

2003 UCLA BRUINS SOFTBALL

at Arizona/Arizona State • May 9-10 • Tucson/Tempe, AZ

UCLA hopes to continue the offensive display it showed on Sunday at Easton Stadium, and take that momentum through the final week-end of the regular season and into postseason play. The Bruins close out their Pac-10 schedule with a Friday night game at Arizona, followed by a Saturday night doubleheader at Arizona State. UCLA still has a chance at the Pac-10 Championship, but will need help in the form of a Washington victory over Arizona in order to achieve that goal. Sunday night will see the NCAA Division I softball tournament field announced on ESPNEWS at 7 pm Pacific Time. The Bruins know they will travel for postseason play, but will not know the location or opponents until Sunday night.

GOERL NAMED PAC-10 CO-PITCHER OF THE WEEK

Keira Goerl was named the Pac-10 Co-Pitcher of the Week on Monday, sharing the honor with Arizona's Alicia Hollowell. Goerl went 2-0 with a 0.00 ERA for the Bruins last week, pitching her 13th one-hitter of the year in Wednesday's win at Washington, and coming back with a 12-strikeout performance in UCLA's 10-2 six-inning win over Oregon State. Cal's Courtney Scott was named the Pac-10 Player of the Week.

BRUINS BLAST HUSKIES, DUCKS & BEAVERS IN WEEKEND SWEEP

UCLA accumulated staggering totals of 34 runs scored, 30 RBIs, 13 runs scored and a team batting average of .427 last week in victories over Washington (11-0), Oregon (4-3) and Oregon State (10-2 in 6 innings / 9-1 in 5 innings). Five Bruins had multiple home runs during the week, led by **Emily Zaplatosch** with three, and **Natasha Watley**, **Caitlin Benyi**, **Tairia Mims** and **Claire Sua** with two apiece. Both of Watley's home runs came during a 4-for-5 day in Seattle.

The Bruins were scheduled to play the first night game in the history of Easton Stadium on Saturday night. Oregon State and UCLA started the game at 7 pm on Saturday, but the game was called due to rain after 45 minutes with OSU leading 2-0. The Bruins came back to win the game 10-2 in six innings, then defeated OSU by a 9-1 margin in five innings in Sunday's scheduled game. In the suspended game, Mims turned in a 4-for-4 performance with four RBIs and a home run.

During nine innings of play on Sunday, the Bruins pounded out 26 hits, scoring 19 runs and hitting seven home runs and three doubles. As a team, UCLA hit .520 (26-for-50) during Sunday's play.

ZAPLATOSCH ADDED TO USA SOFTBALL'S TEAM CAMP LIST

UCLA freshman catcher **Emily Zaplatosch** has been named as one of nine players added to the National Team Selection Camp, USA Softball announced on Monday. Zaplatosch becomes the ninth current or former Bruin named to the 50-player list. (see full list on page 2 of this release)

UCLA vs. THIS WEEK'S OPPONENTS

No. 1/1 Arizona—The Wildcats took both games from UCLA when the nation's top two teams met at Easton Stadium in April, and the Bruins look to return the favor on Friday night. UCLA holds a 52-44 all-time record against Arizona. UA is coached by Mike Candrea, who will coach the U.S. Olympic Team in 2004. The Wildcats are led offensively by Autumn Champion (.454 BA) and Lovie Jung (.438 BA, 24 HR) and Alicia Hollowell (33-3, 0.69 ERA).

No. 15/16 Arizona State—UCLA posted a 6-0 win over the Sun Devils when the teams met at Easton Stadium on April 4, improving the Bruins all-time record against ASU to 74-17. ASU is coached by Linda Wells, who will coach the Greek Olympic Team in 2004. The Sun Devils are led offensively by Kara Brun (.390 BA, 10 HR), and in the circle by Desiree Serrano (17-13, 1.66 ERA).

NEXT WEEK IN BRUIN SOFTBALL

UCLA anticipates playing in an NCAA Regional next week. Opponents, location and times will not be announced until 7 pm PT on Sunday (ESPNEWS).

THIS WEEK IN BRUIN SOFTBALL

May 9	at No. 1/1 Arizona (audio on uclabruins.com)	Tucson, AZ	7 pm
May 10	at No. 15/15 Arizona State (Doubleheader)	Tempe, AZ	7 pm
May 11	NCAA Selection Show (live)	ESPNEWS	7 pm

2003 SCHEDULE

RECORD: 43-5; 15-3 PAC-10

JANUARY

FRI. 31-SUN. 2 STACY WINSBERG MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT
31 UCLA vs. LOYOLA MARYMOUNT _____ W, 9-0 (5)

FEBRUARY

1	UCLA vs. #10 CAL STATE FULLERTON	L, 2-0
1	UCLA vs. #22 ALABAMA	W, 5-4
2	UCLA vs. CAL STATE NORTHRIDGE	W, 2-0
5	at UC Riverside (DH)	W, 15-0/W, 20-0 (5)
Fri, 14-Sun, 16	UNLV Desert Classic (Las Vegas, NV)	
14	vs. #20 South Carolina	W, 12-0 (5)
14	vs. #7 LSU	W, 2-0
15	vs. Hawai'i	W, 10-2 (6)
15	vs. #4 Nebraska	W, 5-1
16	vs. Utah	W, 7-0
Fri, 21-Sun, 23	Florida Atlantic inv. (Boca Raton, FL)	
21	vs. Rutgers	W, 8-1
21	at Florida Atlantic (RV-28th)	W, 7-0
22	vs. Florida International	W, 3-0
22	vs. Long Island	W, 7-0
23	vs. Rutgers	W, 8-0 (5)
26	at UC Santa Barbara (DH)	W, 6-0; W, 2-0
FRI, 28-SUN, 2	EASTON CLASSIC (EASTON STADIUM)	
28	BOSTON COLLEGE	W, 9-0 (5)
28	MISSOURI	W, 8-0 (5)

MARCH

1	MISSOURI	W, 5-0
1	BOSTON COLLEGE	W, 10-1 (5)
2	MISSOURI	W, 2-0
Thu. 6-Sun. 9	at Hallowell Chevrolet Classic (Fresno, CA)	
6	vs. BYU	W, 6-0
7	vs. St. John's	W, 8-0 (5)
8	vs. Cal Poly	W, 5-0
9	vs. #13 DePaul	L, 1-0
9	at Fresno State	W, 5-0
25	at #8/8 Cal State Fullerton (DH)	W, 11-2 (5)
25	at #8// Cal State Fullerton (DH)	W, 8-2
28	at #9/12 Stanford*	W, 5-0
29	at #6/7 California*	W, 3-0
30	at #6/7 California*	W, 4-1 (8)

APRIL

4	#12/12 ARIZONA STATE*	W, 6-0
5	#2/2 ARIZONA*	L, 0-3
6	#2/2 ARIZONA*	L, 1-5
11	at #24/RV Oregon State*	W, 6-1
12	at #20/21 Oregon*	L, 4-5
13	at #20/21 Oregon	W, 9-3
18	#3/3 WASHINGTON*	W, 5-2
19	#3/3 WASHINGTON*	W, 10-0 (6)
25	#6/9 CALIFORNIA*	W, 10-0 (5)
26	#13/16 STANFORD*	W, 1-0
27	#13/16 STANFORD*	W, 3-2 (8)
30	at #4/5 Washington*	W, 11-0

MAY

2	#19/21 OREGON*	W, 4-3
3	#26/RV OREGON STATE*	W, 10-2 (6)
4	#26/RV OREGON STATE*	W, 9-1
9	at #1/1 Arizona*	7 pm
10	at #15/15 Arizona State* (DH)	7 pm
11	NCAA SELECTION (ESPNEWS)	7 pm PT
15-18	NCAA Regionals	TBD
22-26	College World Series	TBD

Home Games in **BOLD** at Easton Stadium; *-Pac-10 Conference Games, (DH)-Doubleheaders;
All Times Local to Site and subject to change
Rankings are ESPN.com/NFCA

USA TODAY/NFCA POLL

POLL #13/MAY 6, 2003

#	School (First-Place Votes)	Record	Points	Last
1.	*Arizona (22)	47-4	550	1
2.	UCLA	43-5	528	2
3.	Texas	43-7	506	3
4.	*DePaul	43-5-1	467	6
5.	Oklahoma	42-12	461	4
6.	*Cal State Fullerton	36-13	430	7
7.	Georgia	54-10	412	8
8.	*Washington	40-13-1	408	5
9.	*California	40-15	379	9
10.	Florida State	43-9	337	12
11.	*Nebraska	36-15	313	11
12.	*Louisiana State	45-14	308	10
13.	Oklahoma State	37-13	289	14
14.	Michigan	39-12	239	13
15.	*Arizona State	30-20	233	16
16.	*Alabama	41-19	212	17
17.	*Stanford	36-23	209	15
18.	*Oregon	30-16	173	21
19.	South Florida	51-15	151	19
20.	South Carolina	37-16	150	18
21.	Louisiana-Lafayette	40-8	111	22
22.	Texas A&M	35-20	96	20
23.	Iowa	37-13	45	23
24.	Southern Illinois	36-9	34	25
25.	Florida	38-21	28	NR

Opponents Receiving Votes: Hawaii 8, Oregon State 4

* indicates UCLA's 2003 opponents.

ESPN.com/USA SOFTBALL

MAY 6, 2003

#	School (First-Place Votes)	Record	Points	Last
1.	*Arizona (18)	47-4	450	1.
2.	UCLA	43-5	432	2.
3.	Texas	43-7	414	3.
4.	Oklahoma	43-11	383	5.
5.	*California	40-15	360	6.
6.	*DePaul	43-5-1	358	7.
7.	*Washington	40-13-1	338	4.
8.	*Cal State Fullerton	35-13	335	8.
9.	Georgia	54-10	323	9.
10.	Florida State	43-9	249	13.
11.	*Nebraska	36-15	239	10.
12.	Oklahoma St.	35-13	234	14.
13.	*LSU	45-14	233	11.
14.	*Stanford	35-20	229	12.
15.	*Arizona State	30-20	222	15.
16.	*Alabama	41-19	174	17.
17.	Michigan	39-12	167	16.
18.	*Oregon	30-16	154	19.
19.	*South Carolina	37-16	123	18.
20.	Texas A&M	35-20	94	20.
21.	South Florida	51-15	82	21.
22.	Louisiana Lafayette	40-8	68	22.
23.	Iowa	38-13	67	23.
24.	Florida	38-21	59	24.
25.	Michigan State	35-15	20	NR

Opp. Receiving Votes: Oregon State 14, Missouri 10, Hawaii 2



KEIRA GOERL, ONE-HIT WONDER

If you're looking for someone to pitch a one-hitter, junior pitcher **Keira Goerl** is who you want in the circle. Although the junior pitcher did complete her first no-hitter of the season on Mar. 28 at Stanford, Goerl turned in **a dozen (12)** one-hit performances during her first 20 decisions of the season, and added a 13th one-hitter on Apr. 30 at Washington. Goerl earned Pac-10 Pitcher of the Week honors on Feb. 25 for her performance at the FAU Worth Invitational, when she posted a 3-0 record with a 0.00 ERA, striking out 26 batters and holding opposing batters to a .050 batting average. Each of Goerl's three appearances were one-hitters. She then earned ESPN.com/USA Softball National Player of the Week and Pac-10 Pitcher of the Week honors on April 1 for her performances against Cal State Fullerton, Stanford and California. Goerl pitched her first no-hitter of the season and struck out 25 during her 22.1 innings in the circle en route to a 3-0 record. Goerl's opponents hit just .123 against her, including a .106 mark in Pac-10 play. She tallied a 0.31 ERA for the week. She was also named the Co-Pitcher of the Week on May 5, after posting a 0.00 ERA and 2-0 record against Washington and Oregon State, pitching her 13th one-hitter of the year against Washington and striking out 12 Oregon State batters in the softball game completed on May 4.

The Mar. 30 game at Cal saw an impressive streak end for Goerl when she allowed an earned run to the Golden Bears in the bottom of the seventh inning, snapping a streak of **98 innings** without having allowed an earned run. Her season totals now include 268 strikeouts through 233.0 innings in the circle for an average of 8.1 strikeouts per seven-inning game. She has a record of 31-5 with a 0.63 ERA, and ranks fifth in UCLA history with 745 career strikeouts (needs one to tie DeeDee Weiman for fourth). With her Mar. 30 win at Cal, Goerl became the fifth pitcher in UCLA history with 80 career pitching victories, currently holding a career record of 88-12.

TEN BRUINS INVITED TO USA SOFTBALL TEAM CAMP

USA Softball has announced a list of 50 players invited to participate in a selection team camp, June 4-8, at the ARCO Olympic Training Center in Chula Vista, CA. Ten current or former Bruins are among that 45-player list, including Kaci Clark (1995-96), Courtney Dale (1997, 99-2001), Lisa Fernandez (1990-93), Amanda Freed (1999-2002), **Keira Goerl**, Lyndsey Klein (1999-2000), **Tairia Mims**, Stacey Nuveman (1997, 99, 2001-02), **Natasha Watley** and **Emily Zaplatosch**. Two teams will be selected following the team camp. The National team will represent the USA at the U.S. Cup in Honolulu, HI (June 19-22), the Canada Cup in Surrey, B.C., Canada (July 4-13) and the Pan American Games in Santo Domingo (August 5-14). The USA Softball Elite Team will compete in the Canada Cup as well as the Japan Cup in Yokohama, Japan (July 18-20). USA Softball has scheduled the Women's Olympic Team Selection camp for September 3-8, 2003 in Chula Vista, CA. For a complete list of players invited to the June Team Camp, log on to www.usasoftball.com

ENQUIST IS NCAA DIVISION I'S WINNINGEST COACH

The 2003 season marks Sue Enquist's 15th campaign as head coach of the Bruin softball program. It is her 24th year as part of UCLA's softball coaching staff and her 28th year of involvement with the program as either a coach or player. Enquist has a **739-135-1 (.845)** coaching record, the highest winning percentage for an active NCAA Division I head coach, and **1,159 wins** in her Bruin softball career as a player, assistant coach and head coach, combined. As a player from 1975-78, Enquist became UCLA's first All-American while establishing the Bruin career batting average record of .401. She was the only UCLA player to complete her career with a batting average over .400 until Stacey Nuveman completed her senior year in 2002 (with a .466 average), a span of 24 years.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Yr.	Ht.	Hometown (High School)
2	Andrea Duran	3B/OF	R/R	Fr.	5-7	Selma, CA (Selma)
3	Allison Chislock	1B/OF	R/R	So.	5-8	Cypress, CA (Cypress)
5	Alissa Eno	IF/OF	R/R	Fr.	5-5	El Segundo, CA (El Segundo)
9	Amanda Simpson	OF	L/R	Jr.	5-3	Encinitas, CA (La Costa Canyon)
10	Erica Corley	OF	R/R	Fr.	5-8	Laguna Hills, CA (Laguna Hills)
11	Monique Mejia	2B/OF	R/R	Sr.	5-4	Corona, CA (Corona Santiago)
13	Julie Hoshizaki	2B/OF	L/L	Jr.	5-0	Cerritos, CA (Cerritos)
14	Keira Goerl	P	R/R	Jr.	5-10	Moreno Valley, CA (Valley View)
19	Caitlin Benyi	IF/OF	R/R	Fr.	5-9	Scottsdale, AZ (Horizon)
20	Claire Sua	IF/P	R/R	Jr.	5-8	Cooper City, FL (St. Thomas Aquinas)
21	Tairia Mims	1B/C	R/R	Sr.	5-7	Tucson, AZ (Salpointe Catholic)
22	Nicole Sandberg	C	R/R	So.	5-4	Orange, CA (Orange Lutheran)
23	Toria Auelua	C/3B	R/R	Sr.	5-6	Garden Grove, CA (Pacifica)
24	Emily Zaplatosch	C/1B	R/R	Fr.	5-7	Scottsdale, AZ (Horizon)
27	Natasha Watley	SS/OF	L/R	Sr.	5-10	Irvine, CA (Woodbridge)
33	Michelle Turner	P/OF	R/R	Fr.	5-9	Buena Park, CA (Kennedy)
44	Stephanie Ramos	OF	L/L	Jr.	5-5	Elk Grove, CA (Elk Grove)

WATLEY SPRINTS PAST PAC-10 STOLEN BASES RECORD

Senior shortstop **Natasha Watley** continues to set the tone for the Bruins offensively, batting in the leadoff spot, and anchors UCLA's defense as the team's starting shortstop. In addition to earning two National Player of the Week honors on **Mar. 11** following the Hedrick's Hollowell Chevrolet Classic (.786 average with at least two hits and one stolen base in all five of UCLA's games), she earned Pac-10 Player of the Week honors on **Feb. 25** for her performance at the FAU Worth Invitational, where she hit .500, going 8-for-13 with four runs scored, a triple, six stolen bases and a lead-off home run against Florida Atlantic, the first Bruin home run to lead off a game since Amanda Freed accomplished the feat on April 4, 2001 in game two of a doubleheader at Cal State Northridge.

Watley is hitting .503 this season with 55 runs scored, three triples, seven doubles, 10 home runs and 47 RBIs. On Sunday, April 27, Watley hit a game-tying home run in the fifth inning against Stanford, then ended the game with a walk-off home run to lead off the bottom of the eighth inning. She followed that game with a 4-for-5 two-home run performance at Washington on Apr. 30. Watley has held UCLA's career steals record since the conclusion of her freshman year, and took over the Pac-10 career steals record on Apr. 12, surpassing the 148 bases swiped by Arizona's Alison McCutcheon (1995-98). She currently has 152 career swipes, which ranks in the NCAA's career top-10. The only Bruin in history with multiple 100-hit seasons, Watley currently has 375, which is a UCLA record and ranks third on the NCAA's all-time list. Watley has also become the first Bruin in history to record 200 runs scored in a career, ranking eighth in Pac-10 history with 241, the top non-Arizona player on the list. She ranks in UCLA's career top-10 in at-bats (829/first), triples (19/2nd) and batting average (.451/2nd).

Last summer, Watley played with the U.S. World Championship Team as it earned the top seed for the 2004 Olympic Games to be held in Athens, Greece. Watley was named the Most Valuable Player of the World Championship tournament, hitting .516 (16-for-31) with 10 runs scored, four RBIs and five stolen bases in her 10 starts during tournament play.

MIMS PROVIDES POWER FOR BRUINS

A member of USA Softball's World Championship team last summer, **Tairia Mims** hit cleanup for the majority of the 2003 pre-conference season before moving to the third spot in the lineup at the Hedrick's Hollowell Chevrolet Classic. Mims, who defensively plays either first base or catcher, has a team-high 17 home runs this season, and is batting .471 on the year (66-for-140) with 14 doubles, a triple, 56 RBIs and 43 runs scored to go along with seven stolen bases.

Mims earned Pac-10 Player of the Week honors for her performance at the UNLV Classic, where she hit .647 for the five-game weekend, blasting three home runs, a triple, three doubles, a sacrifice fly and a walk for a 1.471 slugging percentage. She also had a stolen base during the weekend's play. Mims is currently second on UCLA's career lists with 56 home runs and 214 RBIs. Both of those UCLA career records are held by Stacey Nuveman (1997, 99, 2001-02), and are out of reach for Mims (NCAA record 90 home runs, 299 RBIs-4th NCAA all-time).

THREE BRUINS ON USA SOFTBALL'S LIST OF FINALISTS

Three UCLA players are among the 25 players named as finalists for the USA Softball Collegiate Player of the Year Award on Wednesday. **Keira Goerl**, **Tairia Mims** and **Natasha Watley** are the three nominated Bruins, with Goerl and Watley making a second consecutive appearance on this list of 25, having been so honored last season. The list will be cut to 10 players on April 29, and three finalists will be announced May 13. The winner of the 2003 USA Softball Collegiate Player of the Year Award will be announced May 21 at the opening ceremonies of the NCAA Women's College World Series.

WORLD TEAM/USA BRUINS

Three current Bruins, **Keira Goerl**, **Tairia Mims** and **Natasha Watley** played with USA Softball's World Championship team during the summer of 2002. The team won the World Championship Tournament, qualifying the U.S. for the 2004 Olympic Games as the Olympic tournament's top seed. **Watley** was named the MVP of the World Championship Tournament, while Mims and Goerl saw action in games leading up to the World Championship tournament.

Freshman **Emily Zaplatosch** participated with the U.S. Junior National Team in December 2002 as the team won the 2002 Pan Am Junior Championships in Hermasillo, Mexico, earning a berth in the 2003 Junior Women's World Championships to be held this summer in Nanjing, China. By virtue of her spot on the most recent Junior National Team, Zaplatosch will be involved in team selection for the Junior Women's World Championships. She will be joined at the August final tryout in Salem, OR, by Bruin teammate **Andrea Duran**. Duran was chosen from an open tryout held in Chino, CA, in early January.

BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS

Feb. 5 **Mims** and **Sua** vs. UC Riverside (G1)

Feb. 28 **Mims** and **Sua** vs. Missouri

Apr. 6 **Benyi**, **Mims** and **Sua** vs. ASU

GRAND SLAMS

Feb. 5 **Mims** at UC Riverside (G1, 17th inning)

BRUIN NO-HITTERS

Mar. 28 **Goerl** vs. Stanford (7 IP, 9K, 1BB)

HITTING STREAKS

Name	Longest	Current
Natasha Watley	19	5
Tairia Mims	14	-
Andrea Duran	8	2
Stephanie Ramos	7	4
Toria Auelua	7	4
Caitlin Benyi	6	4
Claire Sua	6	3
Emily Zaplatosch	6	2

MULTI-HIT GAMES

Name	2	3	4	5+	Tot
Natasha Watley	19	8	1	-	28
Tairia Mims	15	4	2	-	21
Caitlin Benyi	10	4	-	-	14
Stephanie Ramos	10	1	2	-	13
Emily Zaplatosch	9	2	-	-	11
Claire Sua	7	3	-	-	10
Andrea Duran	8	1	-	-	9
Monique Mejia	8	-	-	-	8
Toria Auelua	7	-	-	-	7

MULTI-RBI GAMES

Name	2	3	4	5+	Tot
Tairia Mims	8	4	2	1	15
Claire Sua	10	3	1	-	14
Natasha Watley	7	6	-	1	14
Caitlin Benyi	4	2	2	-	8
Emily Zaplatosch	4	1	1	-	6
Stephanie Ramos	3	1	1	-	5

SCORE BY INNINGS

Tm	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Ex	Total
UCLA	47	41	52	41	62	34	25	4	-	-	306
OPP	6	7	12	3	6	2	8	0	-	-	44

2003 BRUINS IN THE RANKINGS

Week	NFCA	ESPN.com/USA SB
Preseason	1	n/a
Feb. 19	1	n/a
Feb. 26	1	1
Mar. 5	1	1
Mar. 12	1	tie-1
Mar. 19	1	2
Mar. 25	1	1
Apr. 1	1	1
Apr. 8	2	2
Apr. 15	2	2
Apr. 22	2	2
Apr. 29	2	2
May 6		
Final		

PAC-10 SOFTBALL STANDINGS

PL.	SCHOOL	PAC-10	O'ALL	GB
1.	Arizona	17-1	48-4	—
2.	UCLA	15-3	43-5	2
3.	California	9-9	40-16	8
4.	Oregon	8-10	30-16	9
5.	Washington	7-11	40-13	10
	Arizona State	7-11	30-20	10
7.	Stanford	5-13	38-23	12
8.	Oregon State	4-14	31-27	13

PAC-10 PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

WEEK	PLAYER	SCHOOL
Feb. 11	Lovie Jung	ARIZ
Feb. 18	Tairia Mims	UCLA
Feb. 25	Natasha Watley	UCLA
Mar. 4	Kristen Rivera	WASH
Mar. 11	Kara Brun	ASU
Mar. 18	Erin Goodell	ORE
Mar. 25	Kristen Rivera	WASH
Apr. 1	Lovie Jung	ARIZ
Apr. 7	Courtney Fossatti	ARIZ
Apr. 14	Andrea Vidlund	ORE
Apr. 21	Brynnen Guthrie	OSU
Apr. 28	Claire Burnum	OSU
May 5	Courtney Scott	CAL
May 12		

PAC-10 PITCHERS OF THE WEEK

WEEK	PLAYER	SCHOOL
Feb. 11	Amy Harris	ORE
Feb. 18	Desiree Seranno	ASU
Feb. 25	Keira Goerl	UCLA
Mar. 4	Tia Bollinger	WASH
Mar. 11	Dana Sorensen	STAN
Mar. 18	Alicia Hollowell	ARIZ
Mar. 25	Tori Nyberg	STAN
Apr. 1	Keira Goerl	UCLA
Apr. 7	Alicia Hollowell	ARIZ
Apr. 14	Desiree Seranno	ASU
Apr. 21	Alicia Hollowell	ARIZ
Apr. 28	Alicia Hollowell	ARIZ
May 5	Hollowell/Goerl	ARIZ/UCLA
May 12		

NFCA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

WEEK	PLAYER	SCHOOL
Feb. 19	Jessica van der Linden	Fla. St.
Feb. 26	Kellin Arnold	UMass
Mar. 5	Leah Gulla	Oklahoma
Mar. 11	Natasha Watley	UCLA
Mar. 18	Lindsay Chouinard	DePaul
Mar. 25	Stephanie Best	Central Florida
Apr. 1	Cat Osterman, TX/Jylhia McMichael, Miss.St.	
Apr. 7	Alicia Hollowell	ARIZ
Apr. 14	Marissa Young	Michigan
Apr. 21	Jenny Gladding	Florida
Apr. 28	Courtney Foster	Northwestern
May 5	Cat Osterman	Texas
May 12		

ESPN.COM PLAYER OF THE WEEK

WEEK	PLAYER	SCHOOL
Feb. 18	Desiree Seranno	ASU
Feb. 25	Stacey Jennings	Tennessee
Mar. 4	Kristen Rivera	Washington
Mar. 11	Natasha Watley	UCLA
Mar. 18	Lindsay Chouinard	DePaul
Mar. 25	Michelle Green	Georgia
Apr. 1	Keira Goerl	UCLA
Apr. 7	Alicia Hollowell	ARIZ
Apr. 14	Cat Osterman	Texas
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Apr. 28	Courtney Foster	Northwestern
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May 12		

ZAPLATOSCH ZAPS BASERUNNERS

Freshman **Emily Zaplatosch** has done an impressive job behind the plate for the 2003 Bruins, throwing out 75% of base runners attempting to steal against her (10-for-15), including one in each game against Stanford Apr. 26-27. Zaplatosch is second in the Pac-10 in runners picked off with five, and a league-leading two in Pac-10 play. Offensively, she has been solid as well, batting .331 with eight home runs, 24 RBIs, a team-high 24 walks and a .990 fielding percentage on 302 chances.

Zaplatosch homered once in each of UCLA's doubleheader wins at UC Riverside on Feb. 5. At the UNLV Classic, Zaplatosch was one of two Bruins to hit .600 or better for the weekend, going 8-for-13 at the plate (.615) with a home run and a double, three runs scored and two RBIs for a .923 slugging percentage. Defensively, Zaplatosch threw out both runners who attempted to steal while she was behind the plate. During the first weekend of Pac-10 play, Zaplatosch caught Keira Goerl's no-hitter on Friday night at Stanford, caught two Cal base runners stealing and picked off a third during Saturday's game, and belted a two-run eighth-inning home run on Sunday at Cal.

BENYI BLASTS THREE HOMERS IN OREGON

Freshman outfielder **Caitlin Benyi** blasted three of her seven season home runs at Oregon's Howe Field on April 12 and 13, and had a two-home run game on May 4 at Easton Stadium against Oregon State. Benyi's fifth-inning home run in the Apr. 12 contest at Oregon started UCLA's comeback that fell just short, with the Bruins falling to the Ducks by a 5-4 margin. After getting hits in her final two at-bats that day, Benyi continued the hot streak in the Apr. 13 game, recording a single in her first at-bat of the day before putting her fourth home run of the season over the left field fence in the second inning, and hitting an opposite-field shot in the fourth to give UCLA a 6-0 lead. The Bruins would eventually win the contest by a 9-3 margin.

On Senior day at Easton Stadium (May 4), the freshman stepped up, going 3-for-3 with three RBI, two runs scored and two home runs off of Oregon State's Dena DuBois.

Benyi has played both right field and center field for the Bruins this season. She started the season hitting ninth in the lineup, and finished her first collegiate game by hitting a game-ending home run against Loyola Marymount. Benyi's homer pushed the Bruin lead to 9-0, and invoked the eight run rule in the bottom of the fifth inning. Benyi is the only Bruin starter without a defensive error.

OTHER NOTABLES

Senior **Toria Auelua** concluded her playing career at Easton Stadium in style, hitting a walk-off home run in UCLA's 9-1 victory over Oregon State on Senior Day, May 4. Auelua's two-out solo home run in her final at-bat at Easton Stadium brought UCLA's lead to 9-1, invoking the eight-run rule and ending the game ... Junior **Julie Hoshizaki** earned her first career start on Apr. 4 against Arizona State, as she batted ninth and played right field. Hoshizaki recorded her first career hit during the sixth inning of that game, a line-drive single through the left side of the infield ... **Allison Chislock** recorded her first career hit on Feb. 5 at UC Riverside, an RBI single to right field in UCLA's 20-0 game two victory ... **Amanda Simpson** started UCLA's season opener hitting ninth and playing left field. It was Simpson's first career appearance for the Bruins as anything other than a pinch-runner. Simpson made the most of the opportunity, drawing a walk and scoring a run in the game ... **Alissa Eno** was the fifth Bruin freshman to see game action, playing in both games of the Feb. 5 doubleheader at UC Riverside. In game one, Eno pinch-ran for Toria Auelua in the seventh inning, coming around to score on a home run by Emily Zaplatosch. Eno saw her first career plate appearance as a Bruin in game two, drawing an RBI walk in the fifth inning ... **Erica Corley**, a freshman outfielder from Laguna Hills, CA, has been added to the UCLA roster. Corley's first game in uniform for UCLA was the April 25 game at Easton Stadium against California. She has not seen game action.

"THE LAST TIME" IN UCLA SOFTBALL...

HITTING

A Bruin hit a grand slam... Tairia Mims, 2/5/03
at UC Riverside (G1) (top of the 7th at UCR Softball Field)

Bruins hit back-to-back home runs...
Tairia Mims and Claire Sua, May 4 vs. Oregon State
(suspended game), bottom of the third inning

Bruins hit back-to-back-to-back home runs...
Caitlin Benyi, Tairia Mims and Stephanie Ramos, April 4
vs. Arizona State, bottom of the 5th inning.

A Bruin hit a game-ending home run... Toria Auelua
5/4/03 vs. Oregon State, a two-out solo home run in the
bottom of the fifth inning that invoked the eight run rule.

An opponent hit a game-ending home run...
Lovieanne Jung, Arizona, 4/6/02

A Bruin hit two home runs in one game... Caitlin Benyi
5/4/03 vs. Oregon State, a 2-run HR in the first inning and
a solo HR in the 5th inning.

A Bruin hit two home runs in consecutive games...
Natasha Watley 4/27/03 vs. Stanford and 4/30/03 at
Washington

A Bruin hit three home runs in a single day...
Tairia Mims: 2 vs. Wisconsin 2/17/01; 1 vs. Nebraska
2/17/01, both at the UNLV Classic.

A Bruin led off a game with a home run...
Natasha Watley, 2/21/03 at Florida Atlantic

A Bruin had two hits in one inning...
Natasha Watley, 2/16/03 vs. Utah at the UNLV Classic,
1-1B, 1-2B, bottom of the third inning

A Bruin hit home runs in consecutive at-bats...
Natasha Watley, 4/27/03 vs. Stanford
(5th and 8th innings)

A Bruin hit home runs in three consecutive at-bats...

Stacey Nuveman, 4/7/02 at Arizona (5th, 7th innings);
2nd inning vs. Stanford 4/12/02 at Easton Stadium

A Bruin hit home runs in consecutive games...
Emily Zaplatosch, 5/4/03 vs. Oregon State, one in the
suspended game, one in the scheduled game.

A Bruin hit home runs in three consecutive games...
Claire Sua, 4/13/03 at Oregon, 4/18 vs. Washington and
4/19 vs. Washington

A Bruin hit home runs in four consecutive games...
Claire Sua, 4/13 at Oregon, 4/18 vs. Washington, 4/19 vs.
Washington and 4/25/03 vs. California

A Bruin hit home runs in five consecutive games...
Stacey Nuveman in 1997: 2/28 vs. Illinois-Chicago, 2/28
vs. Oregon (two HR), 3/1 vs. San Diego State, 3/1 vs.
Oklahoma State and 3/2 vs. Oregon State

A Bruin had four hits in a game...
Tairia Mims, 4-for-4 vs. Oregon State (scheduled game)
on 5/4/03 (1-HR, 3-1B)

A Bruin had two doubles in a game...
Tairia Mims 4/13/03 at Oregon

PITCHING

A Bruin pitched a no-hitter...
Keira Goerl, 3/28/03 at Stanford (8 K, 1 BB)

A Bruin pitched a perfect game...
Keira Goerl 3/6/01 (G1) vs. UC Riverside

A Bruin struck out 10 or more batters in a game...
Keira Goerl, 12 vs. Oregon State 5/4/03 (susp. gm)
2 hits, 12 SO, 1 BB

UCLA SOFTBALL'S "RECORD WHEN..."

Playing at home _____ 17-2
 Playing on the Road _____ 14-1
 Playing at a Neutral Site _____ 12-1
 Day Games _____ 33-5
 Night Games _____ 10-0

Bruins Held Scoreless _____ 0-3
 Scoring 1-4 runs _____ 11-2
 Scoring 5+ runs _____ 32-0
 Opponent Held Scoreless _____ 28-0
 Allowing 1-4 runs _____ 15-3
 Allowing 5+ runs _____ 0-2
 UCLA scores first _____ 38-1
 Opponent scores first _____ 5-4

Collecting 1-3 hits _____ 3-2
 Collecting 4-6 hits _____ 5-2
 Collecting 7-9 hits _____ 13-0
 Collecting 10+ hits _____ 22-1
 Out-hitting Opponent _____ 37-2
 Out-Hit by Opponent _____ 2-3
 Hits are tied _____ 1-0

Errorless _____ 20-1
 Committing One Error _____ 19-2
 Committing 2+ errors _____ 4-2
 Opponent is Errorless _____ 8-2
 Opponent has 1 error _____ 17-2
 Opponent has 2 errors _____ 12-1
 Opponent has 3+ errors _____ 6-0

One-run games _____ 4-2
 Two-Run games _____ 4-1
 5+ run games _____ 31-0
 Run-Rule Games _____ 16-0

UCLA hits home run _____ 29-2
 Opponent hits home run _____ 8-3

UCLA hits multiple HRs _____ 18-0
 UCLA hits 3+ HRs _____ 15-0

vs. Left-handed starters _____ 2-1
 vs. Right-handed starters _____ 41-4

In extra innings _____ 2-0
 Doubleheaders _____ 6-0
 (3 doubleheaders scheduled)
 Multiple-game days _____ 22-2
 (11 dates scheduled, includes DHs
 INCLUDES May 4 vs. OSU)

vs. Non-Conference _____ 28-2
 vs. Pac-10 (non-league) _____ 0-0
 vs. Pac-10 (league games) _____ 15-3

Pac-10 home _____ 9-2
 Pac-10 away _____ 6-1

vs. Ranked Opponents _____ 19-5
 vs. NFCA Top-10 Opponents _____ 10-3
 vs. ESPN.com Top-10 Opponents _____ 11-3

vs. Pac-10 schools _____ 15-3
 Arizona _____ 0-2
 Arizona State _____ 1-0
 Cal _____ 3-0
 Oregon _____ 2-1
 Oregon State _____ 3-0
 Stanford _____ 3-0
 Washington _____ 3-0

Days of the Week
 Monday _____ 0-0
 Tuesday _____ 2-0
 Wednesday _____ 5-0
 Thursday _____ 1-0
 Friday _____ 14-0
 Saturday _____ 11-3
 Sunday _____ 10-2

Months
 January _____ 1-0
 February _____ 18-1
 March _____ 12-1
 April _____ 9-3
 May _____ 3-0

BRUINS IN THE PAC-10 AND NCAA STATISTICS

TEAM	#	PAC-10	NCAA
Batting Average	.339	1st	1st
Slugging Percentage	.571	1st	—
On Base Percentage	.407	2nd	—
Walks (most=1st)	122	6th	—
Strikeouts (most=1st)	187	8th	—
Stolen Bases	75	1st	—
Runs Scored	306	2nd	2nd
ERA	0.72	1st	2nd
Opposing Batting Average	.136	1st	—
Batters Struck Out (most=1st)	306	5th	—
Runners Picked Off	5	t-2nd	—
Hits Allowed (fewest=1st)	143	1st	—
Runs Allowed	44	1st	—
Earned Runs Allowed	32	1st	—
Fielding Percentage	.974	2nd	t-10th
Chances	1387	8th	—
Stolen Bases Against (most=1st)	12	8th	—

INDIVIDUAL	#	PAC-10	NCAA
BATTING AVERAGE			
Natasha Watley	.503	1st	2nd
Tairia Mims	.471	2nd	6th

SLUGGING PERCENTAGE		NOT KEPT BY NCAA	
Tairia Mims	.950	2nd	
Natasha Watley	.767	4th	
Claire Sua	.689	6th	

ON-BASE PERCENTAGE		NOT KEPT BY NCAA	
Natasha Watley	.549	3rd	
Tairia Mims	.530	4th	

HITS		NOT KEPT BY NCAA	
Natasha Watley	82	1st	
Tairia Mims	66	3rd	

RBI			
Tairia Mims	56	4th	3rd
Natasha Watley	47	5th	t-14th
Claire Sua	42	8th	t-14th

DOUBLES			
Tairia Mims	14	4th	NR

TRIPLES			
Natasha Watley	3	t-2nd	NR

HOME RUNS			
Tairia Mims	17	3rd	t-4th
Claire Sua	14	6th	8th
Natasha Watley	10	t-9th	NR

STOLEN BASES			
Natasha Watley	29	1st	10th
Monique Mejia	11	t-6th	NR

ERA			
Keira Goerl	0.63	1st	4th
Michelle Turner	0.97	3rd	NR

STRIKEOUTS			
Keira Goerl	268	3rd	NR

VICTORIES			
Keira Goerl	31	2nd	3rd

NOTE: NCAA statistics are based on per-game averages.

Through games of May 4, 2003