



PAC-10 NEWS

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NO. 3 UCLA COMES OFF SEASON-HIGH, LEADS FIVE PAC-10 TEAMS IN RANKINGS

This Week:

Two top-25 duals take place this weekend beginning with three matchups on February 27, as No. 7 OREGON STATE (9-1) takes on NO. 22 ARIZONA STATE (2-6) for a 7:30 p.m. MT meet. No. 3 UCLA (7-2) heads to nearby Cal State Fullerton for a 7 p.m. PT competition, while WASHINGTON (3-6) hosts No. 8 Arkansas and Seattle Pacific for a 7 p.m. PT dual.

The action concludes Sunday, February 28 with a top-25 quad-meet when ARIZONA (2-5) heads to Nebraska for a quad-meet against No. 11 Cornhuskers, No. 18 Denver and No. 25 West Virginia. No. 6 STANFORD (8-2) also hosts a quad-meet, welcoming CALIFORNIA (0-6), North Carolina and Eastern Michigan.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Friday, February 26

No. 7 OREGON STATE at No. 22 ARIZONA STATE, 7:30 p.m. MT
NO. 3 UCLA at Cal State Fullerton, 7 p.m. PT
NO. 8 Arkansas/Seattle Pacific at WASHINGTON, 7 p.m. PT

Sunday, February 28

No. 20 ARIZONA/No. 18 Denver/No. 25 West Virginia at No. 11 Nebraska, 2 p.m. CT
CALIFORNIA/North Carolina/Eastern Michigan at No. 6 STANFORD, 2 p.m. PT

All times are local to site

Rankings from GymInfo as of Feb. 22

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Friday, February 19

No. 1 Alabama 197.25; No.21 ARIZONA 195.1
No. 8 STANFORD 196.675; No. 24 ARIZONA STATE 195.9
No. 23 WASHINGTON 195.625; CALIFORNIA 189.325

Sunday, February 21

No. 9 UCLA 197.375; No. 3 OREGON STATE 196.325

GYMINFO TOP 25 POLL*By season averages as of 2/15/10*

1. Oklahoma	196.615
2. Alabama	196.595
3. UCLA	196.365
4. Florida	196.285
5. Georgia	196.205
6. STANFORD	196.170
7. OREGON STATE	196.150
8. Arkansas	196.050
9. Utah	195.995
10. LSU	195.745
11. Nebraska	195.630
12. Kentucky	195.435
13. Iowa State	195.315
14. Penn State	195.290
15. Michigan	195.275
16. Auburn	195.210
17. Illinois	195.150
18. Denver	194.945
19. Missouri	194.905
20. ARIZONA	194.590
21. Southern Utah	194.545
22. ARIZONA STATE	194.510
23. Michigan State	194.390
24. NC State	194.140
25. West Virginia	194.085

GYMINFO PRESEASON TOP 25 COACHES POLL

1. Georgia (13)	739
2. Utah (6)	718
3. Alabama (8)	680
4. Florida (2)	676
5. UCLA (2)	632
6. LSU	576
7. STANFORD	563
8. Arkansas	537
9. Oklahoma	516
10. OREGON STATE	503
20. ARIZONA	169
25. WASHINGTON	64
RV. ARIZONA STATE	

PAC-10 NOTES

ARIZONA: Against top-ranked Alabama, the Wildcats set a number of career highs, but that was not enough as they fell, 197.25-195.1. The Gymcats posted a season-high mark on the vault, earning a 49.225. SO **Talyn Curry** posted a personal best on vault, scoring a 9.85.

ARIZONA STATE: Four career-bests by JR **Mary Atkinson** helped the Sun Devils to their best score of the season. ASU dropped its top-25 dual with No. 6 Stanford, 196.675-195.5. Atkinson posted a career-high 39.5 in the all-around, a 9.9 on vault, 9.9 on bars and 9.9 on floor. She currently ranks 12th in the NCAA in the all-around with an average of 39.165.

CALIFORNIA: Competing in her fifth-straight all-around, FR **Madisyn O'Brien** earned her season-high score of 38.425 as the Golden Bears fell to then-No. 23 Washington, 195.625-189.325. O'Brien posted a career-high (9.675) on vault and on beam (9.65). SO **Shana Johnson** earned a personal best (9.65) on the floor.

OREGON STATE: SR **Mandi Rodriguez** earned her fourth-career Pac-10 Special Performance honor after executing the best beam routine of her career, posting a personal best 9.9 to win the individual title. OSU dropped its first match of the season to No. 3 UCLA, 197.375-196.325. Rodriguez ranks fourth in the NCAA in the all-around with an average of 39.37 and on floor (9.89), and seventh in the vault (9.89).

STANFORD: Competing in her hometown of Paradise Valley, Ariz., defending Pac-10 All-Around Champion SR **Carly Janiga** scored a collegiate career-high in the all-around (39.650) as the sixth-ranked Cardinal defeated No. 23 Arizona State, 196.675-195.5. Janiga won three events tying a career-best with a 9.95 on the beam, and winning the floor (9.925) and the bars (9.925).

UCLA: SO **Vanessa Zamarripa** earned her third-career Pac-10 Gymnast of the Week as the Bruins upset then-No. 3 Oregon State, 197.375-196.325, handing the Beavers their first loss of the season. The team score was the highest in the last five years for UCLA. Zamarripa won the all-around (39.675), vault (9.925) and floor (9.95) and was second on bars (9.925) and beam (9.875). For Zamarripa, it marked the third-straight all-around competition that she has won. For the season, she has scored a 9.9 or greater on 15 of her 26 routines across all apparatuses.

WASHINGTON: SO **Hatsune Akaogi** won her first outright competition of the season, recording a career-high 39.225 to lead the Huskies to a season-high team score and their first dual-meet victory over California, 195.625-189.425. Akaogi won the beam with a career-high 9.825 and placed second on bars, tying her personal best with a 9.85. JR **Kristen Linton** posted her first-career 9.9, the team's first 9.9 of the season en route to claiming the individual title on bars.

**UCLA'S ZAMARRIPA NAMED PAC-10
GYMNAST OF THE WEEK**

WALNUT CREEK, Calif. -- UCLA sophomore **Vanessa Zamarripa** merited Pac-10 Gymnast of the Week honors for Feb. 15-21, Commissioner Larry Scott announced today.

For the second-consecutive week, Zamarripa earns Pac-10 Gymnast of the Week. The O'Fallon, Ill., native won the all-around (39.675), vault (9.925) and floor (9.95), and was second on bars (9.925) and beam (9.875) as the ninth-ranked Bruins upset then-No. 3 Oregon State, 197.375-196.325. The team score was the highest score in the last five years for UCLA. Zamarripa won her third-straight all-around competition, tying a career high in the all-around. For the season, she has scored a 9.9 or greater on 15 of her 26 routines across all apparatuses.

This is the third-career weekly honor for Zamarripa and UCLA's Conference leading 29th all-time Pac-10 Gymnast of the Week selection.

ALSO NOMINATED:

Gymnast of the Week: Mary Atkinson, ASU; Madisyn O'Brien, CAL; Olivia Vivian, OSU; Carly Janiga, STAN; Hatsune Akaogi, WASH

2010 PAC-10 GYMAST OF THE WEEK:

Jan. 12 - **Elyse Hopfner-Hibbs, UCLA**
 Jan. 19 - **Carly Janiga, STAN**
 Jan. 26 - **Makayla Stambaugh, OSU**
 Feb. 2 - **Mandi Rodriguez, OSU**
 Feb. 9 - **Ashley Morgan, STAN**
 Feb. 16 - **Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA**
 Feb. 23 - **Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA**

**OREGON STATE'S RODRIGUEZ EARNS PAC-10
SPECIAL PERFORMANCE OF THE WEEK**

WALNUT CREEK, Calif. -- OREGON STATE senior **Mandi Rodriguez** merited Pac-10 Special Performance of the Week honors for Feb. 15-21, Commissioner Larry Scott announced today.

Rodriguez, a native of Baldwin, Calif., executed the best beam routine of her career, earning a career-high 9.9 to win the individual title, but the Beavers dropped their first match of the season, falling to ninth-ranked UCLA, 197.375-325. With Sunday's 9.9 on beam, Rodriguez owns career-highs of 9.9 or better on all four events.

This marks the fourth-career Pac-10 Special Performance honor for Rodriguez and Oregon State's ninth all-time selection.

ALSO NOMINATED:

Special Performance of the Week: Madison Snowden, ASU; Avery Gee, CAL; Alyssa Brown, STAN; Mizuki Sato, UCLA; Samantha Walior, WASH

2010 PAC-10 SPECIAL PERFORMANCE OF THE WEEK:

Jan. 12 - **Britnie Jones, ARIZ**
 Jan. 19 - **Elyse Hopfner-Hibbs, UCLA**
 Jan. 26 - **Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA**
 Feb. 2- **Brittani McCullough, UCLA**
 Feb. 9- **Becky Colvin, OSU**
 Feb. 16- **Anna Li, UCLA**
 Feb. 23- **Mandi Rodriguez, OSU**

Season Bests (Top Ten)

Weekly rankings provided by Troester.com. Rankings by highest average.

Pac-10 Regional Qualifying Average (Top Ten)**All-Around**

1.	39.370	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
2.	39.330	Carly Janiga, STAN
3.	39.165	Mary Atkinson, ASU
4.	38.995	Shelley Alexander, STAN
5.	38.860	Molly Quirk, ARIZ
6.	38.560	Aubree Cristello, ARIZ
7.	38.540	Sarah Tomczyk, ARIZ

Floor

1.	9.890	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
2.	9.875	Nicole Pechanec, STAN
3.	9.855	Ashley Morgan, STAN
	9.855	Carly Janiga, STAN
5.	9.850	Mary Atkinson, ASU
	9.850	Brittani McCullough, UCLA
7.	9.830	Tauny Frattone, UCLA
8.	9.810	Shelley Alexander, STAN
9.	9.805	Becky Colvin, OSU
	9.805	Sarah Tomczyk, ARIZ

Beam

1.	9.895	Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA
2.	9.850	Elyse Hopfner-Hibbs, UCLA
3.	9.825	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
4.	9.820	Laura-Ann Chong, OSU
5.	9.810	Carly Janiga, STAN
6.	9.795	Britnie Jones, ARIZ
7.	9.770	Allyse Ishino, STAN
	9.770	Anna Li, UCLA
	9.770	Molly Quirk, ARIZ
10.	9.740	Olivia Vivian, OSU

Bars

1.	9.905	Anna Li, UCLA
2.	9.895	Carly Janiga, STAN
3.	9.880	Laura-Ann Chong, OSU
4.	9.865	Allyse Ishino, STAN
5.	9.840	Mary Atkinson, ASU
6.	9.835	Brittani McCullough, UCLA
7.	9.830	Lichelle Wong, UCLA
8.	9.825	Jen Kesler, OSU
9.	9.800	Alyssa Brown, STAN
10	9.795	Shelley Alexander, STAN
	9.795	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
	9.795	Francesca Mercurio, ASU

Vault

1.	9.895	Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA
2.	9.890	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
3.	9.885	Becky Colvin, OSU
4.	9.880	Mark Atkinson, ASU
5.	9.875	Tauny Frattone, UCLA
6.	9.845	Makayla Stambaugh, OSU
	9.845	Ashley Morgan, STAN
8.	9.840	Shelley Alexander, STAN
	9.840	Anna Li, UCLA
10.	9.820	Callie Price, ASU

NCAA Regional Qualifying Average (Top Ten)**All-Around**

1.	39.525	Susan Jackson, LSU
2.	39.390	Casey Jo Magee, Arkansas
3.	39.375	Ashanee Dickerson, Florida
4.	39.370	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
5.	39.360	Morgan Dennis, Alabama
6.	39.354	Brandi Personett, Penn State
7.	39.330	Carly Janiga, STAN
8.	39.315	Jaime Pisani, Arkansas
9.	39.300	Sarah Shire, Missouri
10.	39.265	Kylee Botterman, Michigan

Floor

1.	9.915	Courtney McCool, Georgia
2.	9.905	Brandi Personett, Penn State
3.	9.900	Morgan Dennis, Alabama
	9.900	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
	9.900	Daria Bijak, Utah
	9.900	Annie DiLuzio, Utah
	9.900	Jackie Flanery, Oklahoma
	9.900	Ashanee Dickerson, Florida
9.	9.880	Susan Jackson, LSU
	9.880	Lora Evenstad, Nebraska
	9.880	Jaime Pisani, Arkansas

Beam

1.	9.900	Hollie Vise, Oklahoma
2.	9.895	Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA
	9.895	Casey Jo Magee, Arkansas
	9.895	Megan Ferguson, Oklahoma
	9.895	Grace Taylor, Florida
6.	9.885	Ashley Priess, Alabama
	9.885	Sarah Shire, Missouri
8.	9.855	Kelsey Knutson, Michigan
9.	9.850	Morgan Dennis, Alabama
	9.850	Elyse Hopfner-Hibbs, UCLA

Bars

1.	9.905	Anna Li, UCLA
2.	9.895	Hollie Vise, Oklahoma
	9.895	Carly Janiga, STAN
	9.895	Susan Jackson, LSU
5.	9.880	Laura-Ann Chong, OSU
6.	9.875	Kat Ding, Georgia
7.	9.870	Ashley Priess, Alabama
8.	9.865	Allyse Ishino, STAN
9.	9.860	Kylee Botterman, Michigan
10.	9.855	Natasha Kelley, Oklahoma

Vault

1.	9.930	Brandi Personett, Penn State
2.	9.920	Susan Jackson, LSU
3.	9.910	Kyndal Robarts, Utah
4.	9.900	Erin Davis, Nebraska
5.	9.895	Ashanee Dickerson, Florida
	9.895	Vanessa Zamarripa, UCLA
7.	9.890	Mandi Rodriguez, OSU
	9.890	Whitney Rose, Kentucky
	9.890	Jaime Pisani, Arkansas
10.	9.885	Becky Colvin, OSU

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2010 PACIFIC-10 WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS COMPOSITE SCHEDULE/RESULTS*(Times are local. Schedule subject to change.)***Friday, January 8***Salbasgeon Suites Invitational*

No. 10 OREGON STATE 195.625; No. 13 Illinois 192.85; Air Force 184.475; Alaska-Anchorage 183.475
 No. 15 Nebraska 195.7; No. 25 WASHINGTON 193.45

Saturday, January 9

No. 8 Arkansas 195.4; No. 20 ARIZONA 192.65
 No. 1 Georgia 195.15; No. 7 STANFORD 195.5
 No. 5 UCLA 196.6; No. 2 Utah 195.125

Friday, January 15*Lady Luck Invitational, 6 p.m.*

No. 15 Missouri 195.625; No. 14 Kentucky 195.525; No. 16 LSU 195.350; ARIZONA STATE 192.675
 No. 1 UCLA 196.125; No. 19 WASHINGTON 194.875

Saturday, January 16

No. 5 OREGON STATE 196.125; Ohio State 193.05

Sunday, January 17

No. 12 STANFORD 196.025; ARIZONA 194.675
 ARIZONA STATE 192.675; CALIFORNIA 191.8

Friday, January 22

No. 1 UCLA 194.425; San Jose State 191.95; CAL 190.375
 No. 5 OREGON STATE 195.7; No. 20 WASHINGTON, 192.8

Sunday, January 24

No. 20 ARIZONA 195.675; ARIZONA STATE 194.9
 No. 8 STANFORD 196.425; No. 1 UCLA 195.825

Friday, January 29

No. 20 ARIZONA 194.7; CALIFORNIA 189.375
 No. 6 OREGON STATE 196.225; No. 5 STANFORD 195.775

Sunday, January 31

No. 7 UCLA 196.55; ARIZONA STATE 193.475

Friday, February 5

No.6 UCLA 196.725; No. 18 ARIZONA 193.8
 No. 4 Utah 196.475; ARIZONA STATE 195.7

Sunday, February 7

No. 5 OREGON STATE 196.375; CALIFORNIA 190.1
 No. 8 STANFORD 196.65; No. 24 WASHINGTON 194.075
 Sacramento State 193.225; San Jose State 192.8

Friday, February 12

No.7 OREGON STATE 196.725; No. 21 ARIZONA 194.675

Saturday, February 13

No. 25 ARIZONA STATE 195.65; No. 24 WASHINGTON 195.425

Sunday, February 14

No. 8 STANFORD 195.975; No. 5 UCLA 195.625

Friday, February 19

No. 1 Alabama 197.25; No.21 ARIZONA 195.1
 No. 8 STANFORD 196.675; No. 24 ARIZONA STATE 195.9
 No. 23 WASHINGTON 195.625; CALIFORNIA 189.325

Sunday, February 21

No. 9 UCLA 197.375; No. 3 OREGON STATE 196.325

Friday, February 26

OREGON STATE at ARIZONA STATE, 7:30 p.m.
 UCLA at Cal State Fullerton, 7 p.m.
 Arkansas/Seattle Pacific at WASHINGTON, 7 p.m.

Sunday, February 28

ARIZONA/Denver/West Virginia at Nebraska, 2 p.m.
 CALIFORNIA/North Carolina/Eastern Michigan at STANFORD, 2 p.m.

Friday, March 5

WASHINGTON at ARIZONA, 7 p.m.
 Central Michigan at ARIZONA STATE, 7:30 p.m.
 CALIFORNIA/STANFORD at San Jose State, 7 p.m.
 OREGON STATE at LSU, 7 p.m.
 STANFORD at San Jose State, TBA

Saturday, March 6

UCLA at Georgia, 4 p.m.

Friday, March 12

Minnesota at ARIZONA, 7 p.m.
 ARIZONA STATE at BYU, TBA
 OREGON STATE/Penn State/Southern Utah at Utah, 7 p.m.
 WASHINGTON at Oklahoma, 7 p.m.

Sunday, March 14

CALIFORNIA/TWU at UC Davis, 2 p.m.
 Michigan State/Cal State Fullerton at UCLA, 2 p.m.

Friday, March 19

Kentucky at OREGON STATE, 7 p.m.
 WASHINGTON at Seattle Pacific, 7 p.m.

Saturday, March 20

ARIZONA/CALIFORNIA/NC State at Denver, 6 p.m.

Sunday, March 21

STANFORD at UC Davis, 2 p.m.

Saturday, March 27

Pac-10 Championships, Tucson, Ariz. 3 p.m.

Friday and Saturday, April 23 and 24

NCAA Event Finals