

# Ducks and Beavers prepare for football



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Left: Oregon's (from left) Troy Dye, Royce Freeman and Justin Herbert field questions at media day. Right: Oregon State's coach Gary Anderson during spring practice.



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Between Pac-12 media day, first day of practice and UO's Saturday Night Live, a look back at the busy week in Oregon and Oregon State football

## Saturday Night Live

Saturday afternoon, the University of Oregon football program welcomed high school recruits from across the country to Autzen Stadium in what was dubbed "Saturday Night Live."

73 recruits wearing black UO attire that had new head coach Willie Taggart's catchphrase "Do Something" across the chest took to the field to participate in position specific drills with UO coaches. The event was held in Autzen Stadium after accruing fan excitement saw an estimated 1500 fans in attendance.

The point of the event was to be able to showcase Oregon's football facilities to these recruits which allows the coaches to talk to them and see how they can play on the field. Eight players who have already

committed for Oregon were at the event and four more made verbal commitments on the day of the event.

The highlights of the event came when the recruits went into a drill that featured five receivers and five defensive backs. The crowd oohed and aahed with each catch and broke into cheer each time one of the players faced the audience and made the Oregon "O" with his hands in celebration.

## Beavers to Bend

On the Oregon State side of things, the Beavers opened up practice in Corvallis last week and are now practicing in Bend.

The top storyline for the Beavers is the question of who will be quarterback on opening day. The competition is taking place between returners Marcus McMaryion and Darell Garretson and junior college

transfer Jake Luton.

The other storyline that has people across the state talking is new Oregon State running back Thomas Tyner. The former Duck and high school star, medically retired from University of Oregon in 2016 and will be joining forces with the established running back Ryan Nall.

## The Kings in the North

Pac-12 Media day was last week and based off of the media votes, the Ducks are projected to finish fourth and the Beavers fifth in the North division. The two Oregon schools trail Washington, Stanford and Washington State. USC, the projected South division champions, were also dubbed the eventual Pac-12 champions. Oregon picked up one vote to win the Pac-12 title.

# Oregon Sports Hall of Fame Names Inductees

The Oregon Sports Hall of Fame & Museum has announced its 2017 class of inductees. According to Mike Rose, induction ceremony chairman, the Hall of Fame will induct six new members to join over 350 prior inductees. The presentations will be made at the Multnomah Athletic Club, Tuesday, September 19.

This year's class includes Ashton Eaton, two-time Olympic Decathlon gold medalist and five-time World Champion; Brianne Theisen-Eaton, Olympic Heptathlon medalist and World Champion; Thurman

Bell, Roseburg high school football coach (second in all-time wins); 2002 University of Portland NCAA champion women's soccer team; Aaron Paulson, adaptive sports paralympic swimming gold medalist; and 2006-2007 Oregon State baseball College World Series champions.

This year's ceremony will also feature a special tribute to Harry Glickman, a 1986 Hall of Fame inductee and acknowledged "father" of professional sports in Oregon. Early on, Glickman was responsible for bringing a number of NFL pre-season exhibi-

tion games to Portland's then Multnomah Stadium. In 1960, he founded the Portland Buckaroos, WHL hockey club. In 1970, he won the expansion franchise for the Portland Trailblazers pro-football basketball team, and served as the team's president from 1987-1994.

Each year the Oregon Sports Hall of Fame helps preserve Oregon's rich sports heritage through its recognition of outstanding Oregon athletes and special contributors to sport.

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