



Big West Men's Basketball

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Cal Poly • Cal State Fullerton • Cal State Northridge • Long Beach State • UC Davis • UC Irvine • UC Riverside • UC Santa Barbara • Hawai'i

2013 Standings

	Conference					Overall						
	W	L	T	Pts.	Pct.	W	L	T	Pct.	Hm	Rd	Neut.
Cal Poly	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
Cal State Fullerton	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
Cal State Northridge	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
Long Beach State	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
UC Davis	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
UC Irvine	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
UC Riverside	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
UC Santa Barbara	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0
Hawai'i	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0

Player Of The Week

The first Big West Men's Basketball Player of the Week selections will take place on Monday, November 11. The selections will take place each Monday during the regular season.

Schedule

This Week's Schedule

Friday, November 8

Cal Poly at No. 5 Arizona (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Hope International at Cal State Northridge	7 pm
Fresno State at UC Irvine	7 pm
UC Riverside at San Diego State	7 pm
Hawaii-Pacific at UC Santa Barbara	7 pm
UC Davis at Portland	7:30 pm
¹ Tennessee State at Hawai'i	8:30 pm

Saturday, November 9

Hawaii-Pacific at Long Beach State	3 pm
Cal State Fullerton at Montana State	3:35 pm
¹ Western Michigan at Hawai'i	9:30 pm

Monday, November 11

Long Beach State at Arizona (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Holy Names at UC Davis	7 pm

Tuesday, November 12

¹ New Mexico State at Hawai'i [^] (ESPN2)	2 am
Nevada at Cal Poly	7 pm
UC Irvine at Pacific	7 pm
UC Santa Barbara at UNLV	7 pm
Cal State Northridge at USC (Pac-12 Network)	8 pm

Wednesday, November 13

Cal State Fullerton at Seattle	7 pm
Pepperdine at UC Riverside	7 pm

[^] ESPN College Hoops Tip-Off Marathon

¹ Outrigger Hotels & Resorts Classic (Honolulu, Hawai'i)

Big West teams in **bold**

All times Pacific

Last Week's Results

No results listed

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team	Year
Nov. 11			
Nov. 18			
Nov. 25			
Dec. 2			
Dec. 9			
Dec. 16			
Dec. 23			
Dec. 30			
Jan. 6			
Jan. 13			
Jan. 20			
Jan. 27			
Feb. 3			
Feb. 10			
Feb. 17			
Feb. 24			
Mar. 3			
Mar. 10			

BIG WEST MEN'S BASKETBALL

Big West Conference vs. Nonconference Opponents (0-0, .000)

America East	0-0	at UC Davis	0-0	UC Irvine	0-0
American Athletic	0-0	UNLV		Pepperdine	
Atlantic Coast	0-0	Cal State Fullerton	0-0	Cal State Fullerton	0-0
North Carolina State		UC Santa Barbara	0-0	at UC Irvine	0-0
Long Beach State	0-0	San Diego State		at UC Riverside	0-0
Pittsburgh		UC Riverside	0-0	Portland	
Cal Poly	0-0	San Jose State		UC Davis	0-0
Atlantic Sun	0-0	Cal State Fullerton	0-0	San Diego	
Big East	0-0	UC Davis	0-0	UC Santa Barbara	0-0
Marquette		Utah State		Santa Clara	
at Cal State Fullerton	0-0	at UC Santa Barbara	0-0	at Cal Poly	0-0
Creighton		UC Santa Barbara	0-0	at Cal State Fullerton	0-0
at Long Beach State	0-0	Northeast	0-0	Western Athletic	0-0
Big Sky	0-0	LIU Brooklyn		Idaho	
Eastern Washington		at UC Irvine	0-0	at Cal State Northridge	0-0
at UC Irvine	0-0	Ohio Valley	0-0	at UC Davis	0-0
UC Irvine	0-0	SIU-Edwardsville		New Mexico State	
Montana		vs. UC Davis	0-0	Hawai'i	0-0
at Hawai'i	0-0	Tennessee State		Seattle	
Montana State		Hawai'i	0-0	Cal State Fullerton	0-0
Cal State Fullerton	0-0	Pac-12	0-0	at Cal State Fullerton	0-0
Cal State Northridge	0-0	Arizona		at Cal State Northridge	0-0
at UC Riverside	0-0	Cal Poly	0-0	UC Davis	0-0
Northern Arizona		Long Beach State	0-0	UC Riverside	0-0
Hawai'i	0-0	Arizona State		UC Santa Barbara	0-0
Northern Colorado		UC Irvine	0-0	Independents	0-0
UC Riverside	0-0	California		Non-Division I	0-0
North Dakota		UC Irvine	0-0	Bethesda	
vs. Cal Poly	0-0	at UC Santa Barbara	0-0	at Cal Poly	0-0
Portland State		Colorado		Cal State Dominguez Hills	
UC Davis	0-0	UC Santa Barbara	0-0	at Cal Poly	0-0
Sacramento State		Oregon		Holy Names	
at Cal State Fullerton	0-0	Cal Poly	0-0	at UC Davis	0-0
at UC Davis	0-0	UC Irvine	0-0	Hope International	
UC Irvine	0-0	USC		at Cal State Northridge	0-0
UC Riverside	0-0	Cal State Fullerton	0-0	La Sierra	
Southern Utah		Cal State Northridge	0-0	at Cal State Northridge	0-0
at Cal State Northridge	0-0	at Long Beach State	0-0	La Verne	
UC Riverside	0-0	Stanford		at UC Riverside	0-0
Big South	0-0	Cal Poly	0-0	Hawaii-Hilo	
Big Ten	0-0	UC Davis	0-0	at Hawai'i	0-0
Michigan		UCLA		Hawaii-Pacific	
vs. Long Beach State	0-0	UC Santa Barbara	0-0	at Long Beach State	0-0
Big 12	0-0	Washington		at UC Santa Barbara	0-0
Kansas State		Long Beach State	0-0	vs. Hawai'i	0-0
Long Beach State	0-0	UC Irvine	0-0	Montana State-Billings	
Colonial	0-0	Patriot	0-0	at Long Beach State	0-0
Delaware		Boston University		Pacifica	
Cal Poly	0-0	at UC Irvine	0-0	at UC Irvine	0-0
Conference USA	0-0	Southeastern	0-0	San Diego Christian	
North Texas		Missouri		at UC Irvine	0-0
UC Riverside	0-0	Long Beach State	0-0	Simpson	
Tulsa		vs. Hawai'i	0-0	at UC Davis	0-0
Cal State Fullerton	0-0	Southern	0-0	The Master's College	
Horizon	0-0	Furman		at UC Santa Barbara	0-0
Illinois-Chicago		at UC Davis	0-0	Waldorf	
at UC Riverside	0-0	Southland	0-0	at UC Riverside	0-0
Ivy League	0-0	New Orleans		Top 25	0-0
Mid-American	0-0	at Hawai'i	0-0		
Northern Illinois		Stephen F. Austin			
at UC Riverside	0-0	Cal State Northridge	0-0		
Western Michigan		Texas A&M-Corpus Christi			
Hawai'i	0-0	Cal State Northridge	0-0		
Mid-Eastern	0-0	Southwestern	0-0		
Morgan State		Texas Southern			
at Cal State Northridge	0-0	at Cal State Fullerton	0-0		
at UC Irvine	0-0	Summit	0-0		
Norfolk State		Denver			
at Hawai'i	0-0	UC Irvine	0-0		
Missouri Valley	0-0	Nebraska-Omaha			
Loyola-Chicago		at Hawai'i	0-0		
vs. UC Davis	0-0	South Dakota			
Mountain West	0-0	Cal State Northridge	0-0		
Air Force		South Dakota State			
at UC Davis	0-0	at UC Santa Barbara	0-0		
UC Riverside	0-0	Western Illinois			
Boise State		vs. UC Santa Barbara	0-0		
at Hawai'i	0-0	Sun Belt	0-0		
Fresno State		Troy			
Cal Poly	0-0	vs. UC Santa Barbara	0-0		
Cal State Fullerton	0-0	West Coast	0-0		
at UC Irvine	0-0	Loyola Marymount			
Nevada		Cal Poly	0-0		
at Cal Poly	0-0	at Long Beach State	0-0		
Long Beach State	0-0	UC Riverside	0-0		
		Pacific			
		vs. Cal Poly	0-0		

BIG WEST MEN'S BASKETBALL

Cal Poly | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: Cal Poly starts the 2013-14 season with a tough road matchup on Friday at No. 5 Arizona. The Mustangs are 2-2 in season openers during the Joe Calero era. The Wildcats are

one of three Pac-12 opponents the Mustangs will face this season, joining Oregon and Stanford on the list.

Eversley Seeks Encore: Senior Chris Eversley became the third Mustang in the last four seasons to claim All-Big West First Team honors after averaging 15.4 points and 7.0 rebounds in 2012-13. He enters the year needing 266 points to reach 1,000 for his career.

Defense Breeds Winning: The Mustangs have finished .500 or better for three straight seasons, posting a 51-44 (.537) record overall and placing fourth or better in Big West play over that span. A key ingredient to that success has been a rigid defense. Cal Poly has led the Big West in scoring defense three years running, allowing a league-low 63.1 points per game last year.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Fri.	11/8	at No. 5 Arizona (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Tue.	11/12	Nevada	7 pm
Wed.	11/20	at Fresno State	7 pm
Sat.	11/23	Bethesda	3 pm
Global Sports Hardwood Challenge • Eugene, Ore.			
Fri.	11/29	vs. North Dakota	2:30 pm
Sat.	11/30	vs. Pacific	TBA
Sun.	12/1	at Oregon (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Sat.	12/7	Santa Clara	7 pm
Sat.	12/14	Cal State Dominguez Hills	7 pm
Tue.	12/17	at Loyola Marymount	7 pm
Sat.	12/21	at Pittsburgh (ESPN3)	1 pm
Sun.	12/29	at Stanford (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Sat.	1/4	at Delaware	11 am
Thur.	1/9	Hawai'i*	7 pm
Sat.	1/11	at UC Santa Barbara*	4 pm
Thur.	1/16	Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
Sat.	1/18	Long Beach State*	7 pm
Thur.	1/23	at Cal State Fullerton*	7 pm
Sat.	1/25	at UC Riverside*	7 pm
Thur.	1/30	UC Davis*	7 pm
Sat.	2/1	UC Irvine*	7 pm
Sat.	2/8	at Hawai'i*	9 pm
Thur.	2/13	at Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
Sat.	2/15	at Long Beach State* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
Thur.	2/20	Cal State Fullerton*	7 pm
Sat.	2/22	UC Riverside*	7 pm
Thur.	2/27	at UC Davis*	7 pm
Sat.	3/1	at UC Irvine*	7 pm
Sat.	3/8	UC Santa Barbara*	7 pm
Big West Conference Tournament • Anaheim, Calif.			
Thur.	3/13	Quarterfinals	TBA
Fri.	3/14	Semifinals	TBA
Sat.	3/15	Championship	TBA

* Big West Conference game
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Cal State Fullerton | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: Dedrique Taylor is the 11th men's basketball head coach in Cal State Fullerton history, and he makes his debut on Saturday at Montana State. He spent the last seven seasons as an

assistant at Arizona State, helping the Sun Devils to a 120-109 (.524) record and four 20-win campaigns.

Harris Leads Returnees: The team's top three scorers from last year have departed, leaving junior guard Alex Harris as the kingpin on offense. He averaged 10.5 points per game while playing the second-most minutes (1,053).

A Long Line Of Transfers: Cal State Fullerton has benefited in the past from the infusion of Division I transfers. For instance, Scott Cutley (Kent State) and Josh Akognon (Washington State) were back-to-back Big West Players of the Year in 2007-08 and 2008-09. The Titans might have another good one in senior guard Michael Williams, who earned All-West Coast Conference First Team honors at San Francisco in 2010-11. He ranked fourth in the WCC in scoring (14.7 ppg) as a sophomore.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Sat.	11/9	at Montana State	3:35 pm
Wed.	11/13	at Seattle	7 pm
Sat.	11/16	Santa Clara	3 pm
Tue.	11/19	at USC (Pac-12 Network)	8 pm
Sat.	11/23	at San Jose State	12:30 pm
Wooden Legacy • Fullerton & Anaheim, Calif.			
Thur.	11/28	Marquette (ESPN2)	1:30 pm
Fri.	11/29	Miami/George Washington	12:30/3 pm
Sun.	12/1	at Wooden Legacy	TBA
Wed.	12/4	at Pepperdine	7 pm
Sat.	12/7	Seattle	6 pm
Sun.	12/15	Texas Southern	2 pm
Sat.	12/21	Sacramento State	3 pm
Sat.	12/28	at UNLV	7 pm
Sat.	1/4	at Tulsa	10 am
Thur.	1/9	UC Riverside*	7 pm
Thur.	1/16	at UC Irvine*	8 pm
Sat.	1/18	at UC Davis*	7 pm
Thur.	1/23	Cal Poly*	7 pm
Sat.	1/25	UC Santa Barbara* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
Sat.	2/1	at Long Beach State*	TBA
Thur.	2/6	at UC Riverside*	7 pm
Sat.	2/8	at Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
Thur.	2/13	UC Davis*	7 pm
Sat.	2/15	Hawai'i*	6 pm
Thur.	2/20	at Cal Poly*	7 pm
Sat.	2/22	at UC Santa Barbara*	4 pm
Thur.	2/27	Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
Sat.	3/1	Long Beach State*	TBA
Thur.	3/6	UC Irvine*	6 pm
Sat.	3/8	at Hawai'i*	9 pm
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Cal State Northridge | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: The Reggie Theus era begins Friday with the Matadors hosting Hope International. Theus, the fifth head coach in the program's 55-year history, is giving the home fans a quick look at the squad before the Matadors embark on a six-game road trip.

Greene Nears Milestone: Senior guard Josh Greene enters the 2013-14 season just 10 points shy of 1,000 for his career. He is the Big West active career leader with 990 points. Greene is striving to become the 16th player in CSUN history to accomplish the feat.

Maxwell's House: Developing into one of the Big West's better inside presences, junior forward Stephen Maxwell finished No. 2 among conference players in rebounding (8.3 rpg) and No. 8 in scoring (15.7 ppg) in 2012-13.

Matadome Gets A Remake: CSUN's 51-year-old home court, the Matadome, was the recipient of a total makeover. A new court, video boards, scoreboard, sound system and bleachers have been some of the recent improvements.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Fri.	11/8	Hope International	7 pm
Tue.	11/12	at USC (Pac-12 Network)	8 pm
Sat.	11/16	at Fresno State	7 pm
Central Michigan Tournament • Mount Pleasant, Mich.			
Thur.	11/21	vs. Montana State	1:30 pm
Fri.	11/22	vs. Austin Peay	1:30 pm
Sat.	11/23	at Central Michigan	4:30 pm
Tue.	11/26	at Montana State	6:05 pm
Sun.	12/1	LaSierra	2 pm
Tue.	12/3	Southern Utah	7 pm
Thur.	12/5	Seattle	7 pm
Fri.	12/20	at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi	5 pm
Sun.	12/22	Idaho	7 pm
Fri.	12/27	Morgan State	7 pm
Mon.	12/30	at Stephen F. Austin	6 pm
Thur.	1/2	at South Dakota	5 pm
Thur.	1/9	UC Davis*	7 pm
Sat.	1/11	Hawai'i*	7 pm
Thur.	1/16	at Cal Poly*	7 pm
Sat.	1/18	UC Santa Barbara* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
Thur.	1/23	at UC Irvine*	7 pm
Sat.	1/25	at Long Beach State*	4 pm
Thur.	1/30	UC Riverside*	7 pm
Sat.	2/1	at Hawai'i*	9 pm
Thur.	2/6	at UC Davis*	7 pm
Sat.	2/8	Cal State Fullerton*	7 pm
Thur.	2/13	Cal Poly*	7 pm
Sat.	2/15	at UC Santa Barbara*	4 pm
Tue.	2/18	at Idaho	7 pm
Sat.	2/22	UC Irvine* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
Thur.	2/27	at Cal State Fullerton*	7 pm
Sat.	3/1	at UC Riverside*	7 pm
Thur.	3/6	Long Beach State*	7 pm
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BIG WEST MEN'S BASKETBALL

Long Beach State | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: The 49ers seek their third straight season-opening victory when they host Hawaii-Pacific on Friday. LBSU is an outstanding 42-8 at the Walter Pyramid in the last four seasons.

Monson Eyes Win Record: Head coach Dan Monson enters his seventh season at Long Beach State with 104 victories. The total places him No. 3 on the school's win list, one short of tying Seth Greenberg (1990-96) for the second spot. Jerry Tarkanian (1968-73) is the all-time wins leader with 122.

New Faces: The 49ers look vastly different from last season's 19-14 squad which won a third consecutive Big West regular season title and played in the National Invitation Tournament. Eight newcomers and two redshirts make up the majority of the 15 players on the roster.

Caffey At The Controls: The counter to all the new faces at LBSU is a mainstay in junior point guard Mike Caffey. The all-conference first team selection ranked seventh in the Big West in assists (3.8 apg) and was second on the team in scoring at 12.0 points per game in 2012-13.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Sat.	11/9	Hawaii-Pacific	3 pm
Mon.	11/11	at Arizona (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Thur.	11/14	Loyola Marymount	7 pm
Sun.	11/17	at Kansas State (FOX KC)	1 pm
Puerto Rico Tip-Off • San Juan, Puerto Rico			
Thur.	11/21	vs. Michigan (ESPN2)	2 pm
Fri.	11/22	vs. VCU/Florida State	TBA
Sun.	11/24	at Puerto Rico Tip-Off	TBA
Sat.	11/30	at Washington	TBA
Tue.	12/3	Creighton	7 pm
Sat.	12/7	at North Carolina State	11 am
Thur.	12/19	USC (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
Sat.	12/21	Montana State-Billings	Noon
Sat.	12/28	at Nevada	7 pm
Sat.	1/4	at Missouri	2 pm
Thur.	1/9	UC Irvine* (Fox PT)	8 pm
Sat.	1/11	UC Davis*	4 pm
Thur.	1/16	at UC Santa Barbara*	7 pm
Sat.	1/18	at Cal Poly*	7 pm
Sat.	1/25	Cal State Northridge*	4 pm
Thur.	1/30	at Hawaii*	9 pm
Sat.	2/1	Cal State Fullerton*	TBA
Thur.	2/6	at UC Irvine*	7:30 pm
Sat.	2/8	at UC Riverside*	7 pm
Thur.	2/13	UC Santa Barbara*	7 pm
Sat.	2/15	Cal Poly* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
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Thur.	2/27	Hawaii* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
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UC Davis | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: UC Davis faces Portland on the road Friday and aims to end a five-game losing streak in season openers. The Aggies enter the season with high expectations after experiencing a plus-nine improvement in the win

column from 2011-12 to 2012-13.

Hawkins Earns Preseason Honors: Junior Corey Hawkins is garnering national attention after a stellar 2012-13 campaign in which he captured the Big West Newcomer of the Year award and landed on the Lou Henson Mid-Major All-America team. As the first Aggie to claim a Big West scoring title, Hawkins averaged 20.3 points per game last year, and parlayed that into his selection to the Lute Olson Preseason All-American Team. The Lute Olsen Award is presented annually to the nation's top Division I player.

Sypkens Dials Long Distance: Guard Ryan Sypkens was one of the nation's top sharpshooters last year, ranking No. 2 in the country in three-point field goal percentage (.461) and No. 4 in threes per game (3.66). The senior knocked down 106 treys, the eighth-most in Big West single-season history.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Fri.	11/8	at Portland	7:30 pm
Mon.	11/11	Holy Names	7 pm
Fri.	11/15	at Utah (Pac-12 Network)	7 pm
Portland State Tournament • Portland, Ore.			
Fri.	11/22	vs. SIU-Edwardsville	3 pm
Sat.	11/23	vs. Loyola-Chicago	3 pm
Sun.	11/24	at Portland State	3 pm
Tue.	11/26	Sacramento State	7 pm
Sat.	11/30	Idaho	2 pm
Mon.	12/2	at Seattle	7:05 pm
Sat.	12/7	Nevada	7 pm
Sat.	12/14	at Stanford (Pac-12 Network)	5 pm
Wed.	12/18	at San Jose State	8 pm
Sat.	12/21	Air Force	2:30 pm
Mon.	12/30	Furman	7 pm
Thur.	1/2	Simpson	7 pm
Thur.	1/9	at Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
Sat.	1/11	at Long Beach State*	4 pm
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Sat.	3/1	UC Santa Barbara*	7 pm
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UC Irvine | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: UC Irvine opens the 2013-14 season at home against Fresno State on Friday. The Anteaters were victorious in Fresno last season. UCI is 1-2 in season openers during the Russell Turner era.

Look Up: The Anteaters are one of the tallest teams in the country with three 7-footers and a total of seven players standing 6-8 and above on its roster. Freshman Mamadou Ndiaye stands 7-6 and is joined by 7-2 freshman Ioannis Dimakopoulos and 7-0 sophomore Conor Clifford. Clifford is planning to redshirt this season.

Roam Davis Roam: With all that height protecting the basket, junior Will Davis II could feast on unsuspecting dribblers in the lane. The 6-8 forward led the Big West, broke his own school single-season record and finished No. 2 all-time in Big West history when he had 88 blocked shots in 2012-13.

McNealy Nears Milestone: Chris McNealy enters his senior season needing 179 points to become the 23rd player in UC Irvine history to reach 1,000 for his career. He is No. 4 among Big West active career scorers.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Fri.	11/8	Fresno State	7 pm
Tue.	11/12	at Pacific	7 pm
2K Sports Classic Regional Round • Seattle, Wash.			
Thur.	11/14	at Washington (Pac-12 Network)	8 pm
Sun.	11/17	Pacifica	7 pm
2K Sports Classic Subregional • Irvine, Calif.			
Fri.	11/22	LIU Brooklyn	7 pm
Sat.	11/23	Boston University	5:30 pm
Sun.	11/24	Eastern Washington	4 pm
Sat.	11/30	at Sacramento State	7:05 pm
Mon.	12/2	at California (Pac-12 Network)	7:30 pm
Sat.	12/7	Pepperdine	7 pm
Sun.	12/15	at Eastern Washington	2:05 pm
Tue.	12/17	at Oregon (Pac-12 Network)	7:30 pm
Sat.	12/21	at Denver	1 pm
Sat.	12/28	at Arizona State (Pac-12 Network)	11 am
Thur.	1/2	Morgan State	7:30 pm
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Sat.	2/22	at Cal State Northridge* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
Thur.	2/27	UC Santa Barbara*	7 pm
Sat.	3/1	Cal Poly*	7 pm
Thur.	3/6	at Cal State Fullerton*	6 pm
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Big West Conference Tournament • Anaheim, Calif.			
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BIG WEST MEN'S BASKETBALL

UC Riverside | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: The debut of interim head coach Dennis Cutts takes place in formidable territory as the Highlanders travel to San Diego State. UC Riverside is 0-8 all-time against the Aztecs.

General Patton: Three starters from return from last year's 6-25 club, led by senior center Chris Patton. He ranked No. 14 in the Big West in scoring (13.5 ppg), including a career-high 36 points against Cal State Fullerton on Feb. 9, 2013. That tied for the fifth-most points ever scored in Highlander history. Patton also hit a Big West fifth-best 54.2 percent (168-of-310) of his floor shots.

Harriel's Back: Senior Chris Harriel returns to the Highlander starting lineup after ranking second on the squad with 10.6 points per game. The 6-4 forward drained a team-high 45 three-pointers and also led the squad with 39 steals.

Looking For Improvement: One area UCR seeks to improve in 2013-14 is their shooting efficiency. The team ranked last year in field goal percentage (.417), three-point percentage (.289) and free throw percentage (.583) last year.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Fri.	11/8	at San Diego State	7 pm
Wed.	11/13	Pepperdine	7 pm
Sat.	11/16	Montana State	4 pm
Sat.	11/23	at Southern Utah	6:30 pm
Mon.	11/25	at Seattle	7 pm
Mon.	12/2	Loyola Marymount	7 pm
Thur.	12/5	LaVerne	7 pm
Sat.	12/14	at Air Force	1 pm
Mon.	12/16	at Northern Colorado	6:05 pm
Fri.	12/20	Illinois-Chicago	7 pm
Sun.	12/22	Northern Illinois	2 pm
Sun.	12/29	at Sacramento State	2:05 pm
Thur.	1/2	Waldorf	7 pm
Sat.	1/4	at North Texas	Noon
Thur.	1/9	at Cal State Fullerton*	7 pm
Sat.	1/11	UC Irvine*	7 pm
Thur.	1/16	at UC Davis*	7 pm
Sat.	1/18	at Hawaii*	9 pm
Thur.	1/23	UC Santa Barbara*	7 pm
Sat.	1/25	Cal Poly*	7 pm
Thur.	1/30	at Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
Thur.	2/6	Cal State Fullerton*	7 pm
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UC Santa Barbara | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: UC Santa Barbara hopes to start a new streak with season-opening victories. After winning nine consecutive season debuts, the Gauchos were rebuffed at LSU in 2012-13 by a 77-63 score. This season UCSB

opens up at home against Hawaii-Pacific.

Big Al: There may not be a better frontcourt player in the Big West than 6-7, 240-pound junior center Alan Williams. He became the first Gaucho player in 23 years to average a double-double at 17.1 points and a league-leading 10.7 rebounds per game in last season. The first team all-conference pick led the conference with 15 double-doubles, and ranked second with 64 blocked shots.

More On Al: Williams was the first Gaucho to lead the Big West in rebounding since Eric McArthur (13.0 rpg) did so during the 1989-90 season.

Boswell Boss From Downtown: Senior Kyle Boswell, the 2012-13 Big West Sixth Man of the Year, hit 78 three-pointers to tie for the third-most in a single season in school history.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Fri.	11/8	Hawaii-Pacific	7 pm
Tue.	11/12	at UNLV	7 pm
Sat.	11/16	Utah State	7 pm
Thur.	11/21	at Colorado (Pac-12 Network)	5 pm
Fri.	11/29	South Dakota State	7 pm
Tue.	12/3	at UCLA (Pac-12 Network)	8 pm
Fri.	12/6	California	7 pm
Sun.	12/15	at San Diego	2 pm
Basketball Travelers Classic • Logan, Utah			
Thur.	12/19	vs. Troy	4:30 pm
Fri.	12/20	at Utah State	7:05 pm
Sat.	12/21	vs. Western Illinois	4:30 pm
Mon.	12/30	at Seattle	7 pm
Sat.	1/4	The Master's College	4 pm
Sat.	1/11	Cal Poly*	4 pm
Thur.	1/16	Long Beach State*	7 pm
Sat.	1/18	at Cal State Northridge* (Fox PT)	7:30 pm
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Hawai'i | 0-0 (0-0)



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For Openers: Hawai'i begins the 2013-14 campaign with the 49th edition of the Outrigger Hotels and Resorts Rainbow Classic, which culminates with a nationally televised ESPN2 game against New Mexico State as part

of ESPN's College Hoops Tip-Off Marathon. The game tips off on Tuesday at 2 am (PST).

Dangerous Duo: UH boasts one of the Big West's most formidable frontlines with senior Christian Standhardinger and sophomore Isaac Fotu. Standhardinger, a 6-8 forward, earned All-Big West First Team praise after finishing No. 7 in scoring (15.8 ppg) and No. 4 in rebounding (7.9 rpg) among conference players. Fotu was named the Big West Co-Freshman of the Year and a Freshman All-American by Colleg Insider.com. In conference games only, the 6-8 forward was tops with a .635 field goal percentage.

Home Cooking: The Rainbow Warriors play six of their first seven games at home, where they went 13-7 overall and 6-2 in Big West play last year. The one away game is a Nov. 16 tilt against Missouri.

Day	Date	Opponent	Time
Outrigger Hotels & Resorts Classic • Honolulu, Hawai'i			
Fri.	11/8	Tennessee State	8:30 pm
Sat.	11/9	Western Michigan	9:30 pm
Tue.	11/12	New Mexico State (ESPN2)	2 am
at Kansas City, Mo.			
Sat.	11/16	vs. Missouri	4 pm
Thur.	11/21	Hawaii-Hilo	9 pm
Wed.	11/27	New Orleans	9 pm
Fri.	11/29	Montana	9:30 pm
Sat.	12/7	at Northern Arizona	4 pm
at Lihue, Kaua'i			
Sat.	12/14	vs. Chaminade	9 pm
Diamond Head Classic • Honolulu, Hawai'i			
Sun.	12/22	Boise State (ESPNU)	10 pm
Mon.	12/23	South Carolina or Saint Mary's	TBA
Wed.	12/25	Diamond Head Classic	TBA
Mon.	12/30	Norfolk State	9 pm
Fri.	1/3	Omaha	9 pm
Thur.	1/9	at Cal Poly*	7 pm
Sat.	1/11	at Cal State Northridge*	7 pm
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USA Today Sports Poll

as of October 17, 2013

Ranking	Points	Record
1. Kentucky (16)	767	21-12
2. Michigan State (3)	749	27-9
3. Louisville (10)	741	35-5
4. Duke (3)	710	30-6
5. Arizona	637	27-8
6. Kansas	623	31-6
7. Syracuse	551	30-10
8. Florida	550	29-8
9. Michigan	548	31-8
10. Ohio State	533	29-8
11. North Carolina	494	25-11
12. Oklahoma State	462	24-9
13. Memphis	334	31-5
14. Gonzaga	270	32-3
15. Virginia Commonwealth	258	27-9
16. Wichita State	233	30-9
17. Marquette	230	26-9
18. Oregon	175	28-9
19. Connecticut	167	20-10
20. New Mexico	153	29-6
21. Wisconsin	148	23-12
22. Notre Dame	128	25-10
23. UCLA	121	25-10
24. Indiana	118	29-7
25. Virginia	103	23-12

Others receiving votes: Baylor 102, Colorado 93, Creighton 87, Iowa 86, Tennessee 73, Georgetown 38, Harvard 28, Pittsburgh 23, California 16, Boise State 11, Saint Louis 8, La Salle 7, Missouri 4, Temple 4, Villanova 4, Kansas State 3, Arizona State 2, Illinois 2, Iowa State 2, LSU 2, Georgia 1, UNLV 1

Associated Press Poll

as of November 6, 2013

Ranking	Points	Record
1. Kentucky (27)	1546	0-0
2. Michigan State (22)	1543	0-0
3. Louisville (14)	1501	0-0
4. Duke (2)	1435	0-0
5. Kansas	1357	0-0
6. Arizona	1311	0-0
7. Michigan	1120	0-0
8. Oklahoma State	1093	0-0
Syracuse	1093	0-0
10. Florida	1048	0-0
11. Ohio State	1036	0-0
12. North Carolina	954	0-0
13. Memphis	741	0-0
14. VCU	680	0-0
15. Gonzaga	538	0-0
16. Wichita State	512	0-0
17. Marquette	510	0-0
18. Connecticut	448	0-0
19. Oregon	408	0-0
20. Wisconsin	338	0-0
21. Notre Dame	332	0-0
22. UCLA	244	0-0
23. New Mexico	213	0-0
24. Virginia	189	0-0
25. Baylor	180	0-0

Others receiving votes: Tennessee 176, Creighton 145, Indiana 111, Colorado 83, Iowa 83, Harvard 46, Boise State 22, Villanova 14, Arizona State 11, Georgetown 11, UNLV 8, Washington 8, LSU 6, Pittsburgh 6, Stanford 6, Boston College 5, La Salle 4, Missouri 3, Saint Louis 3, St. John's 3, Cincinnati 1

Media Preseason All-League Team

Name	School	Pos.	Year
Mike Caffey	Long Beach State	G	Junior
Will Davis II	UC Irvine	F	Junior
Chris Eversley	Cal Poly	F	Senior
Corey Hawkins	UC Davis	G	Junior
Christian Standhardinger	Hawai'i	F	Senior
Alan Williams	UC Santa Barbara	C	Junior

Active Career Leaders

POINTS

1. Josh Greene, CSUN	990
2. Ryan Sypkens, UCD	923
3. Stephan Hicks, CSUN	847
4. Chris McNealy, UCI	821
5. Josh Ritchart, UCD	811
6. Chris Eversley, CP	734
7. Alan Williams, UCSB	687
8. Kyle Boswell, UCSB	664
9. Stephen Maxwell, CSUN	651
10. Mike Caffey, LBSU	596

REBOUNDS

1. Alan Williams, UCSB	495
2. Will Davis II, UCI	407
3. Stephen Maxwell, CSUN	404
4. Stephan Hicks, CSUN	387
5. Chris Eversley, CP	370
6. Chris McNealy, UCI	369
7. Josh Ritchart, UCD	335
8. JT Adenrele, UCD	274
9. Christian Standhardinger, UH	252
10. Mike Caffey, LBSU	227

ASSISTS

1. Josh Greene, CSUN	243
2. Jamal Johnson, CP	206
3. Mike Caffey, LBSU	202
Chris McNealy, UCI	202
5. T.J. Taylor, UCSB	183
6. Ryan Sypkens, UCD	174
7. Alex Young, UCI	144
8. Landon Drew, CSUN	114
9. Kyle Boswell, UCSB	104
10. Tyler Les, UCD	99

BLOCKED SHOTS

1. Will Davis III, UCI	143
2. Alan Williams, UCSB	105
3. JT Adenrele, UCD	70
4. Josh Ritchart, UCD	43
5. Chris McNealy, UCI	38

STEALS

1. Josh Greene, CSUN	90
2. Stephen Hicks, CSUN	78
3. Chris McNealy, UCI	75
4. Mike Caffey, LBSU	72
5. Jamal Johnson, CP	63
6. Alex Harris, CSF	55
7. Ryan Sypkens, UCD	50
8. Stephen Maxwell, CSUN	47
9. Josh Ritchart, UCD	46
10. Christian Standhardinger, UH	45

CollegInsider.com Mid-Major Poll

as of October 21, 2013

Ranking	Pts.	Record
1. Wichita State (24)	766	0-0
2. Gonzaga (7)	747	0-0
3. BYU	568	0-0
4. New Mexico State	478	0-0
5. Indiana State	466	0-0
6. Northern Iowa	450	0-0
7. North Dakota State	432	0-0
8. Davidson	431	0-0
9. Denver	430	0-0
10. Akron	340	0-0
11. Florida Gulf Coast	267	0-0
12. Harvard	266	0-0
13. Princeton	263	0-0
14. Western Kentucky	251	0-0
15. Weber State	230	0-0
16. Eastern Kentucky	226	0-0
17. UC Santa Barbara	211	0-0
18. Manhattan	209	0-0
19. Elon	206	0-0
20. Montana	203	0-0
21. Green Bay	200	0-0
22. Saint Mary's	173	0-0
23. Toledo	166	0-0
24. Towson	164	0-0
25. Northwestern State	134	0-0

Others receiving votes: Wright State 119, Drexel 116, Stony Brook 101, Long Beach State 100, Iona 99, Northeastern 91, Vermont 84, Oakland 82, Cleveland State 75, Bucknell 71, Robert Morris 67, North Dakota 64, Boston University 55, Belmont 51, Mercer 50, Murray State 42, Louisiana-Lafayette 41, Ohio 33, Canisius 30, College of Charleston 30, Youngstown State 30, Niagara 29, Valparaiso 29, Stephen F. Austin 24, Georgia State 22, Detroit 20, Norfolk State 20, Arkansas-Little Rock 20, James Madison 19, Albany 18, Loyola (MD) 15, Oral Roberts 15, Western Illinois 13, High Point 12, Charleston Southern 11, LIU-Brooklyn 11, USC Upstate 11, Mount St. Mary's 10, Wagner 10, Arkansas State 8, Santa Clara 8, South Dakota State 8, Bradley 7, San Francisco 7, CSU Bakersfield 5, Southeast Missouri State 4, UC Irvine 4, Kent State 3

Preseason Coaches Poll

1. UC Irvine (9)	183
2. UC Santa Barbara (6)	167
3. Cal Poly (3)	165
4. Long Beach State (5)	164
5. UC Davis	114
6. Hawai'i	110
7. Cal State Northridge (1)	89
8. Cal State Fullerton	57
9. UC Riverside	31

() Denotes first place votes

Big West Coaching Records

(Records consist of their tenure in the Big West only - sorted by conference wins)

Coach, School (Yrs.)	Conf. W-L	Overall W-L
Bob Williams, UCSB (16)	147-99	248-201
Dan Monson, LBSU (7)	64-34	104-91
Joe Callero, CP (5)	37-29	63-63
Russell Turner, UCI (4)	23-27	46-55
Jim Les, UCD (3)	12-22	19-43
Gib Arnold, UH (2)	10-8	17-15
Dedrique Taylor, CSF (1)	0-0	0-0
Reggie Theus, CSUN (1)	0-0	0-0
Dennis Cutts, UCR (1)	0-0	0-0