

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON HUSKY CREW 2009



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2009 Washington Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
3/28	CLASS DAY	9:30am
4/4	HUSKY OPEN	8:00 am
4/4-5	San Diego Crew Classic	All Day
4/11	at Washington State	8:00 am
4/17	at Stanford (men)	6:00 pm
4/18	vs. Wisconsin (men)	9:30 am
4/25	CALIFORNIA	9:00 am
5/2	WINDERMERE CUP/OPENING DAY	10:20 am
5/16-17	at Pac-10 Championship	All Day
5/29-31	at NCAA Championship (women)	All Day
6/4-6	at IRA Championship (men)	All Day

2009 Washington Quick Facts

Location	Seattle, Wash.
Founded	Nov. 4, 1861
Enrollment	42,000 (31,400 undergrad)
Nickname	Huskies
Colors	Purple and Gold
Conference	Pacific-10
Home Course	Montlake Cut (2,000 meters)
.....	Lake Washington, Seattle, Wash.
Director of Rowing/Women's Head Coach	Bob Ernst (35th year)
Men's Head Coach	Michael Callahan (5th year)
Men's Freshman Coach	Luke McGee
Women's Novice Coach	Nicole Minett
Men's Assistant Coach	Ben Fletcher
Women's Assistant Coach	Colin Sykes
Volunteer Assistant Coaches	Carlos Dinares,
.....	Andy Foltz, Wyatt Allen, Conor Bullis
Director of Operations	Katie Gardner
Certified Athletic Trainer	Melissa Beaussoleil
Equipment Manager	Karen Gunderman
Men's National Varsity Eight Championships (14):	
2007, 1197, 1984, 1970, 1950, 1948, 1941, 1940, 1937,	
.....	1936, 1933, 1926, 1924, 1923
Women's NCAA Team Titles (3):	2001, 1998, 1997
Women's National Varsity Eight Championships (11):	
.....2002, 2001, 1998, 1997, 1988, 1987, 1985, 1984,	
.....	1983, 1982, 1981

Setting the Scene: Pac-10 Championship

The Huskies head south to Rancho Cordova, Calif. this weekend, May 16-17 for the 2009 Pac-10 Rowing Championship, contested on the waters of Lake Natoma. All eight Pac-10 schools which sponsor rowing will compete - California, Oregon, Oregon State, Stanford, UCLA, USC, Washington and Washington State. They will be joined by non-conference squads from Gonzaga, Sacramento State, St. Mary's and UC Davis, all of which will be ineligible for regatta scoring.

Live Results/Video On The Web

Live splits and timing provided by JAMCO Times will be available online at <http://www.pac-10.org/championships/2009-rowing.html>. In addition, live streaming of the Pac-10 Rowing Championship can be found on the Pac-10 homepage, <http://www.pac-10.org>, by clicking on the live stream graphic on the right side of the page. Viewing is free, but does require users to sign in.

Last Time Out

In Washington's final races of the regular season, all crews recorded strong wins at home on Montlake Cut during the 23rd annual Windermere Cup/Opening Day regatta.

The No. 2 Husky men swept the field, with the varsity eight crossing the line well ahead of Oregon State and the Brazilian U-23 team. The second varsity eight recorded wins over UCLA and the University of British Columbia, while the freshman eight stormed to an open water victory over the Oregon schools. Washington's men's four also competed, with the three Husky boats finishing one-two-three and Oregon State's two shells lagging behind. The men of Washington enter the weekend ranked No. 2 in the nation, on the strength of their huge performance on April 25, when all crews swept then-top-ranked California on Montlake Cut.

On the women's side, No. 9 Washington retained the Windermere Cup with varsity eight wins over Miami (Fla.) and the Brazilian U-23 team. The second varsity retained the Cascade Cup as well, recording wins over Miami (Fla.) and the University of British Columbia. Washington's first novices continued their dominating season, with the "A" boat handily defeating three other Husky crews. In the varsity four event, the "A" boat finished first of four Washington boats.

Huskies in the Pac-10 Championship

Last year, the Husky men reigned supreme at the 2008 Pac-10 Rowing Championship, winning gold in every event and earning the highest team points tally. The sweep was Washington's first since the 1997 season. The varsity eight win was also the second straight for the Huskies, who have won the outright title 30 times in history, including a run of eight consecutive titles from 1971-1978, which no other team has matched. California came close, winning six straight from 1998-2003, but the Huskies broke Cal's streak in 2004, ensuring Washington's feat would not be matched any time soon. The second-ranked Washington's men have so far won two consecutive titles and will look for their third this weekend.

In 2008, the Washington women came in a disappointing fourth place, but won the varsity four race and came in second in the novice eight race. The Huskies finished fourth in the second varsity eight and fifth in the varsity eight. Washington's women have won 14 of the 22 Pac-10 titles contested, more than any other school. The Huskies won nine straight from 1995-2003, but haven't won a team title since the 2003 season. No. 9 Washington will look to end its five year drought this weekend.

The Men's Field

Officially competing on the men's side will be No. 2 Washington, No. 6 Stanford, No. 15 Oregon State and No. 3 California. UCLA, Oregon, USC and Washington State are club teams and will field boats in several races. The Huskies and Golden Bears have faced off twice already this season, with Cal's varsity eight finishing ahead of the Dawgs in the Copley Cup final in San Diego. Washington came storming back in April, however, defeating then-top-ranked Cal by eight seats on Montlake Cut. Sixth-ranked Stanford defeated Washington back on April 17, felling the Huskies by open water at Redwood Shores. Both the Washington second varsity and freshman boats defeated Stanford in the same outing. Oregon State raced in the 23rd Annual Windermere Cup two weeks ago, finishing over a length behind the Huskies in the varsity eight race.

Washington's freshmen remain undefeated this season, scoring wins in the San Diego Crew Classic, and over Stanford, Wisconsin, California, Oregon State and Oregon.

The Women's Field

Six of the eight Pac-10 schools that sponsor women's rowing as a varsity sports are currently ranked in the top-20, including the No. 9 Huskies. Sitting atop the current (May 13) poll is Stanford, followed by No. 2 California. Oregon State comes in at No. 13, with Washington State tied for 15th and UCLA rounding out the group at No. 20. The Huskies faced California on Montlake Cut on April 25, falling in the varsity

USRowing/CRCA Men's Varsity Eight Coaches Poll (May 13, 2009)

Place	Crew	Last Week
1	Brown	6
2	Washington	2
3	California	3
4	Harvard	4-T
5	Wisconsin	1
6	Stanford	4-T
7	Cornell	7
8	Northeastern	9
9	Boston University	10
10	Columbia	11
11	Syracuse	8
12	George Washington	15
13	Navy	17
14	Dartmouth	19
15	Oregon State	16
16	MIT	13
17	Princeton	14
18	Penn	14
19	Yale	12
20	Michigan	20

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1	Stanford	1
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3	Michigan State	3
4	Brown	4
5	Yale	5
6	Michigan	6
7	Princeton	7
8	Ohio State	8
9	Washington	9
10	Clemson	10
11	Virginia	11
12	USC	12
13	Oregon State	13
14	Wisconsin	14
15-T	Harvard	16
15-T	Washington State	15
17	Iowa	17
18	Louisville	18
19	Minnesota	20
20	UCLA	19

and second varsity eight races, but emerging victorious in the varsity four and novice eight categories. Washington has also raced Washington State and UCLA earlier in the season, with the Huskies sweeping WSU in the annual Apple Cup of Rowing dual and downing both crews at the San Diego Crew Classic.

Washington's novice eight remains undefeated this year, with wins at the San Diego Crew Classic, Opening Day and over Washington State and California.

About the Course

Lake Natoma is the home course of the Pac-10 Championship. Situated 15 miles northeast of Sacramento, Calif., Lake Natoma was created by Nimbus Dam across American River and is a regulating reservoir for releases from Folsom Lake. The race course length is 2,000 meters.

Getting There/Admission/Parking

Directions from Highway 50: Heading West from Lake Tahoe or East from Sacramento or San Francisco take the Hazel Ave. (Exit 21). Go North onto Hazel Ave. Proceed approximately .5 to Gold County Blvd./Nimbus Rd. (the second stop light) turn right. Follow the road into the Aquatic Center parking lot.

Tickets are \$5 per person for the day. Parking is available for an additional \$8 at Nimbus Flat State Park or at the end of Tributary Point Drive for \$5. A complementary shuttle is provided every 20 minutes from the Tributary Point Drive lot and the pick-up/drop-off area is located in front of the Hartford/Health Net buildings.

Tentative Race Schedules

Sunday, May 17 - Morning Schedule

8:00 am	Women's Varsity Four - Heat 1
8:10 am	Women's Varsity Four - Heat 2
8:20 am	Women's Second Varsity Eight - Heat 1
8:30 am	Women's Second Varsity Eight - Heat 2
8:40 am	Women's Varsity Eight - Heat 1
8:50 am	Women's Varsity Eight - Heat 2
9:00 am	Women's Novice Eight - Heat 1
9:10 am	Women's Novice Eight - Heat 2

Sunday, May 17 - Afternoon Schedule

1:10 pm	Women's Novice Eight - Petite Final
1:20 pm	Women's Varsity Four - Petite Final
1:30 pm	Women's Second Varsity Eight - Petite Final
1:40 pm	Women's Varsity Eight - Petite Final
1:50 pm	Men's Freshman/Novice Eight - Grand Final
2:00 pm	Women's Novice Eight - Grand Final
2:10 pm	Men's Varsity Four - Grand Final
2:20 pm	Women's Varsity Four - Grand Final
2:30 pm	Men's Second Varsity Eight - Grand Final
2:40 pm	Women's Second Varsity Eight - Grand Final
3:00 pm	Men's Varsity Eight - Grand Final
3:10 pm	Women's Varsity Eight - Grand Final

Let's Go Camping!

Three Husky men and four Husky women have been invited to participate in the USRowing U23 team selection camp this summer. Juniors Alison Browning, Adrienne Martelli and Jennifer Park, as well as freshman coxswain Ariana Tanimoto will each vie for a spot on the U23 women's eight or quad. Only 29 women nationwide were invited to the selection camp.

In addition, Jessiah Johnson, Blaise Didier and Hans Struzyna were invited to selection camp on the men's side. Only 24 men were invited to selection camp, which takes place in Oklahoma City, Okla. beginning on June 12.

The seven Huskies invited to selection camp will vie for the right to compete at the 2009 FISA Under 23 World Championship in Racice, Czech Republic July 23-26.

On The Horizon

On May 19, the women will learn their NCAA fate as they look for an invitation to the NCAA Championship in Camden, NJ on May 29-31. The selection show will run on the official NCAA website, NCAA.com on Tuesday, May 19 at 2pm Pacific time.

The men will compete at the IRA Championship, which moves west for the first time in regatta history. The 2009 IRA Championship will be held June 4-6 on Lake Natoma.

Pac-10 Championships • RACE HISTORY



Women's Pac-10 Titles

<u>Varsity Eight</u>	<u>JV 8</u>	<u>Novice 8</u>	<u>Varsity 4</u>
2002	2002	2005	2008
2001	2001	2000	2007
2000	2000	1999	2004
1999	1999	1998	2000
1998	1998	1997	1999
1997	1997	1996	1995
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1994	1992	1992	1988
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Men's Pac-10 Titles

<u>Varsity Eight</u>	<u>JV 8</u>	<u>Frosh 8</u>	<u>Varsity 4</u>
2008	2008	2008	2005
2007	2007	2002	2004
2004	2005	2001	2000
2003	2004	1997	1999
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1977	1974	1972	
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1973	1966	1968	
1972	1965	1965	
1971	1964	1961	
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Probable Washington Lineups

Husky Men

Varsity Eight

cox - Katelin Snyder (Jr. / Winter Park, Fla. / Winter Park)
stroke - Will Crothers (Sr. / Kingston, Ontario / Kingston C.V.I.)
7 - Anthony Jacob (So. / Vancouver, B.C. / Vancouver College)
6 - Bart-Jan Caron (Sr. / Millbay, B.C. / Shawnigan Lake)
5 - Rob Gibson (Sr. / Kingston, Ontario / Regiopolis-Notre Dame)
4 - Hans Struzyna (So. / Kirkland, Wash. / Bellevue Christian)
3 - Simon Taylor (Jr. / Hamilton, New Zealand / Hamilton Boy's)
2 - Jessiah Johnson (Sr. / Mercer Island, Wash. / Mercer Island)
bow - Max Lang (Lumby, B.C. / Shawnigan Lake)

Second Varsity Eight

cox - Michelle Darby (So. / North Andover, Mass. / Phillips Academy)
stroke - Nenad Bulicic (So. / Belgrade, Serbia / Milutin Milankovic)
7 - Lowell Neal (Sr. / Los Alamos, N.M. / Los Alamos)
6 - Matt Zapel (So. / Vashon, Wash. / Vashon Island)
5 - Ty Otto (So. / Burke, Va. / Thomas Jefferson)
4 - Blaise Didier (Jr. / San Francisco, Calif. / John O'Connell)
3 - Roko Svást (Jr. / Split, Croatia / 5th Gymnasium)
2 - Bede Clarke (So. / Wallabi Point, Australia / Newington College)
bow - Stephen Connolly (Sr. / Calgary, Alberta / Shawnigan Lake)

Freshman Eight

cox - Laura Denman (Fr. / Winchester, Mass. / Winsor)
stroke - Mathis Jessen (Fr. / Hamburg, Germany / Rudolf-Steiner-Hamburg-Bergstedt)
7 - Tom Lehmann (Fr. / Roveslagen, Germany / Gymnasium an der Rostocker Heide Roveslagen)
6 - Conlin McCabe (Fr. / Brockville, Ontario / BCI)
5 - Jay Thompson (Fr. / Boulder, Colo. / Fairview)
4 - Justin Hopkins (Fr. / Davis, Calif. / DSIS)
3 - Robert Munn (Fr. / Redmond, Wash. / Redmond)
2 - Ambrose Puttmann (Fr. / Cincinnati, Ohio / St. Xavier)
bow - Jeffrey Gibbs (Fr. / Cincinnati, Ohio / St. Xavier)

Varsity Four

cox - Leah Downey (Sr. / Seattle, Wash. / Seattle Prep)
stroke - Max Weaver (Jr. / Snohomish, Wash. / Snohomish)
3 - Casey Dobrowolski (So. / Seattle, Wash. / University Prep)
2 - David VanBolt (Sr. / Ann Arbor, Mich. / Huron)
bow - Trevor Walchenbach (So. / Seattle, Wash. / Roosevelt)

Husky Women

Varsity Eight

cox - Ariana Tanimoto (Fr. / Wayland, Mass. / Wayland)
stroke - Veronica Tamsitt (Fr. / Bungendore, Australia / Canberra Girls Grammar)
7 - Adrienne Martelli (Jr. / University Place, Wash. / Curtis)
6 - Hanne Trafnik (So. / Wuerzburg, Germany / Deutschland Gymnasium)
5 - Kim Kennedy (Sr. / Calgary, Alberta / Western Canada)
4 - Erika Shaw (Jr. / Victoria, B.C. / Claremont Senior Secondary)
3 - Jennifer Park (Jr. / Woodinville, Wash. / Woodinville)
2 - Lia Prins (Sr. / Walla Walla, Wash. / Walla Walla)
bow - Kayleigh Mack (Jr. / Seattle, Wash. / Roosevelt)

Second Varsity Eight

cox - Isabelle Woodward (Jr. / Seattle, Wash. / Ballard)
stroke - Sarah Aylard (Fr. / Victoria, B.C. / Parkland Secondary)
7 - Heather Young (Jr. / Arlington, Va. / Yorktown)
6 - Rosie DeBoef (Jr. / Victoria, B.C. / Pacific Christian)
5 - Alison Browning (Jr. / Rolling Hills, Calif. / Palos Verdes Peninsula)
4 - Kerry Simmonds (So. / San Diego, Calif. / Torrey Pines)
3 - Samantha Smith (Sr. / Naples Italy / Neuchatel Junior College)
2 - Helen Wall (Sr. / Spokane, Wash. / Lewis & Clark)
bow - Erin Knox (Jr. / Snohomish, Wash. / Snohomish)

Novice Eight

cox - Lauren Wands (Fr. / Coto de Caza, Calif. / Tesoro)
stroke - Sydney Collins (Fr. / Seattle, Wash. / Seattle Prep)
7 - Adriene De Leuw (Fr. / Bothell, Wash. / Inglemoor)
6 - Victoria Nenchev (Fr. / Vancouver, Wash. / Evergreen)
5 - Haley Yeager (Fr. / Seattle, Wash. / Blanchet)
4 - Annie Johns (Fr. / Bainbridge Island, Wash. / Bainbridge Island)
3 - Ailish O'Sullivan (Fr. / Seattle, Wash. / Holy Names Academy)
2 - Markee Murphy (Fr. / Edgewood, Wash. / Puyallup)
bow - Gillian Pennington (Fr. / Bellevue, Wash. / Issaquah)

Varsity Four

cox - Michele Miyauchi (So. / Bellevue, Wash. / Newport)
stroke - Rachel Powers (Jr. / Honolulu, Hawaii / Iolani School)
3 - Kira O'Sullivan (So. / Victoria, B.C. / Claremont Senior Academy)
2 - Erin Lauber (Fr. / Edmonds, Wash. / Edmonds Woodway)
bow - Audrey Baker (Sr. / Lynnwood, Wash. / Kings)