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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { MWC } \\ & \text { Champions } \\ & 2001 \end{aligned}$ | MWC Champions 2005 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { MWC } \\ & \text { Champions } \\ & 2007 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { MWC } \\ \text { Champions } \\ 2009 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { MWC } \\ \text { Champions } \\ 2010 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { MWC } \\ \text { Champions } \\ 2011 \end{gathered}$ | WAC <br> Champions 2012 | PCSC Champions 2013 | NCAA Regionals <br> 10 appearances including nine straight from 2005-2013 |
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| 2014 BYU COUGARS SCHEDULE |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Red Desert Classic (St. George, Utah) |  |  |
| Feb 6 (Thu) | LMU | Loss 3-4 |
| Feb 6 (Thu) | Southern Utah | Win 10-2 (5) |
| Feb 7 (Fri) | Nevada | Loss 9-10 |
| Feb 7 (Fri) | East Carolina | Win 13-5 (6) |
| Feb 8 (Sat) | Texas Arlington | Loss 2-3 |
| Easton Desert Classic (Las Vegas, Nevada) |  |  |
| Feb 13 (Thu) | Seattle | Win 14-8 |
| Feb 14 (Fri) | Portland St. | Win 5-4 |
| Feb 14 (Fri) | Chattanooga | Loss 0-8 (5) |
| Feb 15 (Sat) | Nevada | Loss 10-20 |
| Feb 15 (Sat) | No. 22/24 Minnesota | Loss 6-13 |
| Mary Nutter Classic (Palm Springs, Calif.) |  |  |
| Feb 20 (Thu) | Virginia | Win 9-0 (5) |
| Feb 20 (Thu) | No. 24 Notre Dame | Loss 0-6 |
| Feb 21 (Fri) | Oklahoma St. | Loss 5-6 (8) |
| Feb 21 (Fri) | Fordham | Won 5-2 |
| Feb 22 (Sat) | No. 2/3 Washington | Loss 0-8 (5) |
| San Diego Classic |  |  |
| Feb 27 (Thu) | No. 2 Tennessee | Win 6-3 |
| Feb 27 (Thu) | San Diego St | Loss 0-2 |
| Stanford Louisville Slugger Classic (Stanford, Calif.) |  |  |
| Mar 6 (Thu) | No. 17/22 Stanford | Loss3-5 |
| Mar 7 (Fri) | Portland St. | Win 4-3 (8) |
| Mar 7 (Fri) | North Dakota St. | Loss 0-4 |
| Mar 8 (Sat) | North Dakota St. | Win 6-3 |
| Mar 8 (Sat) | No. 17/22 Stanford | Loss 5-7 |
| Rainbow Wahine Classic Tournament (Honolulu, Hawai'i) |  |  |
| Mar 12 (Wed) | James Madison | Loss 1-3 |
| Mar 12 (Wed) | No. 2/3 Oregon | Loss 2-3 |
| Mar 13 (Thu) | Hawai'i | Win 3-1 |
| Mar 14 (Fri) | Valparaiso | Loss 4-6 |
| Mar 14-15 | James Madison | Loss 1-3 |
| Mar 20 (Thu) | @ Utah | Loss 0-1 (9) |
| Mar 25 (Tue) | No. 2/3 Oregon | Win 6-5 |
| Mar 28 (Fri) | Idaho State | Loss 4-6 |
| Mar 29 (Sat) | Idaho State (DH) | Win 11-10 \& 9-2 |
| Apr 2 (Wed) | Utah State* | Win 5-4 (8) |
| Apr 4 (Fri) | @ San Diego | Loss 0-4 |
| Apr 5 (Sat) | @ San Diego (DH) | Win 2-1 \& 4-3 |
| Apr 8 (Tue) | @Utah Valley | Win 9-0 (5) |
| Apr 11 (Fri) | Santa Clara* | Win 3-2 |
| Apr 12 (Sat) | Santa Clara (DH)* | L 2-1 \& W 5-0 |
| Apr 15 (Tue) | Southern Utah (DH) | Won 10-2, 8-2 |
| Apr 18 (Fri) | Weber State* | Won 7-3 |
| Apr 25 (Fri) | LMU(DH)* | 3:30 \& 6 p.m. |
| Apr 26 (Sat) | LMU* | 12:00 p.m. |
| Apr 30 (Wed) | @ Weber State | 2:00 p.m. |
| May 2 (Fri) | @ Pacific (DH) | 4 p.m. \& 6 p.m. |
| May 3 (Sat) | @ Pacific | 12:00 p.m. |
| May 6 (Tue) | Utah Valley (DH) | 5 \& 7 p.m. |
| May 9 (Fri) | Saint Mary's* | 5 \& 7 p.m. |
| May 10 (Sat) | Saint Mary's (DH) | 12:00 p.m. |
| May 15-17 | NCAA Regionals |  |
| All times listed are local to site |  |  |
| Bold signifies West Coast Conference opponent *Televised game on BYUtv |  |  |



2014 Record: 20-22, 1-8 WCC Last Time: Lost to USD 6-1

Head Coach: Gary Ferrin Division I Career Record: 647-483-1 Record at LMU: Same

## BYU QUICK HITS

- BYU is tied for the top spot in the conference rankings with their win percentage. The Cougars have played one less series then both San Diego and Pacific who are 6-3. - Last season BYU's hopes for a fifth consecutive conference championship looked bleak after two losses to Loyola Marymount by a combined score of 2-13. The Cougars bounced back the next day winning both games by a combined score of 20-4 including a perfect game to wrap up the series.
- BYU is above . 500 for the first time since they were 4-3 after a walk-off win against Portland State.


## 2014 NUMERICAL ROSTER

| No. Name | Pos | HT | YR | B/T | Hometown (Previous School) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 Mercedes O'Connor | C, 3B | 5-5 | Fr . | R/R | Huntington Beach, CA (Edison HS) |
| 1 Lacey Millett Hofstedt | OF | 5-6 | Jr. | L/R | Folsom, CA (Folsom HS) |
| 2 Gordy Bravo | OF, 2B | 5-2 | So. | L/R | Corona, CA (Eleanor Roosevelt HS) |
| 3 Carly Duckworth | OF, P | 5-7 | Sr. | R/R | Salt Lake City, UT (Olympus HS) |
| 4 Ashlee Robinson | INF | 5-6 | Sr. | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Vall, AZ (University of Arizona) |
| 5 McKenna Bull | P | 5-10 | Fr . | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Ogden, UT (Weber HS) |
| 8 Tori Almond | P | 6-1 | Sr. | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | South Jordan, UT (Bingham HS) |
| 9 Lauren Bell | INF | 5-9 | Fr . | L/R | Murray, UT (Murray HS) |
| 10 Karli Lehr | INF | 5-5 | Fr . | L/R | Las Vegas, NV (Arbor View HS) |
| 12 Megan Arnold | C. 1 B | 5-8 | Jr. | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Yorba Linda, CA (Esperanza HS) |
| 13 McKenzie St. Clair | OF | 5-5 | Fr . | R/R | Peoria, AZ (Sunrisse Mountain HS) |
| 24 Jenna Goar | 1B | 5-9 | Sr. | L/R | Littleton, CO (Heritage HS) |
| 25 Coco Tauali'i | C, 2B | 5-4 | So. | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Torrance, CA (North HS) |
| 27 Brittany Call | OF | 5-2 | Fr . | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Mission Viejo, CA (HS) |
| 31 Katie Manuma | 1B, P | 5-8 | Sr. | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Ewa Beach, HI (James Campbell HS) |
| 33 Ashley Thompson | P, INF | 6-2 | Fr . | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{R}$ | Connell, WA (Connell HS) |
| 34 Sydney Broderick | C. OF | 5-4 | Fr . | L/L | Ashburn, VA (Stone Bridge HS) |

Head Coach: Gordon Eakin (12th year)
Assistant Coach: Pete Meredith (1st year)
Assistant Coach: Kristin "House" Morrison (1st year)
Athletic Trainer: Chris Linde (15th year)

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## BYU QUICK FACTS

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY
Location: Provo, Utah 84602
Elevation: 4,553 feet
Enrollment: 32,955 (Daytime)
Founded: October 15, 1875
Owned: The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
Nickname: Cougars
Mascot: Cosmo
Colors: Blue and White
Arena (capacity): Miller Park $(2,100)$
Conference: Pacific Coast Softball Conference
President: Cecil O. Samuelson (Utah, 1966)
Athletic Director: Tom Holmoe (BYU, 1983)
Athletic Website: byucougars.com
Tickets: (801) 422-BYU1 or (800) 322-BYU1
BYU COACHING STAFF
Head Coach: Gordon Eakin
Record at School (years): 449-200 (11th year)
Career Div. I Record (years): Same
Office phone for head coach: Call SID
Best time/day to reach coach: Call SID
Associate Head Coach:
Assistant Coach:

## BYU TEAM INFO

2013 Overall Record: 33-25
Conference Record/Finish: 19-5 / 1st
2012 Postseason: NCAA Oregon Regional, 0-2 record
2012 Final National Ranking: 106
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4
Lettermen Returning/Lost: 12/6
Newcomers: 6

## BYU HISTORY

First Year of Softball: 2000 (13 seasons)
Overall All-Time Record: 530-276 (.658)
Gail Miller Field Record: 161-39 (.805)
Winning Seasons: 13 (last 2013)
Conference Championships: 7 (last 2013)
Total NCAA Appearances (record): 10 (14-20)
Last NCAA Appearance: 2013
Result: Lost to Oregon twice and Wisconsin
In-State Opponent Record: 133-24 (.847)
Record vs. WCC Opponents: 40-9 (.816)

## BY THE NUMBERS

4McKenna Bull struck out four of five of the batters she faced Friday against Weber State for her fourth save of the season. That ties her for the single season saves record at BYU. She is currently ninth in the nation in saves.

The Cougars lead the West Coast Conference in 12 different offensive categories including batting average, slugging percentage, on-base percentage and home runs. The Cougars will need their offense to defeat the Lions this week.
Sydney Broderick had her third perfect game from the plate this season against Weber State to give her 49 hits on the season. She will need to average three hits per game to equal Neta Le'i's single season BYU record of 85 hits. If the Cougars play three postseason games she will need 2.4 hits per game.

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With 4 strikeouts against Weber State, McKenna Bull passed Summer Tobias for the ninth best strikeout season at BYU. She needs seven strikeouts this weekend to pass teammate Tori Almond for eighth to coninue her climb up the record boards.

## PROBABLE STARTERS



BYU SERIES RECORD VS. LMU
Overall Series Record: 12-4
BYU Record in Provo: 2-2
BYU Record in Los Angeles: 1-1
BYU Record at Neutral Sites: 9-1
BYU Record under Gordon Eakin: 11-3
Longest BYU Win Streak: 6 (2008-2011)
Longest LMU Win Streak: 2 (2013)
Largest BYU Margin of Victory: $11(2010,13)$
Largest LMU Margin of Victory: 9 (2002)
Most Runs Scored by BYU: $11(2010,13)$
Most Runs Scored by LMU: 13 (2002)

## HOW LMU RANKS IN THE NCAA

Team Statistics (thru games 04/07/14)
Category (\# ranked) Rank Actual

| Batting Average (289) | 225 | .247 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Earned Run Average (288) $95 \quad 3.17$
Fielding Percentage (289) 245 . 947
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Scoring (289) } & 218 & 3.55\end{array}$
WL Percentage (289) 156 . 476
Stolen Bases per Game (289) $278 \quad 0.29$
Double Plays per Game (289) $197 \quad 0.247$

## Individual Players

Category (\# ranked) Player Rank
Batting Average (150)
HR per Game (146) Harman $\quad-\quad 75$
Walks (149)
On Base Percentage (99)
Stolen Bases (140)
K's per seven innings (149) Gouveia 4
Saves (32)
Walks allowed per 7 (99) Farrington 22
Hits allowed per 7 (100) Gouveia 1
Sacrifice Flies (85)
HBP per Game (145)

## HOW BYU RANKS IN THE NCAA

Team Statistics (thru games 04/07/14)
Category (\# ranked) Rank Actual
Batting Average (289) 112 . 281
Earned Run Average (288) $147 \quad 3.71$
Fielding Percentage (289) 106 . 961
Scoring (289) $90 \quad 4.88$
WL Percentage (289) $135 \quad .512$
Stolen Bases per Game (289) $175 \quad 0.77$
Double Plays per Game (289) $181 \quad 0.23$
Individual Players
Category (\# ranked) Player Rank
Batting Average (150)
2B per Game (147) Robinson 134
Walks (150) Thompson 88
Toughest to Strikeout (150) Broderick 148
Stolen Bases (140)
K's per seven innings (150) Bull 32
Saves (19) Bull 9
ERA (150) Almond 146
Hits allowed per 7 (100)
Sacrifice Flies (85) Broderick 43
HBP per Game (145)

## OPPONENT NOTES

## LOYOLA MARYMOUNT

Loyola Marymount was selected to finish second in the West Coast Conference Preseason Poll. However, after sophomore ace Sydney Gouveia aggravated a back injury against Saint Mary's in the conference opener, the Lions have struggled to compete at the level they would prefer.

Senior Meghan Harman leads the team with .358 with a conference-high 10 home runs and 27 RBI. Junior Sterling Shuster adds a .309 average with three home runs and 20 RBI .

After the loss of Gouveia, freshman LHP Rachael Farrington has seen the bulk of the pitching load holding a 4.25 ERA over a team-high 107.0 innings pitched.

| COMPARING THE STATS (2013) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Overall | BYU | BYU (WCC) | LMU | LMU (WCC) |
| 2013 Record | $22-21$ | $4-2$ | $20-22$ | $1-8$ |
| Runs Scored | 210 | 15 | 149 | 28 |
| Hits | 321 | 28 | 268 | 65 |
| Doubles | 54 | 7 | 40 | 6 |
| Home Runs | 33 | 2 | 31 | 10 |
| Total Bases | 482 | 43 | 403 | 101 |
| Stolen Bases | $33-45$ | $1-2$ | $12-20$ | $0-2$ |
| Batting Average | .281 | .197 | .247 | .243 |
| Slugging Percentage | .422 | .303 | .372 | .377 |
| On Base Percentage | .367 | .269 | .326 | .310 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Runs Allowed | 189 | 12 | 183 | 48 |
| Hits Allowed | 300 | 31 | 318 | 85 |
| Home Runs Allowed | 24 | 2 | 14 | 1 |
| Total Bases Allowed | 428 | 43 | 425 | 103 |
| Strikeouts | 287 | 43 | 220 | 19 |
| Opp. Batting Avg. | .266 | .212 | .273 | .310 |



Batting Leaders

Sydney Broderick (. 377 BA, 6 HR, 28 RBI) McKenzie St. Clair (. 317 BA, 5 HR, 24 RBI) Gordy Bravo
(. $310 \mathrm{BA}, 0$ HR, 7 RBI ) Lauren Bell
(. $303 \mathrm{BA}, 0$ HR, 5 RBI )

Tori Almond
(5-6, 2.47 ERA, 94 K)
McKenna Bull
(11-9, 3.29 ERA, 148 K)
Ashley Thompson
(3-4, 5.92 ERA, 39 K)

Meghan Harman (. $358 \mathrm{BA}, 10 \mathrm{HR}, 27 \mathrm{RBI})$

Sterling Shuster (. 309 BA, 3 HR, 20 RBI) Alex Finie (. 296 BA, 4 HR, 16 RBI)

Stephanie Maciel (. $277 \mathrm{BA}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 13 \mathrm{RBI}$ )

## Pitching Leaders

Sydney Gouveia
(12-2, 0.74 ERA, 136 K)
Stephanie Crist
(1-10, 4.24 ERA, 28 K)
Rachael Farrington
(6-9, 4.25 ERA, 43 K)

| BYU SOFTBALL |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BYU HITTING STREAKS |  |  |  |
| PLAYER | SEASON | CURRENT | CAREER |
| Megan Arnold | 3 |  | 3 |
| Lauren Bell | 9 | 3 | 9 |
| Gordv Brevo | 5 |  | 9 |
| Sydney Broderick | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Carly Duckworth | 4 | - | 5 |
| Jenna Goar | 1 |  | 4 |
| Katie Manuma | 4 | 4 | 11 |
| Lacey Millett Hofstedi | dt |  | 4 |
| Mercedes O'Connor | r 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Ashlee Robinson | 4 | 1 | 5 |
| Mckenzie St. Clair | 6 | 1 | 6 |
| Coco Tauali" | 3 | - | 8 |
| Ashley Thompson | 8 | 2 | 8 |

## LAST TIME OUT

PROVO, Utah - Sydney Broderick continued her hot hitting to lead BYU softball to a 7-3 victory against Weber State Friday night at Gail Miller Field.
"It was a good team win," BYU head coach Gordon Eakin said. "It was nice to bounce back after falling behind two to nothing to this Weber State team who was aggressive and came out swinging."

The first inning kicked off with Weber State earning a double and then loading the bases with two outs. A single to left field crossed two and gave the Wildcats the 2-0 lead. In the bottom of the frame, Gordy Bravo reached on an error with two outs and Katie Manuma homered to center field to tie the game at two.

After Almond held the Wildcats scoreless in the top of the second, St. Clair hammered one over the left field fence to give the Cougars their first lead at 3-2. With two outs, Robinson walked and Broderick hit one off the scoreboard in right-center field making it 5-2 in favor of BYU.
After Weber State made it 5-3, St. Clair singled down the left-field line to leadoff the bottom of the fourth and advanced on a wild pitch and a sacrifice bunt from Mercedes O'Connor. Robinson then sacrificed to center field to cross her making the score 6-3.

Almond struck out two in the top of the fifth to strand a Wildcat runner on first. Weber State returned the favor stranding Ashley Thompson at second in the bottom of the fifth.

## THE LAST TIME BYU..

Recorded 10-14 hits in a game
14 vs. SUU (04/15/14)
Recorded 15-19 hits in a game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16 vs. Seattle (02/13/14)
Recorded 20+ hits in a game . 20 vs. Southern Utah (05/04/10)
Scored 10-14 runs .
10 vs. SUU (04/15/14)
Scored 15+ runs. 15 vs. Utah State (04/13/12)

| Ashlee Robinson | 7 | 5 | 7 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Scored 10+ runs in an inning
Drew eight or more walks 11 vs. Saint Mary's (05/03/13)

Stole five or more bases. 8 vs. LIU Brooklyn (03/09/13)

Hit five or more home runs 5 vs. East Carolina (02/07/14)

| Coco Tauall'i | 7 | - | 23 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ashley Thompson | 11 | 3 | 11 |

Brittany Call
Hit 10+ home runs in a game
.5 vs. Southern Utah (04/07/10)

HOW MANY GAMES WITH... 2014 CAREER
PERFECT HITTING \%
(MIN. 3 AB)
Coco Tauali'i
McKenzie St. Clair
Sydney Broderick
Katie Manuma
3+ HITS
Katie Manuma 3+ players with 3+ hits Struck out 15+ batters Defeated a team ranked 11-25.
Defeated a team ranked 6-10
Defeated a top 5 team
Lost to a top 5 team.
Lost a non-cononference game at home
10 at Utah Valley (04/16/08)

Lost a conference game at home
lair vs. Idaho State (03/29/14)
15 at Fresno State (03/05/09)

Won a run-rule game -4 vs. No. 11 Hawai'i $(05 / 11 / 12)$

Lost a run-rule game 2 vs. No. 9 Cal Berkley (03/19/11) Won an extra inning game $6-5$ vs. No. 2/3 Oregon (03/25/14) . 3-2 at No. 2 Oregon (03/12/14) 6-4 vs. Idaho State (03/28/14)
2-1 vs. Santa Clara (04/12/14)
10-2 (5) vs. SUU (04/15/14)
Ashlee Robinson
Lauren Bell Lost an extra inning game. 8-0 (5) vs. Washington (02/22/14) 5-4 (8) vs. Utah State (04/02/14) Played an error free game 0-1 (9) vs. Utah (03/20/14) .vs. SUU (04/15/14) Didn't have a strikeout at the plate Multiple Double Plays at Santa Clara (04/19/13) Ashley Thompson Sydney Broderick Had back-to-back homeruns Had back-to-back-to-back homeruns 2 vs. Oklahoma State (04/21/14) Gordy Bravo Lacey Millett Hofstedt

Had 3+ players with 3+ RBls

## THE LAST TIME A BYU PLAYER

Recorded five or more hits . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5 Jess Fitu vs. Cal State Northridge (02/19/11) Recorded 3 or more hits. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Sydney Broderick with 3 hits vs. Weber St. (04/18/14) Hit 1.000 (min. 3 AB) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Sydney Broderick vs.Weber St. (04/18/14) Scored four or more runs Batted in five or more runs . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7 Katie Manuma vs. Seattle (02/13/14) JC Clayton (02/17/12) Had a multi-home run game. 2 Katie Manuma vs. Tennessee (02/27/14) Hit for the cycle Never Happened Hit a grand slam . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Lacey Millett Hofstedt vs No. 2/3 Oregon (03/25/14) Drew 4+ walks in a game 4 Jessica Dugas at Utah Valley (05/02/12) Stole 3+ bases in a game. Had a walk-off home run Had a walk-off hit
ego (03/23/13) . Stacie Toney vs. Utah State (04/14/12)

## THE LAST TIME A BYU PITCHER.

Struck out 10+ batters
No walks (min. 4 IP)
Threw a no-hitter
Threw a perfect game.

14 McKenna Bull vs. Valparaiso (03/14/14) .Tori Almond vs. Santa Clara (04/12/14) Tori Almond, McKenna Bull and Ashley Thompson vs. UVU (04/08/14) . Hannah Howell vs. Loyola Marymount (04/13/13)

## 2014 RECORD WHEN

## Overall

.22-21
Conference
. . $4-2$
Non-Conference.
18-19
Home .
. 9-2
Away
. $4-5$
Nuetral
$.9-14$
Day games.
20-18
Night games
. 2-3
One Run Games
.8-7
Two Run Games .
Five or more run games
Extra Inning games.
Shutouts.
Scoring 0-2 runs
Scoring 3-5 runs
Scoring 6-9 runs
Scoring 10+ runs
Opponent scores 0-2 runs
Opponent scores 3-5 runs
Opponent scores 6-9 runs
Opponent scores 10+ runs
BYU scores 1st inning
Opponent scores 1st inning
BYU scores first.
Opponent scores first. .
BYU out-hits opponent.
Opponent out-hits BYU
Equal number of hits

## IN THE RECORD BOOKS

McKenna Bull continued her climb up the single season strikeouts board moving to ninth with 148 and passing Summer Tobias. With seven more strikeouts she will pass Tori Almond for eighth. She needs 41 strikeouts to tie Daniela Urincho Snow for the 10th most strikeouts in a career. She is fifth for wins as a freshman with 11 and one behind Brooke Boyce Humbert for fourth. She is currently tied for the most saves in a season with four.

Pitcher Tori Almond is third in career wins (47), third in career strikeouts (472) and fourth in career shutouts (10). She trails Paige Affleck by .004 in lowest opponent batting average allowed for a career at . 215 . Almond also pitched the second no-hitter of her career on April 8, 2014 agaisnt UVU. This marked the 16th no-hitter in BYU history.


Tori Almond winds up (Photo by Jaren Wilkey)

## NO DAY OFF FOR BRODERICK



Broderick crosses the plate (Photo by Mark Philbrick)
Sydney Broderick has played in every one of BYU's 43 games this season. She has played 39 games at catcher and four in the outfield.

That playing time has helped her become the most consistent hitter for the Cougars. Broderick currently has 48 hits this season. Last season Gordy Bravo had 70 hits which was the second best number for a freshman season at BYU.

If Broderick averages two hits a game the remainder of the season it will take 16 games (assuming four postseason games) to pass JC Clayton for the freshman record.

## LAST YEAR VS. THIS YEAR

BYU has had a surprisingly similar year from the plate and in the circle. Last year's team averaged more hits per game, but this year the Cougars have made up for fewer hits with more extra base hits per game.

The same can be said in the circle with BYU giving up more hits per game, but fewer of those hits have been for extra bases which leads to giving up a similar amount of runs per game.


| WEST CDAST <br> CONFERENCE 2014 WCC STANDINGS (AS OF Date) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BYU | WCC | Overall <br> 21-21 | Streak <br> W3 |
| Saint Mary's | 4-2 | 18-20 | L1 |
| Pacific | 4-2 | 15-23 | L1 |
| San Diego | 3-3 | 18-19 | W1 |
| Santa Clara | 2-4 | 6-26 | L1 |
| Loyola Marymoun | 1-5 | 20-19 | W1 |

## 2014 WCC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Week 1 McKenzie St. Clair, BYU
Week 2 Katie Manuma, BYU
Week 3 Taylor Petty, Pacific
Week 4 Katie Manuma, BYU
Week 5 Mary Grabowski, San Diego
Week 6 Tatum Schultz, San Diego
Week 7 Sterling Shuster, Loyola Marymount
Week 8 Sydney Broderick, BYU
Week 9 Sydney Broderick, BYU
Week 10 Andrea Hazel, Saint Mary's
Week 11 Stephanie Fisher, Santa Clara
Week 12
Week 13
2014 WCC PITCHERS OF THE WEEK
Week 1 Jenny Lahitte, San Diego
Week 2 Sarah Lira, Saint Mary's
Week 3 Sydney Gouveia, Loyola Marymount
Week 4 Sydney Gouveia, Loyola Marymount
Week 5 Sydney Gouveia, Loyola Marymount
Week 6 Cassidy Coleman, San Diego
Week 7 Tori Shepard, Pacific
Week 8 McKenna Bull, BYU
Week 9 Cassidy Coleman, San Diego
Week 10 McKenna Bull, BYU
Week 11 Cassidy Coleman, San Diego
Week 12
Week 13

## WCC PLAYER/PITCHER OF THE WEEK

SAN BRUNO, Calif. -- The West Coast Conference has named its Softball Pitcher and Player of the Week for April 21, 2014.

## WEST COAST CONFERENCE PITCHER OF THE WEEK

CASSIDY COLEMAN, SR., RHP, SAN DIEGO
Senior RHP Cassidy Coleman won both of her starts over the weekend, holding Loyola Marymount to three earned runs in 15 innings pitched. On Friday, she pitched 10 innings and held LMU to just one run, while recording 11 strikeouts in USD's 2-1 extra inning win. On Saturday, she allowed two runs on two solo home runs, but only allowed three hits and striking out eight as USD went on to win 3-2. Coleman is $5-1$ with a 1.37 ERA in her six WCC starts and has struck out 55 batters in 46 innings.

## WEST COAST CONFERENCE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

STEPHANIE FISHER, SR., OF, SANTA CLARA
Outfielder Stephanie Fisher had a huge week for Santa Clara. At Cal on Tuesday, Fisher hit for the cycle and scored two runs. It is the first cycle in West Coast Conference history. Her home run in the top of the sixth gave Santa Clara a 2-1 lead. On Thursday against Fresno State, Fisher had a hit in the seventh inning rally that gave the Broncos the walk-off 1-0 win. On the week Fisher hit .714/.714 OBP/1.571.

## PRESEASON POLLS

PROVO, Utah - West Coast Conference coaches selected BYU as the favorite to win the conference's first softball regular-season championship and selected three Cougars to the preseason all-conference team.
"As a program we feel honored to be selected as the preseason conference champions," BYU head coach Gordon Eakin said. "There are a number of excellent teams in the WCC that are worthy of that same selection, and we will do our best to live up to the high expectations this season."

Last year the Cougars won the Pacific Coast Softball Conference in a tight contest that went down to the last week of conference play. BYU has won five straight conference championships and has a 40-9 record against WCC opponents. This will be the fourth different conference the Cougars have played in over the last four years.

| CATEGORY | STAT | RANK | PER GAME | RANK | CATEGORY | TOP BYU PLAYER | ACTUAL | WCC RANK |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Batting Avg. | . 281 | 1st |  |  | Batting Avg. | Sydney Broderick | . 377 | 3 d |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | McKenzie St. Clair | . 317 | 9th |
| Slugging Pct. | . 422 | 1st |  |  | Slugging Pct. | Sydney Broderick | . 600 | 2nd |
| On Base Pct. | . 367 | 1st |  |  | On Base Pct. | Sydney Broderick | . 451 | 3rd |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Ashley Thompson | . 407 | 5th |
| Runs Scored | 210 | 1st | 4.88 | 1st | Runs Scored | McKenzie St. Clair | 24 | 4th |
| Hits | 321 | 1st | 7.47 | 2nd | Hits | Sydney Broderick | 49 | 1st |
| RBI | 173 | 1st | 4.02 | 1st | RBI | Katie Manuma | 35 | 1st |
| Doubles | 54 | 1st | 1.26 | 2nd | Doubles | Ashlee Robinson | 10 | T-1st |
| Triples | 4 | 3rd | 0.09 | T-3rd | Triples | Sydney Broderick | 2 | T-1st |
| Home Runs | 33 | 1st | 0.77 | 1st | Home Runs | Katie Manuma | 7 | 2nd |
| Total Bases | 482 | 1st | 11.21 | 1st | Total Bases | Sydney Broderick | 78 | 1st |
| Stolen Bases | 33-44 | 1st | 0.77 | 1st | Stolen Bases | Lacey Millett-Hofstedt | 9 | T-1st |
| ERA | 3.71 | 4th |  |  | ERA | Tori Almond | 2.47 | 5th |
| Opp. Batting Avg. | . 266 | 2nd |  |  | Opp. Batting Avg. | McKenna Bull | . 244 | 4th |
| Innings Pltched | 281.1 | 3 rd |  |  | Innings Pitched | McKenna Bull | 123.1 | 4th |
| Strikeouts | 287 | 2nd | 6.67 | 2nd | Strikeouts | McKenna Bull | 148 | 2nd |
| Wins | 22 | 1st |  |  | Wins | McKenna Bull | 11 | 2nd |
| Saves | 7 | 1st |  |  | Saves | McKenna Bull | 4 | 1st |
| Hits Allowed | 300 | 3rd | 6.98 | 2nd | Hits Allowed | Ashley Thompson | 66 | 5th |
| Runs Allowed | 189 | 5th | 4.40 | 4th |  | Tori Almond | 89 | 6th |
| Earned Allowed | 149 | 5th |  |  | Earned Allowed | Tori Almond | 33 | 4th |
| Walks Allowed | 169 | 6th | 3.93 | 6th |  | Ashley Thompson | 42 | 8th |
| Fielding Pct. | . 961 | 2nd |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| BYU SOFTBALL |  |  |  | ALPHABETICAL ROSTER AND ROSTER BREAKDOWNS |
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| No. Name | Pos. | B/T | $\mathbf{H t .}$ | Yr. |

Head Coach: Gordon Eakin (12th year)
Assistant Coach: Pete Meredith (1st year)
Assistant Coach: Kristin "House" Morrison (1st year)
Volunteer Coach:
Student Coach: JC Clayton (1st year)
Athletic Trainer: Chris Linde (15th year)
Student Trainer:
Student Trainer:
Strength and Conditioning: Alexandra Stadnik (1st year)

SENIORS (5)
Ashlee Robinson
Carly Duckworth
Jenna Goar
Katie Manuma
JUNIORS (2)
Megan Arnold
Lacey Millett Hofstedt
SOPHMORES (2)
Gordy Bravo
Coco Tauali'i
FRESHMEN (8)
Mercedes O'Connor
McKenzie St. Clair
Brittany Call
Lauren Bell
Sydney Broderick
McKenna Bull
Karli Lehr
Ashley Thompson
MARRIED PLAYERS (3)
Ashlee Robinson
Jenna Goar
Lacey Millett Hofstedt

## PITCHERS (3)

Tori Almond
McKenna Bull
Ashley Thompson
CATCHERS (4)
Megan Arnold
Jenna Goar
Coco Tauali'i
Sydney Broderick
INFIELDERS (7)
Ashlee Robinson
Jenna Goar
Katie Manuma
Madisen Robb
Coco Tauali'i
Lauren Bell
Ashley Thompson
OUTFIELDERS (5)
Gordy Bravo
Carly Duckworth
Lacey Millett Hofstedt McKenzie St. Clair
Sydney Broderick

ARIZONA (2)
Ashlee Robinson
McKenzie St. Clair

## CALIFORNIA (6)

Megan Arnold
Gordy Bravo
Lacey Millett Hofstedt
Mercedes O'Connor
Coco Tauali'i
Brittany Call
COLORADO (1)
Jenna Goar

## HAWAD (1)

Katie Manuma
NEVADA (1)
Karli Lehr

## UTAH (4)

Tori Almond
Carly Duckworth
McKenna Bull
Lauren Bell

## VIRGINIA (1)

Sydney Broderick
WASHINGTON(1)
Ashley Thompson


