



SEPTEMBER 10, 2012

**2012 BIG SKY CONFERENCE FOOTBALL STANDINGS**

	BIG SKY GAMES					ALL GAMES					
	W	L	PCT.	PF	PA	W	L	PCT.	PF	PA	STREAK
Montana State	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	1.000	67	30	Won 2
North Dakota	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	1.000	111	37	Won 6
Cal Poly	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.000	41	14	Won 2
Eastern Washington	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	40	27	Lost 1
Idaho State	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	59	54	Won 1
Montana	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	62	61	Lost 1
Northern Arizona	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	23	77	Won 1
Portland State	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	75	65	Lost 1
Northern Colorado	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	40	44	Won 1
Sacramento State	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	49	77	Won 1
UC Davis	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	54	48	Lost 1
Southern Utah	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	.000	34	84	Lost 2
Weber State	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	.000	23	82	Lost 2

**LAST WEEK'S SKY SCORES**

**Saturday, Sept. 8**

@Washington State 24, #9 Eastern Washington 20  
 @Cal 50, Southern Utah 31  
 Sacramento State 30, @Colorado 28  
 @BYU 45, Weber State 13  
 @Northern Colorado 40, Colorado Mesa 3  
 @Idaho State 38, Black Hills State 5  
 @San Jose State 45, UC Davis 13  
 #4 Montana State 34 @Drake 24  
 @North Dakota 45, Portland State 37  
 @#11 Appalachian State 35, #12 Montana 27  
 Northern Arizona 17, @UNLV 14

**THIS WEEK'S SKY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 15 .....TIME**

Portland State (1-1) at Washington (1-1) ..... 1:05  
 TV: F/X  
 \$#23 Stephen F. Austin (1-1) at #3 Montana St. (2-0)1:35  
 TV: Max Media  
 \$Liberty (0-2) at #14 Montana (1-1) ..... 1:35  
 TV: Altitude  
 UC Davis (1-1) at South Dakota State (1-1) ..... 2:05  
 TV: MidCo Sports Network

**THIS WEEK'S SKY HIGHLIGHTS**

Eleven Big Sky teams are in action in Week 3. Sacramento State, Northern Arizona, Weber State and Southern Utah all celebrate home openers. Weber State welcomes No. 19 McNeese State of the Southland to Ogden. Southern Utah plays host to New Mexico Highlands, while Sacramento State, fresh off a Pac-12 win over Colorado, takes on Northern Colorado in a non-conference game....Northern Arizona, riding high after a win over FBS UNLV, opens at home against Division II Fort Lewis...No. 3 Montana State also has a home matchup against a Southland Conference squad in No. 23 Stephen F. Austin....No. 14 Montana plays host to Liberty of the Big South Conference...Portland State travels to Seattle to face the Washington Huskies of the Pac-12. The game will be televised nationally on F/X....North Dakota heads to San Diego State to face the Mountain West squad...Cal Poly returns from a week off to face Wyoming of the Mountain West...UC Davis heads to the Midwest to face former Great West rival South Dakota State...Eastern Washington have the week off.

\$Northern Colorado (1-1) at Sac State (1-1) (NC)..... 2:05  
 \$Fort Lewis (0-1) at Northern Arizona (1-1) ..... 4:05  
 TV: NAU-TV/Fox Sports Arizona  
 Cal Poly (1-0) at Wyoming (0-2) ..... 4:05  
 North Dakota (2-0) at San Diego State (1-1) ..... 5:05  
 \$#19 McNeese State (2-0) at Weber State (0-2) ..... 6:05  
 NM Highlands (2-0) at Southern Utah (0-2) ..... 6:05

\$Game available on the Internet at [www.bigskytv.org](http://www.bigskytv.org)  
 Times Local to Site/Subject to Change  
 (NC) Non-conference game between Conference Teams

# BIG SKY FOOTBALL - SEPTEMBER 10, 2012



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### BIG SKY WEEKLY RELEASE

The Big Sky Conference will produce a weekly football release every Monday during the 2012 season. Media can receive the releases as a PDF document via email by contacting Jon Kasper at 801.392.1978 ext. 16 or by email at jkasper@bigskyconference.org.

### INTERNET

The official website of the Big Sky Conference can be accessed by visiting [www.bigskyconf.com](http://www.bigskyconf.com). Weekly game notes, news releases, statistics and standings are updated on the website. Football statistics are updated on Sunday mornings following Saturday games on the website.

### PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Each week of the 2012 season the Big Sky selects an offensive, defensive and special teams player of the week. Nominations are made by each institution's SIDs.

### SOCIAL MEDIA



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## 2012 Big Sky Conference Football on ROOT SPORTS *The Big Sky's Official TV Partner*

### Sept. 22

Northern Arizona @ Montana 1:30

### Sept. 29

Montana State @ Southern Utah 1:30  
Montana @ Eastern Washington 5:00

### Oct. 6

Montana @ Northern Colorado 1:30  
Montana State @ Cal Davis 5:00

### Oct. 13

E. Washington @ Montana State 1:30

### Oct. 20

Montana @ North Dakota 1:30

### Oct. 27

Idaho State @ Montana 1:30

### Nov. 3

Montana @ Weber State 1:30  
Montana State @ Sac State 5:00

### Nov. 10

Portland State @ Montana State 1:30

### Nov. 17

Montana State @ Montana 1:30

Game times listed are MST

### Sattellite Channels

### DirecTV Dish

ROOT SPORTS NORTHWEST	687	426
ROOT SPORTS ROCKY MOUNTAIN	683	414

ROOT SPORTS is also available through most cable providers. Big Sky games will also be shown live on DirecTV's Audience Network, channel 101.

## WEDNESDAY COACHES' CONFERENCE CALL

Each Wednesday during the 2012 football season, the Big Sky Conference will hold a conference call with the 13 league coaches. All media is encouraged to take advantage of having a set time to speak with the coaches each week. The call will begin at 10 a.m. Mountain, 9 a.m. Pacific. Each coach will be available for eight minutes. To take part in the call, please contact Jon Kasper at 801.392.1978 x-16 or by e-mail at jkasper@bigskyconference.org. Kasper will provide you with the call-in number and password.

### Schedule

10:00 a.m. MTN (9:00 PCT) - Rob Ash, Montana State  
10:08 a.m. MTN (9:08 PCT) - Chris Mussman, North Dakota  
10:16 a.m. MTN (9:16 PCT) - Ed Lamb, Southern Utah  
10:24 a.m. MTN (9:24 PCT) - Jody Sears, Weber State  
10:32 a.m. MTN (9:32 PCT) - Mike Kramer, Idaho State  
10:40 a.m. MTN (9:40 PCT) - Mick Delaney, Montana  
10:48 a.m. MTN (9:48 PCT) - Earnest Collins Jr., No. Colorado  
10:56 a.m. MTN (9:56 PCT) - Jerome Souers, No. Arizona  
11:04 a.m. MTN (10:04 PCT) - Nigel Burton, Portland State  
11:12 a.m. MTN (10:12 PCT) - Marshall Sperbeck, Sac State  
11:20 a.m. MTN (10:20 PCT) - Beau Baldwin, E. Washington  
11:28 a.m. MTN (10:28 PCT) - Tim Walsh, Cal Poly  
11:36 a.m. MTN (10:36 PCT) - Bob Biggs, UC Davis



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## 2012 TV SCHEDULE

### ROOT SPORTS

<b>Sept. 22</b>	
*Northern Arizona at Montana.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Sept. 29</b>	
*Montana State at Southern Utah.....	1:35 p.m.
*Montana at Eastern Washington.....	4:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 6</b>	
*Montana at Northern Colorado.....	1:35 p.m.
*Montana State at UC Davis.....	4:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 13</b>	
*Eastern Washington at Montana State.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Oct. 20</b>	
*Montana at North Dakota.....	2:35 p.m.
<b>Oct. 27</b>	
*Idaho State at Montana.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Nov. 3</b>	
*Montana at Weber State.....	1:35 p.m.
*Montana State at Sacramento State.....	4:05 p.m.
<b>Nov. 10</b>	
*Portland State at Montana State.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Nov. 17</b>	
*Montana State at Montana.....	1:35 p.m.

### Max Media

<b>Aug. 30</b>	
Chadron State at Montana State.....	7:05 p.m.
<b>Sept. 1</b>	
South Dakota at Montana.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Sept. 15</b>	
Stephen F. Austin at Montana State.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Sept. 22</b>	
*Northern Colorado at Montana State.....	2:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 13</b>	
*Southern Utah at Montana.....	1:35 p.m.
<b>Oct. 27</b>	
*North Dakota at Montana State.....	2:05 p.m.

### NAU-TV/Fox Arizona Plus

<b>Sept. 15</b>	
Fort Lewis at Northern Arizona.....	4:05 p.m.
<b>Sept. 29</b>	
*Portland State at Northern Arizona.....	2:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 20</b>	
*UC Davis at Northern Arizona.....	4:05 p.m.
<b>Nov. 10</b>	
*Southern Utah at Northern Arizona.....	2:05 p.m.
<b>Nov. 17</b>	
*Cal Poly at Northern Arizona.....	4:05 p.m.

### KSBY (San Luis Obispo)

<b>Sept. 22</b>	
*UC Davis at Cal Poly.....	6:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 13</b>	
*Northern Colorado at Cal Poly.....	6:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 20</b>	
*Portland State at Cal Poly.....	6:05 p.m.
<b>Nov. 10</b>	
*Idaho State at Cal Poly.....	6:05 p.m.

### MidCo Sports Network

<b>Aug. 30</b>	
South Dakota Mines at North Dakota.....	7:05 p.m.
<b>Sept. 8</b>	
Portland State at North Dakota (NC).....	6:05 p.m.
<b>Sept. 15</b>	
UC Davis at South Dakota State.....	2:05
<b>Sept. 29</b>	
*Cal Poly at North Dakota.....	6:05 p.m.
<b>Oct. 13</b>	
*Northern Arizona at North Dakota.....	3:05 p.m.

### **Nov. 3**

*Southern Utah at North Dakota.....	1:05 p.m.
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### **SWX**

#### **Oct. 6**

*North Dakota at Eastern Washington.....	5:05 p.m.
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#### **Oct. 20**

*Sacramento State at Eastern Washington.....	4:05 p.m.
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#### **Nov. 3**

Cal Poly at Eastern Washington.....	1:35 p.m.
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#### **Nov. 10**

*UC Davis at Eastern Washington.....	1:35 p.m.
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### Pac-12 Network

#### **Aug. 30**

Northern Colorado at Utah.....	5:15 p.m.
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Northern Arizona at Arizona State.....	7:35 p.m.
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#### **Sept. 8**

Eastern Washington at Washington State.....	12:05 p.m.
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Southern Utah at Cal.....	12:05 p.m.
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Sacramento State at Colorado.....	1:05 p.m.
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### BYU TV

#### **Sept. 8**

Weber State at Brigham Young.....	1:05 p.m.
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### ESPN3

#### **Aug. 30**

Eastern Washington at Idaho.....	6:05 p.m.
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Sacramento State at New Mexico State.....	6:05 p.m.
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#### **Sept. 8**

Montana at Appalachian State.....	6:35 p.m.
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### F/X

#### **Sept. 15**

Portland State at Washington.....	1:05
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### Comcast California

#### **Nov. 17**

*Sacramento State at UC Davis.....	3:05 p.m.
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### Big Ten Network

#### **Sept. 22**

Idaho State at Nebraska.....	2:35 p.m.
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### Comcast Sports Net Northwest

#### **Sept. 1**

Carroll College at Portland State.....	5:05 p.m.
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#### **Sept. 22**

*Southern Utah at Portland State.....	5:05 p.m.
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#### **Oct. 6**

*Idaho State at Portland State.....	5:05 p.m.
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#### **Nov. 17**

*Eastern Washington at Portland State.....	1:05 p.m.
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### Altitude Sports & Entertainment

#### **Aug. 30**

Sacramento State at New Mexico State.....	6:05 p.m.
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#### **Sept. 8**

Colorado Mesa at Northern Colorado.....	1:35 p.m.
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#### **Sept. 15**

Liberty at Montana.....	1:35 p.m.
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### KMYU (Utah)

#### **Aug. 30**

Southern Utah at Utah State.....	6:05 p.m.
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GAME TIMES LOCAL TO SITE/SUBJECT TO CHANGE

# ROOT

## PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

### SEPT. 3

OFFENSE - ANDRE BROADOUS, QB, CAL POLY  
 DEFENSE - RONNIE HAMLIN, LB, EWU/JORDAN TRIPP, LB, UM  
 SP. TEAMS - JIMMY PAVEL, K, EWU

### SEPT. 10

OFFENSE - GARRETT SAFRON, QB, SAC ST/MARCUS HENDRICKSON, QB, UND  
 DEFENSE - JARRET BILBREY, DL, NAU  
 SP. TEAMS - ANDY WILDER, K/P, NAU/EDGAR CASTANEDA, K, SAC ST

### SEPT. 17

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### SEPT. 24

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### OCT. 1

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### OCT. 8

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### OCT. 15

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### OCT. 22

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### OCT. 29

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### NOV. 5

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### NOV. 12

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

### NOV. 19

OFFENSE  
 DEFENSE  
 SP. TEAMS

## ROOT SPORTS PLAYERS OF THE WEEK - SEPT. 10

### OFFENSE - Garrett Safron, QB, SAC & Marcus Hendrickson, QB, UND



Safron, a 6-foot-1, 195-pound sophomore from Santa Monica, Calif., completed 25-of-37 passes for 312 yards and two touchdowns as Sacramento State scored a 30-28 upset of Pac-12 Colorado. Safron, who has thrown for at least 300 yards in both games this season, drove the Hornets 85 yards in the final 2:26 of the game to put the Hornets in position to win. During the drive, he was 4-of-5 for 53 yards. This is Safron's first Player of the Week honor.



Hendrickson, a 6-1 senior from Perham, Minn., tied a school record with six touchdown passes in North Dakota's 45-37 non-conference win over Portland State. Hendrickson, making his first collegiate start, completed 16-of-25 passes for 294 yards and also tied for the team lead with 50 rushing yards.

Hendrickson's touchdown passes went for 66, 26, 49 and 34, 5, and 1 yards. He finished the game with an efficiency rating of 241.2 He leads the FCS with an efficiency rating of 258.31. This is his first Player of the Week

### DEFENSE - Jarret Bilbrey, DL, Northern Arizona



Bilbrey, a 6-5, 265-pound senior from San Diego, Calif., tied the team-high with 10 tackles in Northern Arizona's 17-14 upset of UNLV of the Mountain West Conference. Bilbrey led a Northern Arizona which kept the Rebels off the scoreboard for the final 43 minutes of the game. The victory was Northern Arizona's first over an FBS team in 25 years. This is Bilbrey's

first Player of the Week Honor.

### SPECIAL TEAMS - Andy Wilder, K/P, NAU & Edgar Castaneda, K, SAC



Wilder, a 6-3, 205-pound junior from Scottsdale, Ariz., kicked the game-winning 33-yard field goal in Northern Arizona's 17-14 win over UNLV. Wilder's kick came with 12 seconds remaining. Wilder also handled punting duties, averaging 49 yards per punt on seven kicks. He had a long of 66, and pinned the Rebels' inside their own 20-yard line four times. This is Wilder's first Player of the Week Honor.



Castaneda, a 5-9, 175-pound junior from Alameda, Calif., made three field goals, including the game-winner from 30 yards out in Sacramento State's 30-28 upset of Colorado. Castaneda, a walk-on who was awarded a scholarship after the game, also made field goals of 28 and 31 yards. He also converted all three of his extra points. Castaneda's game-winner came on the game's final play. Sacramento State made three field goals the entire 2011 season. This is Castaneda's first Player of the Week

Honor.

### OTHERS NOMINATED FOR WEEKLY HONORS

**OFFENSE** - Brandon Kaufman, WR, Eastern Washington; Derek Graves, WR, Idaho State; Dan Moore, RB, Montana; Tanner Bleskin, WR, Montana State; Zach Bauman, RB, Northern Arizona; Tremain Dennis, RB, Northern Colorado; Justin Monahan, Sr., Portland State; Brad Sorensen, QB, Southern Utah; C.J. Tuckett, RB, Weber State

**DEFENSE** - T.J. Lee III, CB, Eastern Washington; Mitch Beckstead, LB, Idaho State; John Kanongata'a, LB, Montana; Na'a Moeakiola, LB, Montana State; Garrison Goodman, LB, North Dakota; Clarence Bumpas, LB, Northern Colorado; Ian Sluss, LB, Portland State; Robert Beale, S, Sacramento State; James Cowser, DE, Southern Utah; Jordan Glass, LB, UC Davis; Tony Epperson, S, Weber State

**SPECIAL TEAMS** - Jake Miller, P, Eastern Washington; Brendon Garcia, K, Idaho State; Deonte Flowers, CB, Montana State; Casey Young, QB, North Dakota; Dominic Gunn, Ret., Northern Colorado; Nick Fernandez, K, Portland State; Brock Miller, P, Southern Utah; Colton Schmidt, P, UC Davis; Tony Epperson, P, Weber State



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## THE SPORTS NETWORK

### TOP 25 (SEPT. 10, 2012)

RK	SCHOOL	REC.	PTS
1.	NO. DAKOTA ST. (94)	2-0	3,936
2.	SAM HOUSTON ST. (61)	1-0	3,897
3.	<b>MONTANA STATE (1)</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>3,485</b>
4.	JAMES MADISON (1)	2-0	3,398
5.	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (4)	2-0	3,367
6.	OLD DOMINION	2-0	3,037
7.	NORTHERN IOWA	1-1	2,884
8.	APPALACHIAN ST.	1-1	2,796
9.	WOFFORD	2-0	2,554
10.	<b>E. WASHINGTON</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>2,431</b>
11.	G. SOUTHERN	1-1	2,201
12.	TOWSON	0-1	1,987
13.	DELAWARE	2-0	1,900
14.	<b>MONTANA</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>1,756</b>
15.	ILLINOIS STATE	2-0	1,692
16.	LEHIGH	2-0	1,639
17.	STONY BROOK	2-0	1,460
18.	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1-1	1,422
19.	MCNEESE STATE	2-0	962
20.	E. KENTUCKY	1-1	704
21.	THE CITADEL	2-0	649
22.	INDIANA STATE	1-1	571
23.	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN	1-1	564
24.	JACKSONVILLE STATE	1-1	509
25.	MAINE	0-1	472

## FCS COACHES POLL

(SEPT. 10)

RK	SCHOOL	REC.	PTS
1.	NORTH DAKOTA ST. (24)	2-0	648
2.	SAM HOUSTON ST. (2)	1-0	625
3.	<b>MONTANA STATE</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>574</b>
4.	OLD DOMINION	2-0	552
5.	JAMES MADISON	2-0	524
6.	NORTHERN IOA	1-1	503
7.	APPALACHIAN STATE	2-0	498
8.	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	2-0	489
9.	WOFFORD	2-0	396
10.	GEORGIA SOUTHERN	1-1	396
11.	<b>EASTERN WASHINGTON</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>362</b>
12.	<b>MONTANA</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>334</b>
13.	LEHIGH	2-0	328
14.	DELAWARE	2-0	319
15.	TOWSON	0-1	259
16.	STONY BROOK	2-0	250
17.	ILLINOIS STATE	2-0	243
18.	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1-1	227
19.	MCNEESE STATE	2-0	157
20.	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	1-1	138
21.	MAINE	0-1	108
22.	NORFOLK STATE	2-0	94
23.	THE CITADEL	2-0	73
24.	HARVARD	0-0	66
25.	E. KENTUCKY	1-1	63

## BIG SKY TEAMS IN THE SPORTS NETWORK TOP 25

Team	Pre.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Final
EWU	12	9	10											
UM	11	12	14											
MSU	4	4	3											

## BIG SKY TEAMS IN THE COACHES' POLL

Team	Pre.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Final
EWU	15	11	11											
UM	10	9	12											
MSU	4	4	3											

## SKY IN THE SAGARIN RATINGS

Here is a look at where the Big Sky teams rank in this week's Jeff Sagarin Ratings. On the left is their overall rank. On the right is their rank amongst FCS Teams: (Sept. 9)

Conference	Team
13. Missouri Valley.....	1
14. Southern.....	2
15. Big Sky.....	3
16. Colonial.....	4
17. Southland.....	5
18. Ivy.....	6
19. Ohio Valley.....	7
20. Patriot.....	8
21. Big South.....	9
22. MEAC.....	10
23. Northeast.....	11
24. Pioneer.....	12
25. SWAC.....	13
87. Eastern Washington.....	5
113. Cal Poly.....	12
114. Northern Arizona.....	13
116. Montana.....	15
119. Montana State.....	18
142. Weber State.....	34
146. North Dakota.....	37
149. Southern Utah.....	38
156. Sacramento State.....	43
158. UC Davis.....	44
160. Portland State.....	46
189. Idaho State.....	66
189. Northern Colorado.....	80

## BIG SKY COACHING RECORDS

Name, School	Years	Big Sky Games			Overall Games*		
		W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Chris Mussman, North Dakota <sup>8</sup>	1	0	0	.000	2	0	1.000
Rob Ash, Montana State <sup>1</sup>	6	28	12	.799	41	20	.672
Beau Baldwin, Eastern Washington <sup>4</sup>	5	23	9	.719	34	17	.667
Tim Walsh, Cal Poly <sup>2</sup>	11	42	41	.506	66	57	.537
Bob Biggs, UC Davis <sup>7</sup>	1	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Mick Delaney, Montana <sup>10</sup>	1	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Mike Kramer, Idaho State <sup>5</sup>	15	54	50	.519	80	85	.485
Jerome Souers, Northern Arizona	15	49	57	.462	77	83	.481
Marshall Sperbeck, Sacramento State <sup>3</sup>	6	18	22	.450	25	33	.431
Nigel Burton, Portland State	3	6	10	.375	10	14	.417
Earnest Collins, Northern Colorado <sup>6</sup>	2	0	8	.000	1	12	.077
Ed Lamb, Southern Utah <sup>9</sup>	1	0	0	.000	0	2	.000
Jody Sears Weber State	1	0	0	.000	0	2	.000

\*Overall Games as a member of the Big Sky

<sup>1</sup> Ash compiled a 176-99-5 record in 27 seasons as a head coach (18 at Drake, 9 at Juniata).

<sup>2</sup> Walsh coached 11 seasons at Portland State in the Big Sky. He has an overall coaching record of 134-98, including a 17-16 record at Cal Poly.

<sup>3</sup> Sperbeck was 109-53 in 15 seasons at Foothill College.

<sup>4</sup> Baldwin went 10-3 in 1 season at Central Washington.

<sup>5</sup> Kramer has previous coached in the Big Sky at EWU and MSU. This is his second coached season at ISU.

<sup>6</sup> Collins went 8-12 in two seasons at Alcorn State.

<sup>7</sup> Biggs went 140-78-1 his first 19 years at UCD.

<sup>8</sup> Mussman went 23-20 his first four years at UND.

<sup>9</sup> Lamb went 21-23 his first four seasons at SUU.

<sup>10</sup> - Delaney went 7-9-1 in two seasons at UM-Western.

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## AROUND THE BIG SKY

**SIN CITY SHOCKER:** It had been 25 years since Northern Arizona beat an FBS team, and after falling behind 14-0 at the half to UNLV on Saturday night, it appeared that streak would continue. But Northern Arizona scored 17 unanswered points to stun UNLV of the Mountain West Conference on Saturday night, snapping a 21-game losing streak to FBS teams. Northern Arizona hadn't beaten an FBS opponent since topping Tulsa 24-20 in 1987. Junior Andy Wilder made a 33-yard field goal with 12 seconds to play to put the Lumberjacks ahead 17-14. The field goal was set up by a five-play, 70-yard drive that included a 25-yard Zach Bauman run, a 15-yard UNLV penalty, and a 30-yard completion from Chance Cartwright to Ify Umodu. Cartwright made his first collegiate start in place of an injured Cary Grossart. Cartwright completed 17-of-40 passes for 197 yards with no interceptions. Nick Cole recorded his first 100-yard receiving game with 101 yards on five catches. Jarret Bilbrey and Austin Hasquet each had 10 tackles for NAU, which kept the Rebels off the scoreboard for the final 43 minutes and 47 seconds. Austin Shanks sparked the rally with a 75-yard punt return for a touchdown early in the second half. Bauman finished with 103 rushing yards, including an 8-yard touchdown.

**STUNG IN BOULDER:** Sacramento State lost its first 10 games as a Division I team against FBS opponents, but can now claim two victories over the big boys in its last three tries. For the second straight season, the Hornets stunned a Pac-12 team, this time beating Colorado 30-28 in Boulder. Walk-on kicker Edgar Castaneda made three field goals, including the game-winner from 30-yards out as time expired. Sacramento State made three field goals during the entire 2011 season. Castaneda was awarded with a scholarship by coach Marshall Sperbeck following his performance. Hornet QB Garrett Safron completed 25-of-37 passes for 312 yards with two touchdowns. He drove the Hornets 85 yards in the final 2:26 to set up the game-winner, completing 4-of-5 passes for 53 yards on the pivotal drive. Sacramento State upset Oregon State in Corvallis 29-28. Sacramento State has four wins over FBS programs in its history. Twice, when Sacramento State was a Division II school, the Hornets beat Pacific of the Big West. Pacific no longer

has football, and the Big West no longer sponsors football.

**MAKE IT THREE:** Through two weeks of the regular season, the Big Sky has three victories over FBS teams. Eastern Washington beat Idaho on the opening night of the season. Sacramento State and Northern Arizona picked up victories last Saturday. This marks the first time since 2006, two Big Sky teams have beaten FBS teams on the same day. Montana State beat Colorado, while Portland State beat New Mexico on Sept. 2, 2006. On Sept. 9, 2000, Portland State beat Hawai'i, and Montana beat Idaho. There have been eight victories by FCS teams over FBS teams so far this year. The Big Sky and Missouri Valley each have won three. North Dakota State, Illinois State and Youngstown State have earned FBS wins from the Missouri Valley. McNeese State from the Southland has one victory, and Tennessee-Martin from the Ohio Valley has the other. The Big Sky has wins over teams from the Pac-12, Mountain West and WAC. The Mountain West won just one game against FBS teams last week. Conference USA has three victories over FBS teams in the first two weeks of the season. The Big Sky is 3-10 against FBS teams this season with four matchups remaining.

**KRAMER AT 80:** Idaho State coach Mike Kramer earned his 80th head coaching victory as the Bengals beat Black Hills State 38-5 last Saturday, snapping a nine-game losing streak. Kramer's 80 victories ties him for third all-time in Big Sky history with former Montana coach Bobby Hauck. Kramer is in his 15th season coaching in the Big Sky, and his second at ISU. Chris Ault of Nevada is the Big Sky's all-time leader with 111 victories. Former Montana coach Don Read is second with 85.

**SAGARIN RATINGS:** Five Big Sky teams are ranked among the top 18 FCS teams in this week's Jeff Sagarin Ratings. Eastern Washington is rated 87th overall and fifth among FCS teams. Cal Poly is 12th, followed by NAU at 13, Montana at 15 and Montana State at 18. Weber State (34), North Dakota (37) and Southern Utah (38) give the Big Sky eight in the top 40. The Big Sky is ranked third amongst FCS conferences, behind the Missouri Valley and Southern.



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**FIRST FOR COLLINS:** Northern Colorado's Earnest Collins Jr. earned his first victory as the head coach at his alma mater as the Bears beat Division II Colorado Mesa 40-3 last Saturday. Collins, in his second season, had lost his first 12 games at Northern Colorado. Junior Tromaine Dennis came off the bench and scored three rushing touchdowns, gaining 88 yards on 20 carries. Clarence Bumpas finished with eight tackles, a sack, and his first career interception. Dominic Gunn had 193 all-purpose yards, including 133 on five punt returns. Colorado Mesa managed just 192 total yards of offense.

**UND GETS OFFENSIVE** North Dakota obviously understands the Big Sky's history of high-scoring, pass-happy offenses. Through two weeks, North Dakota is averaging 55.5 points per game. North Dakota, a 45-37 winner over Portland State in a non-conference game last week, ranks third in the nation in scoring offense. UND ranks fifth in the nation in total offense at 527 yards per game. Senior quarterback Marcus Hendrickson tied a school record with six passing touchdowns against Portland State. Three of his TD passes went to Greg Hardin, who caught six passes for 190 yards. Hardin leads the nation in receiving yards per game at 146.5. Hendrickson leads the nation in passing efficiency at 258.31. He's completing 67.7 percent of his passes with eight touchdowns and no interceptions. Through two games, UND has 10 passing touchdowns, matching their total from the 2011 season. Hendrickson was honored as the National Performer of the Week by College Football Performance Awards, and was the Sports Network Co-Offensive Player of the Week. Hardin was named the WR of the Week by the CFPA.

**SWEET FIFTEEN:** Idaho State wide receiver Derek Graves caught 15 passes for 140 yards and a touchdowns in a 38-5 win over Black Hills State. Graves also caught 15 in the opener against Air Force. Graves is the first player in Big Sky history to catch at least 15 passes in back-to-back games. Graves also had a 15-catch game against Northern Colorado in 2011. In the history of the Big Sky, there have only been 19 occasions of a receiver catching 15 passes in a game. Graves is the first player to appear on the list three times. Idaho's Jerry Hendren caught 17 passes in a 1969 game, and had a 15-catch game in 1968. Hendren is the only other player to appear on the list twice. Graves lead the FCS in catches per game. Teammate Cameron Richmond is second with an average of 10 per game. ISU rolled up 41 first downs in the win over Black Hills State. QB Kevin Yost completed 41-of-58 passes for 424 yards and two touchdowns.

**IN THE POLLS:** Montana State moved up to No. 3 in the Sports Network and Coaches' Polls this week. The Bobcats received one first-place vote and 3,485 total points. North Dakota State is first in both polls, followed by Sam Houston State. Eastern Washington is now 10th in the Sports Network Poll, a drop of one spot. The Eagles remained 11th in the Coaches' Poll. Montana dropped from ninth to 12th in the Coaches' Poll, and from 12th to 14th in the Sports Network Poll. Several Big Sky teams are on the cusp of the top 25. Northern Arizona received 158 points, putting them 30th in the Sports Network Poll. Sacramento State was next with 149 points, followed by North Dakota at 123. Cal Poly received 52 points. Southern Utah received 17 points. In the Coaches' Poll, North Dakota and Sacramento State both received 18 points. NAU earned 10, and Cal Poly received one.

**Extra Points:** A total of 276,207 fans watched Big Sky teams last week...EWU WR Brandon Kaufman caught five passes for 142 yards with a 93-yard touchdown in a loss to Washington State. Kaufman has 10 career 100-yard games, including two this season...EWU QB Kyle Padron threw for 379 yards in the loss...EWU punter Jake Miller had a school-record 74-yard punt in the loss to Washington State...Idaho State's game against Nebraska has been set for 2:30 p.m. Central and will air on the Big Ten Network. Weber State punter/safety Tony Epperson had punts of 74 and 70 yards, and averaged 50.7 yards per punt on 10 punts in a loss to Weber State. He also had a team-high 10 tackles with an interception and a fumble recovery...UM senior RB Dan Moore had 238 all-purpose yards in a loss to Appalachian State. Moore caught three passes for 145 yards, including an 87-yard touchdown. He was named the National All-Purpose performer by College Football Performance Awards...UM freshman QB Trent McKinney threw for 307 yards and three touchdowns in the loss...All-American Jody Owens had 12 tackles in Montana State's win over Drake...SUU All-American QB Brad Sorensen threw for 292 yards and four touchdowns in a loss to Cal. Sorensen completed a 37-yard Hail Mary to Cameron Morgan at the end of the first half. It was the top college play of the day on ESPNsportscenter.

## Preseason ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

### OFFENSE

Pos.	Player
QB	Brad Sorensen, SUU
RB	Zach Bauman, NAU
RB	Cody Kirk, MSU
FB	Tevia Tolutau, WSU
OL	Zach Brackus, SUU
OL	Tytan Timoteo, WSU
C	Ray Wilburn, UCD
OL	Danny Kistler, UM
OL	Will Post, EWU
TE	Greg Hardy, MSU
WR	Nicholas Edwards, EWU
WR	Rodrick Rumble, ISU
WR	Greg Hardin, UND
WR	Brandon Kaufman, EWU
K	Zach Brown, PSU
Ret.	Dominic Gunn, NC

### DEFENSE

Pos.	Player
DE	Brad Daly, MSU
DE	Bobby Erskine, UCD
DT	Zach Minter, MSU
DT	Cody Larsen, SUU
LB	Jody Owens, MSU
LB	Ian Sluss, PSU
LB	Kennith Jackson, CP
LB	Clarence Bumpas, NC
LB	Todd Davis, SAC
CB	T.J. Lee III, EWU
CB	Darius Jones, MSU
S	Kevyn Lewis, UCD
S	Joel Fuller, MSU
P	Colton Schmidt, UCD
ST	Nevin Lewis, PSU

## PRESEASON POLLS

### Media Poll

1. Montana State (30) .....	502
2. Eastern Washington (3).....	453
3. Montana (5).....	442
4. Portland State .....	334
5. Cal Poly (1).....	323
6. North Dakota .....	295
7. Weber State (1) .....	284
8. Southern Utah .....	258
9. Northern Arizona.....	242
10. Sacramento State.....	191
11. UC Davis .....	135
12. Idaho State.....	115
13. Northern Colorado .....	63

### Coaches' Poll

1. Montana State (7) .....	136
2. Eastern Washington (4).....	131
3. Montana (1).....	126
4. Portland State .....	90
5. Cal Poly .....	86
6. Weber State .....	81
7. Northern Arizona .....	75
8. Southern Utah (1).....	74
9. Sacramento State.....	71
10. North Dakota .....	68
11. Idaho State .....	31
12. UC Davis .....	30
13. Northern Colorado .....	14

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## CAREER SINGLE-GAME SUPERLATIVES

### 300-YARD PASSING GAMES

NAME, SCHOOL	No.	High
KYLE PADRON, EWU	8	460
BRAD SORENSEN, SUU	8	434
KEVIN YOST, ISU	5	508
DeNARIUS MCGHEE, MSU	5	402
GARY GROSSART, NAU	3	355
SETH LOBATO, NC	2	430
GARRETT SAFRON, SAC	2	312
MIKE HOKE, WSU	1	314
TRENT MCKINNEY, UM	1	307
KIERAN McDONAGH, PSU	1	301

### 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

NAME, SCHOOL	No.	High
ZACH BAUMAN, NAU	14	246
CODY KIRK, MSU	6	202
DEONTE WILLIAMS, CP	6	194
JAKE MILLER, UND	5	181
ORENZO DAVIS, MSU	5	160
MITCH SUTTON, UND	3	190
PETER NGUYEN, UM	3	149
C.J. TUCKETT, WSU	2	246
TRAY ROBINSON, MSU	2	154
DAN MOORE, UM	2	148
JOSH BOOKER, WSU	2	121
JORDAN TALLEY, EWU	2	114
MARIO BROWN, EWU	2	104
JORDAN CANDADA, UM	1	159
D.J. ADAMS, PSU	1	144
ANDRE BROADOUS, CP	1	113
GARRETT SAFRON, SAC	1	100

### 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

NAME, SCHOOL	No.	High
BRANDON KAUFMAN, EWU	10	148
RODRICK RUMBLE, ISU	7	210
NICHOLAS EDWARDS, EWU	7	192
GREG HARDIN, UND	5	190
JACE DAVIS, NC	3	207
GREG HERD, EWU	3	196
JUSTIN MONAHAN, PSU	3	156
DEREK GRAVES, ISU	3	140
SHAYDON KEHANO, WSU	2	157
EVERETT GILBERT, MSU	2	124
SAM GRATTON, UM	2	124
MORRIS NORRIS, SAC	2	122
TANNER BLESKIN, MSU	1	158
LUKE AUSTIN, ISU	1	146
DAN MOORE, UM	1	145
NEVIN LEWIS, PSU	1	143
ANTHONY BOYLES, ISU	1	141
CAM RICHMOND, ISU	1	133
CORY MITCHELL, EWU	1	132
ZACH BAUMAN, NAU	1	126
XAVIAN JOHNSON, WSU	1	118
DOMINIC GUNN, NC	1	103
CHRIS MORRIS, NC	1	102
NICK COLE, NAU	1	101

## SINGLE-GAME SUPERLATIVES

### 300-yard Passing Games

	No.	High
Kevin Yost, Idaho State	2	424 - Air Force
Garrett Safron, Sacramento State	2	312 - Colorado
Kyle Padron, Eastern Washington	1	379 - Wash. St.
Trent McKinney, Montana	1	307 - App State
Kieran McDonagh, Portland State	1	301 - North Dakota

### 100-yard rushing Games

	No.	High
Jake Miller, North Dakota	1	178 - SD Mines
Dan Moore, Montana	1	148 - South Dakota
D.J. Adams, Portland State	1	144 - North Dakota
Andre Broadous, Cal Poly	1	113 - San Diego
Deonte Williams, Cal Poly	1	103 - San Diego
Zach Bauman, Northern Arizona	1	103 - UNLV
Peter Nguyen, Montana	1	102 - South Dakota

### 100-yard Receiving Games

	No.	High
Brandon Kaufman, E. Washington	2	148 - Idaho
Derek Graves, Idaho State	2	140 - Black Hills
Greg Hardin, North Dakota	1	190 - Portland State
Justin Monahan, Portland State	1	156 - North Dakota
Dan Moore, Montana	1	145 - App State
Cam Richmond, Idaho State	1	133 - Black Hills
Sam Gratton, Montana	1	104 - App State
Morris Norrise, Sacramento State	1	104 - Colorado
Greg Hardin, North Dakota	1	103 - SD Mines
Nick Cole, Northern Arizona	1	101 - UNLV

### Multiple Touchdown Games-Rushing

	No.	High
Tromaine Dennis, Northern Colorado	1	3 - Colorado Mesa
Dalton Turay, UC Davis	1	2 - Azusa Pacific
Mitch Sutton, North Dakota	1	2 - SD Mines
D.J. Adams, Portland State	1	2 - Carroll College
Andre Broadous, Cal Poly	1	2 - San Diego
Xavier Finney, Idaho State	1	2 - Black Hills State

### Multiple Touchdown Games-Receiving

	No.	High
Greg Hardin, North Dakota	1	3 - Portland State
Justin Monahan, Portland State	1	2 - North Dakota
John Ellis, Montana State	1	2 - Chadron St.
Josh Hill, Idaho State	1	2 - Air Force
Brandon Kaufman, Eastern Washington	1	2 - Washington St.

### Multiple Touchdown Games-Passing

	No.	High
Kieran McDonagh, Portland State	2	3 - North Dakota
Trent McKinney, Montana	2	3 - App State
Garrett Safron, Sacramento State	2	2 - NM State/Colorado
Kevin Yost, Idaho State	2	2 - Air Force/Black Hills
Marcus Hendrickson, North Dakota	1	6 - Portland State
Brad Sorensen, Southern Utah	1	4 - Cal
DeNarius McGhee, Montana State	1	4 - Chadron St.
Braden Hanson, North Dakota	1	2 - SD Mines
M. Hendrickson, North Dakota	1	2 - SD Mines
Andre Broadous, Cal Poly	1	2 - San Diego
Kyle Padron, Eastern Washington	1	2 - Washington State



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## BIG SKY INDIVIDUALS AMONG NCAA FCS RANKINGS

The Conference leaders and their NCAA Ranking

Category	Name	School	Statistics	NCAA Rank
Rushing	Dan Moore	Montana	178.0 ypg	9th
<b>Passing eff.</b>	<b>Marcus Hendrickson</b>	<b>North Dakota</b>	<b>258.3</b>	<b>1st</b>
Total Offense	Kevin Yost	Idaho State	395.0 ypg	2nd
<b>Rec./Game</b>	<b>Derek Graves</b>	<b>Idaho State</b>	<b>15.0 rpg</b>	<b>1st</b>
<b>Rec.Yds/Game</b>	<b>Greg Hardin</b>	<b>North Dakota</b>	<b>146.5 ypg</b>	<b>1st</b>
Punting	Colton Schmidt	UC Davis	45.3 ypp	2nd
Punt Returns	Dominic Gunn	Northern Colorado	22.2 ypr	3rd
Kickoff Returns	Jonathan Perkins	UC Davis	25.2 ypr	27th
<b>Field Goals</b>	<b>Edgar Castaneda</b>	<b>Sac State</b>	<b>2.5 pg</b>	<b>11st</b>
Scoring	Andre Broadous	Cal Poly	12.0 ppg	T6th
	Greg Hardin	North Dakota	12.0 ppg	
All Purpose Yds.	Dan Moore	Montana	195.0 ypg	2nd
Tackles	Namar Flentroy	Southern Utah	10.5 tpg	T24th
Sacks	Julious Moore	Portland State	1.0 pg	T11th
Tackles-for-loss	Ian Sluss	Portland State	1.75 pg	T31st

## BIG SKY TEAMS LEADERS AMONG NCAA FCS RANKINGS

The Conference Leaders and Their NCAA Ranking

Category	School	Statistics	NCAA Rank
Rushing Offense	Cal Poly	323.0 ypg	6th
<b>Passing Offense</b>	<b>Idaho State</b>	<b>431.5 ypg</b>	<b>1st</b>
Total Offense	Idaho State	528.5 ypg	4th
Scoring Offense	North Dakota	55.5 ppg	3rd
Rush Defense	Montana State	79.5 ypg	13th
Pass Defense	Idaho State	127.0 ypg	17th
Total Defense	Cal Poly	240.0 ypg	15th
Scoring Defense	Eastern Washington	13.5 ppg	T18th
Punting	Idaho State	45.6 ypp	2nd
<b>Punt returns</b>	<b>Northern Arizona</b>	<b>46.5 ypr</b>	<b>1st</b>
Kick Returns	UC Davis	26.8 ypr	17th
Turnover Margin	Cal Poly	3.00	2nd
Sacks	Sacramento State	3.5 pg	T8th

## NATIONAL HONORS

Below is a list of Big Sky Conference Players who have been honored as Players of the Week by National Organizations:

### Sept. 3

Brandon Kaufman, WR, EWU: National WR of Week, CFPA.

Jimmy Pavel, K, EWU: National All-Star, CSN.

### Sept. 10

Marcus Hendrickson, QB, UND: Co-Offensive POTW, The Sports Network, National Performer of the Week, CFPA.

Dan Moore, RB, UM: National All-Purpose Performer, CFPA.

Austin Shanks, Ret., NAU: National Punt returner of the Week, CFPA.

Andy Wilder, NAU: National punter of the Week, CFPA.

Greg Hardin, UND: National WR of the Week, CFPA.

## Big Sky vs. Conferences

FBS Independent	0-1
Missouri Valley	1-0
Mountain West	1-2
Pioneer	2-0
PAC-12	1-4
Southern	0-1
WAC	1-3
Non-Division I	6-0
<b>FCS Total</b>	<b>3-1</b>
<b>FBS Total</b>	<b>3-10</b>
<b>Overall Total</b>	<b>12-11</b>

## 2012 BIG SKY ATTENDANCE

Team	All Games			Home Games			Home High-Opp.
	G	Total	Avg.	G	Total	Avg.	
Cal Poly	1	6,022	6,022	1	6,022	6,022	6,022 - San Diego
Eastern Washington	2	44,734	22,367	0	0	0	0
Idaho State	2	41,510	20,755	1	6,228	6,228	6,228 - Black Hills St.
Montana	2	55,982	27,991	1	25,126	25,126	25,126 - S. Dakota
Montana State	2	24,325	12,163	1	20,767	20,767	20,767 - Chadron St.
North Dakota	2	18,057	9,029	2	18,057	9,029	9,210 - Portland state
Northern Arizona	2	63,915	31,958	0	0	0	0
Northern Colorado	2	50,409	25,205	1	0	0	0
Portland State	2	16,055	8,028	1	6,845	6,845	6,845 - Carroll College
Sacramento State	2	58,961	29,481	0	0	0	0
Southern Utah	2	74,754	37,377	0	0	0	0
UC Davis	2	13,365	6,683	1	5,903	5,903	5,903 - Azusa Pacific
Weber State	2	87,977	43,989	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>556,066</b>	<b>22,243</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>94,084</b>	<b>10,454</b>	

## GAME PREVIEWS



### PORTLAND STATE AT WASHINGTON

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 1:05 p.m.*  
*Seattle, Wash.*  
*Century Link Field*  
*(67,000 FieldTurf)*  
*TV: FX*

**Series History:** First Meeting.

**The Coaches:** Portland State's Nigel Burton is 10-14 in his third season...Washington's Steve Sarkisian is 20-20 in his fourth season.

**Notes:** This is Portland State's first and only game against an FBS team this season...PSU is 2-28 all-time against FBS teams. The Vikings have lost eight in a row to FBS teams since beating New Mexico in 2006...Washington is coming off a 41-3 loss at top-five LSU. The Huskies opened with a 21-12 win over San Diego State... Washington is playing its home games at Century Link Field, the home of the Seattle Seahawks as its home stadium Husky Stadium undergoes a renovation...PSU true freshman QB Kieran McDonagh threw for a career-high 301 yards and three touchdowns in last week's loss to ND. RB DJ Adams rushed for 144 yards. Viking WR Justin Monahan caught six passes for a career-high 156 yards and two touchdowns in the loss. Monahan had a total of 226 all-purpose yards...The game will be televised nationally on F/X...Washington edged EWU of the Big Sky 30-27 to open the 2011 season... Through two games UW QB Keith Price is completing 59.2 percent of his passes for 379 yards with one touchdown and one interception.



### #23 STEPHEN F. AUSTIN AT #3 MONTANA STATE

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 1:35 p.m.*  
*Bozeman, Mont.*  
*Bobcat Stadium*  
*(20,767, FieldTurf)*  
*TV: Max Media Montana*  
*Internet: Big Sky TV*

**Series History:** Montana leads 3-1.

**Last Meeting:** Montana State beat Stephen F. Austin 42-6 in 2005 as Travis Lulay threw four touchdown passes and rushed for 106 yards.

**The Coaches:** Montana State's Rob Ash is 41-20 in his sixth season. He has an overall coaching record of 217-119-5 in his 33rd year...Stephen F. Austin's J.C. Harper is 30-31 in his sixth season.

**Notes:** The teams first played in 1992 in Bozeman, a 13-10 Bobcat win. MSU won 21-18 at Stephen F. Austin in 1994, and fell at SFA in 2002 30-13...SFA opened its season with a 49-14 win over Southwestern Oklahoma, and lost 52-0 to SMU last week last week...SFA's last visit to the Treasure State ended with a 51-0 loss to Montana in the 2009 playoffs...In the loss to UM, SFA had 10 turnovers. SFA had 10 turnovers against SMU...MSU is coming off a 34-14 win over Drake...MSU QB DeNarius McGhee has five TD passes and three interceptions through two games...Since the start of the 2010 season, Montana State is 13-2 at home, 12-1 in the regular season...MSU has not lost a regular-season non-conference game at home under Rob Ash...MSU is averaging 191 rushing yards per game this season.



### LIBERTY AT #14 MONTANA

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 1:35 p.m.*  
*Missoula, Montana*  
*Washington-Grizzly Stadium*  
*(25,137, Spriturf))*  
*TV: Altitude*  
*Internet: Big Sky TV*

**Series History:** First Meeting

**The Coaches:** Montana's Mick Delaney is 1-1 in his first season...Liberty's Turner Gill is 0-2 in his first season He went 20-30 in four seasons at Buffalo, and 5-19 in two seasons at Kansas.

**Notes:** Montana is coming off a 35-27 loss at Appalachian State...UM RS freshman QB Trent McKinney recorded his first 300-yard passing game with 307 yards and 3 TDs against App State...UM is 172-21 all-time at Washington-Grizzly Stadium. UM hasn't lost a non-conference regular-season home game since 2003...Liberty, located in Lynchburg, Va., competed in the Big South Conference...Liberty was the Co-Big South champions in 2009 and 2010. The program started in 1973 as an NAIA team...Liberty opened with a 20-17 loss at Wake Forest, and 31-24 loss to Norfolk State last week...UM is averaging 525 yards of offense per game, including 245.5 on the ground...UM RB Dan Moore ranks 2nd in the nation with an average of 195.0 all-purpose yards per game...UM ranks last in the Big Sky with a turnover margin of -5...Liberty averages 345.5 yards per offense per game, and allows 318.0...The 2001 UM National Championship team will be inducted into the Grizzly Hall of Fame this weekend.



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## GAME PREVIEWS



### UC DAVIS AT SOUTH DAKOTA STATE

**Saturday, Sept. 15, 2:05 p.m.**  
**Brookings, S.D.**  
**Coughlin-Alumni Stadium**  
**(15,000 Natural Grass)**  
**TV: MidCo Sports Network**

**Series History:** South Dakota State leads 4-2.

**Last Meeting:** South Dakota State won 28-21 in 2007.

**The Coaches:** Bob Biggs of UC Davis is 141-79-1 in his 20th season...South Dakota State's John Stiegelmeier is 93-73-0 in his 16th season.

**Notes:** The two teams played in the Great West Conference together from 2004-07 before SDSU left for the Missouri Valley...UC Davis (1-1) is coming off a 45-13 loss at San Jose State. The Aggies led 7-0 at the end of the first quarter...South Dakota State (1-1) is coming off a 31-14 win over Southeast Louisiana...SDSU sophomore RB Zach Zenner rushed 34 times for 278 yards and a touchdown in last week's win. He has 461 rushing yards and two TDs in two games...The Jackrabbits opened with a 31-17 at Kansas...UC Davis leads the Big Sky with an average of 26.8 yards per kick return...UCD punter Colton Schmidt ranks second in the nation with an average of 45.6 yards per punt...UC Davis went 1-5 on the road in 2011...This is SDSU's home opener...SDSU went 2-3 at home in 2011.



### NORTHERN COLORADO AT SACRAMENTO STATE

**Saturday, Sept. 15, 2:05 p.m.**  
**Sacramento, Calif.**  
**Hornet Stadium**  
**(21,195 Fieldturf)**  
**Internet: Big Sky TV**

**Series History:** Sac State leads 6-0.

**Last Meeting:** Sacramento State beat Northern Colorado 14-0 in 2011 in Greeley. The Hornets became the first team in FCS history to not attempt a pass in the game...Northern Colorado had just 72 yards of offense. The game was played in snow and wind.

**The Coaches:** Northern Colorado's Earnest Collins Jr. is 1-12 in his second season. He is 9-24 in his fourth season as a head coach...Sacramento State's Marshall Sperbeck is 25-33 in his sixth season.

**Notes:** This is a non-conference game between the two conference teams...Northern Colorado snapped a 12-game losing streak with a 40-3 win over Colorado Mesa last week...This is Sacramento State's home opener. The Hornets are 4-1 in home openers under Sperbeck...Sac State is coming off a 30-28 win over Colorado of the Pac-12...Sac State QB Garrett Saffron is averaging 310 passing yards per game. He has four touchdowns and just one interception...NC RB Tromaine Dennis scored three rushing touchdowns in last week's win over Colorado Mesa...NC LB Clarence Bumpas has 18 tackles in two games...UNC's Dominic Gunn leads the Big Sky with an average of 22.2 yards per punt return.



### WALTER PAYTON AWARD

#### WATCH LIST

Zach Bauman, RB, Northern Arizona  
Shakir Bell, RB, Indiana State  
Eric Breitenstein, FB, Wofford  
Casey Brockman, QB, Murray State  
Jordan Brown, RB, Bryant  
Jamaine Cook, RB, Youngstown State  
Matt Denham, Eastern Kentucky  
Timothy Flanders, RB, Sam Houston State  
Taylor Heineke, QB, Old Dominion  
Kurt Hess, QB, Youngstown State  
Jeff Mathews, QB, Cornell  
Miguel Maysomet, RB, Stony Brook  
DeNarius McGhee, QB, Montana State  
Aaron Mellette, WR, Elon  
Andrew Pierce, RB, Delaware  
Rodrick Rumble, WR, Idaho State  
Richard Sincere, AP, Sam Houston State  
Brad Sorensen, QB, Southern Utah  
Ryan Spadola, WR, Lehigh  
Terrance West, RB, Towson

### BUCK BUCHANAN AWARD

#### WATCH LIST

Malcolm Bronson, S, McNeese State  
Clarence Bumpas, LB, Northern Colorado  
Wes Dothard, LB, Chattanooga  
Matt Evans, LB, New Hampshire  
Willie Jefferson, DE, Stephen F. Austin  
Jeremy Kimbrough, LB, Appalachian State  
Joseph LeBeau, DE, Jackson State  
Demetrius McCray, CB, Appalachian State  
Zach Minter, DT, Montana State  
Ben Obaseki, DE, Indiana State  
Blake Oliaro, DE, San Diego  
Blake Peiffer, LB, Southeast Missouri State  
Keith Pough, LB, Howard  
Kejuan Riley, S, Alabama State  
Derek Rose, LB, Northwestern State  
Brent Russell, NT, Georgia Southern  
Tyler Starr, LB, South Dakota  
Darnell Taylor, S, Sam Houston State  
B.W. Webb, CB, William & Mary  
Marcus Williams, CB, North Dakota State

## GAME PREVIEWS



### FORT LEWIS AT NORTHERN ARIZONA

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 4:05 p.m.  
Flagstaff, Arizona  
Walkup Skydome  
(10,000 FieldTurf)*

*TV: NAU-TV/FoxSports Arizona  
Internet: Big Sky TV*

**Series History:** Northern Arizona leads 2-0.

**Last Meeting:** Northern Arizona beat Fort Lewis 58-13 in 2011. Gary Grossart threw for 271 yards and three touchdowns in the win.

**The Coaches:** NAU's Jerome Souers is 77-83 in his 15th season. Fort Lewis' Cesar Rivas-Sandoval is 6-16 in his third season.

**Notes:** This is Northern Arizona's home opener. NAU (1-1) is 14-0 in home openers under Souers. The Lumberjacks have won 19 straight home openers...Fort Lewis (0-1) is coming off a 50-0 loss in its season opener to conference opponent New Mexico Highlands...Northern Arizona is coming off a 17-14 victory over UNLV of the Mountain West Conference...NAU RB Zach Bauman has 14 career 100-yard rushing games....Fort Lewis had just 166 yards of total offense in its opener. The Skyhawks committed five turnovers...Fort Lewis is a Division II program located in Durango, Colo. The Skyhawks compete in the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference...Sophomore Chase Cartwright completed 17-of-40 passes for 197 yards in his first start last week for the Lumberjacks....Junior Nick Cole recorded his first 100-yard receiving day with 101 against UNLV.



### CAL POLY AT WYOMING

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 4:05 p.m.  
Laramie, Wyo.  
War Memorial Stadium  
(29,181 Artificial Turf)*

**Series History:** First Meeting

**The Coaches:** Cal Poly's Tim Walsh is 18-16 in his fourth season with the Mustangs. He is 135-98 in 21 seasons as a head coach. Wyoming's Dave Christensen is 18-22 in his fourth season.

**Notes:** Wyoming (0-2) is coming off a 34-31 home loss to Toledo...Cal Poly is coming off of a bye week...in the first week of the season, Cal Poly defeated San Diego 41-14...after that game, Cal Poly's quarterback Andre Broadous was named the Big Sky Conference Offensive Player of the Week...Broadous rushed for 113 yards, ran for two touchdowns and threw for two more with no interceptions...Wyoming opened its season with a 37-17 loss at Texas...Cal Poly is looking to snap a six-game losing streak to FBS teams. The Mustangs beat San Diego State in 2008, a season that also saw Cal Poly fall 36-35 in overtime at Wisconsin...Cal Poly ranks sixth in the FCS with an average of 323.0 rushing yards per game...Wyoming QB Brett Smith is completing 64.3 percent of his passes for 615 yards with four touchdowns and four interceptions in two games...Wyoming has allowed an average of 242.0 rushing yards per game so far this season...Opponents have outscored Wyoming 48-6 over the second and third quarters.



### NORTH DAKOTA AT SAN DIEGO STATE

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 5:05 p.m.  
San Diego, Calif.  
Qualcomm Stadium  
(70,561, Natural Grass)*

**Series History:** First Meeting

**The Coaches:** North Dakota's Chris Mussman is 25-20 in his fifth season...San Diego State's Rocky Long is 9-6 in his second season. Long went 65-69 in 11 seasons as the head coach at New Mexico.

**Notes:** San Diego State went 8-5 in Long's first season, losing in the New Orleans Bowl...SDSU (1-1) is coming off an 42-7 win over Army. The Aztecs opened with a 21-12 loss to Washington..In the last three seasons, North Dakota is 0-5 against FBS teams. UND has lost to Idaho twice, Northern Illinois, Texas Tech and Fresno State....North Dakota has won six straight dating back to last season...UND has 10 passing touchdowns in two games. UND had 10 passing touchdowns all of last season...UND is averaging 55.5 points and 527 yards of total offense...SDSU is averaging 213.5 rushing yards per game...UND is allowing 119 rushing yards per game...UND WR Greg Hardin leads the FCS with 146.5 receiving yards per game...UND QB Marcus Hendrickson tied the school record with six touchdown passes in last week's win over Portland State...This is UND's first road game of the season. UND went 3-2 on the road last season, winning its final three.



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## GAME PREVIEWS



### #19 McNEESE STATE AT WEBER STATE

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 6:05 p.m.*  
*Ogden, Utah*  
*Stewart Stadium*  
*(17,500, Hellas Matrix turf)*  
*Internet: Big Sky TV*

**The Series:** Tied 1-1.

**Last Meeting:** McNeese State won 23-22 in 1992.

**The Coaches:** Weber State's Jody Sears is 0-2 in his first season...McNeese State's Matt Viator is 47-20 in his seventh season.

**Notes:** Weber State (0-2) won the first meeting between the schools 27-7 in 1990 in Lake Charles, La. The 1992 game was played in Ogden...McNeese State (2-0) was one of four FCS teams to earn a win over an FBS team in the opening weekend. The Cowboys beat Middle Tennessee State of the Sun Belt Conference. 27-21. McNeese State beat Division II McMurry 69-7 last week...This is Weber State's home opener. WSU is seeking its fifth straight win in a home opener...WSU opened the season with back-to-back losses to FBS teams Fresno State and BYU...WSU QB Mike Hoke is completing 65.5 percent of his passes. He has one touchdown and one interception...McNeese State averages 290 rushing yards per game...Weber State is allowing 221 rushing yards per game...WSU's Jordan Clemente has 13 catches this season. He had nine in 2011...WSU punter Tony Epperson had punts of 70 and 74 yards last week.



### NEW MEXICO HIGHLANDS AT SOUTHERN UTAH

*Saturday, Sept. 15, 6:05 p.m.*  
*Cedar City, Utah*  
*Eccles Coliseum*  
*(8,500, Hellas Matrix Turf)*  
*Internet: Big Sky TV*

**The Series:** SUU leads 10-5-1

**Last Meeting:** New Mexico Highlands won 44-15 in 1985.

**The Coaches:** Southern Utah's Ed Lamb is 21-25 in his fifth season...New Mexico Highlands' Eric Young is 2-0 in his first season. He spent six seasons as the head coach at the College of the College of the Siskiyous in California.

**Notes:** This is Southern Utah's home opener, and its first game on its brand new Hellas Matrix Turf...SUU finished 3-1 at home in 2011...SUU is 0-2 with losses to FBS teams Utah State and Cal...SUU trailed Cal 20-17 in the third quarter, before falling 50-31...SUU QB Brad Sorensen threw for 292 yards and four touchdowns in the loss to Cal...New Mexico Highlands, a Division II team located in Las Vegas, N.M., beat Fort Lewis 50-0 last week. The Cowboys are averaging 46 points and allowing 7 per game...Southern Utah has three players averaging at least 10 tackles per game. Namar Flentroy leads the Big Sky with an average of 10.5. Zak Browning and Miles Killebrew are tied for second at 10.0 per game...New Mexico Highlands has eight passing touchdowns in two games.



## BIG SKY IN THE NFL

*Below is a list of Big Sky players on NFL Rosters as of Sept. 9, 2012:*

Jared Allen, ISU - Vikings  
Colt Anderson, UM - Eagles  
McLeod Bethel-Thompson, SAC - Vikings  
Kroy Biermann, UM - Falcons  
Dan Carpenter, UM - Dolphins  
Evan Dietrich Smith, ISU - Packers  
Dane Fletcher, MSU - Patriots (IR)  
Adam Hawyard, PSU - Buccaneers  
Lex Hillard, UM - Patriots  
Matt Johnson, EWU - Cowboys  
Trumaine Johnson, UM - Rams  
Taiwan Jones, EWU - Raiders  
Pat McQuistan, WSU - Cardinals  
Paul McQuistan, WSU - Seahawks  
Caleb McSurdy, UM - Cowboys (IR)  
Marc Mariani, UM - Titans (IR)  
Mike Person, MSU - Colts  
Ryan Rau, PSU - Eagles (P)  
Chase Reynolds, UM, Rams (P)  
Mike Roos, EWU - Titans  
Jabin Sambrano, UM - Colts (IR)  
Jordan Senn, PSU - Panthers  
Shann Schillinger, UM - Falcons (IR)  
DeShawn Shead, PSU - Seahawks (P)  
Julius Thomas, PSU - Broncos  
Isaiah Trufant, EWU - Jets  
Jimmy Wilson, UM - Dolphins

IR - Injured Reserve  
P - Practice Squad

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## TEAM-BY-TEAM SCHEDULES

### UC Davis (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	Azusa Pacific	W 41-3
9/8	at San Jose State	L 45-13
9/15	at South Dakota State	2:05
9/22	*at Cal Poly	6:05
9/29	*Weber State	6:05
10/6	*Montana State	4:05
10/13	*at Idaho State	4:05
10/20	*at Northern Arizona	4:05
10/27	*Portland State	2:05
11/10	*at Eastern Washington	1:35
11/17	*Sacramento State	3:05

### Cal Poly (0-0, 1-0)



Date	Team	Result
9/1	San Diego	W 41-14
9/15	at Wyoming	4:05
9/22	*UC Davis	6:05
9/29	*at North Dakota	6:05
10/5	*at Weber State	6:05
10/13	*Northern Colorado	6:05
10/20	*Portland State	6:05
10/27	*at Sacramento State	6:05
11/3	at E. Washington (NC)	1:35
11/10	*Idaho State	6:05
11/17	*at Northern Arizona	4:05

### Eastern Washington (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Result
9/1	at Idaho	W 20-3
9/8	at Washington State	L 24-20
9/22	*at Weber State	6:05
9/29	*Montana	4:05
10/6	*North Dakota	5:05
10/13	*at Montana State	1:35
10/20	*Sacramento State	4:05
10/27	*at Southern Utah	1:05
11/3	Cal Poly (NC)	1:35
11/10	*UC Davis	1:35
11/17	*at Portland State	1:05

### Idaho State (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Time
9/1	at Air Force	L 49-21
9/8	Black Hills State	W 38-5
9/22	at Nebraska	2:35
9/29	*Sacramento State	1:35
10/6	*at Portland State	5:05
10/13	*UC Davis	4:05
10/20	*at Northern Colorado	1:35
10/27	*at Montana	1:35
11/3	*Northern Arizona	4:05
11/10	*at Cal Poly	6:05
11/17	*Weber State	4:05

### Montana (0-0, 1-0)



Date	Team	Result
9/1	South Dakota	W 35-24
9/8	at Appalachian State	L 35-27
9/15	Liberty	1:35
9/22	*Northern Arizona	1:35
9/29	*at Eastern Washington	4:05
10/6	*at Northern Colorado	1:35
10/13	*Southern Utah	1:35
10/20	*at North Dakota	2:35
10/27	*Idaho State	1:35
11/3	*at Weber State	1:35
11/17	*Montana State	1:35

### Montana State (0-0, 2-0)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	Chadron State	W 33-6
9/8	at Drake	W 34-24
9/15	Stephen F. Austin	1:35
9/22	*Northern Colorado	2:05
9/29	*at Southern Utah	1:35
10/6	*at UC Davis	4:05
10/13	*Eastern Washington	1:35
10/27	*North Dakota	2:05
11/3	*at Sacramento State	4:05
11/10	*Portland State	1:35
11/17	*at Montana	1:35

### North Dakota (0-0, 2-0)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	South Dakota Mines	W 66-0
9/8	Portland State (NC)	W 45-37
9/15	at San Diego State	5:05
9/22	*at Sacramento State	6:05
9/29	*Cal Poly	6:05
10/6	*at Eastern Washington	5:05
10/13	*Northern Arizona	3:05
10/20	*Montana	2:35
10/27	*at Montana State	2:05
11/3	*Southern Utah	1:05
11/17	*at Northern Colorado	12:05



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## TEAM-BY-TEAM SCHEDULES

### Northern Arizona (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	at Arizona State	L 63-6
9/8	at UNLV	W 17-14
<b>9/15</b>	<b>Fort Lewis</b>	<b>4:05</b>
9/22	*at Montana	1:35
<b>9/29</b>	<b>*Portland State</b>	<b>2:05</b>
10/13	*at North Dakota	3:05
<b>10/20</b>	<b>*UC Davis</b>	<b>4:05</b>
10/27	*at Northern Colorado	1:35
11/3	*at Idaho State	4:05
<b>11/10</b>	<b>*Southern Utah</b>	<b>2:05</b>
<b>11/17</b>	<b>*Cal Poly</b>	<b>4:05</b>

### Northern Colorado (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	at Utah	L 41-0
<b>9/8</b>	<b>Colorado, Mesa</b>	<b>W 40-3</b>
9/15	at Sacramento State (NC)	2:05
9/22	*at Montana State	2:05
<b>10/6</b>	<b>Montana</b>	<b>1:35</b>
10/13	*at Cal Poly	6:05
<b>10/20</b>	<b>*Idaho State</b>	<b>1:35</b>
<b>10/27</b>	<b>*Northern Arizona</b>	<b>1:35</b>
11/3	*at Portland State	1:05
11/10	*at Weber State	1:35
<b>11/17</b>	<b>*North Dakota</b>	<b>12:05</b>

### Portland State (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Result
<b>9/1</b>	<b>Carroll College</b>	<b>W 38-20</b>
9/8	at North Dakota (NC)	L 45-37
9/15	at Washington	1:05
<b>9/22</b>	<b>*Southern Utah</b>	<b>5:05</b>
9/29	*at Northern Arizona	2:05
<b>10/6</b>	<b>*Idaho State</b>	<b>5:05</b>
10/20	*at Cal Poly	6:05
10/27	*at UC Davis	2:05
<b>11/3</b>	<b>*Northern Colorado</b>	<b>1:05</b>
11/10	*at Montana State	1:35
<b>11/17</b>	<b>*Eastern Washington</b>	<b>1:05</b>

### Sacramento State (0-0, 1-1)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	at New Mexico State	L 49-19
9/8	at Colorado	W 30-28
<b>9/15</b>	<b>Northern Colorado (NC)</b>	<b>2:05</b>
<b>9/22</b>	<b>*North Dakota</b>	<b>6:05</b>
9/29	*at Idaho State	1:35
10/6	*at Southern Utah	1:05
<b>10/13</b>	<b>*Weber State</b>	<b>6:05</b>
10/20	*at Eastern Washington	4:05
<b>10/27</b>	<b>*Cal Poly</b>	<b>6:05</b>
<b>11/3</b>	<b>*Montana State</b>	<b>4:05</b>
11/17	*at UC Davis	3:05

### Southern Utah (0-0, 0-2)



Date	Team	Result
8/30	at Utah State	L 34-3
9/8	at Cal	L 50-31
<b>9/15</b>	<b>New Mexico Highlands</b>	<b>6:05</b>
9/22	*at Portland State	5:05
<b>9/29</b>	<b>*Montana State</b>	<b>1:35</b>
<b>10/6</b>	<b>*Sacramento State</b>	<b>1:05</b>
10/13	*at Montana	1:35
<b>10/20</b>	<b>*Weber State</b>	<b>1:05</b>
<b>10/27</b>	<b>*Eastern Washington</b>	<b>1:05</b>
11/3	*at North Dakota	1:05
11/10	*at Northern Arizona	2:05

### Weber State (0-0, 0-2)



Date	Team	Result
9/1	at Fresno State	L 37-10
9/8	at Brigham Young	W 45-13
<b>9/15</b>	<b>McNeese State</b>	<b>6:05</b>
<b>9/22</b>	<b>*Eastern Washington</b>	<b>6:05</b>
9/29	*at UC Davis	6:05
<b>10/5</b>	<b>*Cal Poly</b>	<b>6:05</b>
10/13	*at Sacramento State	6:05
10/20	*at Southern Utah	1:05
<b>11/3</b>	<b>*Montana</b>	<b>1:35</b>
<b>11/10</b>	<b>*Northern Colorado</b>	<b>1:35</b>
11/17	*at Idaho State	4:05

\*Big Sky Conference Game  
All Times are Local to Site/Subject to Change

## 2012 COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

### Thursday, Aug. 30

@Utah 41, Northern Colorado 0  
 @New Mexico State 49, Sacramento State 19  
 @Utah State 34, Utah 3  
 @UC Davis 41, Azusa Pacific 3  
 #12 Eastern Washington 20, @Idaho 3  
 @#4 Montana State 33, Chadron State 6  
 @North Dakota 66, South Dakota Mines 0  
 @Arizona State 63, Northern Arizona 6

### Saturday, Sept. 1

@Air Force 49, Idaho State 21  
 @#11 Montana 35, South Dakota 24  
 @Cal Poly 41, San Diego 14  
 @Portland State 38, Carroll College 20  
 @Fresno State 37, Weber State 10

### Saturday, Sept. 8

@Washington State 24, #9 Eastern Washington 20  
 @Cal 50, Southern Utah 31  
 Sacramento State 30, @Colorado 28  
 @BYU, 45, Weber State 13  
 @Northern Colorado 40, Colorado Mesa 3  
 @Idaho State 38, Black Hills State 5  
 @San Jose State 45, UC Davis 13  
 #4 Montana State 34 @Drake 24  
 @North Dakota 45, Portland State 37 (Non-conf.)  
 @#11 Appalachian State 35, #12 Montana 27  
 Northern Arizona 17, @UNLV 14

### Saturday, Sept. 15

Portland State at Washington..... 1:05  
 #23 Stephen F. Austin at #3 Montana State ..... 1:35  
 Liberty at #14 Montana ..... 1:35  
 UC Davis at South Dakota State ..... 2:05  
 Northern Colorado at Sacramento State (NC)..... 2:05  
 Fort Lewis at Northern Arizona..... 4:05  
 Cal Poly at Wyoming..... 4:05  
 North Dakota at San Diego State ..... 5:05  
 #19 McNeese State at Weber State ..... 6:05  
 New Mexico Highlands at Southern Utah ..... 6:05

### Saturday, Sept. 22

\*Northern Arizona at Montana..... 1:35  
 \*Northern Colorado at Montana State..... 2:05  
 Idaho State at Nebraska ..... 2:35  
 \*Southern Utah at Portland State..... 5:05  
 \*UC Davis at Cal Poly ..... 6:05  
 \*North Dakota at Sacramento State..... 6:05  
 \*Eastern Washington at Weber State ..... 6:05

### Saturday, Sept. 29

\*Sacramento State at Idaho State ..... 1:35  
 \*Montana State at Southern Utah..... 1:35  
 \*Portland State at Northern Arizona ..... 2:05  
 \*Montana at Eastern Washington..... 4:05  
 \*Cal Poly at North Dakota ..... 6:05  
 \*Weber State at UC Davis..... 6:05

### Friday, Oct. 5

\*Cal Poly at Weber State ..... 6:05

### Saturday, Oct. 6

\*Montana at Northern Colorado ..... 1:35  
 \*Montana State at UC Davis..... 4:05  
 \*Idaho State at Portland State ..... 5:05  
 \*North Dakota at Eastern Washington ..... 5:05  
 \*Sacramento State at Southern Utah..... 6:05

### Saturday, Oct. 13

\*Eastern Washington at Montana State ..... 1:35  
 \*Southern Utah at Montana ..... 1:35  
 \*Northern Arizona at North Dakota..... 3:05  
 \*UC Davis at Idaho State..... 4:05  
 \*Weber State at Sacramento State..... 6:05  
 \*Northern Colorado at Cal Poly..... 6:05

### Saturday, Oct. 20

\*Weber State at Southern Utah..... 1:05  
 \*Idaho State at Northern Colorado..... 1:35  
 \*Montana at North Dakota ..... 2:35  
 \*UC Davis at Northern Arizona..... 4:05  
 \*Sacramento State at Eastern Washington..... 4:05  
 \*Portland State at Cal Poly..... 6:05

### Saturday, Oct. 27

\*Eastern Washington at Southern Utah ..... 1:05  
 \*Northern Arizona at Northern Colorado ..... 1:35  
 \*Idaho State at Montana ..... 1:35  
 \*North Dakota at Montana State..... 2:05  
 \*Portland State at UC Davis..... 2:05  
 \*Cal Poly at Sacramento State..... 6:05

### Saturday, Nov. 3

\*Northern Colorado at Portland State ..... 1:05  
 \*Southern Utah at North Dakota..... 1:05  
 \*Montana at Weber State ..... 1:35  
 Cal Poly at Eastern Washington (NC)..... 1:35  
 \*Montana State at Sacramento State..... 4:05  
 \*Northern Arizona at Idaho State..... 4:05

### Saturday, Nov. 10

\*UC Davis at Eastern Washington ..... 1:35  
 \*Portland State at Montana State..... 1:35  
 \*Northern Colorado at Weber State ..... 1:35  
 \*Southern Utah at Northern Arizona..... 2:05  
 \*Idaho State at Cal Poly..... 6:05

### Saturday, Nov. 17

\*North Dakota at Northern Colorado ..... 12:05  
 \*Eastern Washington at Portland State..... 1:05  
 \*Montana State at Montana ..... 1:35  
 \*Cal Poly at Northern Arizona..... 4:05  
 \*Weber State at Idaho State ..... 4:05  
 \*Sacramento State at UC Davis..... 3:05

### Division I Playoffs

Nov. 24 ..... First Round  
 Dec. 1..... Second Round  
 Dec. 8..... Quarterfinals  
 Dec. 14/15..... Semifinals  
 Jan. 5, 2013..... Championship - At Frisco, Texas