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Women's lacrosse looks to extend winning streak

The Oregon women's lacrosse team heads down to Berkeley, Calif., this weekend to take on California on Sunday at noon.

After its recent wins on the road against Davidson and St. Mary's, Oregon is hoping to extend its second two-game winning streak of the season against the Golden Bears.

Cal (9-6 overall, 2-1 Mountain Pacific Sports Federation) is currently tied for second place with UC Davis in the MPSF standings, while the Ducks (4-9, 1-3) are in fifth place.

Still, momentum could swing in Oregon's favor. The Ducks have built up a steady rhythm and are coming off a morale-boosting 16-8 win over St. Mary's. Cal, on the other hand, could still be a little shaky after enduring a 14-4 loss to

No. 21 Yale last weekend.

"We're just running through the same motions, and time continues to be on our side, because we're gaining more experience with every game," Oregon head coach Jen Larsen said.

The Ducks' offense has also been a potent force, scoring 16 goals in each of their last two games. In fact, 12 of the 21 Ducks who have seen action this season have found the net at least once, six of them scoring

in double digits. Freshman attacker Jen May is the Ducks' leading scorer with 32 goals.

"We've been running a very team-oriented offense, and that seems to have worked well so far because we're finally seeing results on the transition and finishing our shots," Larsen said.

— Stefanie Loh

Oregon hosts annual charity basketball event

The Oregon men's and women's basketball teams will be participating in the third annual Rollin' for a Remedy charity wheelchair basketball game against the Portland Wheelblazers at McArthur Court today at 7 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m.

There will be a halftime shooting competition, a raffle and a performance by the Oregon cheerleaders.

Tickets will be sold at the door for \$2 for students with identification and \$3 for adults. Children under 10 get in free of charge.

The event is presented by the Oregon Student Athlete Advisory Committee and all of the proceeds will benefit Doernbecher Children's Hospital.

— Clayton Jones

Bonds, Giants still unsure about slugger's return

SAN FRANCISCO — Barry Bonds has been unable to begin any baseball-related activities since the second arthroscopic operation on his right knee and no timetable has been set for his return.

"No one ever said there was going to be a date for Barry," San Francisco manager Felipe Alou said before Wednesday's game against the Arizona Diamondbacks. "No one said the first or 15th. After the second surgery, he said he never set a date. He's starting all over again."

Bonds, who entered the season third on baseball's all-time home run list with 703, underwent his first operation Jan. 31 and was expected to be available for opening day. After a handful of rigorous workouts, Bonds was sent back to San Francisco for further exams, and that resulted in a second operation on March 17.

In an outburst during spring training, Bonds said he might not be back for at least half the season, maybe the whole season.

"Anytime he comes back is good," Alou said. "The sooner the better."

— The Associated Press

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Tennis: Senior Panova looks for fourth Pac-10 singles title

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of competing at the national scene.

"This is the best season that I've ever been a part of, you know, even better than last year," Schyllander said. "Last year, we talked about that season being a season of firsts. We played a tougher schedule, we have lesser losses and the same amount of wins, so we feel very good about it."

As the regular season ended with a 6-1 road victory over Washington State on Sunday, Oregon now looks forward to the Pac-10 Individual Championships beginning today.

"Anytime you go into the postseason, you want to go in with some momentum," Schyllander said. "And anytime you play Washington State, it's a great thing, because they've been a rival for many years."

Unlike the regular season when all matches were team-based, the Ducks will now have to shift their focus toward achieving individual goals.

The individual championships crown the best singles player and doubles tandem in the conference.

"All season long, we've been talking about team, team, team and put individual goals aside," Schyllander said. "Now I think it's time for some people to try to achieve some of their individual goals."

Three Ducks — seniors Daria Panova and Davina Mendiburu, and sophomore Dominika Dieskova — are scheduled to compete in the championship singles main draw, along with 29 other players.

Panova, 22, is no stranger to success at the conference tournament.

The Moscow, Russia, native

already has three Pac-10 singles championships on her resumé, including two in the 2003 season where she was honored as the Pac-10 Player of the Year. Panova has earned a No. 5 seed and will face off against Southern California's Dianne Matias in the first round.

Mendiburu, 22, has had a career-best season with a singles record of 23-7. Her success earned her an individual ranking for the first time in her four years at Oregon — she is ranked No. 107 in the nation.

The Menton, France, native is the No. 10 seed and will battle Washington's Dea Sumantri in the first round.

"She put it together, she has done what seniors are supposed to do," Schyllander said. "Davina has stepped up big this season."

Dieskova, the third Duck in the main draw, has also had a great season, solidifying the top of the singles lineup. The 19-year-old compiled a 21-12 singles record, earning her a No. 82 national ranking. Dieskova is the No. 18 seed and will square off against Stanford's Theresa Logar in the first round.

Dieskova said she feels as prepared as she has all season long for the tournament with one goal in mind — to win it all.

"I want to win this tournament. My goal is to play my best tennis, and then it will take care of itself," Dieskova said. "So I just want to play hard and play good tennis and go as far as I can."

The first two rounds of the main draw conclude today, and the finals will be held on Sunday.

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