



11 NAIA NATIONAL TOURNAMENTS | 3 NAIA QUARTERFINAL APPEARANCES | 4 CCC CHAMPIONSHIPS

TEAM INFORMATION

All-Time Record	1356-1293 (96 seasons)
2025-26	17-12
Cascade Conference	14-6 (t-3rd place)
CCC Tournament	Eliminated in Quarterfinals
NAIA Tournament	DNQ
Final NAIA Top 25	NR
Off. RTG	111.8 (45th NAIA, 4th CCC)
Def. RTG	106.2 (126th NAIA, 6th CCC)
Starters Returning/Lost (>50%)	2/2
Overall Returning/Lost	10/7
Newcomers	6
FR-SO-JR-SR	7-2-6-1
Home Court	Lithia Motors Pavilion (1,400)
CCC Regular Season Titles	2 (last: 2004-05)
CCC Tournament Titles	2 (last: 2005)
NAIA Tournaments	11 (last: 2025)

2026-27 SCHEDULE

10/22	 at Simpson (CA)	7 p.m.
11/06	 vs. Hope International (CA)	12 p.m.
11/07	 vs. The Master's (CA)	6 p.m.
11/13	 at Montana State-Northern	5 p.m.
11/15	 at Carroll (MT)	12 p.m.
11/20	 Oregon Tech	7 p.m.
11/23	 vs. The Master's (CA)	4 p.m.
11/24	 at Hope International (CA)	4 p.m.
12/04	 *at Evergreen (WA)	7:30 p.m.
12/05	 *at Northwest (WA)	6 p.m.
12/18	 *Lewis-Clark State (ID)	2 p.m.
12/19	 *Walla Walla (WA)	8 p.m.
12/30	 *at Oregon Tech	7:30 p.m.
01/03	 *at Warner Pacific	4 p.m.
01/08	 *Bushnell	7:30 p.m.
01/09	 *Corban	6 p.m.
01/15	 *at College of Idaho	6:30 p.m.
01/16	 *at Eastern Oregon	6 p.m.
01/22	 *Northwest (WA)	7:30 p.m.
01/23	 *Evergreen (WA)	6 p.m.
01/26	 *Oregon Tech	7:30 p.m.
01/28	 *Warner Pacific	7:30 p.m.
02/05	 *at Walla Walla (WA)	2 p.m.
02/06	 *at Lewis-Clark State (ID)	6 p.m.
02/12	 *Eastern Oregon	7:30 p.m.
02/13	 *College of Idaho	6 p.m.
02/19	 *at Corban	7:30 p.m.
02/20	 *at Bushnell	6 p.m.

*CCC games | Home games **bold** | All times Pacific

SOU GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	Ashland, Oregon
Founded	1872
Enrollment	4,000
Nickname	Raiders
Colors	Red, Black & White
Affiliation	NAIA (Cascade Collegiate Conference)
Website	souraiders.com
President	Dr. Rick Bailey, Jr.
Director of Athletics	Matt Sayre
Associate Director of Athletics	Bobby Heiken
Sports Information	Josh McDermott
Head Athletic Trainer	Ross Dexter

TOP RETURNING PLAYERS

**Gio Evanson • G • 6-6 • JR**

- 2025-26 All-Cascade Collegiate Conference
- 29-15 GP-GS, 14.2 PPG, 3.4 RPG, 2.5 APG, 49% FG, 38% 3PT, 85% FT
- In CCC play: 16.3 PPG, 2.7 APG, 1.3 SPG, 50% FG, 43% 3PT

**Bryce Dyer • F • 6-5 • SR**

- 2025-26 CCC Defensive Player of the Year; 24-25 All-CCC
- 29-27 GP-GS, 8.4 PPG, 7.6 RPG, 1.1 SPG, 42% FG, 41% 3PT
- 18 career double-doubles

**Jace Anderson • F • 6-7 • SO**

- 29-12 GP-GS, 7.1 PPG, 4.7 RPG, 0.9 SPG, 53% FG
- Scored in double figures 8 times during conference play

**Brady Rice • G • 6-1 • JR**

- 29-14 GP-GS, 6.1 PPG, 3.3 RPG, 49% FG, 34% 3PT, 75% FT
- 57 career appearances at SOU, 12 with 10-plus points

**Luke Wagstaff • F • 6-8 • JR**

- 29-2 GP-GS, 5.7 PPG, 2.5 RPG, 40% FG, 28% 3PT, 80% FT
- Led SOU in bench scoring on 6 occasions

**Julian Vaucher • F • 6-6 • R-FR**

- Redshirted in 2025-26
- 3-5 FG, 7 rebounds, 2 blocked shots over 20 minutes played

KEY LOSSES

Elijah Jackson • G • 6-1 • GR

- 24-25 All-CCC, 25-26 honorable mention
- 15.1 PPG, 3.1 APG, 42% FG, 39% 3PT

Joe Juhala • F • 6-8 • GR

- 119 GP, 50 starts over 5 seasons at SOU
- 7.4 PPG, 4.7 RPG, 44% FG

Jack Chlumak • G • 6-5 • GR

- 28 GP, 7 starts in 25-26
- 2.9 PPG, 1.4 RPG, 38% 3PT

TOP NEWCOMERS

Isaiah Bronson • G • 6-2 • R-FR*Gilbert, Ariz. / Sacramento State U*

- Appeared in 6 games at Sac State in 25-26
- 21.1 PPG, 5.0 APG as a senior at PHH Prep (AZ)

Jack Shull • G • 6-4 • FR*Folsom, Calif. / Folsom HS*

- All-League 1st team, All-NorCal 2nd team

Tariq Lofton • G • 5-10 • FR*El Dorado Hills, Calif. / Casa Roble HS*

- All-League, 16.6 PPG, 4.8 APG

HEAD COACH

**Matt Zosel • 5th season (2022-present)**

- 77-47 record at SOU; 57-29 in Cascade Conference play
- 2 NAIA Tournament appearances, 4 consecutive top-4 finishes in CCC
- Led SOU to upsets of 3 straight conference champs as No. 11 seed in 2025 NAIA Tournament

2025-26 RESULTS

10/24 at Oregon Tech.....L, 62-75
 10/30 vs. #11 Montana TechL, 65-84
 10/31 at Montana WesternL, 65-85
 11/14 vs. Our Lady of the Lake..... W, 83-56
 11/15 vs. #23 Hope International W, 81-59
 11/24 at #23 Hope InternationalL, 79-87
 11/25 vs. The Master'sL, 69-73
12/05*NorthwestW, 79-66
12/06*EvergreenW, 93-60
12/19*CorbanW, 71-61
12/20*BushnellW, 77-67 (OT)
12/29Simpson.....W, 81-80
 01/02 *at Lewis-Clark State.....L, 65-72
 01/03 *at Walla Walla..... W, 92-87
01/09*College of Idaho.....W, 95-81
01/10*Eastern OregonL, 51-60
01/13*#20 Oregon Tech.....W, 68-67
 01/15 *at Warner Pacific..... W, 67-61
 01/23 *at Evergreen W, 97-89
 01/24 *at Northwest W, 74-66
01/30*Walla WallaW, 83-73
01/31*Lewis-Clark StateL, 70-73
 02/06 *at Bushnell W, 78-65
 02/07 *at Corban.....L, 71-79
 02/10 *at #22 Oregon Tech.....L, 71-84
02/14*Warner Pacific.....W, 69-54
 02/20 *at Eastern Oregon.....L, 63-70
 02/21 *at College of Idaho..... W, 73-67
02/25% Bushnell.....L, 70-71

*CCC games | % CCC Tournament | Home games **bold**

2026-27 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NamePOS.....HT.....WT.....YR..... Hometown/High School/Previous School

Jace Anderson..... F6-7205SOReno, Nev./Damonte Ranch HS
 Isaiah Bronson G6-2 180 R-FR.....Gilbert, Ariz./PHH Prep/Sacramento State U
 Liam Bunker..... G6-2 180 R-FR.....Queen Creek, Ariz./Skyline Prep
 Rex Denker..... G6-1 180JR.....San Jose, Calif./Pioneer HS/De Anza CC
 Bryce Dyer F6-5 210SR.....Medford, Ore./North Medford HS
 Juremi Ejuwa F6-6 200FR.....San Ramon, Calif./California HS
 Gio Evanson G6-6 175JR.....Ridgefield, Wash./King's Way Christian HS
 Hawthorn LaPierre F6-7 210SOAshland, Ore./Ashland HS/Western Oregon U
 Tariq Lofton G5-10 160FR.....El Dorado Hills, Calif./Casa Roble HS
 Chace Martin..... G6-3 200FR.....Bend, Ore./Trinity Lutheran HS
 Jaivion McLaughlin G6-1 195JR.....Tacoma, Wash./Sumner HS/Evergreen State Coll.
 Brady Rice..... G6-1 200JR.....Beaverton, Ore./Beaverton HS
 Jack Shull..... G6-4 185FR.....Folsom, Calif./Folsom HS
 Julian Vaucher..... F6-6 170 R-FR.....Walnut Creek, Calif./Las Lomas HS
 Luke Wagstaff F6-8 220JR.....Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins HS/Western Colorado U
 Jalen Zeno G6-3 195JR.....Tracy, Calif./Mountain House HS/MiraCosta CC

Head Coach: Matt Zosel (5th season) / **Assistants:** Ani Sairam, Kadin Pruett

2025-26 SOUTHERN OREGON SEASON STATISTICS

#	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	AVG	FG	PCT	3FG	PCT	FT	PCT	ORB	DRB	TOT	R/G	PF	FO	AST	A/G	TO	TO/G	A-TO	BLK	B/G	STL	S/G	PTS	P/G
5	Elijah Jackson.....	29	28	839	28.9	138-326	42.3	69-178	38.8	94-112	83.9	22	44	66	2.3	76	0	90	3.1	70	2.4	1.3	6	0.2	21	0.7	439	15.1
	Conference Only	20	19	593	29.6	96-224	42.9	44-116	37.9	63-74	85.1	17	31	48	2.4	56	-	62	3.1	52	2.6	1.2	4	0.2	15	0.8	299	14.9
13	Gio Evanson.....	29	15	796	27.4	148-303	48.8	49-128	38.3	67-79	84.8	28	71	99	3.4	44	0	72	2.5	37	1.3	1.9	12	0.4	31	1.1	412	14.2
	Conference Only	20	13	588	29.4	121-242	50.0	45-105	42.9	39-47	83.0	19	56	75	3.8	35	-	53	2.6	28	1.4	1.9	11	0.6	25	1.3	326	16.3
25	Bryce Dyer.....	29	27	862	29.7	85-202	42.1	28-69	40.6	45-64	70.3	88	133	221	7.6	44	0	62	2.1	30	1.0	2.1	4	0.1	32	1.1	243	8.4
	Conference Only	20	18	624	31.2	63-141	44.7	25-50	50.0	28-35	80.0	55	96	151	7.5	28	-	44	2.2	17	0.8	2.6	2	0.1	20	1.0	179	8.9
15	Joe Juhala.....	29	26	604	20.8	79-181	43.6	15-67	22.4	41-58	70.7	36	100	136	4.7	53	0	39	1.3	44	1.5	0.9	19	0.7	20	0.7	214	7.4
	Conference Only	20	17	404	20.2	50-118	42.4	8-42	19.0	26-42	61.9	29	69	98	4.9	31	-	29	1.4	32	1.6	0.9	14	0.7	12	0.6	134	6.7
0	Jace Anderson.....	29	13	562	19.4	78-148	52.7	1-8	12.5	49-73	67.1	55	80	135	4.7	45	0	30	1.0	40	1.4	0.8	4	0.1	25	0.9	206	7.1
	Conference Only	20	10	383	19.1	52-106	49.1	1-7	14.3	40-57	70.2	36	51	87	4.3	26	-	26	1.3	26	1.3	1.0	2	0.1	15	0.8	145	7.3
11	Brady Rice.....	29	14	521	18.0	56-114	49.1	18-53	34.0	48-64	75.0	26	71	97	3.3	23	0	36	1.2	24	0.8	1.5	5	0.2	16	0.6	178	6.1
	Conference Only	20	7	382	19.1	37-78	47.4	10-33	30.3	34-43	79.1	19	60	79	4.0	16	-	26	1.3	15	0.8	1.7	4	0.2	8	0.4	118	5.9
3	Luke Wagstaff.....	29	3	445	15.3	59-149	39.6	25-91	27.5	21-26	80.8	19	53	72	2.5	46	0	20	0.7	21	0.7	1.0	6	0.2	10	0.3	164	5.7
	Conference Only	20	3	314	15.7	40-101	39.6	13-57	22.8	20-23	87.0	16	37	53	2.6	35	-	14	0.7	12	0.6	1.2	4	0.2	6	0.3	113	5.7
10	Trey Neff.....	29	3	373	12.9	29-87	33.3	20-62	32.3	21-27	77.8	26	35	61	2.1	18	0	25	0.9	18	0.6	1.4	1	0.0	8	0.3	99	3.4
	Conference Only	20	3	223	11.2	20-52	38.5	16-38	42.1	4-6	66.7	19	22	41	2.0	11	-	17	0.8	8	0.4	2.1	0	0.0	5	0.3	60	3.0
4	Jack Chlumak.....	28	8	371	13.3	29-76	38.2	10-33	30.3	13-25	52.0	15	25	40	1.4	72	3	31	1.1	17	0.6	1.8	3	0.1	7	0.3	81	2.9
	Conference Only	20	7	241	12.1	19-54	35.2	5-19	26.3	8-14	57.1	10	15	25	1.3	47	1	21	1.1	12	0.6	1.8	0	0.0	4	0.2	51	2.5
20	Emmett Fenz.....	29	10	325	11.2	24-67	35.8	19-60	31.7	6-7	85.7	11	14	25	0.9	17	0	13	0.4	10	0.3	1.3	1	0.0	3	0.1	73	2.5
	Conference Only	20	5	185	9.3	14-39	35.9	12-36	33.3	5-5	100.0	5	5	10	0.5	13	-	6	0.3	5	0.3	1.2	0	0.0	2	0.1	45	2.3
22	Jacob Axmaker.....	14	4	66	4.7	8-25	32.0	7-23	30.4	7-8	87.5	0	0	0	0.0	6	0	2	0.1	0	0.0	-	0	0.0	1	0.1	30	2.1
	Conference Only	8	4	36	4.5	5-16	31.3	4-14	28.6	0-0	-	0	0	0	0.0	3	-	1	0.1	0	0.0	-	0	0.0	1	0.1	14	1.8
2	Tyson Neff.....	5	1	13	2.6	3-5	60.0	2-4	50.0	0-1	0.0	1	1	2	0.4	1	-	1	0.2	0	0.0	-	0	0.0	1	0.2	8	1.6
	Conference Only	3	1	7	2.3	3-3	100.0	2-2	100.0	0-1	0.0	1	1	2	0.7	1	-	0	0.0	0	0.0	-	0	0.0	1	0.3	8	2.7
32	Julian Vaucher.....	5	1	21	4.2	3-5	60.0	0-0	-	0-1	0.0	3	4	7	1.4	2	-	0	0.0	1	0.2	0.0	2	0.4	1	0.2	6	1.2
	Conference Only	5	1	21	4.2	3-5	60.0	0-0	-	0-1	0.0	3	4	7	1.4	2	-	0	0.0	1	0.2	0.0	2	0.4	1	0.2	6	1.2
21	Jaivion McLaughlin..	8	1	17	2.1	2-8	25.0	1-4	25.0	4-4	100.0	0	3	3	0.4	3	0	1	0.1	0	0.0	-	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	1.1
	Conference Only	6	1	16	2.7	2-7	28.6	1-4	25.0	4-4	100.0	0	3	3	0.5	2	-	1	0.2	0	0.0	-	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	1.5
14	Rex Denker.....	7	1	11	1.6	0-4	0.0	0-4	0.0	0-0	-	2	1	3	0.4	1	-	0	0.0	1	0.1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Conference Only	5	1	9	1.8	0-2	0.0	0-2	0.0	0-0	-	2	1	3	0.6	1	-	0	0.0	1	0.2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total.....		29	29	5827	201	741-1700	43.6	264-784	33.7	416-549	75.8	376	685	1061	36.6	456	3	422	14.6	335	11.6	1.3	63	2.2	176	6.1	2162	74.6
Conference Only.....		20	20	4027	201	525-1188	44.2	186-525	35.4	271-352	77.0	260	481	741	37.0	308	1	300	15.0	223	11.2	1.3	43	2.1	115	5.8	1507	75.3
Opponents.....		29	29	5827	201	768-1680	45.7	186-545	34.1	350-469	74.6	282	636	918	31.7	485	6	416	14.3	318	11.0	1.3	77	2.7	169	5.8	2072	71.4
Conference Only.....		20	20	4027	201	517-1153	44.8	128-385	33.2	240-322	74.5	193	438	631	31.6	319	4	288	14.4	213	10.7	1.4	57	2.9	121	6.0	1402	70.1