

# TROJAN TRIVIA

**AFTER TIES** — USC is 36-14-4 in games immediately following a tie. The Trojans have won the last 13 contests they have played after a tie, dating to 1968.

**ARTIFICIAL TURF** — USC is 21-10-1 in its last 32 games on artificial turf.

**AUGUST RECORD** — USC has a 5-2 (.714) all-time record while playing in the month of August.

**BIG TEN COMPETITION** — USC has won 26 of its last 34 games (and 33 of its last 42) against Big Ten opponents. USC has twice played 3 consecutive games against Big Ten teams: Northwestern in the 1996 Rose Bowl, then Penn State and Illinois in 1996, and Indiana in the 1968 Rose Bowl, then Minnesota and Northwestern in 1968. There have been 5 times (1962-68-72-76-89) when USC has faced 3 Big Ten teams during a single season, although not consecutively.

**BOUNCE BACK** — USC has had back-to-back non-winning seasons just 13 times in its 112-year history, most recently in 2000 and 2001.

**CHRISTMAS** — USC has played 6 games on Christmas Day, going 3-3: in 1897 (18-0 loss at San Diego YMCA), 1907 (16-6 loss to Los Angeles High School), 1918 (10-0 win over Redlands), 1924 (20-7 post-season win over Missouri in the Christmas Festival), 1934 (33-7 win at Kamehameha High School Alumni) and 2001 (10-6 loss to Utah in the Las Vegas Bowl).

**DECEMBER GAMES** — USC has a 37-22-7 (.614) all-time record while playing in the month of December.

**DIAMONDS** — During 1992 and 1993, USC played 4 games in a stadium with a baseball field (Troy opened 1992 in Jack Murphy Stadium in San Diego, then played in Anaheim Stadium in the 1992 Freedom Bowl, 1993 Disneyland Pigskin Classic and 1993 Freedom Bowl). Before then, the last time USC played on a baseball field was in 1961, when the Coliseum was home to the Los Angeles Dodgers. USC's most recent games in a stadium with a baseball field were the 2003 and 2005 Orange Bowls in Pro Player Stadium in Miami and the 2005 game at Hawaii (although infield skin was covered with grass in all 3 games).

**DOMES** — USC is 3-0 inside domed stadiums, beating Washington State in Seattle's Kingdome in 1976, Texas A&M in the 1977 Bluebonnet Bowl in Houston's Astrodome, and Houston in the Astrodome in 1996.

**EARLY BIRDS** — USC's Aug. 25 opener in 1996 marked the earliest that Troy's season has opened in the modern era. (The earliest that USC's season has ended was Nov. 13, 1909.) USC's latest season opener was Dec. 7, 1901 and its latest home opener was Dec. 14, 1918 (USC didn't play any home games in 1900 or 1901).

**EARLY ENROLLEES** — Nine Trojans graduated a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC in the spring of their prep senior year: Jacob Rogers (1999), Tom Malone (2002), Brandon Hancock (2002), Brandon Ting (2003), Ryan Ting (2003), Fred Davis (2004), Michael Coleman (2005), Kevin Ellison (2005) and Antwine Perez (2006). And another Trojan--John David Booty (2003)--is believed to be the first football player to graduate a full year early from high school and enroll at a major Division I-A university.

**5-POINT LOSSES** — The 2001 season was the first time that USC lost 5 games all by 5 points or less.

**GOLDEN GRIDDERS** — Two football lettermen have won Olympic gold medals: Fred Kelly (1914,15,16) in the high hurdles in the 1912 Games (he is USC's first gold medalist) and Ken Carpenter (1934,37) in the discus in the 1936 Games. Although 2-time gold medalist Quincy Watts (400 meters and 1600 meter relay in the 1992 Olympics) never lettered in football, he was a receiver on the 1990 Trojans (he didn't get into a game).

**GOOD BYES** — USC is 85-42-4 in all regular season games it has played following byes. Since 1955, the Trojans are 46-13-1 following byes (6 of those losses and the tie were to UCLA). USC had 3 regular-season byes in 1996, 2003 and 2004, the first time that had happened since 1935.

**GRID/HOOPS** — USC is 11-7-1 against schools that won the NCAA men's basketball title the previous year.

**HOLLYWOOD TROJANS** — Among the USC footballers who gained fame on the silver screen are: John Wayne (he played tackle in 1925-26 under his real name, Marion Morrison), Ward Bond (a 1928-30 letterman best known for his role in "Wagon Train"), Mike Henry (a tackle from 1956-58 who played Tarzan), Tim Rossovich (a 1967 All-American defensive end who has been a supporting actor in various movies), O.J. Simpson (the 1968 Heisman Trophy winner starred in many TV and motion picture films), Anthony Davis (the 1974 All-American tailback was in various movies), Patrick Muldoon (a walk-on tight end in the mid-1980s who starred in soaps, including "Melrose Place," and films, including "Starship Trooper"), Brian Turk (a lineman in the late 1980s who appeared in various TV sitcoms and commercials), Shane Foley (the quarterback who lettered in 1989-90 was in various TV commercials), Nick Pappas (the ex-USC player, assistant coach and assistant athletic director doubled for Pat O'Brien as Knute Rockne in the football scenes of "Knute Rockne — All-American") and John Walker (a 2002-05 cornerback who appeared on such TV shows as "E.R." and "7th Heaven" as a child). Also, Irvine "Cotton" Warburton (an All-American back in 1933) won an Oscar for film editing on "Mary Poppins," while Aaron Rosenberg (a 2-time All-American guard in 1932-33) was a well-known TV and movie producer, Jess Hibbs (a 2-time All-American tackle in 1927-28) was a prominent film and TV director, Mickey McCardle (a halfback in the 1940s) was a distinguished TV and movie director, and Ken Del Conte (a halfback in the early 1960s) is a producer. Allan Graf (an offensive guard in the early 1970s) is a stunt man and second unit director. Producers Hilton Green (a team manager) and Barney Rosenzweig (a Yell Leader) also were associated with the Trojan football program.

**HOMECOMING** — USC has a 54-24-4 record in its Homecoming games, dating back to the first such event in 1924.

**HOME JERSEYS** — USC wore its home cardinal jerseys for the 2000 Kick-off Classic against Penn State (even though Troy was the visiting team) and for its 1999 game at Hawaii (at the request of the Rainbows). Before that, the last time USC wore cardinal in an opponent's stadium was against UCLA in the Rose Bowl in 1982. By the way, the last time USC wore its road white jerseys at the Coliseum was the 1960 Georgia game, because the Bulldogs only had red jerseys in those days (USC also wore white jerseys at home on a regular basis during the 1930s).

**IMPROVEMENT** — USC's best one-season improvement of its record was +6, as the 1962 national champion Trojans went from 4-5-1 in 1961 to 11-0.

**IN FLORIDA** — USC lost its first 4 games in Florida before beating Iowa in the 2003 Orange Bowl in Miami and then Oklahoma in the 2005 Orange Bowl.

**IRISH REBOUNDS** — USC is 7-10-1 versus Notre Dame when Troy was coming off a loss to UCLA. The wins were in 1950-55-70-80-82-96-98, the losses were in 1946-51-53-54-57-59-66-84-86-92, and the tie was in 1994.

**LABOR DAY** — USC is 1-4 on Labor Day, with the win coming in its most recent Labor Day contest (2002 versus Auburn).

**LAST SECOND LOSSES** — The 2001 season was the first time that USC lost 2 games in the final 12 seconds.

**MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL** — USC is 16-11 in games on Monday, including 3-2 in Monday games at night. Troy is just 4-8 in regular season Monday games. USC's last Monday game was a 24-17 win over Auburn at home in 2002 (it was a night game).

**ND COACHES** — USC is 5-3 in games when a Notre Dame coach was coaching the final regular-season game in his Irish career, with the Trojan wins coming in the past 5 such occasions (2004 with Tyrone Willingham, 1996 with Lou Holtz, 1980 with Dan Devine, 1974 with Ara Parseghian and 1962 with Joe Kuharich).

**NICKNAMES** — Some of the more famous nicknames in Trojan gridiron lore: A.D. (Anthony Davis), Aircraft (Mark Carrier), Amblin' Amby (Ambrose Schindler), Antelope Al (Al Krueger), B-Boys (Pete Beathard, Hal Bedsole, Willie Brown, Ben Wilson), Bambi (Mike Hull), Batman (Richard Wood, Gidion Murrell), Bear (Byron Darby), Betto (Norberto Garrido), BKU (Kenchi Udeze, as in Big Kenchi Udeze), Blackjack (Harry Smith), Bobble (Chris McFoy), The Bookend All-Americans (Duane Bickett and Jack Del Rio, both outside linebackers), Boomer (Nick Vanderboom), Buck (William Buchanan), Bug (Kevin Williams, 5-9 and 165 pounds), Bullet (Roy Baker), Butch (Walt Underwood, Kendall Nungesser), Butter (Ted Gorrell), Cadillac (Cleveland Colter), Cardiac Kids (1968 and 1969 teams), Champ (Melvin Simmons), Comet (Curtis Conway), Cotton (Irvine Warburton), Cotton Clubs (tackles for a loss by Marcus Cotton), Declerators (knockdown blocks by Dave Cadigan), Deuce (Taitusi Lutui), D. Hale (his first name is Donald, but he goes by D.), The Duck (Mike Garrett), End Around (Ray Sparling), Field Marshall (Marshall Duffield), Forrest Mozart (that's his real name), Gazoo or Gnat (Ken Grace), Gloomy Gus (Coach Elmer Henderson), Gramps (Randy Tanner), Hobo (Howard Kincaid), Inky (Haskell Wotkins), Iron Mike (Mike Garrett), Izzy (Israel Ifeanyi), Jackhammers (tackles for a loss by Jack Del Rio), Jaguar Jon (Jon Arnett), J.J. (John Jackson), Juice (O.J. Simpson), Jupiter (walk-on Jupiter Ehrlich; yes, that's his real name), Lojack (Lawrence Jackson), Lone Ranger (David Webb, who put a bar of grease paint across his eyes when playing), Mad Dog (Tim Lavin), Mystic (Jim Powers), The Noblest Trojan of Them All (Morley Drury), Patch (Hershel Dennis), Pinball Wizard (Ricky Ervins), President (Reggie Bush), Prince Hal (Hal Bedsole), Racehorse (Russ Saunders), Razor (Mike Battle), Red (Morris Badgro), Rolls (Mazio Royster), Sam Bam (Sam Cunningham), Scissors (Windrell Hayes), Shakes (Jonathan Mosley, who has Tourette's syndrome), Slam (Sam Anno), Slinky (Marvin Pollard), Speedy (Alcee Hart), Squeeze (John Kamana), Sugarbear (Charles Hinton), Sunny (Sunny Byrd; yes, that's his real name), Sweet (Jim Musick), Sweet Peete (Rodney Peete), Tay (Raymond Brown), Tee (Artimus Parker), Tex (Michael Williams), The Thundering Herd (Coach Howard Jones' teams), Thunder and Lightning (LenDale White and Reggie Bush), Tiny (Alatini Malu), Trapper (Travis Claridge), Tree (Charles Young, who was 6-4 and 228 pounds), Turd (Pete Adams' dog, the unofficial mascot of the 1972 team), Turk (Derrell Marshall), Wild Bunch (the 1969 defensive line of Al Cowlings, Jimmy Gunn, Willard Scott, Tody Smith, Tony Terry and Charlie Weaver), Wild Bunch II (the 2003 defensive line of Kenchi Udeze, Shaun Cody, Mike Patterson and Omar Nazel).

**NIGHT TIME** — USC's first night game was on Oct. 14, 1944 against St. Mary's Pre-Flight in Fresno. The first USC night game in the Coliseum was Oct. 23, 1944 versus Washington. USC's 7 night games in 2004 is a school record.

**NO. 1** — USC has a 62-5-2 (.913) record in games when ranked No. 1 by AP, including 5-1 in bowls. USC has been ranked first in a weekly AP poll 76 times.

**NOS. 35 AND 55** — In recent years, the No. 35 jersey was handed down to a "stereotypical" inside linebacker. The chain of succession: Riki Gray (Ellison), Rex Moore, Scott Ross, Jeff Kopp, Taso Papadakis (Taso's brother, tailback Petros Papadakis, wore it from 1997 to 2000) and Lee Webb (he also played fullback). The No. 55 went to the prototype outside or inside linebacker (Junior Seau, Willie McGinest, Israel Ifeanyi, Chris Claiborne, Markus Steele and now Keith Rivers).

**NOVEMBER RECORD** — USC has a 225-121-20 (.642) all-time record while playing in the month of November.

**OCTOBER RECORD** — USC has a 281-104-19 (.744) all-time record while playing in the month of October.

**O-LINE** — There have been 29 first team All-American offensive linemen from USC since 1964 and 19 Trojan offensive linemen have been first round NFL draft picks since 1968.

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**OLYMPIC RECORD** — USC is 172-52-10 (.756) in seasons that the Summer Olympics have been held. The Trojans won 4 national championships (1928, 1932, 1972 and 2004) and played in 10 bowls (winning 7) during those Olympic seasons.

**ONE GAME TURNAROUND** — USC once had an 87-point turnaround from one game to the next. In 1985, the Trojans lost to Arizona State, 24-0, then came back the following game to defeat Oregon State, 63-0.

**OPENERS** — USC's record in all season openers is 82-23-8 (.761), with 36 shutout victories. In season openers at home, the Trojans are 57-16-7 (.756), while their record in season openers on the road is 25-7-1 (.773).

In conference openers, USC is 63-16-5 (.780) and Troy has won 25 of its last 35 (and 38 of its last 49). In conference openers at home, the Trojans are 37-7-3 (.819). Their mark in conference openers on the road is 26-9-2 (.730), having won 21 of their last 28.

The earliest USC has opened conference play since joining a league in 1922 was Sept. 3, 1994 against Washington.

USC's record for home openers is 86-18-7 (.806). In road openers, USC is 73-27-8 (.713).

Incidentally, in games immediately following USC's 31 non-winning season openers, Troy is 20-7-4, including wins 13 of the past 14 times (dating to 1960).

**PAC-10 WINS** — In 1988, USC became the first Pac-10 team to win 8 conference games in a season.

**POLYNESIANS** — Among the Polynesians who have played at USC: George Achica, Pat Ah-Hing, Al Aliipule, Michael Alo, Charley Ane, Salo Faraimo, Paul Green, Harold Han, Stanley Havili, Arthur Hemingway, John Kamana, Kolomona Kapanui, Gaylord Kuamoo, Chris Limahelu, Taitusi Lutui, Malaefou MacKenzie, Faesea Mailo, Kaluka Maiava, Alatini Malu, Fred Matua, Rey Mauuluga, Junior Moi, Johnny Naumu, Sol Naumu, Kennedy Pola, Troy Polamalu, Junior Seau, Lofa Tatupu, Mosi Tatupu, Travis Tofi, Titus Tuiasosopo, Brian Tuliua and Junior Utu.

**POPULAR DAYS** — Oct. 10, Oct. 15, Oct. 16, Oct. 23, Oct. 24, Oct. 30 and Nov. 7 are the most popular days in USC's regular season history, as the Trojans have played 16 games on each of those days. Jan. 1 is the all-time leader, with 30 USC games on that day.

**PRESIDENTIAL PRECEDENT** — Since 1929, USC has played in the Rose Bowl during the term of every U.S. President.

**PRESIDENTIAL RECORD** — USC is 188-59-14 (.747) during presidential election years. The Trojans are 118-26-5 (.809) in years when Republicans won the White House and 70-33-9 (.663) when Democrats won. USC has won 4 national championships (1928-32-72-2004) during presidential election years.

**PRO BASEBALL/FOOTBALL** — Two Trojans have played both major league baseball and professional football. Morris "Red" Badgro played baseball with the Browns (1929-30) and football with the New York Yankees (1927), New York Giants (1930-35) and Brooklyn (1936). Rex Johnston was with Pittsburgh's baseball Pirates (1964) and football Steelers (1960).

**RADIO** — USC home football games were first regularly-aired on Los Angeles' radio airwaves in the 1927 season (with Bill Henry announcing on KHJ, Glen Rice on KNX, Bert Heller on KPLA and Carl Havelin on KFI). USC's 1923 Rose Bowl game against Penn State was the first college football game radio broadcast in Los Angeles (on KHJ).

**RAIN** — USC has a 20-21-2 record in games in which it rained during a major portion of the contest. USC's last such rain game was versus Notre Dame in 2004 (USC won, 41-10).

**RAIN OUT** — The final 2:36 of USC's 1990 win (35-26) at Ohio State was suspended by game officials when a heavy rainstorm with thunder and lightning hit.

**SAME STADIUM** — USC's 1992 season finale and its 1993 opener, both in Anaheim Stadium, marked the first time that Troy played 2 straight games in the same stadium (besides the Coliseum) since 1935, when it played Kamehameha High's Alumni and the University of Hawai'i in the same Honolulu location.

**SEASON ENDERS** — USC is 61-41-11 (.588) in all season finales.

**SELLOUT** — USC's last home sellout was the 2005 UCLA game. In 2005, USC's 4 home sellouts, 9 regular-season sellouts and 10 season (including bowls) are all school records. USC's 4 consecutive home sellouts in 2005 (Washington State, Stanford, Fresno State and UCLA) is a school record.

**SEPTEMBER RECORD** — USC has a 150-37-8 (.790) all-time record while playing in the month of September.

**SNOW** — The last time USC played in snow was on Nov. 30, 1957 at Notre Dame (the Irish won, 40-12). The temperature was 20 degrees. The 1965 USC-Notre Dame game in South Bend was played in sleet and rain (the Irish won that one, too, 28-7).

**STATE** — 1998 was the first time that USC faced 4 consecutive "State" opponents (San Diego State, Oregon State, Florida State and Arizona State) in a season. Over a 2-year span, Troy also once played 4 "State" schools in a row, closing 1990 against Michigan State in the Hancock Bowl and then opening 1991 against Memphis State, Penn State and Arizona State.

**STREAK BUSTERS** — USC has twice "busted" an opponent's 20-plus game winning streak: beating Tennessee in the 1940 Rose Bowl to end the Volunteers' 23-game streak and tying Notre Dame in 1948 to end the Irish's 21-game streak. Conversely, USC's school-record 34-game winning streak was stopped by Texas in the 2006 Rose Bowl.

**SUNDAY** — USC has played only 4 games on a Sunday, going 2-2: the 1993 opener versus North Carolina in the Disneyland Pigskin Classic (USC lost, 31-9), the 1996 opener against Penn State in the Kickoff Classic (USC lost, 24-7), the 1998 opener versus Purdue in the Pigskin Classic (USC won, 27-17) and the 2000 opener versus Penn State in the Kickoff Classic (USC won 29-5).

**3 FOR THE ROAD** — 1992 was the first time that USC started a season with 3 road games in a row (in 1918 Troy began with 1 at a neutral site and then 2 on the road, while in 1900 USC opened with 1 road game and then 2 at a neutral site).

**10-POINT LOSSES** — The 1999 season was the first time that USC lost 6 games all by 10 points or less.

**1,000-YARD RUNNERS** — USC is tied with North Carolina for most 1,000-yard runners in a season, 25-25. Troy's last rushers to break the 1,000-yard barrier were tailbacks Reggie Bush (1,740 yards) and LenDale White (1,302) in 2005.

**TOUGH STARTS** — Before Paul Hackett won his Trojan debut in 1998, USC's previous 6 head coaches — Don Clark, John McKay, John Robinson (twice), Ted Tollner and Larry Smith — all failed to win their debut.

**TRAVELOGUE** — USC has played football in 33 of this country's 50 states, as well as in Japan. In order of appearance, USC has played in California, Washington, Utah, Arizona, Oregon, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Hawai'i, Ohio, Louisiana, Maryland, New York, Minnesota, Texas, Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa, Colorado, Oklahoma, Florida, Nebraska, Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Tennessee, Missouri, South Carolina, Japan, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Nevada and Kansas.

**TRICK OR TREAT** — USC is 6-5 in games played on Halloween.

**TROJANS MIKESIDE** — Numerous Trojan footballers have parlayed their playing days into a sports announcing career. Some of the more prominent Trojan announcers who have been on national broadcasts: Frank Gifford, Lynn Swann, Pat Haden, Marcus Allen, Ronnie Lott, Sean Salisbury, O.J. Simpson. Those who have been on the local airwaves: Paul McDonald, Tim Ryan, Petros Papadakis, John Jackson, Mike Garrett, Anthony Munoz, Mike Lamb, Mark Carrier, Jeff Kopp.

**TROY** — USC has had just 6 lettermen with the appropriate first name of Troy (Troy Garner, Troy Polamalu, Troy Richardson, Troy Van Blarcom, Troy West and Troy Winslow). Polamalu was the only one to win All-American first team acclaim.

**TURNAROUNDS** — In 113 seasons of USC football, the Trojans have lost 4 or more games 34 times. But following 8 of those 4-plus loss seasons, USC "turned it around" to win the Rose Bowl the next year (1938-43-62-67-72-76-78-84).

**TV OUTLETS** — USC has appeared live on 29 different television broadcasting outlets. The Trojans have won on the air of all but 3 of those outlets (KTLA, Innovative and a local Memphis station).

**21-14** — USC has played 1,061 football games in its history and only once—when Troy went to Berkeley in 1951 and snapped No. 1-ranked California's 38-game winning streak—has the final score been a very football-like 21-14 (win or loss).

**UCLA-ND** — USC is 19-18-2 (.513) against UCLA in seasons when Troy's next game is against Notre Dame. Troy is 16-19-4 against Notre Dame in games immediately following the Bruin game, including 9-9-3 when the Trojans are coming off a win over UCLA. Conversely, although USC has faced its two traditional rivals in the same season 68 times, it has played the Irish and then the Bruins back-to-back in that order only twice (1937 and 2004).

**UCLA-ND SWEEP** — USC has defeated both UCLA and Notre Dame in the same season 15 times, with 9 of those occasions occurring in back-to-back Bruin/Irish games (1938-56-62-64-72-74-76-78-2002), once on consecutive Irish/Bruin games (2004) and the other 5 times (1967-79-81-2003-05) coming when the Irish game was in October and the Bruin contest in November/December. In years that USC swept UCLA and Notre Dame and then played in a bowl, the Trojans are 11-2 in bowls (wins in the 1938-62-67-72-74-76-78-79-2002-03-04 seasons and the losses in 1981-2005). USC has swept UCLA and Notre Dame in 4 consecutive seasons once (2002-05).

**UNDER 100** — Since 1946, there have been 8 seasons when USC did not allow any runner to rush for 100 yards (1951-56-59-61-63-72-82-2002).

**VERSUS NO. 1** — USC is 7-11 all-time versus teams ranked No. 1 in the AP poll.

**VERSUS RANKED TEAMS** — The most AP-ranked teams USC has faced in a season is 9, in 2002. Only twice has USC faced 4 AP-ranked teams in a row in the same season, in 1952 and 2002 (on 2 other occasions, the Trojans faced 4 consecutive ranked opponents, but those were over a 2-season span: 1973-74 and 1988-89).

**VERSUS UNRANKED TEAMS** — Since the AP poll began in 1936, 1956 was the only time that USC went an entire season without playing a ranked team. Conversely, USC has gone through an entire season without earning an AP ranking only 5 times (1941, 1948, 1958, 1961 and 2001).

**WILD BUNCH** — Known as "The Wild Bunch," USC's stellar 1969 defensive line—coached by legendary assistant Marv Goux—consisted of ends Jimmy Gunn and Charles Weaver, tackles Al Cowlings and Tody Smith and middle guards Willard 'Bubba' Scott and Tony Terry (he was hampered by a hamstring injury for much of the season and was not able to appear in the famed gunslinger photo). It was Cowlings who dubbed the unit "The Wild Bunch"—after director Sam Peckinpah's hit 1969 Western movie of that name—for their reckless abandon and hard-nosed style of play. "The Wild Bunch" helped USC go 10-0-1, including a Rose Bowl win over Michigan. In the UCLA game, they sacked Bruin quarterback Dennis Dummit 10 times for losses of 75 yards. Playing in an era of powerful running games, "The Wild Bunch" allowed just 2.3 yards per carry. Gunn, Weaver and Cowlings each were All-American first teamers in their careers. Then, 34 years later, assistant coach Ed Orgeron's dominant 2003 defensive line—tackles Shaun Cody and Mike Patterson and ends Kenechi Udezue and Omar Nazel—was dubbed by the media as "The Wild Bunch II." They were instrumental in helping USC to its first national championship since 1978. They led a defense that finished first in the nation in rushing yards allowed per game (60.2) and per carry (1.84), both school records, as well as sacks (38.5) and tackles for loss (67). Only one runner gained 100 yards that season. Udezue, the national sack co-leader (16.5), was a consensus All-American first teamer.

# USC ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

## 1994 Inductees (Charter Class)

Jon Arnett (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Clarence "Buster" Crabbe (Swimming)  
 Rod Dedeaux (Coach)  
 Braven Dyer (Media)  
 Mike Garrett (Football, Post-1960)  
 Al Geiberger (Golf)  
 Frank Gifford (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Marv Goux (Special Recognition)  
 Howard Jones (Coach)  
 Fred Lynn (Baseball)  
 John McKay (Coach)  
 Parry O'Brien (Track and Field)  
 Bill Sharman (Basketball)  
 O.J. Simpson (Football, Post-1960)  
 Stan Smith (Tennis)  
 Norman Topping (Special Recognition)

## 1995 Inductees

Marcus Allen (Football, Post-1960)  
 Dean Cromwell (Coach)  
 Morley Drury (Football, Pre-1960)  
 John Ferraro (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Mal Florence (Media)  
 Jess Hill (Coach)

Julie Kohl (Special Recognition)  
 Ronnie Lott (Football, Post-1960)  
 Marlin McKeever (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Mike McKeever (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Cheryl Miller (Basketball)  
 Orv Mohler (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Charles Paddock (Track and Field)  
 Mel Patton (Track and Field)

Giles Pellerin (Special Recognition)  
 Erny Pinckert (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Dennis Ralston (Tennis)  
 Roy Saari (Swimming)  
 Tom Seaver (Baseball)

Gus Shaver (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Dave Stockton (Golf)  
 Brice Taylor (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Irvine "Cotton" Warburton (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Charles White (Football, Post-1960)

## 1997 Inductees

Johnny Baker (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Ricky Bell (Football, Post-1960)  
 Raymond "Tay" Brown (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Peter Daland (Coach)  
 Charlie Dumas (Track and Field)  
 Arnold Eddy (Spirit Award)

Ron Fairly (Baseball)  
 Mort Kaer (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Allan Malamud (Media)  
 Ron Mix (Football, Post-1960)  
 Jess Mortensen (Coach)  
 John Naber (Swimming)  
 Alex Olmedo (Tennis)

Nick Pappas (Spirit Award)  
 Aaron Rosenberg (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Ambrose Schindler (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Bob Seagren (Track and Field)  
 Scott Simpson (Golf)  
 Ernie Smith (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Paul Westphal (Basketball)  
 Ron Yary (Football, Post-1960)

## 1999 Inductees

Garrett Arbelvide (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Jerry Buss (Spirit Award)  
 Bob Chandler (Football, Post-1960)  
 Cynthia Cooper (Basketball)  
 Anthony Davis (Football, Post-1960)  
 Homer Griffith (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Jim Hardy (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Jesse Hibbs (Football, Pre-1960)

Gene Mako (Tennis)  
 Mark McGwire (Baseball)  
 Anthony Munoz (Football, Post-1960)  
 Russ Saunders (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Harry Smith (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Craig Stadler (Golf)

Francis Tappaan (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Harley Tinkham (Media)  
 Jack Ward (Special Recognition)  
 Vern Wolfe (Coach)

Cynthia Woodhead (Kantzer) Brennan (Swimming)  
 Frank Wykoff (Track and Field)  
 Louis Zamperini (Track and Field)

## 2001 Inductees

Hal Bedsole (Football, Pre-1970)  
 Bob Boyd (Coach)  
 Brad Budde (Football, Post-1970)  
 Don Buford (Baseball)

Sam Cunningham (Football, Post-1970)  
 Jack Davis (Track and Field)  
 Craig Fertig (Spirit Award)  
 Bruce Furniss (Swimming)

Ray George (Howard Jones Memorial Award)  
 Jimmy Gunn (Football, Pre-1970)  
 Lee Guttero (Basketball)  
 Alex Hannum (Basketball)  
 Tom Kelly (Media)

Lenny Krayzelburg (Spirit Award)  
 Rick Leach (Tennis)

Earle Meadows (Track and Field)  
 John Rudometkin (Basketball)  
 Makoto Sakamoto (Gymnastics)  
 Bill Sefton (Track and Field)  
 Bill Thom (Baseball)

Steve Timmons (Volleyball)  
 Ralph Vaughn (Basketball)

## 2003 Inductees

Nate Barragar (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Ken Carpenter (Track and Field)  
 Paul Cleary (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Lillian Copeland (Track and Field)  
 Howard Drew (Track and Field)

Marshall Duffield (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Debbie Green (Volleyball)  
 Pat Haden (Football, Post-1960)  
 John Hall (Media)

Clarence "Bud" Houser (Track and Field)  
 Fred Kelly (Track and Field)  
 Steve Kemp (Baseball)

Grenville "Grenny" Lansdell (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Dallas Long (Track and Field)  
 Dick Leach (Coach)

Mike Nyeholt (Spirit Award)  
 Carson Palmer (Football, Post-1960)  
 Murray Rose (Swimming)  
 Jim Sears (Football, Pre-1960)  
 George Toley (Coach)

Stan Williamson (Football, Pre-1960)  
 Gwynn Wilson (Administrator)  
 Don Winston (Special Recognition)  
 Tex Winter (Basketball)  
 Richard Wood (Football, Post-1960)

## 2005 Inductees

Dick Attlesey (Track and Field)  
 Jack Beckner (Gymnastics)  
 John Berardino (Baseball)

Chuck Bittick (Swimming, Water Polo)  
 Jim Brideweser (Baseball)

Willie Brown (Football, Pre-1970, Baseball)  
 Jeff Cravath (Coach, Football Pre-1970)

Rich Dauer (Baseball)  
 Ken Flower (Basketball)  
 Bud Furillo (Media)

Lou Galen (Spirit Award)  
 Joe Gonzales (Baseball)

Elmer "Gloomy Gus" Henderson (Coach)  
 Wally Hood (Baseball)

Willis O. Hunter (Administration)  
 Sim Iness (Track and Field)  
 Payton Jordan (Track and Field)

Bruce Konopka (Baseball)  
 Mike Larrabee (Track and Field)  
 Lisa Leslie (Basketball)

Katherine B. Loker (Spirit Award)  
 Bob Lutz (Tennis)

Bruce Matthews (Football, Post-1970)  
 Clay Matthews (Football, Post-1970)  
 Sam Randolph (Golf)

Bill Seinoth (Baseball)  
 Lynn Swann (Football, Post-1970)

Hal Urner (Baseball)  
 Paula Weishoff (Volleyball)

(Note: The Hall of Famers are selected by a 75-member voting panel consisting of media and USC alumni and athletic department supporters. To be eligible, athletes must have completed their last season of eligibility at USC 10 years ago, except in certain circumstances.)

## LOS ANGELES MEMORIAL COLISEUM

The Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum is one of the greatest and largest stadiums in America. It combines the traditional and the modern into a premier athletic environment. In 205, The Sporting News named the Coliseum among the nation's 40 best stadiums to experience college football.

USC has played football in the Coliseum ever since the grand stadium was built in 1923. In fact, the Trojans played in the first varsity football game ever held there (beating Pomona College, 23-7, on Oct. 6, 1923). That game was preceded that day by the USC freshman team's 30-0 win over Santa Ana High.

Construction on the Coliseum took less than 2 years, with ground breaking ceremonies held on Dec. 21, 1921, and work completed on May 1, 1923. Initial construction costs were \$800,000.

The Coliseum was the site of the 1932 Olympic Games and hosted the opening and closing ceremonies and track events of the 1984 Olympics. Over the years, the Coliseum has been home to many sports teams besides the Trojans, including UCLA football, Los Angeles Rams, Raiders, Express and Xtreme football, and Los Angeles Dodgers baseball. The Coliseum has hosted various other events, from concerts and speeches to track meets and motorcycle races.

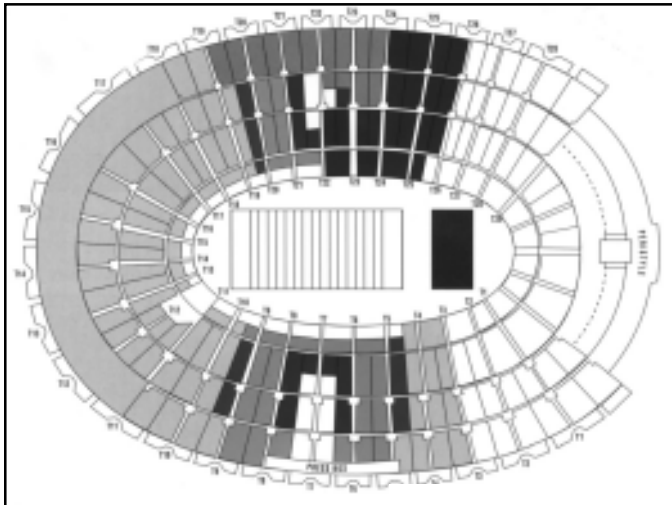
There have been 13 seasons--1923 to 1925, 1995 to 2000 and 2002 to 2005--that USC was the stadium's sole football tenant.

Prior to the 1993 football season, the Coliseum underwent a \$15 million renovation. The Coliseum's floor was lowered 11 feet and the running track was removed to create a more intimate stadium. Fourteen new rows of seats (approximately 8,000 seats) were added down low, bringing fans closer to the playing field (the first rows of seats between the goalposts are a maximum of 54 feet from the sideline, instead of the previous 120 feet). During this renovation, the lockers and public restrooms were also upgraded.

Southern California's damaging January, 1994 earthquake hit the Coliseum hard, requiring some \$93 million of repairs. And, in the summer of 1995, a new \$6 million press box was constructed.

The Coliseum has a present full-capacity of 92,000 seats (almost all are chair-back seats). However, for most USC games, a retractable fabric covers many seats, bringing the Coliseum's capacity to about 68,000. There are approximately 25,000 seats from goal line to goal line, including both the north and south sides.

The Coliseum is located on 17 acres in Exposition Park, which also houses museums, gardens and the Los Angeles Sports Arena.



## HERITAGE HALL

Heritage Hall, which sits in the middle of the University of Southern California campus, houses the University's athletic department and celebrates the glorious Trojan athletic heritage. USC has produced 361 Olympic athletes, won 106 national team championships and developed 50 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship recipients.

Originally 48,000 square feet and built at a cost of \$2.8 million, the 3-level brick and concrete colonnaded building opened in 1971. Heritage Hall was designed by Grillias, Savage and Alves of Santa Ana, Calif. Myers Brothers Construction Company, Inc., of Los Angeles was the general contractor. Initial construction began in Feb. 5, 1970. It has been expanded three times: in 1984 (a 6,000-square foot addition to the weight room), in 1992 (a 13,500-square foot expansion that houses the Academic Resource Center) and in 1998 (a 3,000-square foot addition to the Jess Hill Weight Room). Heritage Hall is located close to USC's various athletic practice and competition on-campus facilities.

Between the north and south wings on the building's ground level are some of USC's numerous athletic trophies, including various NCAA team championships, 7 Heisman Trophies and the jerseys of Troy's winners (Mike Garrett, O.J. Simpson, Charles White, Marcus Allen, Carson Palmer, Matt Leinart, Reggie Bush), swimmer John Naber's Sullivan Award, Angela Williams' Honda-Broderick Cup and updated displays honoring recent successful Trojan athletes. There are also busts of USC athletic directors Willis O. Hunter and Jess Hill, football coaches Howard Jones and John McKay, and track coach Dean Cromwell, as well as one of actor John Wayne (who played football at USC in the 1920s under his real name, Marion Morrison). Wall plaques acknowledge special financial contributors to the USC athletic program. The north wing houses a 200-seat auditorium and a formal lounge, while some coaches and administrators have offices in the south wing. A patio area extends outside to the west (placed in the patio floor are plaques commemorating the members of USC's Athletic Hall of Fame).

Heritage Hall's upper level is the home to many administrative and coaches' offices (located on the south "Jess Hill Wing" and north "John McKay Wing," respectively). The Honors Rail, which encircles the open-air foyer above the first floor lobby, has bronze medallions saluting every Trojan who won an Olympic gold medal, captured an NCAA individual championship or was named a first team All-American in an NCAA sport in which there are no individual champions (i.e. football, basketball, baseball, volleyball, water polo). Also on the second floor are busts of USC football running backs Morley Drury ("The Noblest Trojan of Them All") and Ricky Bell. Like on the ground floor, tucked in alcoves on both ends of this floor are other athletic trophies and team displays.

The underground lower level of Heritage Hall houses various locker rooms, plus the equipment room, medical training room, the Jess Hill Weight Room, and the McAlister Academic Resource Center (which features tutoring, counseling, study and computer rooms for USC's student-athletes).

Because of space limitations, USC's golf, swimming, water polo and women's soccer coaches are located in the nearby Kennedy Aquatics Building, while the baseball staff has offices at Dedeaux Field (the baseball stadium), the track and field staff has offices in Loker Stadium and the men's and women's basketball and volleyball staffs have offices in the Galen Center.

Outside the northwest corner of Heritage Hall, the \$3-million Galen Center--a popular sports-themed dining and activity center--opened in early 1999.

The USC football team practices at nearby Howard Jones Field, which was expanded in the fall of 1998 to include Brian Kennedy Field. In early 1999, Goux's Gate--named after the late popular long-time former assistant coach Marv Goux--was erected at the entrance to the practice field.

USC's other on-campus athletic facilities include the McDonald's Swim Stadium (site of the 1984 Olympic swimming and diving competition), Marks Tennis Stadium, Cromwell Track and Field (which includes the 3,000-seat Katherine B. Locker Stadium), the McAlister Soccer Field, the 1,500-seat Lyon Center (a campus recreation center which hosts some Trojan intercollegiate events) and the Physical Education Building (housing the 1,000-seat North Gym).

The 10,000-seat, \$147-million on-campus Galen Center (and adjoining practice facility), completed in August of 2006, is the new home to the Trojan basketball and volleyball teams, as well as the site of various cultural events.



# TROJAN SPIRIT

## Traveler, USC's Mascot

Traveler, the noble white horse that appears at all USC home football games with a regal Trojan warrior astride, is one of the most famous college mascots.

Traveler first made an appearance at USC football games in 1961 (in the home opener versus Georgia Tech). Bob Jani, then USC's director of special events, and Eddie Tannenbaum, then a junior at USC, had spotted Richard Saukko riding his white horse, Traveler I, in the 1961 Rose Parade. They persuaded Saukko to ride his white horse around the Coliseum during USC games, serving as a mascot. Ever since, whenever USC scores, the band plays "Conquest" and Traveler gallops around the Coliseum.

Because of poor health, Saukko stopped riding after the 1988 season (he passed away in March of 1992). His successors have been Cass Dabbs, Rick Oas, Tom Nolan, Ardeshir Radpour, Chuck O'Donnell (Saukko's stepson) and current rider Hector Aguilar. Patricia Saukko DeBernardi (Saukko's widow) was Traveler's owner and trainer until she retired following the 2002 season. She asked Joanne Asman to take over with her own Traveler in 2003 (she also trains and houses the horse for USC). She is president of Asman & Associates, an entertainment and event planning company in Burbank, Calif., and she has spent more than 15 years training and managing equestrian performers.

The current Trojan mascot is Traveler VII. Even though the breed of horse may have changed over the years — Travelers I through VI ranged from an Arabian/Tennessee Walker to a pure-bred Tennessee Walker to a pure-bred Arabian to an Andalusian — Traveler's color has always remained pure white.

In the fall of 2004, USC alumnus Bill Tilley ('61) and his wife, Nadine, donated \$2 million to provide a permanent endowment to support Traveler. Bill is the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Jacmar Companies, a multi-faceted international restaurant and food service enterprise and majority owner of the highly successful B.J.'s Restaurant and Brewery. Nadine is an avid breeder of champion Andalusian horses. She and Bill hope that a future Traveler will be bred at Tilley's Andalusians, her Hemet ranch which is now known as "The Home of Traveler".

Saukko first appeared on Traveler in the outfit that actor Charlton Heston wore in "Ben Hur." That proved to be too cumbersome, so Saukko crafted his own leather costume in 1962, modeled after the Tommy Trojan statue on the USC campus (that outfit is still being used). But he still sometimes wore Heston's helmet. Interestingly, Saukko was once employed by Jim Crowley, one of Notre Dame's "Four Horsemen."

Legend has it that Heisman Trophy tailback O.J. Simpson decided to come to USC after seeing Traveler on a televised football game. And Trojan faithful swear the horse has an effect on the outcome of games.

**"(Former USC coach) John McKay didn't want to admit that the horse had anything to do with his success," said Saukko, "but he'd always give me a wink when he saw me waiting in the Coliseum tunnel."**

**Added former USC All-American defensive back and assistant coach Nate Shaw: "The horse is one of the greatest inspirational devices USC has. It definitely got the adrenaline going when I was playing and I think it still has an effect on the players. When I was coaching against USC (at Oregon State), we hated to see that horse come down the tunnel because it got USC a little more pumped up."**

Traveler not only appears at Trojan home football games (and even at some away games, including the 1995 Cotton Bowl in Dallas and the 2005 Orange Bowl in Miami, the farthest Traveler has traveled), but also at other Trojan events, as well as at grade and high schools, charity functions and parades (including the past 41 Rose Parades). Traveler has also appeared on screen (including "The Asia Music Awards," "Road To El Dorado," "The Battle of the Gun-fighter" and "Snowfire"), on stage (including in the Long Beach Ballet's "Nut-cracker Ballet"), in commercials, in print (Vogue magazine) and at personal appearances with many celebrities (including Janet Jackson, Jamie Foxx, LeeAnne Rimes, Fabio and Fred Roggin).

Incidentally, Traveler I was not the first equine mascot for Troy. The first appearance of a white horse at a Trojan football game occurred as early as 1927, when Louis Shields began a four-year stint aboard a horse owned by a local banker. In 1948, band director Tommy Walker once had USC colors carried by a Trojan on a palomino. Then, before kickoff of the 1954 USC-Pittsburgh game, Arthur J. Gontier III, then a member of the Trojan Knights spirit group (subbing for another rider who backed out at the last moment), shakily rode a rented gray/white horse while donning a costume once worn by actor Jeff Chandler. A more accomplished rider, USC alum Bob Caswell, and his white horse, Rockazar, took over the following game and performed until retiring in 1959.

Besides these horses, USC once even had a canine mascot. A mutt named George Tirebiter I (famous for chasing cars through the USC campus) first appeared at football games in 1940. He survived a publicized dog-napping by UCLA in 1947, but succumbed under the tires of an automobile in 1950. He was succeeded by George II for 3 years (1950-52), then George III for 1 year (1953) and finally George IV for 1 year (1957).



**TRAVELER**

## Tommy Trojan

In the center of the USC campus stands one of the most famous collegiate landmarks in the country: Tommy Trojan. Since being unveiled in 1930 for USC's 50th jubilee, the statue of the bronzed Trojan warrior has served not only as a popular meeting place on campus, but as a symbol of the university's fighting spirit.

Sculpted by Roger Noble Burnham (the idea for the statue was conceived by Harry Lee Martin and Dr. James D. McCoy), Tommy Trojan cost \$10,000 to build. A \$1 surcharge then on season football tickets helped pay for it.

The statue is a composite of many USC football players from the late 20s, most notably 1930 Rose Bowl Player of the Game Russ Saunders and All-American Erny Pinckert.

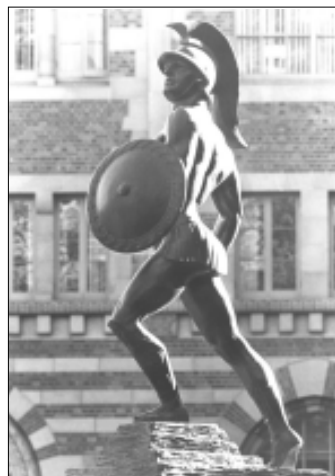
**"Burnham made more than 100 oil paintings of various football players from our squad," said Saunders, "and from them he selected the paintings of Pinckert and me. We put in a lot of hours posing, and the result you see is my head, chest and shoulders. The rest is all Erny."**

Inscribed on the statue's base is "THE TROJAN" and the university's seal, with the Latin motto "Palmarum qui meruit ferat (Let him who deserves it bear away the palm)." Below the seal are inscribed the qualities of the ideal Trojan: "Faithful, Scholarly, Skillful, Courageous and Ambitious."

The tradition of Tommy Trojan being painted blue and gold by UCLA pranksters was first recorded in October of 1941. Since then, Tommy has been "hit" often, but now USC maintenance crews cover him with plastic and canvas for protection during the week of the annual USC-UCLA football game.

And Tommy's sword has been stolen so often that now, instead of replacing it each time with an expensive brass one, he is given a wooden one.

By the way, where did he get the name Tommy? Of that, no one is sure!



**TOMMY TROJAN**

### RICHARD SAUKKO MEMORIAL FUND

The Richard Saukko Memorial Fund was established in 1993 to provide funds for Traveler in memory of Richard Saukko, the horse's original rider.

Donations should be made out to the "RSMF" and sent to: Don Ludwig, Lyon University Center, USC, Los Angeles, Calif. 90089-2500, (213) 740-5127.

## Victory Bell



**VICTORY BELL**

The winner of the annual USC-UCLA football game, perhaps America's greatest crosstown rivalry, is given year-long possession of the Victory Bell.

The 295-pound bell originally clanged from atop a Southern Pacific freight locomotive. It was given to UCLA in 1939 as a gift from the UCLA Alumni Association. For 2 seasons, cheerleaders rang the bell after each Bruin point.

At the opening game of UCLA's 1941 football season, 6 members of USC's Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity infiltrated the UCLA rooting section. After the game, they helped Bruin students load the bell onto a waiting truck bound for Westwood. But then, one Trojan quietly removed the key to the truck, and while the Bruins went to get a replacement, the Trojans drove off with the bell.

The bell remained hidden for more than a year, first in the fraternity's basement, then in the Hollywood Hills, Santa Ana and other locations. At one point, it was even concealed beneath a haystack. Bruin students tried to locate the bell, but to no avail.

The controversy died down for a while, until a picture of the bell was printed in "The Wampus," a USC magazine. This re-ignited the rivalry, as students from UCLA retaliated by painting the Tommy Trojan statue at USC and then Trojan students burned USC initials on UCLA lawns. Police had to be called several times. The conflict got so out of hand that Dr. Rufus B. von KleinSmid, then USC's president, threatened to cancel the USC-UCLA game if any further disorders occurred.

On Nov. 12, 1942, the bell was wheeled in front of Tommy Trojan and the student body presidents of both schools — USC's Bill McKay and UCLA's Bill Farrer — signed an agreement stating that thereafter the annual winner of the Trojan-Bruin gridiron clash would keep the bell for the following year. In the case of a tie, the bell would be retained by the school that won the previous year's game. The USC Alumni Association later repaid the UCLA Alumni Association for half the cost of the bell.

At the time, the arrangement might have seemed like a bad deal for the Bruins, since they had yet to defeat USC. But that first year, 1942, UCLA beat USC, 14-7.

Since the bell became a trophy, its carriage has been painted cardinal 36 times while in USC's possession and blue 27 times while in UCLA's hold (there were 4 ties).

Although the Victory Bell is one of college football's most famous trophies, it is probably the least seen. For all but 2 days of the year, the bell sits in a warehouse or a vault. The universities only display the bell during the first 3 quarters of the USC-UCLA game and on the Monday following the game, when it is delivered to the winning school's campus. Then the Victory Bell, which gained its reputation from being hidden, goes back into hiding.

## Lexus Gauntlet Trophy

To highlight the year-long all-sports competition between crosstown rivals USC and UCLA, the Lexus Gauntlet trophy is awarded annually to the school with the most successful athletic year against the other. Points are awarded to the winner of each Trojan-Bruin head-to-head contest and the Lexus Gauntlet is awarded to the school with the most points at year's end. The Southern California Lexus Dealer Association is the title sponsor of every USC-UCLA athletic competition. This is the first time the two universities have partnered with a corporate entity for complete rivalry sponsorship. USC captured the inaugural trophy in 2001-02, UCLA won it in 2002-03, the Trojans recaptured it in 2003-04, the Bruins won it back in 2004-05 and it returned to Troy in 2005-06.



## Shillelagh



**SHILLELAGH I**



**SHILLELAGH II**

A jeweled shillelagh is passed between the annual winner of the USC-Notre Dame game, perhaps the finest inter-sectional rivalry in college football.

A shillelagh (pronounced "shuh-LAY-lee") is a Gaelic war club made of oak or blackthorn saplings from Ireland. Those are the only woods used because, it is said, they are the only ones tougher than an Irish skull.

The foot-long shillelagh has ruby-adorned Trojan heads with the year and game score representing USC victories, while emerald-studded shamrocks stand for Notre Dame wins. For tie games, a combined Trojan head/shamrock medallion is used. On the end of the club is engraved, "From the Emerald Isle." The victor of the Trojan-Irish game gains year-long possession of the trophy.

Upon its initial presentation in 1952 by the Notre Dame Alumni Club of Los Angeles, it was said that "this shillelagh will serve to symbolize in part the high tradition, the keen rivalry and above all the sincere respect which these two great universities have for each other."

The original shillelagh was flown from Ireland by Howard Hughes' pilot, according to legend. It was devised by the Notre Dame Alumni Club of Los Angeles, based on a suggestion by Vern Rickard. John Groen designed it. Although the shillelagh was introduced in 1952, the medallions go back to the start of the series in 1926.

When the original shillelagh ran out of space for the Trojan heads and shamrocks after the 1989 game, it was retired and is permanently displayed at Notre Dame.

A new shillelagh — slightly longer than the original — was commissioned by Jim Gillis, a former baseball player at both USC and Notre Dame and a one-time president of the Notre Dame Club of Los Angeles, and handcrafted in 1997 in County Leitrim, Ireland. It contains medallions beginning with the 1990 game.

There are now 42 shamrocks, 30 Trojan heads and 5 combined medallions on the shillelachs.

## Origin of USC's Nickname — Trojans

USC's nickname, "Trojans," originated in 1912. Up to that time the University of Southern California teams were called the Methodists or Wesleyans, nicknames which were not looked upon with favor by university officials.

So, Warren Bovard, director of athletics and son of university president Dr. George Bovard, asked Los Angeles Times sports editor Owen Bird to select an appropriate nickname.

**"At this time, the athletes and coaches of the university were under terrific handicaps," recalled Bird. "They were facing teams that were bigger and better-equipped, yet they had splendid fighting spirit. The name 'Trojans' fitted them.**

**"I came out with an article prior to a showdown between USC and Stanford in which I called attention to the fighting spirit of USC athletes and named them 'Trojans.' From then on, we used the term 'Trojan' all the time, and it stuck.**

**"The term 'Trojan' as applied to USC means to me that no matter what the situation, what the odds or what the conditions, the competition must be carried on to the end and those who strive must give all they have and never be weary in doing so."**

## Colors: Cardinal & Gold

Before 1895, the official color of USC was gold. The official color of the College of Liberal Arts was cardinal. The college had its own official color because it was the largest academic unit in the University. In 1895, both colors were adopted as USC's official colors.

# TROJAN MARCHING BAND

The Trojan Marching Band — known as “The Spirit of Troy” — is the most dynamic and innovative collegiate band in the nation. Named among the 8 best marching bands in the country by USA Today, the band is one of USC’s most visible public relations tools.

Established in 1880, the band has played for seven Presidents and has appeared in numerous movies (including “Forrest Gump” and “The Naked Gun”), commercials and television shows (including twice at the Academy Awards and with OutKast’s Andre 3000 at the 2004 Grammy Awards, plus on “L.A. Law,” “Hollywood Squares” and MTV’s “Rock and Jock”). The band even earned platinum albums when it recorded the title track of the rock group Fleetwood Mac’s popular 1979 album, “Tusk,” and was on the group’s live 1996 reunion album, “The Dance.” And it has produced several albums of its own music (featuring the well-known “Conquest” and “Fight On”).

Among the many famous musicians who have played in the band as students was Herb Alpert of the Tijuana Brass (he was in the cornet section). And among the various guest artists who have appeared with the band were John Phillip Souza (in 1924), Henry Mancini, Quincy Jones, Chuck Mangione, Leonard Bernstein, Diana Ross, Neil Diamond, John Wayne, Kenny Rogers, Tower of Power, Bozo the Clown (Larry Harmon) and The Offspring’s Dexter Holland.

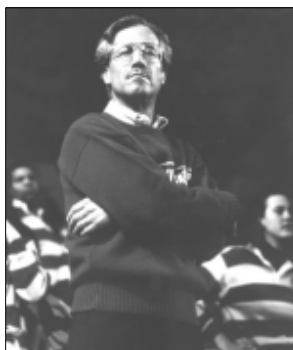
A typical football halftime show by the band (with precision drills, special musical charts and dance routines) takes more than 100 hours to prepare. The band marches about 90 miles a year while traveling across the land supporting every USC athletic team. In fact, it hasn’t missed a Trojan football game, at home or away, since 1987 (its trips to the Bay Area and Notre Dame are much anticipated). The band makes more than 300 engagements each year, including at professional sporting events throughout Southern California.

Approximately 20 percent of its members are music majors, with almost every school and department represented among the balance. Now 270-plus members strong, the Trojan Marching Band has tripled in size since Dr. Arthur C. Bartner became its director in 1969 (he is assisted by long-time arranger Tony Fox). A graduate of Michigan, Bartner brought with him a creative approach and the unique, contemporary “drive-it” style of marching.

Nationally-renowned, Bartner directed the 800-member 1984 Olympic All-American College Marching Band (125 bandmen were from USC) in the opening and closing ceremonies at the Games. It was the second time the band was involved with the Olympics, as it formed the 10th Olympic Braid in the 1932 Los Angeles Games. The band has also performed at 4 Super Bowls, the 1988 World Series, the 1994 World Cup and the 2002 NHL All Star Weekend.

Bartner was also Director of Bands for the Japan Bowl in Tokyo and directed the All-American College Marching Band at Disneyland. During its summer vacations, the band travels the world as goodwill ambassadors of USC. In 1986, Bartner and 40 band members were part of the ceremonies of Liberty Weekend at the refurbished Statue of Liberty. In 1988, he brought the band to Australia to perform at festivities for that country’s bicentennial and at World Expo 88 (one of three World Expositions it has appeared, along with Spain in 1992 and Portugal in 1998). The band also performed at the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of D-Day in France, toured Germany in 1990 to celebrate the fall of the Berlin Wall and in 2003 was the first American marching band to perform at Hong Kong’s International New Year’s Parade.

The Trojan Marching Band is complemented by the USC Silks (tall flags), plus the famous USC Song Girls — who were ranked No. 1 in the nation by Sports Illustrated — and Yell Leaders.



**DR. ART BARTNER  
BAND DIRECTOR**

## School Songs

### “FIGHT ON”

Fight On for ol’ SC  
Our men Fight On to victory.  
Our Alma Mater dear,  
looks up to you  
Fight On and win  
For ol’ SC  
Fight On to victory  
Fight On!

This song is usually played after first downs and touchdowns. The music for USC’s fight song, “Fight On,” was composed in 1922 by USC dental student Milo Sweet (with lyrics by Sweet and Glen Grant) as an entry in a Trojan spirit contest. In addition to inspiring generations of Trojan fans and players, the song has been used in numerous recordings and movies. Legend has it that during World War II in the Pacific, an American task force attacked an island held by the Japanese. As the Americans stormed the beach, “Fight On” blared from the deck of one of the transports. The U.S. men let out a tremendous roar and eventually won the island.

### “ALL HAIL”

All hail to Alma Mater,  
To thy glory we sing;  
All hail to Southern California,  
Loud let thy praises ring;  
Where Western sky meets Western sea  
Our college stands in majesty.  
Sing our love to Alma Mater,  
Hail, all hail to thee.

The words and music to USC’s alma mater, “All Hail,” were composed in the early 1920s by Al Wesson, Troy’s longtime sports information director. He wrote the song as a student member of the Trojan Marching Band for the finale of a 1923 campus show.

### “CONQUEST”

Another famous USC song is the regal processional march, “Conquest,” by Alfred Newman. It is usually played after every USC score and victory. This stirring battle cry, from Newman’s score to the 1947 motion picture classic “Captain from Castile,” has become synonymous with the championship tradition of USC since the Trojans adopted it in 1954 during a basketball game against Oregon State. Newman, a legendary composer of film music, was the musical director of Twentieth Century-Fox Studios.

## Other Songs

“Tribute To Troy,” the incessant stanza of pounding drums and blaring horns, is played after every defensive stop. “Fanfare” is the introduction to “Tribute To Troy” and is played when the band takes the field. “All Right Now” is played after USC gets a turnover. “Another One Bites the Dust” is played after USC gets a sack. The “William Tell Overture” is played at the start of the fourth quarter. “The Emperor’s Theme” from Star Wars is played when USC is flagged for a major penalty.

### Tommy Walker

The trumpet “Charge,” heard often at athletic contests, was composed by a post-World War II USC student named Tommy Walker. As a member of the Trojan Marching Band, he was known as “Tommy Trojan,” and as a USC football player, he would shed his band uniform, come down from the stands, and kick extra points (he lettered in 1947). Upon graduation in 1948, he was hired as the band’s director. He later was the first entertainment director at Disneyland and then went into business as one of the world’s leading creators of show business spectacles (including Super Bowl halftimes and Olympic opening and closing ceremonies). He died in 1986.



# USC'S ATHLETIC HERITAGE

USC has a proud athletic heritage — and with good reason. Arguably, Troy could be regarded as the "Collegiate Athletic Program of the 20th Century." Consider:

- Trojan teams have won more national championships, 86 men's (including a national-best 73 NCAA titles) and 20 women's, than all but 1 other school.
- The Trojans won at least 1 national team title in 26 consecutive years (1959-60 to 1984-85).
- USC won the National College All-Sports Championship — an annual ranking by USA Today (previously the Knoxville Journal) of the country's top athletic programs — 6 times since its inception in 1971.
- USC won the Lexus Gauntlet Trophy, a year-long all-sports competition between Troy and crosstown rival UCLA, in its inaugural 2001-02 season and again in 2003-04 and 2005-06.
- Trojan men athletes have won more individual NCAA titles (296) than those from any other school in the nation (the Women of Troy have brought home another 51 individual NCAA crowns).
- Troy has also established a stellar reputation and a long tradition of nurturing Olympic athletes. Since 1904, 361 Trojan athletes have competed in the Games, taking home 112 gold medals (with at least 1 gold in every summer Olympics since 1912), 64 silver and 58 bronze.
- Four Trojans have won the prestigious Sullivan Award as the top amateur athlete in America: diver Sammy Lee (1953), shot putter Parry O'Brien (1959), swimmer John Naber (1977) and swimmer Janet Evans (1989).
- Two Women of Troy athletes have won the Honda-Broderick Cup as the top collegiate woman athlete of the year: Cheryl Miller (1983-84) and Angela Williams (2001-02). And Trojan women have won 10 Honda Awards, as the top female athlete in their sport.

Along with the great accomplishments on the playing fields, USC student-athletes have received 50 NCAA Postgraduate Scholarships, in the Top 10 among all schools. In addition, USC has had 28 first team Academic All-Americans and 3 athletes who were Rhodes Scholars.

Here's a closer look at the history of each of the 19 sports which USC currently offers on the intercollegiate level:

**FOOTBALL** — Since starting football in 1888, USC has amassed an impressive all-time won-loss record of 732-298-54 (a .700 winning percentage). A December 1998 SPORT magazine ranking listed USC as the No. 4 all-time college football program of the 20th century.

USC's record against Pac-10 opponents is a stellar 383-153-29 (.704). Since 1959, the Trojans have won the conference championship 16 times and tied for the title on 6 other occasions.

USC has the nation's sixth best bowl winning percentage (.651) among the 68 schools which have made at least 10 bowl appearances and its 30 Rose Bowl appearances is an all-time best. Troy's overall bowl mark is 28-16, including 21-9 in the Pasadena New Year's Day classic. The Trojans were a bowl participant every year they were eligible from 1972 to 1990.

Think about college football and USC's tailback in the I-formation, one of the most glamorous positions in the sport, immediately comes to mind. Five Trojan tailbacks have won the coveted Heisman Trophy as college football's outstanding player: Mike Garrett (1965), O.J. Simpson (1968), Charles White (1979), Marcus Allen (1981) and Reggie Bush (2005). Other standout tailbacks have included Clarence Davis, Anthony Davis and Ricky Bell. Carson Palmer in 2002 and Matt Leinart in 2004 became the first USC quarterbacks to win the Heisman.

The Trojans have had other prominent award winners. Offensive tackle Ron Yary won the Outland Trophy in 1967, offensive guard Brad Budde won the Lombardi Award in 1979, safety Mark Carrier won the Thorpe Award in 1989 and linebacker Chris Claiborne won the Butkus Award in 1998. USC players have been named first team All-American 141 times, with 49 consensus selections and 24 unanimous choices.

Many of those players have led USC to 11 national championships in football. Legendary coach Howard Jones (1925-40) guided Troy to 4 of those titles (1928-31-32-39). John McKay (1960-75) was responsible for 4 national championship teams (1962-67-72-74). John Robinson (1976-82), who captured 1 title (1978) in his first tenure, returned to Troy in 1993 and led USC to 3 more bowl wins. Pete Carroll was named head coach in 2001 and led Troy to its most recent national crowns in 2003 and 2004.

Scores of Trojans have gone on to successful NFL careers (there have been 67 first round picks, with a record 5 No. 1 selections), including such greats as Frank Gifford, Lynn Swann, Anthony Munoz, Ronnie Lott, Junior Seau, Keyshawn Johnson, Bruce Matthews, Tony Boselli and Willie McGinest.

**BASEBALL** — No school in the country can match the long tradition USC has in baseball. With 12 national championships in the sport, Troy is far and away the leader in that category (no other school has more than 6).

Since starting baseball in 1924, the Trojans have compiled a record of 2,281-1,152-17 (.664) against college opponents, and have captured outright or tied for 38 conference championships.

The incomparable Rod Dedeaux coached USC from 1942-86, leading the school to 11 of its NCAA crowns, including 5 straight from 1970-74 (no other school has strung together more than two in a row).

Trojans have been named first team All-American 43 times, with Jay Roundy, Pat Harrison and Bill Bordley being 2-time selections. Mark Prior was the 2001 National Player of the Year.

USC boasts many successful major leaguers such as Ron Fairly, Don Buford, Tom Seaver, Dave Kingman, Fred Lynn, Roy Smalley, Steve Kemp, Mark McGwire, Randy Johnson, Bret Boone, Jeff Cirillo, Barry Zito, Geoff Jenkins, Aaron Boone, Jacque Jones and Mark Prior. In all, 93 Trojans have gone on to play in the major leagues and scores more in the minors.

Dedeaux compiled a 45-year collegiate record of 1,332-571-11 (.699), making him the then-winningest coach in collegiate baseball history. He resigned after the 1986 season to become USC's director of baseball and was replaced by Mike Gillespie, whose 1998 squad won the College World Series

while finishing as the CWS runnerup in 1995 and also advancing to Omaha in 2000 and 2001 (15 of his 20 teams advanced to the NCAA regionals). Gillespie retired after the 2006 season, replaced by ex-major league catcher Chad Kreuter.

**MEN'S BASKETBALL** — Since starting basketball in 1907, USC has compiled a record of 1,386-1,013 (.578), winning 14 league championships.

Bill Sharman, John Rudometkin, John Block, Paul Westphal, Gus Williams, Harold Miner and Sam Clancy are a few of USC's All-American selections. Overall, Trojans have earned All-American honors 22 times. Four Trojan men, Sharman, Jack Gardner, Alex Hannum and coach Sam Barry, are in the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame.

Barry (1930-41, 1945-50) has the winningest record among USC basketball coaches, 260-138 (.653). Following him are Forrest Twogood (1951-66) at 255-180 (.586) and Bob Boyd (1967-79) at 216-131 (.622). George Raveling, an assistant coach for the 1984 and 1988 U.S. Olympic teams, took over the coaching helm in 1986-87 and led Troy into the post-season playoffs 4 times. Henry Bibby (1996-2005) led the Trojans into the NCAA tourney 3 times (including the Elite Eight in 2001) and the NIT once. Tim Floyd took over as coach for the 2006 season.

**WOMEN'S BASKETBALL** — USC first reached the pinnacle of women's basketball in 1983 and the Trojans have been near the top almost ever since, winning 2 national championships and playing in 4 Final Fours.

USC's team became established when Linda Sharp took over as coach in 1977. By 1981, Troy had reached the Final Four. In 1983, Cheryl Miller joined Cynthia Cooper and twins Pam and Paula McGee to give the Trojans a formidable front line that led the squad to its first national championship. The next year, the team won the national title again. USC advanced to the NCAA title game in 1986.

Miller finished her career in 1986 as the Trojans' all-time leading scorer and rebounder. She also won her third straight Naismith Award as the outstanding player in college basketball. She returned as coach of her alma mater in 1994 and led USC to a Pac-10 title and 2 NCAA playoff appearances. She was inducted into the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame in 1995. Former USC player Chris Gobrecht succeeded her prior to the 1998 season and led her teams into the 2000 and 2002 WNIT. Longtime Pepperdine coach Mark Trakh took over for the 2005 season and led USC into the NCAA tourney both of his years.

The Women of Troy have made the NCAA tourney 8 of the past 16 years, including advancing to the regionals 3 times. Lisa Leslie, who became an Olympic and pro star, won the Naismith Award in 1994 (she was the MVP of the first WNBA All-Star Game). Tina Thompson was the No. 1 pick in the 1997 WNBA draft. Cooper was twice an Olympian and WNBA MVP.

**MEN'S GOLF** — USC has one of the most successful golf programs in the nation, having produced 3 NCAA individual champions (Scott Simpson in 1976 and 1977, and Ron Commans in 1981), 19 Pac-10 individual champs, 20 All-American first teamers and numerous players who have gone on to successful professional careers, including \$1 million winners like Al "Mr. 59" Geiberger, Dave Stockton, Craig Stadler and Scott Simpson. Troy has also been dominant in the Pac-10, winning 17 of the 46 conference championships to date.

Legendary coach Stan Wood (1955-79) compiled a career record of 462-37 (.926) and won 14 conference championships. He also guided the Trojans to an NCAA record 51 consecutive dual match wins from 1956-59. His teams finished third in the NCAA tourney 6 times.

Under coach Randy Lein (1984-92), USC continued its success, winning the conference championship in 1986. The 1991 Trojans finished seventh at the NCAAs. U.S. Amateur champion Sam Randolph, who finished as low amateur at the prestigious Masters golf tournament in 1985 and 1986, was a first team All-American for the third straight year in 1986 and was named college golf's Player of the Year.

Former team captain Jim Empey took over as coach in 1993. Kurt Schuette became coach in 1995 and guided USC to an impressive fifth place finish at the NCAA tourney that season, Troy's best placing in 18 years, and then ninth in 1996, 14th in both 1997 and 2003 and sixth in 2005. His 2001 squad won the Pac-10 title, USC's first since 1986, and Troy repeated in 2002. Kevin Stadler, Craig's son, was the 2002 Pac-10 Golfer of the Year (USC's first honoree since 1986).

**WOMEN'S GOLF** — The USC women's golf team is one of college's finest, as witnessed by the program's first-ever NCAA team title in 2003. USC also has had second (twice), third, fourth (twice), fifth, seventh (3 times), ninth, 11th, 12th and 14th place finishes at the NCAA Championships in the past 21 years. The Women of Troy won the Pac-10 tourney in 1989 and the NCAA Regional in 1999 and 2006. Cathy Bright led USC to 5 Top 10 NCAA finishes in her 12 years as head coach (1982-93). Former Trojan player Renee (Mack) Baumgartner returned as head coach in 1994 and led USC to second place at the NCAAs in her first year. Andrea Gaston took over in 1997 (with men's coach Kurt Schuette serving as Director of Golf) and guided USC to 6 NCAA Top 10 finishes, including the 2003 NCAA title.

Jennifer Rosales won the 1998 NCAA individual title as a freshman, Mikaela Parmild won as a senior in 2003 and Devi-Claire Schreefel as a sophomore in 2006. Other top individuals have included Marta Figueras-Dotfi, Denise Strebeg, Kim Saiki, Tracy Nakamura, Jill McGill (the 1993 U.S. Amateur champion), Heidi Voorhees (the 1993 U.S. Amateur medalist), Jennifer Biehn (the 1994 Pac-10 champ), Candie Kung (the 2000 Pac-10 champ), Becky Lucidi (the 2002 U.S. Amateur and 2003 Mexican Amateur champion) and Irene Cho.

**WOMEN'S ROWING** — The women's rowing team has been active since the early 1970s, but scholarships were first awarded in 1998 and USC has emerged as one of the nation's top programs. The varsity, junior varsity and novice eight teams train all year long for regattas from coast to coast. George Jenkins guided USC to national prominence during his 9 years as head coach (1994-2002). Kelly Babraj took over as head coach for the 2003 season, with husband Zenon Babraj serving as director of rowing.

At the 1998 NCAA meet, the Women of Troy rowers captured their first-ever national championship race (the varsity fours). In 2005, USC made its first-ever NCAA Championships appearance as a team, placing 11th.

**WOMEN'S SOCCER** — The women's soccer team began competing in 1993. Karen Stanley coached the team for the first 3 seasons. Jim Millinder took over in 1996 and guided 7 of his squads (1998-2003) into the NCAA tourney (USC won the 1998 Pac-10 title).

Isabelle Harvey, the 1998 Pac-10 Player of the Year, was USC's first All-American first teamer (in 2000).

**MEN'S SWIMMING & DIVING** — The type of dominance USC has had in this sport was best exemplified by Troy's performance in the 1976 Olympic Games, when Trojan swimmers won more golds and more total medals than any country in swimming except the United States.

Over the years, USC men's swimmers have made Olympic teams 122 times, winning 38 gold, 23 silver and 18 bronze medals. Gold medal winners have included Lenny Krayzelburg, John Naber, Bruce Furniss and Murray Rose.

Since beginning swimming in 1929, the Trojans have captured 9 NCAA championships, all under coach Peter Daland, who retired in 1992 after 35 years at Troy. USC swimmers and divers have won 110 NCAA meet individual and relay titles (including Erik Vendt, who won 5 individual titles in the 2000, 2002 and 2003 meets) and have earned All-American honors an amazing 562 times. Under Daland, USC won 17 Pac-10 championships and amassed an impressive dual meet record of 318-31-1 (.917). Three of his last 6 squads had runner-up finishes at the NCAA meet.

Four-time U.S. Olympic coach Mark Schubert, winner of 2 NCAA titles with the Texas women, succeeded Daland (he also served as the head coach of the Women of Troy). His men's teams placed in the Top 10 at the NAAs 12 times in his 14 years at USC. Dave Salo takes over for Schubert in both roles in 2007.

**WOMEN'S SWIMMING & DIVING** — USC has likewise built a successful swimming program on the women's side. In fact, the Women of Troy have finished in the top 10 nationally 25 of the last 30 years — including winning the NCAA title in 1997 — and have produced 233 All-Americans in that span. They have won conference championships in 1979, 1980, 1982 and 1985.

Among USC's more famous women's swimmers are Michelle Ford, Sue Habernigg, Cynthia Woodhead, Sue Hinderaker, Debbie Rudd, Kristine Quance (she won 9 NCAA titles), Lindsay Benko (who won 5 NCAA titles), Kaitlin Sandeno (she won 2 races at the 2003 NAAs) and diver Blythe Hartley (she won 5 NCAA titles).

**MEN'S TENNIS** — USC's men's tennis legacy has produced numerous national titlists, including 16 team champions (second most in the country), 13 singles champions (tied for second most in the country), and 20 doubles champs (more than any other school). Cecil Mamiit won the 1996 NCAA singles crown as a freshman.

George Toley (1954-80) guided the Trojans for 26 years before resigning during the 1980 season. His career record was 430-92-4 (.821) with 10 NCAA titles. Dick Leach succeeded Toley and posted a 535-133 (.801) mark in 23 years. His 1991, 1993, 1994 and 2002 teams won the NCAA tourney (his 2002 No. 11-seeded Cinderella team was the lowest seed ever to win the NCAA title and did so a month after Leach announced his retirement) and 8 of his other teams finished fourth or better. He was succeeded by ex-Pepperdine, Fresno State and Long Beach State coach Peter Smith for the 2003 season.

Overall, USC players have been named to All-American teams 137 times, with many also enjoying successful pro careers, including Stan Smith, Bob Lutz, Raul Ramirez and Dennis Ralston.

**WOMEN'S TENNIS** — The most successful women's program at USC, in terms of national titles, is the tennis team. The Women of Troy have won 7 national championships.

Those national crowns all came under Dave Borelli, who coached USC from 1974 to 1988. In duals, Borelli's record was phenomenal: his teams went 300-43 (.875).

Five times Trojans have won national singles titles, along with a doubles champ and 74 All-Americans. Prominent USC stars include Barbara Hallquist, Diane Desfor, Lea Antonopolis, Leslie Allen, Sheila McInerney, Stacy Margolin, Trey Lewis, the Fernandez sisters, Kelly Henry, Beth Herr, Caroline Kuhlman, Trisha Laux, Jewel Peterson and Lindsey Nelson.

Cheryl Woods, a former Trojan player, took over for Borelli in 1989. Richard Gallien, a successful player and coach at Pepperdine, became head coach in 1996. His 1999, 2000, 2001, 2003 and 2005 teams advanced to the NCAA quarterfinals and he got to the NCAA semifinals in 2006.

**MEN'S TRACK & FIELD** — The Trojans have won an unprecedented 26 NCAA titles (including 9 straight, 1935-43) in the 85-year history of NCAA outdoor track, plus 2 indoor NCAA titles and 35 Pacific Coast or Pac-10 crowns, including a string of 15 straight (1936-55). They have had 39 unbeaten and untied seasons, including a string of 16 in a row (1946-61). Since starting track and field in 1900, USC has compiled a dual-meet record of 410-116-4 (.777).

Outstanding coaches include Dean Cromwell (1909-48), who won a record 12 NCAA titles and had a dual meet mark of 109-48-1; Jess Mortensen, who never lost a dual meet (64-0) in 11 years and won 7 NCAA titles; and Vern Wolfe, who retired after the 1984 season with 7 national titles and a dual meet record of 106-17-1 (.859). Jim Bush, who won 5 NCAA titles while at crosstown rival UCLA, became USC's head coach in 1991. His 1992 Trojans finished third at the NAAs with only a 6-man team. Ron Alice, who won 11 state titles at Long Beach City College, took over the combined men's and women's programs in 1995 (the men were fourth at the 1995 NCAA meet, 10th in 1996, third in 1997 while winning the Pac-10 title, seventh in 1998, fifth in 1999 while winning the Pac-10 crown, tied for seventh in 2000 while winning the Pac-10 title, tied for 12th in 2001, tied for 11th in 2002, third in 2003 while winning the Pac-10 title, sixth in 2005 while winning the NCAA West Regional crown and tied for ninth in 2006 while winning the Pac-10 and NCAA West Regional meets).

Sixty USC tracksters have won 88 places on U.S. Olympic teams over the years. Trojans have won 26 individual Olympic titles and shared in 8 relay wins. Gold medal winners include long jumper Randy Williams, pole vaulter Bob Seagren, sprinter Charles Paddock and hurdler Felix Sanchez.

Since 1912, 61 USC trackmen have equalled or bettered world records, and there have been 110 NCAA outdoor individual or relay winners from Troy--including 2005 and 2006 NCAA high jump champ Jesse Williams (he also won indoors both years).

The Trojans also have a long history of successful distance running, including 9 Olympians and NCAA champions Julio Marin and Ole Oleson.

**WOMEN'S TRACK & FIELD, CROSS COUNTRY** — The women's track program at USC has developed into one of the nation's finest. The Trojans have placed in the Top 10 of the NCAA Championships 12 times, including winning the program's first-ever NCAA team title in 2001. The Women of Troy also finished third in 1987, seventh in 1996 (while winning the Pac-10 title), fifth in 1998, third in 1999 (just 4 points from first place), second in 2000 (again just 4 points out of first place), third in 2002, seventh in 2005 and second in 2006 (while winning the NCAA West Regional title).

The women's track and field heritage begins with Sherry Calvert, the former head coach. Calvert, a 4-time All-American javelin thrower at USC who participated in the 1972 and 1976 Olympics, started the program as an undergraduate and coached through 1983. Fred LaPlante succeeded her from 1984 through 1988. Barbara Edmonson was coach in 1992 through 1994. In 1995, Ron Alice took over as the combined men's and women's coach.

Troy has had many other successful track and field athletes. Patty Van Wolvellaere won a pair of national titles in the 100-meter hurdles. Kerry Bell was an All-American heptathlete for 3 years. 1988 NCAA heptathlon champion Wendy Brown and Yvette Bates set world bests in the triple jump during their USC careers. Ashley Selman won the 1990 NCAA javelin title. Angela Williams became the first athlete, male or female, at any level to win 4 consecutive NCAA 100-meter dashes when she did so in 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002. Natasha Danvers won the 2000 NCAA 400-meter intermediate hurdles. The Women of Troy won the NCAA 1600-meter relay in 1987 and the 400-meter relay in 2000. Brigita Langerholc took the 800 meters and Inga Stasiulionyte captured the javelin, both in the 2001 NAAs. Natasha Mayers won the NCAA 200 meters in 2002. Virginia Powell won the 2005 and 2006 NCAA indoor and outdoor high hurdles (she also set the collegiate record in the outdoor race).

The Women of Troy also compete in cross country in the fall under coach Tom Walsh.

**MEN'S VOLLEYBALL** — The USC men's volleyball team has made 11 NCAA Final Four appearances since scholarships were first awarded by Troy in the sport in 1977. The Trojans have won 4 NCAA titles (1977, 1980, 1988 and 1990) and have finished second on 6 other occasions (1979-81-85-86-87-91).

Ernie Hix, who retired as head coach after the 1981 season, turned USC into one of the top volleyball powers in the nation. Hix's 8-year record was an impressive 146-47 (.756) with 2 national crowns.

Twenty-four Trojans have played on the U.S. National team and USC volleyballers have been named first team All-Americans 27 times. In the 1984 Olympics, Steve Timmons, Dusty Dvorak and Pat Powers all helped lead the United States to its first gold medal ever in the sport, while Timmons repeated with the 1988 U.S. squad. Timmons, Bryan Ivie, Nick Becker and Dan Greenbaum won bronze medals with the U.S. in 1992. Tim Hovland, Celso Kalache, Adam Johnson, former coach Bob Yoder (a 3-time All-American who coached Troy to an NCAA title in 1988), Donald Suho and Brook Billings also are key figures in USC's volleyball heritage. Jim McLaughlin took over for Yoder in 1990 and led Troy to an NCAA title in his initial year. Powers became head coach in 1997, Turhan Douglas succeeded him in 2003 and Bill Ferguson takes over for 2007.

**WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL** — USC has won 6 national crowns in women's volleyball, the first 4 under coach Chuck Erbe. Erbe, who dominated the sport during his 12-year USC coaching tenure which began in 1976, posted a career record of 310-121-3 (.718). He coached the 1976, 1977 and 1980 AIAW champions and the 1981 NCAA titlists. His 1976 team registered the first perfect season (38-0) in women's volleyball history.

Lisa Love, who coached at Texas-Arlington for 7 years, took over for Erbe in 1989 and guided USC into the NAAs in 9 of her 10 seasons before retiring after the 1998 season. Jerritt Elliott served as interim head coach in 1999 and 2000, guiding the 2000 club to the NCAA Final Four. Mick Haley, head coach of the 2000 U.S. women's Olympic team who won 2 national crowns in the 1980s while at Texas, took over in 2001 and advanced to that season's NCAA regional final. Then, in 2002 and 2003, his teams won the NCAA crown, with the 2003 club going 35-0. USC got to the NCAA Final Four in 2004.

In 1978, Debbie Green won the prestigious Broderick Award in volleyball. Trojans have been named All-American 53 times and 12 have been members of the U.S. Olympic team (including Green, Sue Woodstra, Paula Weishoff, Carolyn Becker and Kim Ruddins).

**MEN'S WATER POLO** — Since starting water polo in 1922, the Trojans have compiled a 984-492-7 (.666) record, winning 14 conference championships along the way.

Longtime coach John Williams led the Trojans to national prominence since during his tenure from 1973 to 1998. Nineteen of his last 22 teams finished the season in the top 7 nationally, including the 1998 NCAA championship team and the 1987, 1993, 1994, 1996 and 1997 squads which placed second in the NCAA tourney. Jovan Vavic, who joined as co-head coach in 1995, took over as head coach in 1999. His 2003 and 2005 teams won the NCAA championship.

Seventeen USC poloists have participated in the Olympics and Trojans have made various All-American teams 140 times. Some of the more prominent names in USC water polo history are Ron Severa, Wally Wolf, Charles Bittick, Greg Fults, Zach Stimson, Craig Furniss, Charles Harris, Robert Lynn, Drew Netherton, Hrvoje Cizmic, Marko Zagar, Simun Cimerman, Marko Pintaric, George Csaszar, Pedraj Damjanov, Bozidar Damjanovic and Juraj Zatovic (who in 2005 was USC's first-ever male winner of the Peter J. Cutino Award as the National Player of the Year).

**WOMEN'S WATER POLO** — USC's newest sport, the women's water polo team began play in 1995 under head coach Jovan Vavic. In 1999, in just their fifth year of existence, the Women of Troy--led by National Player of the Year and 2000 U.S. Olympic goalie Bernice Orwig--won the national championship in an exciting 5-overtime sudden death victory over Stanford. USC then was second in the national tourney in 2000. Then in 2004, USC--behind National Player of the Year Moriah Van Norman--turned in the sport's first undefeated season (29-0) in winning the NCAA title. USC was third in the 2005 NAAs and second in 2006.

Besides Orwig and Van Norman, other top players have included Aniko Pelle (the 2000 National Player of the Year), Nina Wengst, Olympian Sofia Konoukh, Katrin Dierolf, Kelly Graff, Lauren Wenger (the 2006 National Player of the Year) and Brittany Hayes.



# USC NATIONAL TITLES

USC has long dominated the world of intercollegiate athletics. In fact, it could be argued that Troy was the "Collegiate Athletic Program of the 20th Century." USC men and women have combined for 106 national team titles.

Trojan men's teams are tops in the nation in NCAA championships with 73 — more than any other university. Overall, USC's men have won 86 national championships.

USC has won the National Collegiate All-Sports Championship—an annual ranking by USA Today (previously The Knoxville Journal) of the country's top men's athletic programs — 6 times (1971-72-74-75-77-80) since its inception in 1971.

USC's women are also a force, with 20 national team titles, all since 1976. From 1959-60 to 1984-85, USC put together an amazing streak. In each of those 26 years, at least one Trojan team won a national championship (including five crowns in both 1962-63 and 1976-77).

Here's a list with the coaches of the winning teams.

## USC Men's Team Titles (86)

### Football (11)

1928	Howard Jones
1931	Howard Jones
1932	Howard Jones
1939	Howard Jones
1962	John McKay
1967	John McKay
1972	John McKay
1974	John McKay
1978	John Robinson
2003	Pete Carroll
2004	Pete Carroll

### Baseball (12)

1948	Sam Barry
	Rod Dedeaux
1958	Rod Dedeaux
1961	Rod Dedeaux
1963	Rod Dedeaux
1968	Rod Dedeaux
1970	Rod Dedeaux
1971	Rod Dedeaux
1972	Rod Dedeaux
1973	Rod Dedeaux
1974	Rod Dedeaux
1978	Rod Dedeaux
1998	Mike Gillespie

### Gymnastics (1)

1962	Jack Beckner
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### Indoor Track & Field (2)

1967	Vern Wolfe
1972	Vern Wolfe

### Swimming & Diving (9)

1960	Peter Daland
1963	Peter Daland
1964	Peter Daland
1965	Peter Daland
1966	Peter Daland
1974	Peter Daland
1975	Peter Daland
1976	Peter Daland
1977	Peter Daland

### Tennis (16)

1946	William Moyle
1951	Louis Wheeler
1955	George Toley
1958	George Toley
1962	George Toley
1963	George Toley
1964	George Toley
1966	George Toley
1967	George Toley
1968	George Toley
1969	George Toley
1976	George Toley (tie)
1991	Dick Leach
1993	Dick Leach
1994	Dick Leach
2002	Dick Leach

### Track & Field (26)

1926	Dean Cromwell
1930	Dean Cromwell
1931	Dean Cromwell
1935	Dean Cromwell
1936	Dean Cromwell

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1938	Dean Cromwell
1939	Dean Cromwell
1940	Dean Cromwell
1941	Dean Cromwell
1942	Dean Cromwell
1943	Dean Cromwell
1949	Jess Hill
1950	Jess Hill
1951	Jess Mortensen
1952	Jess Mortensen
1953	Jess Mortensen
1954	Jess Mortensen
1955	Jess Mortensen
1958	Jess Mortensen
1961	Jess Mortensen
1963	Vern Wolfe
1965	Vern Wolfe (tie)
1967	Vern Wolfe
1968	Vern Wolfe
1976	Vern Wolfe

### Volleyball (6)

1949	Hans Vogel (USVBA)
1950	Hans Vogel (USVBA)
1977	Ernie Hix
1980	Ernie Hix
1988	Bob Yoder
1990	Jim McLaughlin

### Water Polo (3)

1998	John Williams
	Jovan Vavic
2003	Jovan Vavic
2005	Jovan Vavic

## USC Women's Team Titles (20)

### Basketball (2)

1983	Linda Sharp
1984	Linda Sharp

### Golf (1)

2003	Andrea Gaston
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### Swimming & Diving (1)

1997	Mark Schubert
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### Tennis (7)

1977	Dave Borelli (AIAW)
1977	Dave Borelli (USTA)
1978	Dave Borelli (USTA)
1979	Dave Borelli (AIAW)
1980	Dave Borelli (AIAW)
1983	Dave Borelli
1985	Dave Borelli

### Track & Field (1)

2001	Ron Alice
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### Volleyball (6)

1976	Chuck Erbe (AIAW)
1977	Chuck Erbe (AIAW)
1980	Chuck Erbe (AIAW)
1981	Chuck Erbe
2002	Mick Haley
2003	Mick Haley

### Water Polo (2)

1999	Jovan Vavic (NCWWP)
2004	Jovan Vavic

## Top 10 NCAA Men's Team Champions

	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	USC	73
2.	UCLA	69
3.	Stanford	57
4.	Oklahoma State	47
5.	Arkansas	43
6.	Michigan	30
7.	Penn State	26
8.	Yale	25
	Denver	25
10.	Indiana	23

## Top 10 NCAA Men's Individual Champions

	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	USC	296
2.	Michigan	246
3.	Stanford	244
4.	Ohio State	211
5.	UCLA	161
6.	Oklahoma State	156
7.	Texas	149
8.	Illinois	129
9.	Iowa	121
	Indiana	121

## Top 10 NCAA Women's Team Champions

	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	Stanford	35
2.	UCLA	28
3.	LSU	24
4.	North Carolina	22
	Texas	22
6.	Georgia	15
7.	Maryland	14
8.	USC	11
9.	Old Dominion	10
	Arizona	10
10.	Florida	9
	Utah	9

## USC's Honda Award Winners

Since 1977, the Honda-Broderick Cup has been given to the Collegiate Woman Athlete of the Year, as judged by the nation's athletic directors. Also, the top collegiate woman athlete in each of 12 sports has been presented with a Honda Award. USC's winners:

**Honda-Broderick Cup**  
1983-84 Cheryl Miller  
2001-02 Angela Williams

**Honda Award**  
1977-78 Debbie Green (volleyball)  
1980-81 Anna Maria Fernandez (tennis)  
1983-84 Cheryl Miller (basketball)  
1984-85 Cheryl Miller (basketball)  
1993-94 Lisa Leslie (basketball)  
1995-96 Kristine Quance (swimming and diving)  
1996-97 Kristine Quance (swimming and diving)  
2001-02 Angela Williams (track and field)  
2002-03 Mikaela Parmlid (golf)  
2003-04 April Ross (volleyball)  
2005-06 Irene Cho (golf)  
2005-06 Virginia Powell (track and field)



CHERYL MILLER



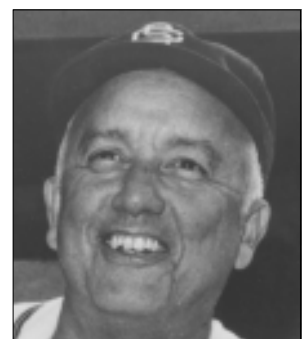
ANGELA WILLIAMS



DEAN CROMWELL



PETER DALAND



ROD DEDEAUX

# TROJANS STAR IN CLASSROOM

USC is as proud of its student-athletes' achievements in the classroom as on the playing field.

After all, the Trojans not only are second in the nation in the number of national team championships (86 by the men and 20 by the women), but rank in the Top 10 in the number of NCAA post-graduate scholarship recipients (50, including 20 football players).

Also, USC athletics has had 3 Rhodes Scholars (quarterback Pat Haden, swimmer Desmond Koh and trackster James O'Toole), 28 first team Academic All-Americans (including 22 footballers, tops among Pac-10 schools and sixth best in the nation), 8 winners of the prestigious NCAA Today's Top Six scholar award, 12 National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes, 10 recipients of the NCAA Silver Anniversary Award (tied for most in the nation), an NCAA Inspiration Award winner (swimmer Mike Nyeholt), an NCAA Women's Enhancement Program Post-Graduate Scholar (soccer player Laura Servis), 2 NCAA Ethnic-Minority Enhancement Program Post-Graduate Scholars (footballers Dong Koo and Travis Watkins), a Luce Scholar (swimmer Dennis Scannell), 2 USC valedictorians (water poloist Craig Furniss and volleyballer Alaina Kipps) and a USC salutatorian (track/cross country's Kate Neeper). In 1988, Haden was inducted into the charter 6-member class of the GTE Academic All-American Hall of Fame and baseball star Don Buford Jr. won the first-ever Woody Hayes Academic All-American Award presented by the Columbus Touchdown Club to the top NCAA Division I male student-athlete (footballer John Jackson) won the award in 1990 and volleyballer Katie Haller won the women's award in 1994). Jackson was also named a winner of the first-ever NACDA/Disney Scholar-Athlete Award in 1990, and Jeremy Hogue, Matt Keneley and Mike Van Raaphorst were 1996, 1997 and 2000 NACDA Foundation Pre-season Games Scholar-Athletes, respectively (Keneley also received a NACDA Foundation Post-Graduate Scholarship in 1997). In 1997, Keith Van Horne was named to the GTE Academic All-American All-Time Football Team. Footballer Lee Webb won a Wilma Rudolph Student Athlete Achievement Award from the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics in 2005.

The Nov. 1994 issue of The Sporting News examined the relative academic strength of the nation's top 25 football teams and found USC's players ranked second in high school GPA, sixth in SAT scores and third in ACT scores.

## USC's NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship Winners

(This program originated in 1964)

### FOOTBALL (20)

Chuck Arrobio (1965)  
Steve Sogge (1968)  
Fred Khasigian (1969)  
Steve Lehmer (1969)  
Monte Doris (1973)  
Pat Haden (1974)  
Marvin Cobb (1974)  
Kevin Bruce (1975)  
Gary Bethel (1977)  
Brad Budde (1979)  
Paul McDonald (1979)  
Gordon Adams (1980)  
Jeff Fisher (1980)  
Duane Bickett (1984)  
Tony Colorito (1985)  
Matt Koart (1985)  
Jeff Bregel (1986)  
John Jackson (1989)  
Jeremy Hogue (1995)  
Matt Keneley (1996)

### BASEBALL (3)

Steve Sogge (1969)  
Marvin Cobb (1975)  
John Jackson (1990)

### MEN'S SWIMMING (7)

Andy Strenk (1971)  
Frank Heckl (1972)  
David Hannula (1976)  
Rod Strachan (1977)  
Dick Hannula (1979)  
Ray Looze (1990)  
Dave Wharton (1991)

### WOMEN'S SWIMMING (3)

Sue Habernigg (1985)  
Elin Bartell (1993)  
Kristine Quance (1997)

### MEN'S BASKETBALL (2)

Dan Anderson (1974)  
John Lambert (1975)

### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL (1)

Tammy Story (1992)\*

### MEN'S TENNIS (5)

Jerry Cromwell (1966)  
Dave Borelli (1973)  
John Andrews (1974)  
Chris Lewis (1978)  
Andrew Park (2002)

### MEN'S TRACK (3)

John Link (1968)\*  
Steve Lehmer (1970)  
Tom Colich (1970)

### MEN'S VOLLEYBALL (2)

Bob Yoder (1978)  
Leon Devaney (1991)\*

### WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL (6)

Cathy Stukel (1982)  
Dana Smith (1984)  
Katie Haller (1994)  
Lauri Yust (1995)

Alaina Kipps (1999)

Emily Adams (2004)

### MEN'S WATER POLO (3)

Frank Heckl (1972)  
Craig Furniss (1981)  
Zoltan Berty (1989)

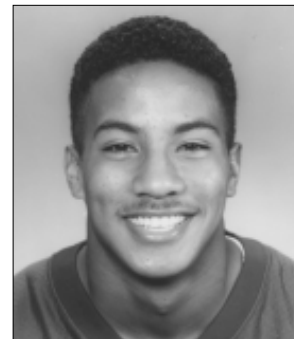
\*Named as an alternate

**Note:** Steve Sogge, Marvin Cobb, Steve Lehmer, Frank Heckl and John Jackson are listed under both of the sports they competed in.

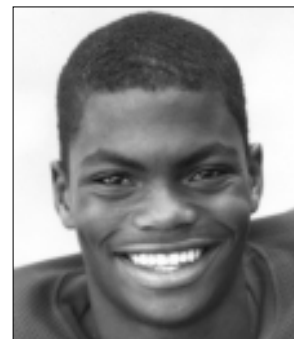
## USC's Academic All-Americans

(This program originated in 1952)

1952 — Dick Nunis, DB  
1959 — Mike McKeever, G  
1960 — Mike McKeever, G  
1960 — Marlin McKeever, E  
1965 — Chuck Arrobio, T  
1967 — Steve Sogge, QB  
1968 — Steve Sogge, QB  
1969 — Fred Khasigian, OG  
1973 — Pat Haden, QB  
1974 — Pat Haden, QB  
1978 — Rich Dimler, NG  
1979 — Paul McDonald, QB  
1979 — Keith Van Horne, OT  
1979 — Brad Budde, OG  
1984 — Duane Bickett, OLB  
1985 — Matt Koart, DT  
1986 — Jeff Bregel, OG  
1988 — John Jackson, FL  
1989 — John Jackson, SE  
1990 — Ray Looze, Swimming  
1992 — Katie Haller, Volleyball  
1993 — Katie Haller, Volleyball  
1995 — Jeremy Hogue, C  
1995 — Matt Keneley, DT  
1996 — Lukas Hovorka, Tennis  
1996 — Matt Keneley, DT  
2004 — Emily Adams, Volleyball  
2006 — Anca Anastasiu, Tennis



**CHAD MORTON**



**JOHN JACKSON**



**ALAINA KIPPS**



**AL GEIBERGER**

## USC's NCAA Today's Top Six Winners

1974 — Pat Haden (football)  
1975 — Marvin Cobb (football, baseball)  
1976 — Steve Furniss (swimming)  
1977 — John Naber (swimming)  
1979 — Paul McDonald (football)  
1986 — Cheryl Miller (basketball)  
1989 — John Jackson (football, baseball)  
1991 — Dave Wharton (swimming)

## USC's NCAA Silver Anniversary Award Winners

1973 — John Ferraro (football)  
1984 — Al Geiberger (golf)  
1991 — Mike Garrett (football)  
1993 — Stan Smith (tennis)  
1999 — Lynn Swann (football)  
2000 — Pat Haden (football)  
2002 — John Naber (swimming)  
2003 — Debbie Landreth Brown (volleyball)  
2004 — Bruce Furniss (swimming)  
2005 — Paul McDonald (football)

## USC's National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes

1965 — Chuck Arrobio  
1969 — Fred Khasigian  
1974 — Pat Haden  
1977 — Gary Bethel  
1979 — Paul McDonald  
1984 — Duane Bickett  
1986 — Jeff Bregel  
1989 — John Jackson  
1994 — Tony Boselli  
1995 — Jeremy Hogue  
1996 — Matt Keneley  
1999 — Chad Morton



# ATHLETIC DIRECTOR MIKE GARRETT



Michael L. Garrett, so much a part of USC's unparalleled athletic tradition, was named the school's sixth-ever athletic director in January of 1993.

Garrett, Troy's 1965 Heisman Trophy-winning tailback who has a background in business, law, government, athletic administration and community affairs, oversees the 19 men's and women's teams and the \$67 million budget that make up the nation's most tradition-rich athletic program.

During his tenure:

- USC has won 16 national titles (in men's tennis in 1993, 1994 and 2002, women's swimming in 1997, baseball in 1998, men's water polo in 1998, 2003 and 2005, women's water polo in 1999 and 2004, women's track and field in 2001, women's volleyball in 2002 and 2004, women's golf in 2003 and football in 2003 and 2004), plus 36 conference crowns, and almost annually has finished in the Top 10 (among the 323 Division I universities) in the Sears Directors' Cup all-sports standings.

- USC won the Lexus Gauntlet Trophy, a year-long all-sports competition between Troy and crosstown rival UCLA, in the 2001-02 inaugural season and again in 2003-04 and 2005-06.

- Fundraising (reaching a record \$40 million in 2005-06) and corporate sponsorships, merchandising and licensing (to a record \$8 million in 2005-06) have skyrocketed.

- He has undertaken the biggest building program in the history of USC athletics, including the Galen Center (a dining/activity center), a 3,000-square-foot addition to the weight room, a 3,000-seat track and field stadium, expansion of the tennis stadium and football practice field, a new women's soccer practice field, a short-game golf practice facility, an addition to baseball's Dedeaux Field, and the 10,000-seat Galen Events Center (for basketball and volleyball).

- He has added 2 women's teams (soccer and water polo), elevated women's rowing from a club to intercollegiate sport, and awarded 42 more women's scholarships (at an annual cost of \$1.8 million) so that USC provides the maximum number of women's scholarships permitted by the NCAA.

- Official NCAA graduation rates for USC student-athletes reached an all-time high in 1996 (71%) and have averaged near or above the national rate ever since; the 2001 graduation rate for the Trojan football team was at an all-time high 82%. There have been 9 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship winners, 7 Academic All-American first teamers, 4 National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes and a USC valedictorian and salutatorian under Garrett.

- He has hired 18 head coaches and Trojan coaches have been named National Coaches of the Year 10 times and Conference Coaches of the Year 26 times under his watch.

He was a member of the NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Track and Field Committee.

Garrett, 62, became the seventh African-American athletic director at a major Division I-A institution. In 2003, he was named one of "Southern California's 25 Most Influential Executives in Sports" by the Los Angeles Business Journal (ranking sixth) and one of the nation's "101 Most Influential Minorities in Sports" by Sports Illustrated (ranking 49th). He rose to 21st in SI's 2004 poll (the highest of any collegiate executive). In 2005, he was named one of the "50 Most Powerful African Americans in Sports" by Black Enterprise magazine and was ranked fifth among the Los Angeles Business Journal's "Los Angeles' Most Powerful Sports Executives."

Garrett previously had served as USC's associate athletic director since December of 1990. In that role, he was responsible for the athletic department's budget, personnel, contract compliance and corporate sponsorships. He also handled day-to-day supervision of 5 men's sports — volleyball, golf, tennis, swimming and water polo.

Prior to joining the USC staff, he was director of business development for the Great Western Forum (1988-90), including its highly-successful boxing program.

Earlier in his career, he worked for the San Diego district attorney's office and as a youth counselor, held management positions in the retail, construction and real estate industries, did color commentary on USC football telecasts, and ran for Congress (1982) and San Diego City Council (1983).

Garrett has been involved in community affairs since his days at USC. While in college, he helped found the Cool-Head Program, an organization that met with youth groups to try to offset racial tensions in Los Angeles, and volunteered at the McLaren Children's Center, a home for abused children.

He helped establish the East Los Angeles Youth Activities Foundation in 1989, a community-based group that ran boxing/educational clubs as a gang-intervention program.

In 1996, he received the Boys and Girls Clubs of Pasadena's "Youth Partnership Award." He is on the Board of Directors of First American Bank.

Born April 12, 1944 in East Los Angeles, Garrett was a prep All-American at that neighborhood's Roosevelt High.

As a student at USC, Garrett set the standard for the modern-era "I" formation Trojan tailbacks. He was a 2-time All-American (1964-65) who set 14 NCAA, conference and USC records in his 3-year career, including a then-NCAA career rushing mark of 3,221 yards and a then-USC season mark of 1,440 yards in 1965. He was the first Trojan since 1927 to run for 1,000 yards in a season.

A versatile athlete, he also started at cornerback for the Trojans and was an All-League outfielder for USC's baseball team (he hit .309 in 1965 and was drafted by the Pittsburgh Pirates and Los Angeles Dodgers).

Garrett played 8 seasons (1966-73) in the NFL with the Kansas City Chiefs and San Diego Chargers, becoming the first player to rush for 1,000 yards for 2 teams. An All-Pro, he played in Super Bowls I and IV.

Garrett was inducted into the National Football Foundation's College Football Hall of Fame in 1985 and won the NCAA's prestigious Silver Anniversary Award in 1990. He was a charter member of USC's Athletic Hall of Fame, which he founded in 1994. He was inducted into the East-West Shrine Game Hall of Fame in 2004.

Garrett graduated from USC in 1967 with a bachelor's degree in sociology and earned a law degree from Western State University College of Law in Fullerton, Calif., in 1986.

Garrett and his wife, Suzanne, have 4 children, Sara, 24, a 2004 graduate of USC, Daniel, 20, a USC junior, and 1-year-old twins, Michael and John.

Danielle Martinez-Galvan serves as Garrett's executive assistant.

## USC Athletic Directors

Willis O. Hunter*	1925-57
Jess Hill*	1957-72
John McKay	1972-75
Richard Perry*	1975-84
Mike McGee	1984-93
Mike Garrett	1993-

\*Member of National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics Hall of Fame

Note: Records are unclear prior to Hunter's tenure. One reference source listed William Clay as "athletic manager" in 1909 and cited him as USC's first A.D. Another source listed Elmer Henderson as football coach and athletic director from 1919 to 1924. Still another source said "graduate managers" were akin to athletic directors and listed Warren Bovard, Henry Bruce, Gwynn Wilson (1921-30) and Arnold Eddy (1930 and on) in that role (that source also claimed Eddy was athletic director in 1941-44).

## The University of Southern California

• Founded in 1880, the University of Southern California is the oldest private research university in the western United States.

• USC has conferred degrees on more than a quarter-million students—leaders who have helped Southern California emerge as a national trendsetter in public policy, economic and business affairs, urban planning and engineering, scientific research, healthcare, and the arts.

• USC has two main campuses: the 235-acre University Park campus, near Exposition Park in the heart of Los Angeles' Downtown Arts and Education Corridor; and the 50-acre Health Sciences campus, three miles northeast of downtown Los Angeles.

• USC also has programs and centers in Marina Del Rey, Orange County, Sacramento, Washington, D.C., Catalina Island, Alhambra and around Southern California.

• Enrollment stands at 33,000, including 17,000 undergraduates and 16,000 graduate and professional students.

• USC is consistently near the top among U.S. universities with respect to international enrollment. Approximately 17 percent of USC's total enrollment is composed of international students hailing from nearly 150 countries.

• USC was named by *Time* magazine and *The Princeton Review* as "College of the Year 2000," by the *Newsweek/Kaplan How To Get Into College Guide* as a "Hot School" for 2001, and by the Association of American Colleges and Universities as a "Leadership Institution" of 2001.

• Since 1969, USC has been a member of the Association of American Universities, the elective body that unites the 62 premier public and private research universities in the United States and Canada.

• Currently, USC ranks 17th among all American universities with respect to federal research support.

• USC has more than 3,100 full-time faculty members, in addition to nearly 3,600 volunteer faculty affiliated with the Keck School of Medicine of USC and 450 volunteer faculty affiliated with the USC School of Pharmacy.

• Distinguished Professor George A. Olah, holder of the Donald P. and Katherine B. Loker Chair in Organic Chemistry, was the sole recipient of the 1994 Nobel Prize in chemistry.

• USC has 43 faculty members or administrators who are members of prestigious national academies, including 10 in the National Academy of Sciences, 25 in the National Academy of Engineering and 10 in the Institute of Medicine (two are members of both NAS and NAE).

• USC is home to 17 professional schools, in addition to the College of Letters, Arts and Sciences and the Graduate School. These schools train specialists in fields ranging from medicine and law to business, communication, engineering and music.

• Among USC's distinguished alumni are musician Herb Alpert; opera star Marilyn Horne; astronauts Neil Armstrong and Charles Bolden; columnist Art Buchwald; sportscaster Frank Gifford; architects Frank Gehry, Jon Jerde and Paul Revere Williams; directors Taylor Hackford, Ron Howard, George Lucas, Sam Peckinpah and John Singleton; Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf; former U.S. secretary of state Warren Christopher; retired California Supreme Court chief justice Malcolm Lucas and associate justice Joyce L. Kennard; former U.S. ambassador to Australia, South Africa, Liberia and the United Nations Edward Perkins; actors LeVar Burton, Will Ferrell, Fess Parker, the late John Ritter and the late John Wayne; actresses Ally Sheedy, Cybill Shepherd and Marlo Thomas; symphony conductor Michael Tilson Thomas; film composers Elmer Bernstein and Jerry Goldsmith; and producers Barney Rosenzweig and David L. Wolper.



# MEDIA INFORMATION

## LOS ANGELES MEDIA OUTLETS

### Newspapers

- Los Angeles Times--202 W. First St., Los Angeles 90012, (213) 237-7145, fax (213) 237-7876
- The Orange County Register--625 No. Grand Ave., Santa Ana 92711, (714) 796-7804 or -7817, fax (714) 796-6765
- Daily News (lead member of Los Angeles Newspaper Group)--21221 Oxnard St., Woodland Hills 91364, (818) 713-3600 or -3607, fax (818) 713-3436 (Los Angeles Newspaper Group also includes Long Beach Press-Telegram, San Gabriel Valley Tribune, Inland Valley Daily Bulletin, San Bernardino Sun, Pasadena Star-News, Whittier Daily News and Ontario Daily Bulletin)
- Long Beach Press-Telegram--604 Pine Ave., Long Beach 90844, (562) 499-1330, fax (562) 437-8914
- San Gabriel Valley Tribune--1210 North Azusa Canyon Rd., West Covina 91790, (626) 962-8811 x2239, fax (626)
- Inland Valley Daily Bulletin--2041 E. Fourth St., Ontario 91761, (909) 483-9362, fax (909) 948-9038
- San Bernardino Sun--399 "D" St., San Bernardino 92401, (909) 889-9666 or 386-3865, fax (909) 384-0327
- Riverside Press-Enterprise--3512 14th St., Riverside 92501, (951) 368-9533, fax (951) 368-9029
- South Bay Daily Breeze--5215 Torrance Blvd., Torrance 90509, (310) 540-5511 or -4201, fax (310) 540-3067
- Daily Trojan (USC student newspaper)--Student Union 404, USC, Los Angeles 90089-0895, (213) 740-5671, fax (213) 740-5666

### Wire Services

- AP--221 So. Figueroa #300, Los Angeles 90012, (213) 626-1200, fax (213) 346-0200
- SportsTicker--11152 Lexington Dr., Los Alamitos 90720, (562) 431-8663 or -4374, fax (562) 596-0295

### Television Stations

- KCBS (CBS affiliate)--6121 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood 90028, (323) 460-3252, fax (323) 460-3337
- KNBC (NBC affiliate)--3000 W. Alameda, Burbank 91523, (818) 840-4237, fax (818) 840-3076
- KABC (ABC affiliate)--500 Circle Seven Dr., Glendale 91201, (818) 863-7677, fax (818) 863-7889
- KTLA (CW)--5800 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood 90028, (323) 460-5907, fax (323) 460-5404
- KCAL (independent/CBS)--6121 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood 90028, (323) 460-3252, fax (323) 460-3337
- KTTV (Fox)--1999 So. Bundy Dr., Los Angeles 90025-5235, (310) 584-2030, fax (310) 584-2168
- KCOP (CW)--1999 So. Bundy Dr., Los Angeles 90025-5235, (310) 584-2030, fax (310) 584-2168

### USC Athletics Fan Publications

- USC Report--P.O. Box 4533, Huntington Beach 92605-4533, (714) 375-3901 or (800) 526-9307, fax (714) 375-3906
- WeAreSC Magazine--3943 Irvine Blvd. #109, Irvine 92602 (949) 222-1048

### Cable Television Networks

- FSN West/FSN West 2 (USC local telecasts, USC Sports Magazine)--1100 S. Flower St., Los Angeles 90017, (213) 743-7800 (production) or 763-4646 (news), fax (213) 763-4633

### Radio Stations

- KSPN-AM (710) (USC flagship)--3321 So. La Cienega, Los Angeles 90016, (310) 840-2492, fax (310) 558-5648
- KNX-AM (1070)--5670 Wilshire Blvd. #200, Los Angeles 90036, (323) 900-2070, fax (323) 964-8329
- KFWB-AM (980)--5670 Wilshire Blvd. #200, Los Angeles 90036, (323) 900-2098
- KMPC-AM (1540 "The Ticket")--2800 28th St. #308, Santa Monica 90405, (310) 452-7100, fax (310) 452-8010
- KXTA-AM (570)--3400 W. Olive Ave. #550, Burbank 91505, (818) 559-2252, fax (818) 729-2511
- XPRS-AM (1090)--3655 Nobel Drive #470, San Diego 92122, (858) 535-2500, fax (858) 453-8377
- KDWN-AM (720) (USC Trojan Talk)--P.O. Box 760, Las Vegas, Nev. 89125, (702) 383-8255
- KSCR-FM (USC student station)--DXM, USC, Los Angeles 90089, (213) 740-5727, fax (213) 740-1853

**USC SPORTS INFORMATION OFFICE** —The Sports Information Office (director Tim Tesselone and assistants Paul Goldberg, Jason Pommier, Darcy Couch and David Tuttle) is located in the southeast corner of the first floor of Heritage Hall. It houses files containing USC athletic history, player and coach biographies, statistics and photographs. The office phone number is (213) 740-8480. The fax number is (213) 740-7584. Nearby on-campus parking is available by calling the office in advance.

**PLAYER/COACH INTERVIEWS** — Please arrange all player and coach interviews through the Sports Information Office, at least a day in advance. A reminder: per NCAA rules, current athletes cannot record promotional taglines for media outlets.

**PETE CARROLL MEDIA LUNCH** — Coach Carroll hosts a weekly media-only lunch in the lounge of Heritage Hall at 11:30 a.m. each Tuesday during the season. Transcribed notes from each session are available from the Sports Information Office.

**USC PRACTICES** — Most Trojan practices on Howard Jones Field are open to the local media. Please call in advance to confirm the schedule.

**GAME CREDENTIALS** — Because of space limitations, only members of the media who cover USC on a regular basis (plus media accompanying the visiting team) will be considered for credentials to Trojan home games. Freelancers cannot be accommodated. Credentials and parking passes are issued on a game-by-game basis. Requests for game credentials should be sent on company letterhead as early as possible to: Tim Tesselone, USC Sports Information Office, HER 103, Los Angeles, Calif. 90089-0601. Credentials can be mailed up to 7 days before the game; after that time, credentials can either be picked up during the week of the game at the Sports Information Office or beginning 3 hours before kickoff on game day at press will call outside the press box elevator near Tunnel 6 on the south side of the Coliseum. Three types of credentials are issued: press box (good for press box seat during game, field access during last 5 minutes of game), TV and photo (both provide field and press box roof access, limited press box access with no seat). There are also press box season credentials issued (good for press box seat during game, field access during last 5 minutes of game). All credentials provide post-game locker room access. Television cameramen and still photographers are not allowed on the sidelines between the 25-yard lines in the area of the team benches.

**PRESS BOX** — Located on the south (Martin Luther King Blvd.) side of the Coliseum, the press box is for the use of the working media and guests of USC's athletic department only. Access is via the elevator near Tunnel 6. The upper level has seats for the written press, while the lower level houses radio and television broadcasting booths. The roof is available for cameramen and photographers. Members of USC's Sports Information Office are located in the upper level (seats 219-223) during games. To get from the press box to the field at the end of the game (and to enable continued viewing of the game action), most media exit through either side door and walk through the stands.

**PRESS BOX SERVICES** — A complimentary meal is served in the press box. Game programs, speed cards and game notes are distributed before kickoff (these are also available on the field to photographers). Quarterly play-by-plays, plus halftime and final statistics, are distributed, as are transcribed post-game locker room quotes from Coach Carroll and the visiting coach. Game action is shown on indoor TV monitors posted throughout the press box. A detailed play-by-play and Coach Carroll's post-game press conference are broadcast over the press box public address system. Complimentary snacks and drinks are available to the media after the game. Several charge-a-call phones are located in the visiting press section on the lower level and available on a first-come basis. To order a telephone, contact phone technician Leo Caudillo at (213) 765-6353. The phone installer can obtain your seat location from Tim Tesselone. To call the press box on game day for score updates, dial either (213) 741-1341 or (213) 747-7111 (ask for the press box extension). USC provides complimentary fax service in the press box.

**MEDIA ON-FIELD GUIDELINES** — Media with credentials who are permitted on the field during the game (generally TV camera operators and still photographers) must remain outside the dotted line that encircles the field. A special "photo alley" has been drawn between the end zones and 25-yard lines on both sides of the field; photographers only are permitted inside this "alley" as long as they kneel. Photographers who choose not to kneel must stand behind the alley, along with all others on the field, including USC guests. Media should refrain from conducting post-game USC player/coach interviews on the field before the team enters the locker room, unless approved by a member of the USC Sports Information Office. No one under the age of 18 is allowed on the field at any time.

**POST-GAME INTERVIEWS** — The USC and visiting team locker rooms are located inside the tunnel at the west end of the Coliseum. After a 10-minute "cooling off" period, the USC locker room will open to the media. Coach Carroll and several key Trojan players will conduct a post-game press session.

**VIDEO SERVICES** — The USC Sports Information Office makes video highlights of key Trojans available to the media. The Pac-10 Office has a weekly video satellite feed featuring highlights and interviews from all league schools (call 925-932-4411 for information). To contract specific video services, contact Rich Zielinski of Zielinski Productions at (714) 842-5050, Dennis Kirkpatrick of Bayview Productions at (310) 543-1835, or Mark Walton/John Hefner at FSN West at (213) 743-7800.

**USC ATHLETICS ON THE WEB** — The USC athletic department has an official "home page" on the web, featuring current and historical information about Trojan sports. For access, type [www.usctrojans.com](http://www.usctrojans.com). (The Pac-10's home page is at [www.pac-10.org](http://www.pac-10.org) and the NCAA's home page is at [www.ncaa.org](http://www.ncaa.org).)

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 Paul Goldberg home -- (310) 745-3747, cell -- (213) 725-3567  
 Jason Pommier home -- (310) 406-0696, cell -- (213) 725-3529  
 Darcy Couch home -- (925) 360-7733, cell -- (213) 725-3447  
 David Tuttle home -- (626) 351-1632, cell -- (213) 725-3102  
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**COLISEUM TELEPHONE SERVICE**  
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**COLISEUM PRESS BOX** (213) 741-1341 or (213) 747-7111

**LOCAL HOTELS**  
 Radisson Hotel Midtown (3540 So. Figueroa) (213) 748-4141  
 Millennium Biltmore Hotel (506 So. Grand Ave.) (213) 624-1011  
 Radisson Wilshire Plaza (3515 Wilshire) (213) 381-7411  
 L.A. Marriott Downtown (333 So. Figueroa) (213) 617-1133  
 Wilshire Grand Los Angeles (930 Wilshire) (213) 688-7777  
 Sheraton Downtown (711 So. Hope) (213) 683-1234  
 Westin Bonaventure (404 So. Figueroa) (213) 624-1000  
 Hilton L.A. Airport (5711 W. Century) (310) 410-4000  
 L.A. Airport Marriott (5855 W. Century) (310) 641-5700  
 Westin L.A. Airport (5400 W. Century) (310) 216-5858

**LOCAL RESTAURANTS**  
 El Cholo Cafe (1121 So. Western) (323) 734-2773  
 Pacific Dining Car (1310 W. Sixth) (213) 483-6000  
 Lawry's The Prime Rib (100 No. La Cienega) (310) 652-2827  
 Taylor's Prime Steaks (3361 W. Eighth) (213) 382-8449

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 Northwest (800) 225-2525  
 Southwest (800) 435-9792  
 United (800) 241-6522  
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 Dollar (800) 800-4000  
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**USC Travel Plans**

**ARKANSAS** — Leave Los Angeles at 2 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 31, on Delta Airlines charter; Arrive Fayetteville at 7:30 p.m. Stay at Embassy Suites (3303 Pinnacle Hills Pkwy., Rogers, AR 72758, 479-254-8400). Depart Fayetteville at 1:15 a.m. on Sunday, Sept. 3; Arrive Los Angeles at 3 a.m.

**ARIZONA** — Leave Los Angeles at 2 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 22 on U.S. Airways charter; Arrive Tucson at 3:30 p.m. Stay at Doubletree Hotel at Reid Park (445 So. Alvernon, Tucson, AZ 85711, 520-881-4200). Depart Tucson at 10:30 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 23; Arrive Los Angeles at midnight.

**WASHINGTON STATE** — Leave Los Angeles at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 29 on Delta Airlines charter; Arrive Lewiston at 4 p.m. Stay at University Inn (1516 Pullman Rd., Moscow, ID 83843, 208-882-0550). Depart Lewiston at TBA on Saturday, Sept. 30; Arrive Los Angeles at TBA.

**OREGON STATE** — Leave Los Angeles at 2 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 27 on Delta Airlines charter; Arrive Eugene at 4 p.m. Stay at Valley River Inn (1000 Valley River Way, Eugene, OR 97401, 541-687-0123). Depart Eugene at TBA on Saturday, Oct. 28; Arrive Los Angeles at TBA.

**STANFORD** — Leave Los Angeles at 2 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 3 on U.S. Airways charter; Arrive San Jose at 3:20 p.m. Stay at Santa Clara Marriott (2700 Mission College Blvd., Santa Clara, CA 95054, 408-986-6692). Depart San Jose at TBA on Saturday, Nov. 4; Arrive Los Angeles at TBA.

*Itinerary subject to change. All times are local to that area.*

**Future Trojan Football Schedules**

2007		2009	
Sept. 1	Idaho	Sept. 5	San Jose State
Sept. 15	at Nebraska	Sept. 12	at Ohio State
Sept. 22	Washington State	Sept. 19	at Washington
Sept. 29	at Washington	Sept. 26	Washington State
Oct. 6	Stanford	Oct. 3	at California
Oct. 13	Arizona	Oct. 10	Arizona
Oct. 20	at Notre Dame	Oct. 17	at Notre Dame
Oct. 27	at Oregon	Oct. 24	Oregon State
Nov. 3	Oregon State	Oct. 31	at Oregon
Nov. 10	at California	Nov. 7	at Arizona State
Nov. 17	at Arizona State	Nov. 14	Stanford
Nov. 24	UCLA	Nov. 28	UCLA
2008		2010	
Sept. 6	TBA	Sept. 4	at Hawaii
Sept. 13	Ohio State	Sept. 18	TBA
Sept. 27	at Oregon State	Sept. 25	at Washington State
Oct. 11	Arizona State	Oct. 2	Washington
Oct. 18	at Washington State	Oct. 9	at Stanford
Oct. 25	at Arizona	Oct. 16	California
Nov. 1	Washington	Oct. 23	at Oregon State
Nov. 8	California	Oct. 30	Oregon
Nov. 15	at Stanford	Nov. 6	Arizona State
Nov. 22	Oregon	Nov. 13	at Arizona
Nov. 29	Notre Dame	Nov. 27	Notre Dame
Dec. 6	at UCLA	Dec. 4	at UCLA

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