



Brigham Young Volleyball

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2007 SCHEDULE/SCOREBOARD

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
JAN 11	@ UC San Diego	W 3-1
JAN 12	@ UC San Diego	W 3-0
JAN 18	@ IPFW	7:00 PM
JAN 19	@ Lewis	7:00 PM
JAN 21	@ Loyola-Chicago	7:00 PM
JAN 25	Cal-Baptist	7:00 PM
JAN 26	Cal-Baptist	7:00 PM
FEB 1	CSUN	7:00 PM
FEB 2	CSUN	7:00 PM
FEB 15	@ UC Irvine	7:00 PM
FEB 16	@ UC Irvine	7:00 PM
FEB 22	Stanford	7:00 PM
FEB 23	Stanford	7:00 PM
FEB 29	Pacific	7:00 PM
MAR 1	Pacific	7:00 PM
MAR 7	Pepperdine	7:00 PM
MAR 8	Pepperdine	7:00 PM
MAR 13	@ UCLA	7:00 PM
MAR 14	@ UCLA	7:00 PM
MAR 20	@ Long Beach State	7:00 PM
MAR 21	@ Long Beach State	7:00 PM
MAR 28	UC Santa Barbara	7:00 PM
MAR 29	UC Santa Barbara	7:00 PM
APR 3	@ Hawaii	7:00 PM
APR 4	@ Hawaii	7:00 PM
APR 11	USC	7:00 PM
APR 12	USC	7:00 PM
APR 16	MPSF Playoffs	TBA
APR 19	MPSF Quarterfinals	TBA
APR 24	MPSF Semifinals	TBA
APR 26	MPSF Championship	TBA
MAY 1-3	NCAA Championship	TBA

2008 QUICK FACTS

Location:	Provo, Utah
Founded:	Oct. 15, 1875
Elevation:	4,553 feet
Enrollment:	33,278
Nickname:	Cougars
Mascot:	Cosmo
Colors:	Dark Blue and White
2007 Record	23-6
2007 MPSF Record	18-4
MPSF Finish:	2nd (regular season)
Interim Head Coach:	Shawn Patchell (BYU, 1993)
Seasons	Second
Records at BYU	23-6
Career Records	23-6
Assistant Coach (Seasons)	Rob Neilson (Second)

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No. 1 BYU (2-0, 2-0) at No. 10 IPFW (0-1)

Hilliard Gates Sports Center (2,700)

Fort Wayne, Indiana

January 18, 2008

7 p.m. (CST)



Match Information

START TIME	7 p.m. (PT)
SITE:	Fort Wayne, Indiana, Hilliard Gates Sports Center
TELEVISION:	CATV Sports
LIVE STATS:	none
LIVE INTERNET AUDIO:	http://gomastodons.cstv.com/sports/m-volley/sched/ipfw-m-volley-sched.html
THE SERIES:	IPFW leads the series 2-4
IN FORT WAYNE:	N/A
LAST MEETING:	1996

at Lewis (1-1)

Neil Carey Arena
Romeoville, Illinois

January 19, 2008

7 p.m. (CST)



Match Information

START TIME	7 p.m. (PT)
SITE:	Romeoville, Illinois, Neil Carey Arena
TELEVISION:	none
LIVE STATS:	http://www.lewisu.edu/athletics/men/xlive.htm
LIVE INTERNET VIDEO/AUDIO:	http://www.pennatlantic.com/main.php?module=event-detail&eventId=4713
THE SERIES:	BYU leads 8-1
IN ROMEOVILLE:	This is the teams' first meeting in Romeoville.
LAST MEETING:	Jan. 5, 2005 at Outrigger Tournament in Honolulu, Hawaii - BYU won 3-1

at No. 14 Loyola-Chicago (1-0)

The Joseph J. Gentile Center (5,200)

Chicago, Illinois

January 21, 2008

7 p.m. (CST)



Match Information

START TIME	7 p.m. (PT)
SITE:	Chicago, Illinois, The Joseph J. Gentile Center
TELEVISION:	none
LIVE STATS:	none
LIVE INTERNET VIDEO/AUDIO:	none
THE SERIES:	BYU leads the series 2-0
IN CHICAGO:	This is the teams' first meeting in Chicago.
LAST MEETING:	Jan. 27, 2007 at Outrigger Tournament in Honolulu, Hawaii - BYU won 3-0

SERIES INFORMATION

BYU enters new waters this weekend as it will play in at least two arenas in which it has never played. IPFW is one of the few teams on the Cougars' schedule that has a winning record against BYU, but the two teams have not met in over a decade.



MATCH COVERAGE

Every home match will have a free live stats feed option. The live stats feed can be accessed by visiting the men's volleyball schedule page at www.byucougars.com. The live stats can be launched by clicking on the "Live Stats" link for the appropriate game.

Also available for the third season in a row is a live video feed through CSTV All-Access. Users must subscribe to this service. More information, such as cost and direct links to the CSTV All-Access page can be found by visiting the the schedule page and clicking on the "Live Video" link.

POST-MATCH MEDIA AVAILABILITY

Players and coaches will be available to the media after the 10-minute cooling off period. You are welcome to make additional interview requests to Dave Kimball.

CSTV/AVCA DIVISION I-II MEN'S COACHES POLL - WEEK #2

RK	SCHOOL	POINTS	RECORD	LAST WEEK
1	BYU (11)	235	2-0	1
2	Pepperdine (4)	221	2-0	2
3	Penn State (1)	210	4-0	3
4	UCLA	193	4-1	4
5	Long Beach State	168	4-0	6
6	Stanford	166	3-1	5
7	UC Irvine	138	3-3	7
8	Cal State Northridge	127	3-2	8
9	Ohio State	118	1-0	10
10	IPFW	99	0-1	9
11	Southern California	80	2-3	11
12	Hawai'i	58	1-4	12
13	George Mason	50	0-0	13
T-14	Loyola-Chicago	27	1-0	15
T-14	UC Santa Barbara	27	1-4	14

MOLTEN/VOLLEYBALL MAGAZINE MEDIA POLL - WEEK 2

RANK	TEAM	W-L	PTS	LAST WEEK
1	BYU (7)	2-0	97	1
2	Pepperdine (3)	2-0	91	2
3	Penn State	4-0	81	3
4	UCLA	4-1	68	4
5	Long Beach St.	4-0	63	6
6	Stanford	3-1	45	8
7	Ohio State	1-0	32	ORV
8	UC Irvine	3-3	28	7
T9	Northridge	3-2	20	9
T9	IPFW	0-1	20	5

COUGARS IN PRESEASON RANKINGS

For the third consecutive season, BYU made an appearance in the pre-season top-5, this time at No. 1. Last year, BYU started the season ranked second behind UC Irvine, and in 2006 the Cougars held the top spot in the preseason polls.

2008 MPSF PRESEASON POLL

Pl	Team	Points	2007 Records:	2007 MPSF Finish:
No. 1	Pepperdine	108 (5)	26-3 (21-1 MPSF)	Finalist #1
No. 2	Brigham Young	105 (5)	23-6 (18-4 MPSF)	Semi-Finalist #2
No. 3	UCLA	104 (1)	19-11 (13-9 MPSF)	#5
No. 4	*UC Irvine	88	29-5 (17-5 MPSF)	Finalist #3
No. 5	Cal State Northridge	85 (1)	18-15 (11-11 MPSF)	#6T
No. 6	USC	68	12-16 (9-13 MPSF)	#8
No. 7	Long Beach State	57	11-17 (6-16 MPSF)	#10
No. 8	Hawaii	51	13-14 (11-11 MPSF)	#6T
No. 9	Stanford	50	3-25 (2-20 MPSF)	#11T
No. 10	UC Santa Barbara	40	20-12 (14-8 MPSF)	Semi-Finalist #4
No. 11	Pacific	23	14-17 (8-14 MPSF)	#9
No. 12	UC San Diego	13	5-23 (2-20 MPSF)	#11T

* MPSF/NCAA Champion

PRESEASON EXHIBITION

BYU finished its exhibition schedule having won three of four matches. The only preseason exhibition came in a four game loss to Cal State Northridge.

COACHES OR PLAYERS?

Both members of BYU's coaching staff are coaching at their alma mater. Interim head coach Shawn Patchell starred for the Cougars in his playing days while assistant coach Rob Neilson earned All-MPSF honors for BYU just two seasons ago.

ALL-AMERICANS

With Yosleyder Cala and Ivan Perez being named First Team and Russell Holmes being named Second Team AVCA All-Americans last year, it marked the 15th consecutive season the Cougars have had at least one All-American. Since 1993, 21 different players have earned 39 citations, 15 of which are first-team honors and 13 of which are second-team honors. Yamil Perez also returns after being named the 2007 National Newcomer of the Year.

20-WIN SEASONS

After finishing the 2006 season with a 18-9 record, BYU was held without 20 wins for the first time since the 2000 season. With 2007's 23-6 finish, the Cougars have recorded nine 20-win seasons. The first BYU team to record 20 wins was the 1994 team. The 1994 team finished its season with a 21-6 record and advanced to the final of the MPSF Tournament, losing to Stanford in four games.

BYU IN THE MPSF TOURNAMENT

Since 1993, BYU has qualified for the MPSF postseason tournament in 13 of 14 seasons including 11 consecutive trips. The Cougars all-time record in the MPSF tournament is 17-11. BYU has won the MPSF tournament three times and holds an 9-5 record in the first round, 4-5 record in the semifinals and a perfect 3-0 record in tournament finals. The Cougars won consecutive MPSF tournament championships in 2003 and 2004.

EVERY THREE YEARS...?

Since BYU's first national championship in 1999, the Cougars won the NCAA tournament a total of three times (1999, 2001 and 2004). Since the '99 season, has won the NCAA Championship at least once every three years until the chain was broken in 2007.

BYU IN THE NCAA TOURNAMENT

The Cougars have made four NCAA tournament appearances in the program's history. Impressively, BYU has brought home the hardware in three of its four NCAA tournament appearances. The Cougars boast a 7-1 overall record in NCAA tournament play and a perfect 4-0 record in national semifinal matches. The Cougars only loss in the NCAA tournament was in 2003 when they lost to Lewis in a five-game thriller. BYU has earned automatic bids to the Final Four by winning the MPSF tournament three times: 1999, 2003 and 2004.

PATCHELL RETAINED AS INTERIM COACH

After guiding the Cougars in 2007 with co-interim head coach Ryan Millar, Shawn Patchell will be retained as the head coach on an interim basis. Earlier this year, Millar announced his decision to return to the U.S. National Team and to also compete professionally. During the summer of 2005, Patchell coached the US World University Games team and in 2006, he was part of the U.S. Boys' Youth National Team coaching staff.

HOME COURT ADVANTAGE

BYU finished its 2007 regular season with a 11-1 (.917) record at the Smith Fieldhouse. The record was the fifth best mark in Cougar history behind the 1998 (11-0, 1.000), 2004 (16-1, .941), 1999 (15-1, .938), and 2006 (13-1, .929) seasons. BYU started 2007 with five consecutive home wins before losing to No. 2 UC Irvine when the two teams split two matches in Provo. The Cougars then ran off six straight wins to finish the season.



2008 TEAM INFORMATION

Overall record in 2006:	23-6
2006 Conference Record:	18-4
Final National Ranking:	4
Final Conference Finish :	2nd (regular season)
Conference:	Mountain Pacific Sports Federation (MPSF)
Court (capacity):	Smith Fieldhouse (5,000) and Marriott Center (22,700)

WHERE ARE YOU FROM?

Players come from all over the world to play with BYU's volleyball team. The Cougars have players from Brazil, Puerto Rico and Venezuela on their roster. Five states are also represented on this year's team: California, Ohio, Nevada, Pennsylvania and Utah. California leads the way with eight players hailing from the Golden State.

UP NEXT...

The Cougars will host their first home matches of the season Jan. 25 and 26 against Cal Baptist. Both matches will begin at 7 p.m. and will be broadcast on BYUTV. BYU is 6-2 against Cal Baptist all time.

COACH SHAWN PATCHELL

With a career record of 23-6, Shawn Patchell enters his second year as head coach and sixth year overall as a member of BYU's staff. Patchell came to BYU from Laguna Beach High School where he was head coach for both the boy's and girl's volleyball teams. In six seasons, Patchell's teams qualified for the CIF playoffs every year and were CIF finalists in 1998, 1999 and 2001 and state qualifiers in 1998 and 2001. The Laguna Beach Artists won seven Pacific Coast League Titles with Patchell at the helm. In six seasons, Coach Patchell posted a 137-67 record at LBHS and twice was selected to coach the South Orange County All-Stars. Patchell also coached basketball at Irvine High School and assisted the men's volleyball team at the University of California at Irvine along with coaching at Pepperdine and Stanford during the summer. During the summer of 2005, Patchell coached the US World University Games team and in 2006, he was an assistant coach for the Youth National Team.



A member of BYU's first NCAA men's volleyball team, Patchell was a starter from 1990-93 and recorded a .398 career hitting percentage. In 1992, Patchell's junior year, he led the nation in hitting percentage at .488 and was honored as All-Academic Western Intercollegiate Volleyball Association. He was ranked fourth and 10th nationally in hitting and blocking his senior year. Patchell played professionally in Spain for the Euro Cup qualifier and No. 1-ranked Gran Canaria Team in the Canary Islands and also represented the US in the Federation International Volleyball Association Sand Volleyball Circuit in Europe. He began playing volleyball early on, including a stint playing for Coach Peterson on the BYU club team, in 1986-87. Peterson helped Patchell choose volleyball over basketball.

Patchell earned his BA in English with a minor in business management from BYU in 1993 and a master's degree in English Literature from the University of California at Irvine in 2000. He is a member of the BYU English Department where he teaches Masterpieces of American and British Literature and a composition class. Patchell taught English Literature in high schools in Kauai, Hawai'i, and Irvine and Laguna Beach, California. Shawn and his wife Davis enjoy surfing, skiing, snowboarding, horseback riding, reading and camping with their three daughters: Jordan (11), Sage (9) and Soren (5). The Patchell's newest addition to the family, Kai, was born in March 2007.

	<i>Wins</i>	<i>Losses</i>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>Last Ranking</i>
2007	23	6	.793	No. 4
2008	2	0	1.000	No. 1
<i>Totals</i>	25	6	.806	



BYU Photo / Mark Philbrick



2008 NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	HT.	WT.	POS.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
1	Kent Tuttle	6-4	210	OPP	Fr.	El Dorado Hills, CA
2	Kevin Sagers	6-3	195	OH	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Centennial HS
3	Reed Chilton	6-3	175	S	So.	Centerville, OH - Centerville HS
4	Brian Congelli	6-2	190	S	Sr.	Newbury Park, CA - St. Louis School
5	Curtis Cohun	6-6	205	OH	So.	Calabasas Hills, CA - Agoura HS
6	Joel Silva	6-2	180	LIB	So.	San Fernando, Venezuela - Park Univ.
7	Trent Sorensen	6-7	225	MB	Sr.	Palmdale, CA - Highland HS
8	Ivan Perez	6-4	210	OH	Sr.	Mayaguez, PR - Colegio San Benito
9	Jeff Robinson	6-3	192	OH	So.	Las Vegas, NV - Centennial HS
10	Mat Taylor	6-6	203	OH	So.	Orem, UT - Orem HS
11	Russell Holmes	6-8	185	MB	Sr.	Fountain Valley, CA - Fountain Valley HS
12	Daniel Wright	6-5	170	S	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Centennial HS
13	Jonathan Charette	6-2	185	OPP	Sr.	Fullerton, CA - Long Beach City
14	Yamil Perez	6-1	175	S	So.	Guaynabo, PR - Colegio Marista
15	Andrew Stewart	6-6	200	OH	So.	Sandy, UT - Alta HS
16	Leandro Justen	6-1	162	LIB	So.	Sao Jose dos Campos, Brazil
17	Nick Valencia	6-7	190	MB	Fr.	Centerville, OH - Centerville HS
	Andrew Heap	6-4	180	OPP	Fr.	La Jolla, CA - La Jolla HS
	Joe Kauliakamoa	6-4	172	S/OPP	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Palo Verde HS
	James Tringham	6-6	187	MB	Fr.	Arroyo Grande, CA - Arroyo Grande HS
	Devin Young	6-6	170	MB	Fr.	Pittsburgh, PA - Peters Township HS

2008 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	HT.	WT.	POS.	YR.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
13	Jonathan Charette	6-2	185	OPP	Sr.	Fullerton, CA - Long Beach City
3	Reed Chilton	6-3	175	S	So.	Centerville, OH - Centerville HS
5	Curtis Cohun	6-6	205	OH	So.	Calabasas Hills, CA - Agoura HS
4	Brian Congelli	6-2	190	S	Sr.	Newbury Park, CA - St. Louis School
	Andrew Heap	6-4	180	OPP	Fr.	La Jolla, CA - La Jolla HS
11	Russell Holmes	6-8	185	MB	Sr.	Fountain Valley, CA - Fountain Valley HS
16	Leandro Justen	6-1	162	LIB	So.	Sao Jose dos Campos, Brazil
	Joe Kauliakamoa	6-4	172	S/OPP	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Palo Verde HS
8	Ivan Perez	6-4	210	OH	Sr.	Mayaguez, PR - Colegio San Benito
14	Yamil Perez	6-1	175	S	So.	Guaynabo, PR - Colegio Marista
9	Jeff Robinson	6-3	192	OH	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Centennial HS
2	Kevin Sagers	6-3	195	OH	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Centennial HS
6	Joel Silva	6-2	180	LIB	So.	San Fernando, Venezuela - Park Univ.
7	Trent Sorensen	6-7	225	MB	Sr.	Palmdale, CA - Highland HS
15	Andrew Stewart	6-6	200	OH	So.	Sandy, UT - Alta HS
10	Mat Taylor	6-6	203	OH	So.	Orem, UT - Orem HS
	James Tringham	6-6	187	MB	Fr.	Arroyo Grande, CA - Arroyo Grande HS
1	Kent Tuttle	6-4	210	OPP	Fr.	El Dorado Hills, CA
17	Nick Valencia	6-7	190	MB	Fr.	Centerville, OH - Centerville HS
12	Daniel Wright	6-5	170	S	Fr.	Las Vegas, NV - Centennial HS
	Devin Young	6-6	170	MB	Fr.	Pittsburgh, PA - Peters Township HS

COACHES:

Head Coach: Shawn Patchell (BYU, 1995), Second Year

Assistant Coach: Rob Neilson (BYU, 2006), Second Year

BREAKDOWN BY POSITION

OUTSIDE HITTERS (6)

Curtis Cohun
Ivan Perez
Jeff Robinson
Kevin Sagers
Andrew Stewart

OPPOSITES (4)

Jonathan Charette
Andrew Heap
Joe Kauliakamoa
Kent Tuttle

LIBEROS (2)

Leandro Justen
Joel Silva

MIDDLE BLOCKERS (3)

Russell Holmes
Trent Sorensen
James Tringham

SETTERS (5)

Reed Chilton
Brian Congelli
Joe Kauliakamoa
Yamil Perez
Daniel Wright

BREAKDOWN BY CLASS

FRESHMEN (9)

Andrew Heapton
Joe Kauliakamoa
Jeff Robinson
Kevin Sagers
James Tringham
Kent Tuttle
Nick Valencia
Daniel Wright
Devin Young

SOPHOMORES (7)

Reed Chilton
Curtis Cohun
Leandro Justen
Yamil Perez
Joel Silva

Andrew Stewart

Mat Taylor

JUNIORS (0)

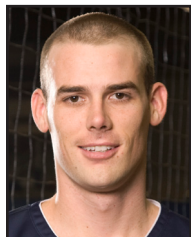
SENIORS (5)

Jonathan Charette
Brian Congelli
Russell Holmes
Ivan Perez
Trent Sorensen





ALL AMERICA CANDIDATES



Russell Holmes
Middle Blocker
6-8, 185, Jr.
Fountain Valley, CA / Fountain Valley HS

JUNIOR - (2006-2007): A second team AVCA All-America honoree for the second straight season ... named to the All-MPSF Second Team ... team captain ... played in all 29 matches, starting 28 ... played in a team-high 99 games during the season ... was named Sports Imports/ AVCA National Player of the Week Jan. 29 for his performance against Penn State and Loyola-Chicago at the Outrigger Hotels Invitational in Hawaii ... named the Outrigger Hotels Invitational Tournament Most Outstanding Player award ... set a BYU season record for block solos with 28, beating out the previous record of 22 formerly held by current co-head coach Ryan Millar ... had a career-high four block solos twice this year ... the four block solos is one fewer than the BYU single match record ... leads the team in hitting percentage (.438), total blocks (144), blocks per game (1.45), block solos (28) and block assists (116) ... leads the nation in block solos (28) ... recorded double digits in kills in eight matches ... hit .500 or better in 11 matches ... set a career-high 16 kills while hitting .652 while tying a career-high with four block solos in the Cougars win March 29 over Long Beach State ... recorded a season-high 11 total blocks including four solo blocks in a Feb. 24 sweep over Hawaii ... had a season-high nine block assists in the Cougars' April 13 sweep over Pacific ... recorded a career-high and team season high four service aces in the Cougars sweep over UC Santa Barbara March 10 ... had a season-best .786 hitting performance while knocking down 12 kills in BYU's Jan. 12 sweep over UCLA.

SOPHOMORE - (2005-2006): Played in every match during the 2005 season, appearing in 98 games ... started 13 matches in 2005 ... has career highs of 14 kills, three block solos and five total blocks ... named to the AVCA All-America Second Team ... earned second-team All-MPSF honors ... a Student Athlete Academic Center Scholar Athlete ... started all 27 matches and was the only player on the team to play in all 104 games ... finished sixth in the nation with a .456 hitting percentage and third in MPSF play at .462 ... averaged 1.49 blocks per game, eight in the nation ... was fourth in the MPSF in blocks per game, averaging 1.53 in league play ... had 155 total blocks, tied for second most in a BYU rally scoring season ... had 143 block assists, the fifth most in a BYU season ... recorded double-digit kills 12 times ... hit .400 or better 18 times ... set a career high with 12 blocks against Cal State Northridge, Jan. 13, ranking second in school history for most blocks in a match since the rally scoring era began in 2001 ... had 11 kills against Cal State Northridge, Jan. 13 ... hit .692 and had nine kills and eight blocks against Cal State Northridge, Jan. 14 ... totaled 18 kills and eight blocks in two matches against UC Santa Barbara ... had 11 kills against UCLA, Jan. 26 ... had seven blocks in both matches against UCLA ... hit .615 and had 10 kills and five digs against Pepperdine, Feb. 4 ... had 12 kills, seven blocks, four digs and hit .526 in 3-1 win over USC, Feb. 10 ... had eight kills and five blocks in 3-2 win over USC, Feb. 11 ... averaged 2.83 kills and 2.00 blocks per game in two wins over UC San Diego, Feb. 16 and 18 ... had a season-high 13 kills and hit a season-high .800 in 3-0 win over Stanford, March 4 ... hit .700 and averaged 3.83 kills per game in two wins over Stanford ... had 10 kills and four blocks against Ohio State, March 17 ... named to the Long Beach State Active Ankle Classic All-Tournament Team ... averaged 3.86 kills, 1.71 blocks per game and hit .615 in two matches against Pacific ... had a career-high 15 kills against Pacific, April 1 ... had 17 total blocks in two matches against Long Beach State ... recorded nine blocks against Long Beach State in the MPSF quarterfinals.

FRESHMAN - (2004-2005): Played in 30 matches and appeared in 98 games ... started 13 matches ... recorded 107 kills while hitting .368 ... totaled 67 blocks ... had a career-high 14 kills against Penn State, Jan. 6 ... provided a big lift off the bench in a win over Long Beach State, March 26, tallying four kills, three digs and four blocks ... had a career-best five blocks on five different occasions.

ALL AMERICA CANDIDATES CONT.



Ivan Perez
Outside Hitter
6-4, 210, Jr.
Mayaguez, PR / Colegio San Benito

JUNIOR - (2006-2007): A first team AVCA All-America honoree ... named to the All-MPSF Second Team ... Played in 28 matches, starting 27 ... ranked third on BYU in total kills (328), kills per game (3.45), total blocks (81) and blocks per game (.85) ... was second on the team in total digs (133) and digs per game (1.48) ... tied for second on the team with six block solos ... led the team with 25 service aces ... registered 10-or-more kills in 17 matches ... had a season-best 23 kills while hitting .529 in Feb. 23 win over Hawaii ... hit .500 or better 11 times during the season ... hit a season-best .733 on 11 kills in March 30 sweep over Long Beach State ... had 16 kills while hitting .542 against UCLA on Jan. 13 ... knocked down 21 kills and scooped up 12 digs in the Cougars' four-set match at Cal-State Northridge March 24 ... recorded a season-best six block assists twice during the season ... registered a career-high two block solos in the Cougars win over UCLA Jan. 12 ... had seven kills, hit .545, recorded nine digs and added five total blocks (one solo, four block assists) in the Cougars win over UC San Diego April 7.

SOPHOMORE - (2005-2006): Named honorable mention All-MPSF ... was named the Sports Imports/ AVCA player of the week and the MPSF player of the week for his play against UC Santa Barbara ... played in 25 matches and started 24 ... appeared in 89 games ... was second on the team in kills per game at 3.66 ... had a team-high 326 total kills ... hit .278 on the season ... was second in the team with 140 digs and added 63 blocks, 15 aces and 24 assists ... had double-digit kill 16 times ... had 20-or-more kills six times ... set a season high with 23 kills against UC Santa Barbara, Jan. 20 ... hit a season-high .571 against UC Santa Barbara, Jan. 21 ... had nine digs and seven blocks against Cal State Northridge, Jan. 13 ... had seven blocks against CS Northridge, Jan. 13, and UC Irvine, March 10, a career high ... had 21 kills and hit .500 in 3-1 win over UCLA, Ja. 26 ... had 20 kills on Jan. 28 against UCLA ... had 21 kills and 11 digs against Pepperdine, Feb. 3 ... recorded 10 kills, four digs and three blocks while hitting .467 against Stanford, March 3 ... tied career high with seven blocks against UC Irvine, March 10 ... had 17 kills and tied a career high with three aces against UC Irvine, March 11 ... had 18 kills, 10 digs and five blocks against Ohio State, March 17 ... named to the Long Beach State Active Ankle Classic All-Tournament Team ... had 16 digs and four aces in two matches against Long Beach ... had 16 kills and eight digs against Hawai'i, April 15.

FRESHMAN - (2004-2005): Named a second-team All-American by the AVCA and Asics/ Volleyball Magazine, the highest national honor for a BYU freshman ... earned All-MPSF Second Team honors, the highest league honor for a BYU freshman ... named Academic All-MPSF ... set the BYU record for most kills by a freshman with 382 ... finished first on the team averaging 3.78 kills per game ... hit .331 on the season, a BYU record for freshman outside hitters ... was named MPSF Player of the Week for his efforts against Hawai'i, March 18 and 19 when he recorded 32 kills in back-to-back sweeps of the Warriors ... registered a career-high 25 kills while hitting .526 in a win over Long Beach State, March 26 ... had 24 kills against Pacific, March 12, tied for third most in a four-game BYU rally-scoring match ... hit a career-high .588 and recorded nine digs against Pacific, March 12 ... recorded a career-high 13 digs to go along with 17 kills at UC Santa Barbara, Jan. 21 ... had 10-or-more kills in 20 matches ... had 20-or-more kills four times, including 24 in BYU's MPSF Tournament quarterfinal match against UC Santa Barbara, April 23 ... had 22 kills against Long Beach State, March 25, the second most in a three-game BYU rally-scoring match ... played in 29 matches and 101 games ... finished second on the team in digs with 150 for a 1.49 per game average ... was fourth on the team with 29 aces ... tallied 75 total blocks.



LAST TIME VS. LEWIS

Jan. 5, 2005 - The BYU Cougars opened the 2005 season with a 3-1 (30-26, 30-32, 34-32, 32-30) win over the Lewis University Flyers in the opening match of the Outrigger Tournament Wednesday.

After winning the first game 30-26, the Cougars dropped the second in a close one, 30-32. The third and fourth were also close but BYU made enough plays to come out with the win.

Both teams struggled, making various errors and hitting for low percentages. BYU hit .236 (66-32-144) on the night while Lewis hit .222 (54-26-126).

Senior middle blocker Michael Burke led the way for the Cougars, registering 16 kills, five digs, and five blocks. Junior outside hitter Victor Batista hit for a match-high 18 kills and recorded seven digs.

In a lineup that featured various new starters, two players stood out in their debuts as starters. Freshman middle blocker Russell Holmes recorded nine kills while recording a team high .500 hitting percentage (9-2-14). He also added a service ace and two blocks. Junior setter Rob Neilson, who saw action off the bench in 2004, contributed 51 assists, five kills, and seven digs.

Jeff Soler was the high man for the Flyers as he recorded 15 kills and eight digs. Jared Dayton and Enrique Escalante each registered 12 kills while J.J. Castellano had a match-high 11 digs.

LAST TIME VS. LEWIS - BOX SCORE

Lewis vs Brigham Young Univ. (Jan 05, 2005 at Honolulu)

Lewis																								
##	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BHE	POINTS									
1	Escalante, Enrique	4	12	2	25	.400	1	2	4	0	2	0	4	1	0	16.0								
4	Dayton, Jared	4	12	8	27	.148	1	3	5	1	3	0	3	0	0	16.5								
7	Soler, Jeff	4	15	3	31	.387	3	2	2	3	8	1	2	0	0	19.0								
8	Mueller, Matt	4	9	9	22	.000	0	0	1	0	8	0	4	0	0	11.0								
14	Sisk, Brandon	4	3	0	6	.500	43	0	2	0	3	0	1	0	4	3.5								
16	Pochopien, Greg	4	3	4	15	-.067	0	0	5	0	0	1	4	1	0	6.0								
2	Kyner, David	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0								
3	Castellano, J.J	4	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	3	11	0	0	0	0	0.0								
22	China, Michael	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0								
TEAM										2					0.0									
Totals										4	54	26	126	.222	49	7	21	9	35	2	18	2	4	72.0

TEAM ATTACK PER GAME					TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 11.0				
Game	K	E	TA	Pct	GAME SCORES				TEAM RECORDS
1	13	4	21	.429	Lewis (1)				0-1
2	15	6	37	.243	Brigham Young Univ.. (3)				1-0
3	13	10	37	.081					
4	13	6	31	.226					

Brigham Young Univ.																								
##	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BHE	POINTS									
3	BURKE, Michael	4	16	4	32	.375	0	1	4	0	5	2	3	0	1	20.5								
8	PEREZ, Ivan	2	3	4	9	-.111	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	4.5								
11	HOLMES, Russell	4	9	2	14	.500	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	11.0								
14	NEILSON, Rob	4	5	2	7	.429	51	2	0	7	2	1	0	1	0	7.5								
15	BATISTA, Victor	4	18	12	42	.143	1	1	4	0	7	0	2	0	1	20.0								
17	EVANS, Taylor	4	8	5	25	.120	2	4	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	12.0								
2	STEWART, Bryan	1	1	0	1	1.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0								
4	CONGELLIERE, R	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0								
6	HEYES, Matt	1	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1.0								
7	ROWLEY, Brian	4	0	0	1	.000	1	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0.0								
9	PATTERSON, Cas	3	6	3	13	.231	2	0	3	1	6	0	2	0	1	7.0								
TEAM										3					0.0									
Totals										4	66	32	144	.236	59	9	23	7	39	4	11	0	4	84.5

TEAM ATTACK PER GAME					TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 9.5				
Game	K	E	TA	Pct	GAME SCORES				TEAM RECORDS
1	16	6	32	.312	Site: Honolulu (Stan Sheriff Center)				
2	14	10	37	.108	Date: Jan 05, 2005 Attend: Time: 2:22				
3	16	8	38	.211	Referees: Dixon Chun, Dan Hironaka				
4	20	8	37	.324	Length of Games - 0:26/0:30/0:35/0:32				

11th Annual Outrigger Volleyball Invitational
LEWIS "Flyers" vs. BYU "Cougars"

LAST SEASON VS. LOYOLA-CHICAGO

Jan. 27, 2007 - It was the eighth consecutive victory and sixth consecutive sweep for No. 2 BYU as the Cougars swept No. 13 Loyola-Chicago, 30-16, 30-22 and 30-22.

The dominating BYU (8-0, 4-0 MPSF) win came just one night after the Ramblers (4-2) upset No. 3--and tournament host--Hawaii in five games. Interestingly, BYU did not trail at any point in any of the sets against Loyola Chicago.

BYU out hit Loyola-Chicago .394 to .069 and out blocked the Ramblers 13.0 to 1.5. The victory also guaranteed BYU the best record in the Outrigger Hotels Invitational.

Like Friday evening against Penn State, BYU jumped out to an early lead Saturday against the Ramblers. Back-to-back kills by Cala gave the Cougars a 4-0 lead in the first set. Ahead 8-5, BYU went on a 5-1 run to give BYU a 13-6 lead. BYU had similar runs down the stretch, leading the Cougars to a dominating first set victory. The set ended on a pair of attach errors by Loyola-Chicago. BYU hit .577 in the first set while holding the Ramblers to a .036 hitting performance.

The second set was similar to the first with BYU jumping to a quick 8-3 start. The Ramblers fought back to cut the Cougars lead to 10-8 on a BYU service error. But the Cougars would not let Loyola-Chicago get any closer. BYU picked up a pair of blocks from Cala and Santos to start a 5-1 run that the Ramblers couldn't recover from. The second set ended on a service error.

The third set started with a Stowell block and an Ivan Perez kill followed by another block by Stowell and Santos to get out to a quick 3-0 lead. The Ramblers kept the third set close throughout, closing the BYU lead to just 24-21. The Cougars finished the set and match with a 6-1 run that included a pair of kills from Stowell, a block and a kill from Holmes and a pair of errors from Loyola-Chicago, including a match-ending service error.

LAST SEASON VS. LOYOLA-CHICAGO - BOX SCORE

#2 Brigham Young Univ. vs #13 Loyola-Chicago (Jan 27, 2007 at Honolulu, HI)

Brigham Young Univ.																							
##	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE								
1	CALA, Yosleyder	3	14	3	26	.423	0	0	2	0	3	0	3	0	0								
2	SANTOS, Rodnei	3	5	0	10	.500	1	0	1	0	3	0	6	3	0								
8	PEREZ, Ivan	3	8	3	15	.333	2	1	1	1	6	1	3	0	0								
11	HOLMES, Russell	3	7	1	13	.462	0	0	3	0	1	1	4	0	0								
13	STOWELL, Robby	3	12	3	28	.321	0	0	0	0	4	1	3	1	0								
14	PEREZ, Yamil	3	1	0	2	.500	38	0	1	0	6	0	1	0	0								
4	CONGELLIERE, Brian	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0								
5	COX, Scott	3	0	0	0	.000	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
6	SILVA, Joel	3	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0								
7	SORENSEN, Trent	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
12	POMPEI, Andy	2	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0								
TEAM										2					0.0								
Totals										3	47	10	94	.394	43	2	9	3	32	3	20	4	0

TEAM ATTACK PER GAME					TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 13.0							
Game	K	E	TA	Pct	GAME SCORES				TEAM RECORDS			
1	17	2	26	.577	Brigham Young Univ (3)				30	30	30	8-0, 2-0 OHI
2	17	2	38	.395	Loyola-Chicago (0)				16	22	22	4-2, 1-1 OHI
3	13	6	30	.233								

Loyola-Chicago																							
##	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE								
4	Guntli, Brian	3	3	0	8	.375	33	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	1								
5	Grunst, James	3	12	4	22	.364	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0								
6	Anderson, Ian	3	9	14	33	-.152	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0								
12	Kamberos, George	2	1	3	5	-.400	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
17	Berzins, Krisjanis	3	5	6	17	-.059	1	0	5	1	9	0	0	0	0								
18	Lamoureux, Nick	3	4	2	9	.222	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0								
2	Gustus, Nathan	2	3	1	6	.333	1	0	0	0	8	0	1	1	0								
8	Bailey, Zach	3	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0								
10	Jensen, Derek	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0								
16	Baleiko, Matt	3	0	0	2	.000	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
Totals										3	37	30	102	.069	36	3	10	2	30	0	3	2	1

TEAM ATTACK PER GAME					TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 1.5				
Game	K	E	TA	Pct	GAME SCORES				TEAM RECORDS
1	10	9	28	.036	Site: Honolulu, HI (Stan Sheriff Center)				
2	15	11	38	.105	Date: Jan 27, 2007 Attend: Time: 1:28				
3	12	10	36	.056	Referees: Dickson Chun, Wayne Lee				



BYU Cougar VolleyBall
Brigham Young Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 12, 2008)
All matches

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL MATCHES.....	(2-0)	(0-0)	(2-0)	(0-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(2-0)	(0-0)	(2-0)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)

##	STATS SUMMARY	ATTACK					SET		SERVE			DIG		BLOCKING							
		G	K	K/G	E	TA	Pct	A	A/G	SA	SE	SA/G	RE	DIG	D/G	BS	BA	Total	B/G	BE	BHE
11	HOLMES, Russell	7	20	2.86	3	30	.567	0	0.00	3	8	0.43	0	3	0.43	2	11	13	1.86	1	1
7	SORENSEN, Trent	7	14	2.00	2	24	.500	2	0.29	1	7	0.14	0	1	0.14	1	6	7	1.00	3	0
15	STEWART, Andrew	7	27	3.86	6	51	.412	0	0.00	1	2	0.14	1	9	1.29	0	6	6	0.86	0	0
12	CHARLETTE, Jonathan	7	26	3.71	6	52	.385	0	0.00	1	10	0.14	0	10	1.43	0	4	4	0.57	0	0
16	JUSTEN, Leandro	7	2	0.29	1	3	.333	1	0.14	0	0	0.00	5	24	3.43	0	0	0	0.00	0	0
10	TAYLOR, Mat	7	13	1.86	7	42	.143	0	0.00	2	6	0.29	2	7	1.00	0	3	3	0.43	0	0
2	SAGERS, Kevin	1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0
3	CHILTON, Reed	2	0	0.00	0	0	.000	10	5.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0
14	PEREZ, Yamil	1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	1	1.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	1
9	ROBINSON, Jeff	2	0	0.00	0	1	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	1.00	0	2	2	1.00	0	0
4	CONGELLIERE, Brian	7	2	0.29	2	4	.000	83	11.86	2	3	0.29	0	10	1.43	0	6	6	0.86	0	0
5	COHUN, Curtis	1	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1	1.00	0	0
TEAM												1									
BRIGHAM YOUNG.....		7	104	14.86	28	208	.365	97	13.86	10	36	1.43	9	66	9.43	3	39	22.5	3.21	4	2
Opponents.....		7	100	14.29	51	241	.203	93	13.29	9	39	1.29	10	66	9.43	4	20	14.0	2.00	3	2

TEAM STATISTICS	BY	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	SCORE-BY-GAME	ATTEND
ATTACK.....			* Jan 11	at UC San Diego	W	3-1	30-21,30-28,27-30,31-29	612
Kills.....	104	100	* Jan 12	at UC San Diego	W	3-0	30-27,30-22,30-28	267
Errors.....	28	51						
Total Attacks.....	208	241						
Attack Pct.....	.365	.203						
Kills/Game.....	14.9	14.3						
SET.....								
Assists.....	97	93						
Assists/Game.....	13.9	13.3						
SERVE.....								
Aces.....	10	9						
Errors.....	36	39						
Aces/Game.....	1.4	1.3						
SERVE RECEPTIONS....								
Errors.....	9	10						
Errors/Game.....	1.3	1.4						
DEFENSE.....								
Digs.....	66	66						
Digs/Game.....	9.4	9.4						
BLOCKING.....								
Block Solo.....	3	4						
Block Assist.....	39	20						
Total Blocks.....	22.5	14.0						
Blocks Per Game...	3.2	2.0						
Block Errors.....	4	3						
Ball handling errors	2	2						
ATTENDANCE.....								
Total.....	0	879						
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	2/440						
Neutral site #/Avg	0/0							
Current win streak	2	-						
Home win streak...	0	-						