



SMU MEN'S SOCCER

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SCHEDULE

OVERALL: 4-7-0 (HOME: 4-4-0; AWAY 0-3-0; NEUTRAL 0-0-0)
AMERICAN: 0-2-0 (HOME: 0-1-0; AWAY 0-1-0)

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
Aug 26	Michigan State	L 2-1
Aug 29	Incarnate Word	W 3-0
Sept 2	Western Illinois	W 2-1
Sept 4	American	L 3-1
Sept 9	Providence	L 1-0
Sept 11	Brown	L 2-0
Sept 16	Santa Clara	L 1-0
Sept 19	Akron	Wot 4-3
Sept 24	Tulsa*	L 3-0
Sept 27	Oral Roberts	W 3-1
Oct 1	UCF*	L 1-0
Oct 8	Temple*	7 p.m.
Oct 15	Memphis*	7 p.m.
Oct 23	Cincinnati*	7 p.m.
Oct 29	USF*	7 p.m.
Nov 5	Connecticut*	6 p.m.
American Athletic Conference Championship		
Nov 11	Semifinals	TBD
Nov 13	Championship	TBD

Home matches in **bold** at Westcott Field; *Conference match;
^Exhibition; All times CT

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THIS WEEK...

The SMU men's soccer team hosts Temple Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Mustangs Fight for a Cure annual match. All funds raised at Mustangs for a Cure games go directly to the Baylor Foundation Celebrating Women fund. This money goes to increasing awareness and funding breast cancer treatment, research, and diagnosis. Fans can find tickets by calling 214-SMU-GAME (214-768-4263) or visiting SMUMustangs.com/tickets. All home matches will air on PonyUp TV. Live stats are also available on SMUMustangs.com.

Series History...

Saturday night's matchup marks the fourth meeting between SMU and Temple, starting in 2013. The Mustangs lead the series, 2-0-1, with a 1-0-1 record when facing off in Dallas.

The Last Time They Met...

The Mustangs beat the Owls, 2-0, last season in Dallas.

SMU's goals came from Stanton Garcia and Brenden Lee in the second half of the match. After a Mauro Cichero shot deflected off of Temple's goalkeeper, a waiting Garcia punched it in from four yards out.

In the 73rd minute, Lee scored by heading a deflected shot attempt by Garcia. Goalkeeper Michael Nelson tallied five saves on 13 total shots.

About SMU...

The Mustangs enter the match 4-7-0 overall (0-2-0 American), with a 4-4-0 record at home. Mauro Cichero and Brenden Lee lead the Mustangs with three goals apiece. Cichero also leads the Mustangs in shots (23), shots on goal (9) and points (7). Garrett McLaughlin and Brenden Lee are in second place with six points apiece. Bryce Clark and Eddie Munjoma are tied, leading the Mustangs in assists with three each.

Michael Nelson has tallied 37 saves with a 72.5 save percentage, while Nick Ruiz has recorded 10 saves with a 71.4 save percentage. The Mustangs have netted 14 goals on 122 attempts, and average 11.1 shots per game.

The Last Time Out...

The Mustangs fell to UCF, 1-0, last Saturday night in Orlando, Florida after a two and a half hour weather delay.

The Mustangs outshot the Knights 5-4 in the first half, despite a scoreless first period. Emil Cuello led all Mustangs with four shots and one on goal.

UCF scored in the 63rd minute of the match. The Knights posted 11 total shots, to SMU's eight. Michael Nelson recorded one save in 90 minutes of play.

American Standings...

The Mustangs rank fifth in the American Athletic Conference in points with 42, averaging 3.82 per game. SMU is third in saves (47), tied for third in The American in assists (14), fifth in shots (122), and sixth in goals (14).

Individually, Mauro Cichero is tied for fifth in shots with 23, and 10th in The American with seven total points. Emil Cuello is tied at 10th with 21 total shots. Cichero and Brenden Lee are tied for sixth in goals with three apiece. Eddie Munjoma and Bryce Clark are tied for fifth in assists with three, while Garrett McLaughlin is tied for 10th with two.

Michael Nelson is fourth in the The American in saves (37) and saves per game (3.70), and sixth in save percentage with 72.5 percent. Nick Ruiz is 10th in saves with 10.

About the Owls...

Temple holds a 6-3-1 (0-1-1 American) overall record, and a 1-3-0 record on the road. The Owls' offensive attack is led by senior midfielder Jorge Gomez-Sanchez and junior forward/midfielder Joonas Jokinen. The senior midfielder has recorded 23 points for Temple, with 10 goals and three assists. Jokinen has earned 12 points, netting three goals, with six assists.

The Owls' defense has allowed only seven goals this season, allowing 0.70 goals per game. Junior goalkeeper Alex Cagle has tallied 28 saves in 10 games for Temple, and boasts a 0.69 goals against average.

As a team, Temple has converted 17 of its 167 shots (10.2 percent), averaging 1.70 goals per game.

Up Next...

The Mustangs travel to Memphis Saturday Oct. 15. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m. CT.



2016 MUSTANGS

#	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Position	Class	Hometown / Last School
1	Michael Nelson	6-4	180	GK	RS-Jr.	Katy, Texas / Seven Lakes
2	Jordan Cano	6-1	170	D	Jr.	Frisco, Texas / Lone Star
4	Garrett Welch	5-10	175	D	Jr.	Richmond, Texas / Foster
5	Michael King	6-2	165	D	RS-Sr.	Spring, Texas / Klein Oak
6	Jared Rice	6-1	185	D	Jr.	Plano, Texas / Plano East
7	Taylor Curtis	5-11	167	D	Sr.	Dallas, Texas / Louisville
8	Caleb Smith	5-9	135	MF	So.	Arlington, Texas / Arlington Martin
10	A.J. Jeffries	6-1	178	MF	RS-Jr.	Downers Grove, Ill. / Downers Grove South
11	Christian Boorum	5-11	170	MF/F	So.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / IMG Academy
13	Nick Ruiz	6-1	175	GK	RS-Sr.	La Crescenta, Calif. / Massachusetts
14	Mauro Cichero	6-3	175	MF	Jr.	Norman, Okla. / Norman North
15	Colten Habecker	6-1	175	F	RS-So.	Douglassville, Pa. / The Hill School
16	Kevin Meinecke	6-1	170	D	So.	Norwalk, Iowa / Shattuck St. Mary's
17	Tosh Yasuda	5-10	150	MF	Fr.	Las Cruces, N.M. / Lone Star
18	Patrick Michael Hillyard	6-1	165	GK	Fr.	Houston, Texas / Cinco Ranch
19	Emil Cuello	5-11	165	MF	So.	Orem, Utah / Orem
20	Gunnar Stray-Gundersen	6-0	155	F	RS-Fr.	Park City, Utah / Park City
21	Stanton Garcia	5-9	150	MF/F	Sr.	McKinney, Texas / McKinney
22	Bryce Clark	5-8	160	D	Jr.	Los Gatos, Calif. / Los Gatos
23	Brandon Guhl	6-0	165	F	Fr.	Houston, Texas / Clear Lake
24	Jacob Cohen	6-1	170	F/MF	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz. / Chaparral
25	Brenden Lee	5-6	139	D/MF	RS-Sr.	Frisco, Texas / Centennial
27	Abdul Yassine	5-9	165	F/MF	RS-Jr.	Garland, Texas / Brighter Horizons Academy
28	Boston Gilbert	6-0	160	MF	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas / San Antonio Christian
29	Grant Makela	6-4	180	GK	Fr.	Destin, Fla. / Fort Walton Beach
30	Garrett McLaughlin	6-0	165	F	Fr.	Oklahoma City, Okla. / Heritage Hall
31	Dwight Williams Jr.	5-9	150	MF	Fr.	Dallas, Texas / Fort Worth Country Day
32	Philip Ponder	6-1	170	D	Fr.	Denton, Texas / Lone Star
34	Eddie Munjoma	5-10	155	D	Fr.	Dallas, Texas / Lone Star

Pronunciation Guide

2	Jordan Cano	Kah-No
11	Christian Boorum	Boar-um
14	Mauro Cichero	Mar-o See-cha-row
16	Kevin Meinecke	My-nick-ee
17	Tosh Yasuda	Ya-su-da
19	Emil Cuello	Ee-Meal Quay-show
34	Eddie Munjoma	Moon-jo-ma
AC	Brett Koziczowski	Kah-zic-kow-ski

