

2024 PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: California Miramar University

Mascot: Fighting Falcons

Location: La Puente, CA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coaches Jesse Quintero, Johnathon Francisco, Mike Montano

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: 17-8
- Final Conference Ranking: 1st
- Regional Tournament Results? Lost in Regional Champioship game
- World Series Results?
- Notables:

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 15

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Mason Daniels 2023 1st Team All American, Steven Matchan 2023 Second Team All American

Players to Watch: Mason Daniels, Steven Matchan, Maximiliano Torres, Corey Burgos

New additions: Fabian Zamora, Joseph Taylor

Biggest Rival:

Best Player Nickname: Cheeto

2024 Spring Season Outlook: Compete for the World Series



Manager Quote: "We are hungry after a tough loss in the regionals. We feel like we added more depth and experience this season".



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Team Name: CSU Channel Islands

Mascot: Dolphins

Location: Camarillo, CA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Ryan Figueroa, Brandon Carrillo (also players)

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **2-15**
- Final Conference Ranking: Last
- Regional Tournament Results?
- World Series Results?
- Notables:

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 13

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won):

Players to Watch: Ryan Figueroa, Brandon Carrillo, Kyle Miranda, Moses Sixtos

New additions: Chris Sterling, Cam Stevens, Lalo Miranda, Damian Arreola, Chris Blackwell

Biggest Rival: CSU Northridge

Best Player Nickname:

2024 Spring Season Outlook: Lots of returners and new faces out of JUCOs. Expect a way better season than last year.



Manager Quote:



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Team Name: CSUN

Mascot: Matador

Location: 18111 Nordhoff St, Northridge, CA 91330

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coach: Alex Stellpflue

Captain: Hector Medina Captain: Odilon Delgado

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: 10-5

- Final Conference Ranking: 2nd in conference
- Regional Tournament Results: Last Place in the regional tournament
- World Series Results?
- Notables:

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players:

11

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Frank Contreras All region 2023

Juan Romero All region 2023

Players to Watch:

Frank Contreras, Juan Romero, Fuma Ogami, Toma Murase, Alex Berumen, Chris Russell, Gilberto Gutierrez, Jose Rodriguez

New additions:

Amin Zoghlami, Anthony Forte, Christopher Sorto, Erick Barraza, Fuma Ogami, Jake Ruiz, Michael Carranza, Toma Murase, Ulyses Sanchez

Biggest Rival:

CMU LA

Best Player Nickname:

Frank the Tank



2024 Spring Season Outlook: Expecting to perform a lot better during season and especially off-season

Manager Quote: "Let's get out there and play, we got a ball game to win!"



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Team Name: Grand Canyon University NCBA DII

Mascot: Lopes

Location: Phoenix, AZ

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Kim Carpenter

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **24-8**
- Final Conference Ranking: 1
- Regional Tournament Results? **Champion**
- World Series Results? Runner Up
- Notables:

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 12

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Nate Fernandez, 2022 All Region, All American 2023 All Region & All American

Dimitri Pettit 2022 All Region Chris Walsh-22 All Region &All American 2023 All Region & All American Harry Fleek-2023 All Region Jordan McDonald 2022 All American Thomas Blakney 2023 All Region

Players to Watch: Junior Shortstop- Nate Fernandez, Senior Pitcher/OF- Jordan McDonald, Senior Pitcher/Inf -Thomas Blakeney, Senior 2nd Baseman- Dimitri Pettit, Senior CF-Chris Walsh, Senior Catcher -Mike Walsh Sophmore C,OF -Harry Fleek, Senior Pitcher/Inf Max Mitchell, Owen Kroeger-Pitcher

New additions: Jeremy Baker, Kadence Barcenilla, Anthony Carrillo, Jose DeAndra, Angel Gomez, Kolby Klein, Alec Northouse, Phoenix Torres



Biggest Rival:

Best Player Nickname:

2024 Spring Season Outlook: GCU is coming off of a second consecutive appearance in the NCBA DII World Series. Having won it in 2022 and losing in the final game in 2023, the Lopes are looking to battle again this year to get back to Alton, Illinois. Returning nearly all of the starting line up, and two starting pitchers, GCU should once again be a strong contender.

Manager Quote: "Once again we are heavy on the returners and I look for big things out of this team. The new faces are also a talented group of players capable of beating out our veterans. We are excited for the season".



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Team Name: Loyola Marymount Lions

Mascot: Lions

Location: Los Angeles

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Robby Cordova

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **4-14**
- Final Conference Ranking: 4th
- Regional Tournament Results?
- World Series Results?
- Notables: Zachary Wakefield

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables: **Bradley Haskell**

Number of Returning Players: 10

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): 0

Players to Watch: Bradley Haskell, Ryan Herrera and Jack Kaloust

New additions: (10) Flynn Boettcher, Jack Kaloust, Ben Regpala, Mason Lui, Mason Fowler, Luca Beccaria, Max Barnett-Abrams, London Shiely, Henry Babwin and Ryan Herrera

Biggest Rival: California State University - Northridge (CSUN)

Best Player Nickname: El capitán

2024 Spring Season Outlook: Win our conference and go to the playoffs



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Manager Quote: "Legendary season coming soon"



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Team Name: Sacramento State

Mascot: Hornets

Location: Sacramento, CA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Anthony Lopez (coach)

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: 11-8
- Final Conference Ranking: 1st
- Regional Tournament Results? **1-2** (3rd place)
- World Series Results?
- Notables: **10-2 vs conference opponents**

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 12

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Andrew Frank (OF), Estephan Ramirez (SS): 2022 All Americans Luke Hunnewell (SP), Benjamin Buller (3B): 2023 Pacific 2nd Team

Players to Watch: Andrew Frank, Benjamin Buller, Nicolas Hernandez, Luke Hunnewell, Estephan Ramirez

New additions: Cody Collins, Nicholas Hernandez, Jaiden Cabrera, Alex Craver

Biggest Rival:

Best Player Nickname: Ryan "Fence" Thibault

2024 Spring Season Outlook: We're better than last year.



Manager Quote: "We have a lot of returners from last year's playoff roster plus some new great talent. I expect an even better season than this year."



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Team Name: CSU-San Marcos

Mascot: Cougars

Location: San Marcos, California

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Gabriel Lara, Luc Slater, and Lucas Sidney

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: 11-11
- Final Conference Ranking: 3rd Place in the Pacific South
- Regional Tournament Results? NA
- World Series Results? NA
- Notables: Gabe Lara, Cayd Katnik, Luc Slater, Tyler Mandawe

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (NCBA Sanctioned Games Only): NA
- Notables: Joaquin Baez, Luc Slater, Jack Parker, Matt Svolos, Michael Beijer, Gabe Lara, Tyler Mandawe

Number of Returning Players: 7

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): 2022- Luc Slater 1^{st} team all-region, Gabe Lara 2^{nd} team all-region 2023- Michael Beijer 2^{nd} team all-region, Lucas Sideny 2^{nd} team all-region, Joaquin Baez 2^{nd} team all-region

Players to Watch: Joaquin Baez, Luc Slater, Jack Parker, Matt Svolos, Michael Beijer, Gabe Lara, Tyler Mandawe, Lucas Sidney

New additions: Jack Parker, Matt Svolos, Lyle Henton, Oscar Escobar, Alonzo Durazo, Jose Rosas, Jake Busser, Daisuke Okabe, Caleb Goodwin

Biggest Rival: USD

Best Player Nickname: Michael Beijer- Oso



2024 Spring Season Outlook: We are welcoming in a lot of new players this year who are hungry for some wins. They have the swagger and confidence to compete in every game and they bring a lot of energy. They are a passionate group of players who are ready to get out and play. What they lack in expirence, they make up for in energy.

Manager Quote: "YET"



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Team Name: Southern Utah University

Mascot: Thunderbirds/T-birds

Location: Cedar City Utah

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Payton Jones/Coach Tex Anthony

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: N/A
- Final Conference Ranking: N/A
- Regional Tournament Results? N/A
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: N/A

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

• 2023 Fall Record (NCBA Sanctioned Games Only): N/A

• Notables: N/A

Number of Returning Players: N/A

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): N/A

Players to Watch: Brady Green/Jr. - Brady Green is a captian and leader for the SUU infield. He had 14 putouts in 8 games this fall and is looking to continue his strong defense into the Spring season.

Dallas Yardley/Fr. - Dallas Yardley joined the SUU with a strong offensive performance. Dallas ended the Fall season with a .571 batting average in 5 games.

New additions: N/A

Biggest Rival: Utah State University

Best Player Nickname:



2024 Spring Season Outlook: As a new team entering the NCBA league, SUU has a lot of new players that are excited to begin the season. The team will be part of the Central Pacific region.

Manager Quote: The baseball team at SUU has taken a couple of years to get started, but several of our core players have been playing exhibition games and series for us these last couple of years. I think that this team has the talent to surprise the league as new comers this year.



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Team Name: Stanford Club Baseball

Mascot: Cardinal

Location: Stanford, California

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Gabe Seir

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **6-3**
- Final Conference Ranking: 2nd in the Pacific North
- Regional Tournament Results? N/A
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: Donnie Raymond, Caden Denning, Gabe Seir, Evan Schieber

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

- 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*):
- Notables: Donnie Raymond hit a career long 396 foot towering homerun (along with a devastating batflip) in a preseason matchup against rival Cal

Number of Returning Players: 11

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Donnie Raymond - 2022 1st Team All-American and 2022 1st Team All-Region, Caden Denning - 2022 2nd Team All-American and 2022 1st Team All-Region, Cameron Vaughn - 2022 3rd Team All-American and 2022 2nd Team All-Region, Evan Schieber - 2022 1st Team All-Region,

Players to Watch:

Donnie Raymond is a donkey. The 2022 1st Team All-American will once again be a two-way player for the Cardinal this year after returning from an elbow injury. He brings a low to mid 80s fastball with a wipeout sweeper that will have opposing hitters looking like they are swinging an oar. Getting back on the mound will once again make him one of the most valuable players in the NCBA. His pitching excellence is an add on to one of the fiercest bats in the league, a bat that led the entire NCBA in OPS at 1.597 in 2022.

Caden Denning is the definition of a five-tool player. The 2022 2nd Team All-American hits for power like a corner infielder with the contact skills and speed of a rangy outfielder. In the field, Denning has the rare ability



to play plus defense at two of the games hardest positions – catcher and center fielder. Denning's cannon-like arm allows him to gun down runners who are stealing or trying to go for the extra base, and his quick reflexes allow for great decision making behind the plate and great jumps of sinking line drives.

Gabe Seir is the player you want on the mound when you need a big performance. The team's ace took a massive step forward in 2023 after Stanford graduated its entire starting rotation, putting together a season that even Stanford Club legend Ben Caven would be jealous of. Seir features a mid-80s fastball with three different offspeed pitches that keep hitters guessing. His large repertoire allows him to pitch deep into games consistently and always give the team a chance to win with the bats. The Gabe Seir bumpday enjoyer fan club will surely grow in 2024.

Evan Schieber brings grit and gumption to the field. This lunch pail guy brings a constant and steady presence to the diamond. The 2022 1st Team All-Region catcher and third baseman is known for working counts and slapping singles and doubles to all fields. Schieber also brings stability behind the plate with high quality game calling and good control of the running game. Together, Schieber and Denning are potentially the most lethal catching tandem in the NCBA.

Chase Adams and Elijah Meltzer, two rookies last year, round out the rotation for the Cardinal and are looking to take steps forward this year, where they brought stability to a rotation in need of it. Adams is a crafty lefty who strategically works all quadrants with his fastball and breaking stuff. Meltzer is a harder throwing righty with the ability to blow hitters away or break them down with his plus breaking ball. Stanford is excited for these two to fortify the arm barn in 2024.

New additions: Nikhil Kothari, Angel Villeraldo, Grant Fisher, JP Aguilar, Tristan Malhotra, Justin Ferguson

Biggest Rival: Sacramento State (in-conference), **Cal** (out-of-conference)

Best Player Nickname: "10 Year Letterman" (Cameron Vaughn), "Choppa" (Jeremy "Choppa" Rubin), "River Monster" (Daisuke Matsuda)

2024 Spring Season Outlook:

2023 was a year of transition for Stanford, who had seen their entire rotation graduate after the 2022 season. Growing pains, injuries, and rain-outs never allowed the team to reach their potential and the results were disappointing for a program that has seen so much success in recent memory.

Stanford is primed to come back stronger than ever in 2024 and is on the Road to Illinois, looking to deal with the unfinished business of their 2022 postseason run where they fell one game short of making nationals. The squad has retained the majority of its offensive core from that season, with a Murderer's Row featuring the veteran bats of Donnie Raymond, Caden Denning, Evan Schieber, Cameron Vaughn, and Lincoln Willard. The arm barn, led by team ace and dictator Gabe Seir, is fresh and rejuvenated with young bucks and wiley vets



alike. These arms create a buzzsaw for opposing hitters, who will be left dazed and confused by the different looks and flavors of this pitching staff.

This collection of talent means a Stanford team that can win in every way possible. They have an offense that can overpower opponents and a pitching staff that can keep them in any low-scoring affair. They can win with power, win with speed, win with the fundamentals, or win through sheer force of will. All that is left to do is execute.

Manager Quote: "You might have seen a housefly, maybe even a superfly but I bet you ain't never seen a donkey fly' - Shrek" - Gabe Seir



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Team Name: UC Riverside

Mascot: Highlanders

Location: Riverside, CA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Captain: Johnkeith Jirakuntacha-Wong, Coach: Kevin Kito

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **6-12**

• Final Conference Ranking: 4th

Regional Tournament Results? N/A

World Series Results? N/A

Notables: N/A

Fall 2023 Performance (If Applicable)

• 2023 Fall Record (*NCBA Sanctioned Games Only*): N/A

Notables: N/A

Number of Returning Players: 14

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): N/A

Players to Watch: Joel Castillo-Pinto, Christopher Franco, Noah Wong

New additions: Josh Pennington, Aiden Choi, Nathan Taing, Noah Wong, Joseph Fernandez

Biggest Rival: CSUN

Best Player Nickname: Choi Boy

2024 Spring Season Outlook: Make Playoffs & Win National Championship

Manager Quote: N/A