

**NO. 12 ST. FRANCIS DEFEATS NO. 16 PRINCETON, 13-11**

The Terriers lead 5-2 at the half and hold off a late Princeton rally to seal the win

LOS ANGELES – The No. 12 St. Francis men's water polo team won a third-round consolation bracket match at the SoCal Tournament with a 13-11 conference win over Princeton at Spieker Aquatics Center on Sunday morning. Senior Boris Plavsic led the Terriers with five goals, including three power play scores in the first and fourth periods. Senior goalie Nikola Djuric registered eleven saves in goal for St. Francis (13-2). Freshman Kurt Buchbinder added four more goals (including one on the power play) to lead Princeton (8-6). Senior goalkeeper Mike Merlone recorded five stops in the cage for the Tigers.

Princeton 11, St. Francis 13

Team	1	2	3	4	F
No. 16 Princeton	2	2	3	4	11
No. 12 St. Francis	5	3	3	2	13

Princeton Goals: Kurt Buchbinder 4, Jack Ruth 2, Matt Hale 2, Mike Helou, Connor Still, Chris Cottrell

Princeton Saves: Mike Merlone 5

St. Francis Goals: Boris Plavsic 5, Bosko Stankovic 3, Zoltan Danko, Alexandar Pantic, Stefan Gencic, Marko Gencic, Tamas Toth

St. Francis Saves: Nikola Djuric 11