



WEEKLY ROUNDUP

2019 SOFTBALL

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Hawai'i Hilo Wins Three At Home Over Concordia

PACWEST SOFTBALL STANDINGS

No.	Team	Conf.	GB	Overall	Streak
1.	Biola	10-2	--	15-4	Lost 1
2.	Hawai'i Hilo	6-3	2.5	11-10	Won 3
3.	Dominican	4-2	3.0	7-10	Lost 2
4.	Concordia (8)	7-4	2.5	13-5	Lost 3
5.	Holy Names	5-3	3.0	6-6	Won 2
6.	Hawai'i Pacific	8-6	3.0	13-11	Won 1
7.	Academy of Art	3-5	5.0	4-15	Won 1
8.	Azusa Pacific	2-8	7.0	6-13	Won 2
9.	Chaminade	0-6	7.0	2-6	Lost 6
10.	NDNU	0-6	7.0	2-12	Lost 5

IRVINE, Calif. -- Hawai'i Hilo took three games off the PacWest's defending champion Concordia to improve to 6-3 in conference play this season.

In the first game of the series, **Valerie Alvarado** tossed a complete game with no runs allowed on just two hits for her fifth win of the season. **Vevesi Liilii** scored the only run the Vulcans needed, hitting solo shot in the second inning for the 1-0 victory.

Biola is now in first place in the conference standings after winning six of eight games in Hawai'i last week. The final game of the week for Biola was a 10-inning pitching duel between **Paige Austin** and **Ashlee Laver** that finally ended on an unearned run for the Eagles in the top of the 10th inning.

Biola also had a 10-inning game against Hawai'i Hilo with **Leah Gonzales** throwing all 10 frames for the Vulcans. **Tori Apodaca** got the game-winning hit with an RBI single in the 10th inning, while Austin earned the win with 3.1 innings of relief pitched.

Holy Names improved to 5-3 in conference this season by winning three of four games last week. After splitting against Academy of Art, the Hawks swept a doubleheader against Notre Dame de Namur. **Haighley Kissee** scored six runs with four doubles and a triple, ranking second in the conference in batting average for the week.

This week, Hawai'i Pacific will travel to the Bay Area to face Academy of Art and Holy Names. Biola will conclude its trip to Hawai'i with a four-game series against Chaminade. Concordia has eight games on the schedule this week, hosting Dominican and Notre Dame de Namur.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Jennifer Morinishi, Biola

LHP/OF, So., 5-3 -- La Palma, Calif.

Morinishi went 11 for 29 on the week, helping Biola win six of eight games against Hawai'i Hilo and Hawai'i Pacific. The sophomore recorded four RBIs, four runs, four doubles and a home run. She also made four pitching appearances and got a win by throwing three hitless innings against Hawai'i Pacific. In the second game against the Sharks, Morinishi went 3 for 4 at the plate with two doubles, one run and one RBI. It was her 10th multi-hit game of the season and the third time with multiple extra-base hits.

PITCHER OF THE WEEK



Paige Austin, Biola

RHP, Jr., 5-5 -- Los Alamitos, Calif.

Austin has recorded wins in all of her last eight outings and has recorded either a win or a save in 12-consecutive appearances. She tallied five wins last week and struck out 22 batters in 34.1 innings pitched with just four earned runs allowed. Austin won a 10-inning pitching duel with Hawai'i Pacific, throwing 166 pitches for a 1-0 victory to improve to 10-1 on the season. Austin now has a 1.75 earned run average and has struck out 71 batters in 72 innings pitched for Biola this season.

FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK



Ashlee Laver, Hawai'i Pacific

RHP, Fr., 5-6 -- Irvine, Calif.

Laver picked up her fourth win of the season by pitching a two-hit shutout against Azusa Pacific. She struck out four batters in the victory with only one walk. She threw another complete game with just two runs allowed. Then on Friday, the freshman threw 10 innings against Biola before an unearned run broke a scoreless tie. Laver had two strikeouts and just six hits allowed in the 10 frames. She has now thrown four-consecutive complete games.

PACWEST IN NATIONAL STATISTICS

TEAM STATS (as of March 5)

Stat	Team	Rank	Avg.
Shutouts	Concordia	15th	5
Batting Avg.	Biola	80th	.304
ERA	Concordia	14th	1.65
Fielding Percentage	Biola	34th	96.9
Runs	Concordia	98th	5.2
Win-Loss Pct.	Biola	13th	82.4
Doubles	Biola	32nd	1.8
Slugging Pct.	Biola	147th	.400
On-base Pct.	Hawai'i Pacific	118th	.369

INDIVIDUAL STATS (as of March 5)

Stat	Player	Team	Rank	Avg.
Batting Avg.	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	69th	.464
RBI	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	110th	1.0
Doubles	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	5th	0.7
Triples	Cieana Curran	HPU	6th	0.3
ERA	Callie Nunes	CUI	22nd	1.04
Stolen Bases	Mckenzie Schumacher	DUC	14th	0.9
K/7	Callie Nunes	CUI	23rd	9.5
Wins	Paige Austin	BU	9th	9
Saves	Rae Flores	CUI	24th	2
Slugging Pct.	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	117th	.732
Runs	Ruth Munoz	BU	54th	1.12
Complete Games	Paige Austin	BU	30th	7
On-Base Pct.	Amanda Gjertsen	CUI	88th	.533

PACWEST RECORD WATCH

SINGLE SEASON RECORD TRACKER

Stat	Player	Team	No.	Top 10	Record
Hits	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	28	80	91
Runs	Cieana Curran	HPU	23	60	78
RBIs	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	17	55	77
Home Runs	Vevesi Liilii	UHH	3	14	19
Total Bases	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	44	129	153
Slugging Pct.	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	.698	.768	.893
Batting Avg.	Jennifer Morinishi	BU	.444	.446	.504
On-Base Pct.	Karissa Mejia	NDNU	.667	.526	.585
Stolen Bases	Cieana Curran	HPU	9	35	52
Wins	Paige Austin	BU	10	22	34
Strikeouts	Paige Austin	BU	71	150	302
Inn. Pitched	Paige Austin	BU	72.0	190.1	237.1
ERA	Rae Flores	CUI	1.33	1.33	0.74

NFCA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

Week 4 - March 3

Rank	School	Record	Prev
1	Augustana (S.D.) (7)	8-2	2
2	UT Tyler (5)	16-0	3
3	Rollins (3)	17-0	4
4	Chico State	16-1	5
5	Southern Arkansas	18-2	6
6	Young Harris (1)	13-3	1
7	North Georgia	19-4	9
8	Concordia	12-2	10
9	Angelo State	14-6	8
10	Trevecca Nazarene	9-1	13
11	Rogers State	17-4	15
12	Saint Anselm	10-2	12
13	Lincoln Memorial	12-5	7
14	Texas A&M-Commerce	11-6	16
15	Saint Leo	13-6	17
16	Indianapolis	8-3	18
17	Lenoir-Rhyne	17-3	20
18	Oklahoma Christian	19-3	RV
19	Valdosta State	16-6	21
20	Lubbock Christian	17-4	22
21	Tarleton State	17-4	23
22	Charleston (W.V.)	8-0	RV
23	CSU Dominguez Hills	14-6	NR
24	Southern Indiana	8-3	24
25	UAH	12-6	RV

Receiving Votes: Coker, UC San Diego, Dixie State, West Florida, Saginaw Valley State, Winona State, Southern New Hampshire

PREVIOUS WEEKLY AWARD WINNERS

Date	Player	Pitcher	Freshman
Feb. 3	Peyton Mott, DUC	Callie Nunes, CUI	Kelsey Volkmar, HNU
Feb. 10	Kiarra Lincoln, UHH	Alyssa Waltman, DUC	Lauren Lapinid, DUC
Feb. 17	Sydney Sprinkle, CUI	Callie Nunes, CUI	Rae Flores, CUI
Feb. 24	Jennifer Morinishi, BU	Paige Austin, BU	Elizabeth Phillips, APU
Mar. 2	Kiarra Lincoln, UHH	Callie Nunes, CUI	Celeste Salas, DUC