

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON HUSKY CREW 2010



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2010 Washington Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
3/27	CLASS DAY	10:00 am
4/3	HUSKY OPEN	8:00 am
4/3-4	at Stanford Invitational	All Day
4/10	OREGON STATE/WASH.ST.	8:10 am
4/24	at California	9:00 am
5/1	WINDERMERE CUP/OPENING DAY	8:00 am
5/16	at Pac-10 Championships	8:00 am
5/28-30	at NCAA Championship	All Day
6/3-5	at IRA Championship	All Day

2010 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 (36th year)
Men's Head Coach..... Michael Callahan (6th 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, Steve Full, Kim Kennedy, Andy Foltz
Director of Operations..... Katie Gardner
Certified Athletic Trainer..... Wade Soenksen
Equipment Manager..... Karen Gunderman
Men's National Varsity Eight Championships (15): ... 2009, 2007, 1997, 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: Washington/Cal

Within the sport of U.S. intercollegiate rowing, there might not be a bigger rivalry than California vs. Washington. On Saturday, April 24, both men's and women's crews will once again square off at Redwood Shores in their annual 2,000-meter dual. On the men's side, the Huskies are the No. 1 team in the nation and the defending national champions at the IRA Regatta. The Golden Bears aren't far behind, currently the No. 2 crew in the country. The two teams will be battling for the Schoch Cup in their 100th annual meeting, which is awarded to the winner of the varsity eight race. On the women's side, the No. 1 Golden Bears (via the CRCA/USRowing Poll) lie in wait for the No. 9 Huskies in a battle for the Simpson Cup. The races get underway at 9 a.m. (PST).

Live Results

The official Twitter page of the Husky Crew will also have live in-race updates: <http://Twitter.com/UWHuskyCrew>. Post-race recap will be available on GoHuskies.com, the official Web site of Husky athletics.

Quest For The Cup

The men's varsity eight winner takes home the Schoch Cup, named after Delos Schoch of Washington's class of 1936. Schoch lettered three years (1934-36) as a Husky oarsman. Washington currently leads the varsity series 68-29-1 and has won the last three varsity eight duals. The women's varsity eight victor receives the Simpson Cup. The trophy was donated in 2003 by longtime Husky Crew supporters Hunter and Dottie Simpson, whose daughter Anne rowed at Cal. The Simpson Cup replaces the Big Oar trophy that was retired in 2002 after 22 years. Overall, the Huskies lead the women's dual series 22-11 despite losing the last six races.

Huskies Coaching Staff

Now in his third year as coach of the men's program, **Michael Callahan** is coming off one of the most successful seasons the program has seen in its storied history. In 2009, Washington swept all three races at the IRA Regatta (and thereby earning the Ten Eyck Trophy), becoming the first team to accomplish the feat since the Huskies also did so in 1997. Prior to taking over the men's coaching position, Callahan served for three seasons as the Huskies freshmen coach. A 1996 graduate of the University of Washington, Callahan has also been an active member on the international level, where he's competed and coached. **Luke McGee** handles the coaching duties for the freshmen, who are coming off a historic undefeated season in 2009.

The women's team is coached by the legendary **Bob Ernst**, who made the switch after a 20-year stint coaching the men's program. Ernst is no stranger to women's rowing, having shepherded the program to six National Championships from 1981-87. Ernst also has significant Olympics and International experience and has been involved with some facet of the UW program since 1974. In 1984, he coached the Gold Medal winning eight in the Los Angeles Olympic Games. **Nicole Minett** manages all coaching duties for the novice women.

Last Time Out

Both Husky crews had a solid showing on the Montlake Cut, winning 15 of 16 races in a meet featuring their Pacific Northwest Pac-10 rivals. The men's program swept through a dual with Oregon State and Washington State, winning the varsity eight race against the Beavers in a time of 5:40.57. The women's crew won five of six contests against the Cougars, an excellent showing against the current No. 10 team in the NCAA.

Captains

Each year after the Class Day Regatta, the Huskies select two captains to lead their program into the brunt of the spring season. This year, **Ty Otto** and **Adrienne Martelli** will represent their boats and sport the star on Washington's traditional white oars.

Redwood Shores

Redwood Shores is a 76-acre lagoon that was developed in the 1960s as part of a planned suburban development southeast of San Francisco. Because of limited lane allowances, all races are held "Henley-style," i.e. one-on-one boat racing. The Huskies and the Golden Bears have historically split this dual in California at either the Redwood Shores (recently) and the Oakland Estuary.

**USRowing/CRCA Men's Varsity Eight Coaches Poll
(April 21, 2010)**

Place	Crew	Last Week
1	Washington	1
2	California	2
3	Brown	3
4	Harvard	4
5	Princeton	6
6	Cornell	10
7	Northeastern	8
8	Yale	7
9	Wisconsin	11
10	Syracuse	5
11	Boston	9
12	Stanford	13
13	Columbia	12
14	Dartmouth	14
15	George Washington	15
16	U.S. Naval Academy	16
17	Oregon State	17
18	Penn	18
19	Temple	19
20	Florida Institute of Technology	NR

**USRowing/CRCA Women's Varsity Eight Coaches Poll
(April 21, 2009)**

Place	Crew	Last Week
1	California	2
2	Princeton	6
3	Virginia	1
4	Yale	4
5	Brown	5
6	Stanford	3
7	USC	8
8	Michigan State	7
9	Washington	9
10	Washington State	13
11	Michigan	10
12	UCLA	11
13	Clemson	12
14	Wisconsin	14
15	Ohio State	15
16	Tennessee	17
17	Dartmouth	16
18	Oregon State	20
19	Cornell	20
20	Harvard	NR

Scouting The Huskies

After sweeping the IRA Regatta last season and capturing the Ten Eyck Trophy, the men's crew program entered the 2010 season as the No. 1 team in the nation, and has not shown any reason why that ranking is unwarranted. During the fall racing season, the Huskies were successful in Boston at the 45th annual Head of the Charles Regatta, crossing the finish line as the second collegiate boat and No. 3 overall. The women's team was also the No. 2 collegiate boat in their field, and finished fifth overall. Both teams also had impressive showing against intercollegiate competition at the Head of the Lake Regatta in Seattle. This spring, Washington has continued to excel on the water. The season opened with a series of wins at the Stanford Invitational/Pac-10 Challenge, where the Huskies went 11-for-12 against the Cardinal, Wisconsin and Iowa.

Scouting The Golden Bears

The No. 2 men's crew swept their way to a perfect weekend at the Stanford Invitational (Redwood Shores) on April 17-18. The Golden Bears did face some adversity with Wisconsin, winning the varsity eight race in just three seconds against the Badgers. Prior to last weekend's regatta, the Golden Bears opened the season by capturing the Copley Cup at the prestigious San Diego Crew Classic. Meanwhile, the No. 1 women's crew swept the Lake Natoma Invitational on April 17-18, defeating both Stanford and Washington State.

2009 UW-Cal Recap

It was a banner weekend for the men's crew on the Montlake Cut as the then-No. 4 Huskies swept the No. 1 Golden Bears. In the varsity eight race, the men neutralized Cal's advantage in the first 1,000 meters, and then pulled away towards the end to win by a length, 5:48.56 – 5:50.86. The freshmen eight won by open water to continue what would be an undefeated season for the crew. On the women's side, the Huskies and Golden Bears split the four races, with UW taking wins in the novice eight and the varsity 4+.

Recent History with the Beavers

Washington-California Dual History:

- Men's Varsity Eight -- UW leads 68-29-1 in series that began in 1903. The Huskies have won the last three seasons.
- Women's Varsity Eight -- UW leads 22-19 in the series that dates to 1977. The Huskies won 13 consecutive races from 1991-2003 before Cal won the last six dual races.
- Men's 2V Eight -- UW leads 42-22.
- Women's 2V Eight -- UW leads 25-7.
- Men's Freshman Eight -- UW leads 52-14.
- Women's Novice Eight -- UW leads 22-8.

Summer Camp Selections

In March, four Husky women were invited to the U23 National Team camp. Senior Jennifer Park, junior Kerry Simmonds and sophomore Ariana Tanimoto were all tapped to attend the camp, which will be held in San Diego and Princeton, N.J., this summer. Senior Adrienne Martelli was selected to join the elite camp. The rowers are competing for spots in the women's 8+ and 4x boats that will race at the FISA U23 World Championships in Belarus on June 22-25.

On the Horizon

The Huskies are back on the friendly confines of the Montlake Cut, and they'll host one of the most unique rowing events in the entire world – the 24th annual Windermere Cup. UW will welcome Oxford and Syracuse on May 1st.

Race Schedule

1. 9:00 a.m. Men's Varsity 4+
2. 9:10 a.m. Women's Varsity 4+
3. 9:20 a.m. Men's Freshmen Eight
4. 9:30 a.m. Women's Novice Eight
5. 9:40 a.m. Men's Second Varsity Eight
6. 9:50 a.m. Women's Second Varsity Eight
7. 10:05 a.m. Men's Varsity Eight
8. 10:20 a.m. Women's Varsity Eight