

California

CAL BEACH VOLLEYBALL

GOLDEN BEARS
12-3
 RECORD

12
 RANK

Meagan Owusu
 HEAD COACH



SMC
10-4
 OVERALL

VS.

9-6
 OVERALL

MAR. 27 Moraga Commos
 Park, Moraga, Calif.

MAR. 29 Clark Kerr Sand Courts,
 Berkeley, Calif.

SCHEDULE

Overall: 12-3

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
FEB. 23	SANTA CLARA	W 5-0
FEB. 23	USF	W 5-0
Mar. 2	vs. Washington!	W 4-1
Mar. 2	vs. Arizona State!&	W 5-0
Mar. 3	vs. No. 1 UCLA!&	L 5-0
MAR. 7	UTAH	W 3-1
Mar. 9	vs. UC Davis	W 5-0
Mar. 9	at No. 13 Stanford	W 3-2
Mar. 16	at No. 6 Hawai'i@	L 3-2
Mar. 16	vs. Nebraska@	W 5-0
Mar. 16	vs. Boise State@	W 4-1
Mar. 17	vs. Boise State@	W 5-0
Mar. 17	at No. 6 Hawai'i@	L 3-2
MAR. 23	NO. 18 SAINT MARY'S	W 5-0
MAR. 23	UC DAVIS	W 5-0
Mar. 27	at No. 18 Saint Mary's	4 P.M.
MAR. 29	SAN JOSE STATE	1 P.M.
April 6	vs. No. 2 USC\$	11 a.m.
April 6	vs. No. 1 UCLA\$	3 p.m.
April 7	vs. Washington\$	3 p.m.
April 7	vs. No. 17 Stanford\$	5 p.m.
April 12	at No. 9 Long Beach State	11:30 a.m.
April 13	vs. No. 7 Cal Poly%	11 a.m.
April 13	at No. 5 Pepperdine	12 p.m.
April 20	vs. No. 7 Cal Poly	2:30 p.m.
April 20	at No. 17 Stanford	4 p.m.
April 25-27	Pac-12 Championships+	TBA

!-Pac-12 South Tournament, Tucson, Ariz.
 @-Hawai'i Invitational, Honolulu, HI
 \$-Pac-12 North Tournament, Stanford, Calif.
 %-Pepperdine Invitational, Malibu, Calif.
 +-Los Angeles, Calif.
 &-Pac-12 Networks broadcast
 Home games in **BOLD**
 All times listed PT and subject to change

FAST FACTS

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach Meagan Owusu (Fourth season)
Associate Head Coach Derek Olson (Second season)
Volunteer Asst. Coach Paul Araiza (First season)

TEAM INFORMATION

2018 Overall Record 24-8
Returns 14
Newcomers 5
Facility Clark Kerr Sand Courts

Senior Day is here for the No. 12 Cal beach volleyball team. The Bears will celebrate their three seniors in a pregame ceremony on Friday before their home dual against San Jose State. But before that, Cal will travel to Moraga for a rematch against No. 18 Saint Mary's on Wednesday. Last Saturday, the Bears shut out both Saint Mary's and UC Davis in Berkeley.



BEAR NECESSITIES

SENIOR DAY SET FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 29

Cal will celebrate its seniors on Friday in a pre-match ceremony. Cal's seniors include Grace Campbell, a member of the No. 3 pair, Mia Merino, a member of the No. 4 pair, and Karina Langli. These seniors have been with Cal during four formative years where the program flourished into one of the top beach volleyball teams in the country. "This group of seniors has been a part of our team's growth over the past four years. They were part of our program in just our beginning stages and helped form the foundations of what we've grown to become," Head Coach Meagan Owusu said.

CAL SHUTS OUT NO. 18 SAINT MARY'S AND UC DAVIS

The Bears put out a dominant performance last Saturday, shutting out both No. 18 Saint Mary's and UC Davis. The victory against Saint Mary's was the first shutout the Bears have completed against a ranked opponent. While the team enjoyed strong performances across the board, No. 4 pair Merino and Abby Waldburger outdid themselves, winning all four of their sets including demolishing UC Davis 21-5, 21-7.

OWUSU MAKES LINEUP CHANGES

Cal head coach Meagan Owusu and Associate Head Coach Derek Olson made a few lineup changes ahead of last week's Saint Mary's and UC Davis duals. Changes included moving sophomore Maddie Micheletti from the No. 3 pair to the No. 2 pair with sophomore Caroline Schafer and moving junior Iya Lindahl from the No. 2 pair to the No. 3 pair with junior Grace Campbell. Additionally the No. 4 pair of Merino and Waldburger switched places with the No. 5 pair of sophomore Alexia Inman and junior Madison Dueck.

NEW BEACH COURTS PLANNED FOR 2020

Cal beach volleyball will soon have a new facility to call home under a plan announced by Chancellor Christ in the summer of 2018. Construction is expected to begin this June and be completed by the end of the calendar year, allowing the Golden Bears to compete on the new courts for the 2020 season. The beach volleyball facility will remain on the Clark Kerr Campus, moving to a new location near the intersection of Sports Lane and Dwight Way. It will feature four sand courts, as well as permanent spectator seating, restrooms and a scoreboard.

CAL MAINTAINS ITS RANKINGS BY DIG MAGAZINE AND AVCA

There was no change in rankings for Cal by either of the major college volleyball polls. Cal maintained its No. 8 position in the most recent DiG Magazine poll and its No. 12 position in the most recent ACVA coaches poll.