; Portland:...starter...played 4 games, 30 kills (.456), 6 digs; San Francisco:...starter...played 3 games, 21 kills (.255), 6 digs, 3 blocks; Santa Clara:...starter...played 3 games, 23 kills (.246), 7 digs, 1 ace; Saint Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 13 kills (.087), 7 digs, 2 blocks; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 30 kills (.250), 24 digs, 3 blocks; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 43 kills (.365), 18 digs.

#15 Allison Gustorf (Middle Blocker • Senior • 6-0 • Stockton, CA)

Cal Poly:...starter...played 5 game, 18 kills (team-high .394), 9 digs, 5 blocks; San Jose State:...starter...played four games, 13 kills (team-high .579), 7 digs, 4 blocks, 2 aces; Arizona State:...starter...played 3 games, 8 kills (.263), 8 digs, 3 blocks; LMU Volleyball Classic: all-tournament selection; Indiana State:...starter...played 2 games, 4 kills (.571), 1 ace, 3 digs, 1 block assist; Central Michigan:...starter...played 3 games, 11 kills (.400), 5 digs, 2 blocks; UConn:...starter...played 3 games 10 kills (.333), 2 aces, 6 digs, 3 block assists; Blimpie/Hoosier Invitational II: all-tournament selection; Indiana:...starter...played 3 games, 16 kills (.667), 1 ace, 6 digs, 6 block assists; Duke:...starter...played 5 games, 17 kills (.353), 2 aces, 15 digs, 5 block assists; Marquette:...starter...played 3 games, 6 kills (.308), 13 digs, 2 block assists; Notre Dame:...starter...played 4 games, 9 kills (.125), 9 digs, 7 blocks; Colorado State:...starter...played 2 games, 1 kill, 1 dig; Wyoming:...played 2 games, 4 kills (.667); San Diego State:...starter...played 3 games, 8 kills (.800), 4 blocks; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 7 kills (.143), 2 blocks; St. Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.143), 4 blocks; UC Santa Barbara:...starter...played 3 games, 1 kill, 9 digs; Gonzaga:...starter...played 3 games, 8 kills (.467), 6 blocks, 2 aces; Portland:...starter...played 3 games, 8 kills (.800), 4 blocks, 3 aces; San Francisco:...starter...played 3 games, 9 kills (.500), 2 digs, 5 blocks, 1 ace; Santa Clara:...starter...played 2 games, 4 kills; Saint Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 4 kills (.182), 3 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 5 kills (.200), 2 digs, 2 blocks; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 7 kills (.438), 2 digs.

#17 Elizabeth Samson (Defensive Specialist • Freshman • 5-3 • Saratoga, CA)

Indiana State:...played 1 game; Duke:...played 3 games, 1 kill (.200), 1 assist, 8 digs, 6 block assists; Notre Dame:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Colorado State:...played 3 games, 4 digs; Wyoming:...played 1 game, 1 ace; San Diego State:...played 1 game; Pepperdine:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Gonzaga:...played 3 games, 1 kill, 2 digs; Portland:...played 4 games, 7 digs; Santa Clara:...played 2 games, 3 digs; Saint Mary's:...played 2 games, 1 dig.

#18 Kealani Kimball (Middle Blocker/Outside Hitter • Freshman • 5-11 • Kaunakakai, HI)

Cal Poly:...played 3 games, 5 digs, 1 ace, 1 block; Arizona State:...played 1 game, 1 dig; Indiana State:...played 1 game, 2 kills (1.00), 1 block; Central Michigan:...played 2 games, 4 kills (.800), 1 assist, 1 block; UConn:...played 2 games, 1 kill (.333), 1 block; Marquette:...starter...played 3 games, 9 kills (.500), 3 digs, 2 blocks; Notre Dame:...starter...played 4 games, 5 kills (.286), 16 digs, 8 assists, 5 blocks; Colorado State:...starter...played 3 games, 2 kills, 4 digs, 1 ace; Wyoming:...played 3 games, 5 kills (.444), 7 digs; San Diego State:...starter...played 3 games, 1 kill, 7 digs; San Diego:...starter...played 4 games, 11 digs; St. Mary's:...starter...played 3 games, 4 digs; UC Santa Barbara:...starter...played 3 games, 9 digs; Pepperdine:...starter...played 4 games, 2 kills (.111), 7 digs, 4 aces, 5 blocks; Gonzaga:...starter...played 3 games, 6 digs, 1 assists; Portland:...starter...played 4 games, 3 kills (.400), 3 digs, 1 block; San Francisco:...starter...played 3 games, 5 kills (.308), 11 digs, 2 blocks; Santa Clara:...starter...played 3 games, 2 kills, 9 digs, 2 blocks; Saint Mary's:...played 3 games, 1 kill, 2 digs; San Diego:...played 4 games, 2 digs, 3 blocks; Pepperdine:...played 4 games, 14 digs.