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| Standings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | CONFERENCE | | | | | OVERALL | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Т | Pts | Pct. | Stk | GF | GA | Н | Α | W | L | Т | Pct. | Stk | GF | GA | Н | A N | 0T |
| Western Illinois | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1.000 | W1 | 5 | 0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | .611 | L1 | 23 | 16 | 2-0 | 2-2-1 1-1 | 0-1-1 |
| IUPUI | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | .500 | T1 | 1 | 1 | 0-0 | 0-0-1 | 1 | 6 | 2 | .222 | T1 | 5 | 24 | 0-2 | 1-1-1 0-3-1 | 0-0-2 |
| Centenary | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .250 | T1 | 1 | 6 | 0-0-1 | 0-1 | 0 | 8 | 1 | .056 | L1 | 10 | 27 | 0-0-1 | 0-5 0-3 | 0-2-1 |
| No. 17/18 Oakland | 0 | 0 | 0 | | .000 | | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | .786 | T1 | 17 | 8 | 3-0-1 | 1-0-1 0-0-1 | 1-0-3 |
| UMKC | 0 | 0 | 0 | | .000 | | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 5 | 1 | .313 | W1 | 11 | 23 | 1-3 | 1-1 0-1-1 | 0-0-1 |
| Oral Roberts | 0 | 0 | 0 | | .000 | | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 6 | 1 | .278 | L1 | 9 | 11 | 0-0 | 1-4-1 1-2 | 1-3-1 |
| Valparaiso | 0 | 0 | 0 | | .000 | | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | .125 | L2 | 2 | 20 | 0-2-1 | 0-4-1 0-0 | 0-0 |

Wednesday, September 24

Western Illinois 4, No. 3/3 Saint Louis 4 (2ot)

Thursday, September 25 *Centenary 1, IUPUI 1 (2ot)

Friday, September 26

Denver 3, UMKC 2 No. 12/20 Oakland 1, Dayton 1 Oral Roberts 1, Drury 0 Michigan State 3, Valparaiso 0

Last Week's Results

Saturday, September 27 No. 9/5 SMU 5, Centenary 1

Sunday, September 28 UMKC 2, No. 5/8 Santa Clara 1 SW Missouri State 1, Oral Roberts 0 Drake 1, Valparaiso 0 (2ot) Bradley 1, Western Illinois 0

* Mid-Con match All times are local to site (Rankings are NSCAA/Soccer Times and current to the date the game was played)

This Week's Schedule

| Tuesday, September 30 Michigan at No. 17/18 Oakland | 4 p.m. |
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| Thursday, October 2 Centenary at Drury | 5 p.m. |
| Friday, October 3 *UMKC at Valparaiso *Western Illinois at Oral Roberts | 4 p.m. 7 p.m. |
| Saturday, October 4 *IUPUI at No. 17/18 Oakland | 1 p.m. |
| Sunday, October 5 *Centenary at Valparaiso IUPUI at Detroit Western Illinois at Northern Illinois | 1 p.m. 1 p.m. 1 p.m. |

* Mid-Con match

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Mid-Con Players of the Week





OFFENSIVE Justin Langan, Western Illinois Sr., M, Davenport, Iowa

Western Illinois' Justin Langan proved his worth against one of the nation's best teams, as he helped the Leathernecks to a 4-4 tie at No. 3 Saint Louis. Langan tallied a pair of goals against the previously

unscathed Billikens - one on a penalty kick just before the half that tied the match, and another in the middle of the second half that gave Western Illinois a 3-2 lead. Langan, who leads the Mid-Con with 15 points (4g, 7a) despite missing two games because of his responsibilities for Western's football team, has moved into sixth place on the school's career scoring list. (Also nominated - Alexander Smith, CC; Kyle Perkins, UMKC)

Previous Mid-Con Offensive Players of the Week: Sept. 2 - Trey Vaut, ORU; Sept. 8 -Michael Garcia, UMKC; Sept. 15 - Mike Madaj, IUPUI; Sept. 22 - Nowaf Jaman, WIU; Sept. 29 - Justin Langan, WIU

DEFENSIVE



Todd Dohlman, UMKC So., GK, Parkville, Mo.

UMKC's Todd Dohlman withstood a great deal of pressure in the pipes for the Kangaroos, but hung tough in the Kangaroos' 2-1 upset win over No. 5 Santa Clara. Dohlman saw his team get outshot

by a 14-3 margin, but he made five saves to give his team a chance to take away the late win. One of Dohlman's saves was a tip over the crossbar just before the end of the first half, and he also barely got a hand on another shot in the 64th minute that would have put the visiting Broncos ahead. He also made four saves against Denver earlier in the weekend. (Also nominated - Drew Deffner, IUPUI; Jeff Oleck, VU; Kosuke Kimura, WIU)

Previous Mid-Con Defensive Players of the Week: Sept. 2 - Jeff Wiese, OU; Sept. 8 -Hector Zapata, ORU; Sept. 15 - Hector Zapata, ORU; Sept. 22 - Jeff Wiese, OU; Sept. 29 -Todd Dohlmann, UMKC

Mid-Con Men's Soccer News and Notes

Oct. 15-Oakland at Ohio State Nov. 8-Valparaiso at Wisconsin

CONFERENCE USA (1-1-1)

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Sept. 6-Memphis 2, Centenary 1 Sept. 7-Joakland 4, Marquette 1 Sept. 7-Joakland 4, Marquette 1 Sept. 2-4-Western Illinois 4, No. 3/3 Saint Louis 4 (2ot) Oct. 22-Centenary at UAB Oct. 29-Oakland at Cincinnati



NSCAA Top 25

| NSCAA TOP 25 | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|------------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | | | |
| | Team | Record | | | | | | |
| 1 | Maryland | 9-0-0 | | | | | | |
| | UCLA | 6-1-0 | | | | | | |
| | UAB | 6-0-2 | | | | | | |
| | Old Dominion | 8-0-0 | | | | | | |
| 5. | North Carolina | 7-1-1 | | | | | | |
| 6. | SMU | 7-1-1 | | | | | | |
| 7. | Saint Louis | 6-1-1 | | | | | | |
| 8. | Notre Dame | 6-1-2 | | | | | | |
| 9. | UC Santa Barbara | 7-0-1 | | | | | | |
| 10. | Hartwick | 7-1-0 | | | | | | |
| 11. | Rutgers | 7-1-0 | | | | | | |
| 12. | Coastal Carolina | 7-1-0 | | | | | | |
| 13. | Washington | 6-0-1 | | | | | | |
| 14. | St. John's | 5-3-1 | | | | | | |
| 15. | Brown | 4-2-0 | | | | | | |
| 16. | Florida International | 6-2-1 | | | | | | |
| 17. | Oakland | 4-0-3 | | | | | | |
| 18. | Seton Hall | 4-2-2 | | | | | | |
| 19. | Wake Forest | 4-3-0 | | | | | | |
| | Cal State Northridge | 5-0-2 | | | | | | |
| | Akron | 6-2-1 | | | | | | |
| 22. | Santa Clara | 7-2-2 | | | | | | |
| | Fairleigh Dickinson | 4-2-1 | | | | | | |
| 24. | South Carolina | 7-2-0 | | | | | | |
| | Dartmouth | 4-0-2 | | | | | | |
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| REC | RECEIVING VOTES: Tulsa | | | | | | | |

Soccer Times Top 25

| Week of Sept. 29 | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Team | Record | | | | | | |
| 1. Maryland | 9-0-0 | | | | | | |
| 2. UCLÁ | 6-1-0 | | | | | | |
| 3. Old Dominion | 8-0-0 | | | | | | |
| 4. SMU | 7-1-1 | | | | | | |
| 5. UAB | 6-0-2 | | | | | | |
| 6. North Carolina | n 7-1-1 | | | | | | |
| 7. Saint Louis | 6-1-1 | | | | | | |
| 8. Notre Dame | 6-1-2 | | | | | | |
| 9. UC Santa Barb | ara 7-0-1 | | | | | | |
| 10. Washington | 6-0-1 | | | | | | |
| 11. Coastal Caroli | na 7-1-0 | | | | | | |
| 12. St. John's | 5-3-1 | | | | | | |
| 13. Santa Clara | 7-2-2 | | | | | | |
| 14. Wake Forest | 4-3-0 | | | | | | |
| 15. Akron | 6-2-1 | | | | | | |
| 16. Florida Interna | | | | | | | |
| 17. South Carolina | 7-2-0 | | | | | | |
| 18. Oakland | 4-0-3 | | | | | | |
| 19. Rutgers | 5-2-0 | | | | | | |
| 20. Cal State Nort | 5 | | | | | | |
| 21. Penn State | 5-3-0 | | | | | | |
| 22. Tulsa | 6-3-0 | | | | | | |
| 23. Connecticut | 3-3-2 | | | | | | |
| 24. Brown | 4-2-0 | | | | | | |
| 25. Hartwick | 7-1-0 | | | | | | |
| | Seton Hall, William & Mary, Farileigh Dickinson, | | | | | | |
| | Virginia Tech, Louisville, UW-Milwaukee, Michi- | | | | | | |
| | n, Loyola Marymount, Cal State Fullerton, Port- | | | | | | |
| land, San Diego, Virginia Commonwealth | | | | | | | |

Mid-Con vs. Non-Conference Opponents HORIZON (2-4-3) Aug. 30-Western Illinois 4, Wright State 2 Sept. 5-Illinois-Chicago 2, Centenary 1 (ot) Sept. 7-UIKC 3, Loyola 3 (2ot) Sept. 7-Butter 5, Valparaiso 1 Sept. 13-IUPUI 0, Loyola 0 (2ot) Sept. 13-No. 20/NR Oakland 2, Detroit 2 Sept. 14-Detroit 3, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 20-UW-Milwaukee 4, UMKC 0 Sept. 21-UMKC 3, UW-Green Bay 1 Ort 5-IIPUI at Detroit ATLANTIC 10 (0-0-1) Sept. 21-Valparaiso 0, Xavier (Ohio) 0 (2ot) Sept. 26-No. 12/20 Oakland 1, Dayton 1 (2ot) Sept. 26-Denver 3, UMKC 2 ATLANTIC SUN (0-2) Sept. 12-Stetson 3, Centenary 2 Sept. 14-Central Florida 4, Centenary 1 Oct. 12-Lipscomb at Oral Roberts PATRIOT (0-0) Oct. 7-UMKC at Lehigh BIG EAST (0-1) Sept. 21-Virginia Tech 2, IUPUI 1 Oct. 5-IUPUI at Detroit Oct. 19-Detroit at Western Illinois BIG TEN (0-2-1) Sept. 19-Wisconsin 5, IUPUI 0 Sept. 19-Valparaiso 0, Ohio State 0 (2ot) Sept. 26-Michigan State 3, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 30-Michigan at Oakland Oct. 8-Oakland at Michigan State Oct. 15-Okland at Michigan State Oct. 19-Detroit at Western minors Oct. 23-IUPUI at Wright State Oct. 30-Butler at IUPUI Oct. 31-Loyola (III.) at Valparaiso Nov. 3-Oral Roberts at Butler Nov. 4-Oakland at Wright State MID-AMERICAN (3-3) Aug. 30-Western Michigan 3, IUPUI 0 Aug. 31-Western Michigan 2, Centenary 1 Sept. 12-Western Michigan 3, UMKC 0 Sept. 14-IUPUI 4, Northern Illinois 3 Sept. 17-0akland 5, Western Michigan 1 Sept. 21-0akland 2, Akron 1 Oct. 5-Western Illinois at Northern Illinois Cet. 10-Akron at IIIPUI BIG WEST (1-1) Sept. 7-No. 15/NR Cal State Northridge 8, IUPUI 0 Sept. 21-Western Illinois 2, UC Irvine 1

Oct. 10-Akron at IUPUI Oct. 21-Oakland at Bowling Green

MISSOURI VALLEY (2-13-1) Aug. 29-Bradley 2, Oral Roberts 1 Aug. 29-SW Missouri State 3, Valparaiso 1 Aug. 29-SW Missouri State 3, Valparaiso 1 Aug. 30-Oral Roberts 4, Eastern Illinois 0 Sept. 1-Tuisa 4, UMKC 0 Sept. 5-Western Illinois 2 (20t) Sept. 5-Western Illinois 2, Eastern Illinois 1 Sept. 5-Western Illinois 2, Eastern Illinois 1 Sept. 1-Oral Roberts 0, Drake 0 (20t) Sept. 13-No. 21/NR Tuisa 2, Oral Roberts 0 (20t) Sept. 13-No. 21/NR Tuisa 2, Oral Roberts 1 (20t) Sept. 13-No. 21/NR Tuisa 2, Oral Roberts 1 (20t) Sept. 14-Drake 4, UMKC 1 Sept. 19-Wissouri State 3, Western Illinois 2 Sept. 14-Diake 4, UMAC 1 Sept. 19-SW Missouri State 3, Western Illinois 2 Sept. 27-No. 9/5 SMU 5, Centenary 1 Sept. 28-SW Missouri State 1, Oral Roberts 0 Sept. 28-Drake 1, Valparaiso 0 (2ot) Sept. 28-Bradley 1, Western Illinois 0

MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION (0-3) Sept. 5-New Mexico 1, IUPUI 0 Sept. 21-Air Force 3, Oral Roberts 2

PACIFIC-10 (0-0-1) Sept. 1-Oakland 1, Washington 1 (2ot)

WEST COAST (2-1) Aug. 30-Oakland 2, Portland 1(2ot) Sept. 19-Loyola Marymount 2, Oral Roberts 0 Sept. 28-UMKC 2, No. 5/8 Santa Clara 1

NCAA DIVISION I INDEPENDENTS (1-2) Aug. 30-IPFW 3, Centenary 2 (2ot) Aug. 31-IPFW 1, IUPUI 0 Sept. 26-Oral Roberts 1, Drury 0 Oct. 2-Centenary at Drury Oct. 13-IPFW at Western Illinois Oct. 39-Drury at Oral Roberts Oct. 31-Drury at Western Illinois Not. 8-Drury at Western Illinois Nov. 8-Drury at Western Illinois Nov. 9-UMKC at Drury

NON-DIVISION I (1-0)

Sept. 7-Western Illinois 1, Quincy 0 Oct. 20-Northeastern State at Oral Roberts Oct. 25-Belhaven at Centenary Oct. 29-Rockhurst at UMKC

NON-CONFERENCE DIVISION I RECORD: 0VERALL NON-CONFERENCE RECORD:

13-33-8 (.315)

Mid-Con Coaches Records

| Coach, Team (Yrs. at School/Overall) | School | Pct. | Career | Pct. | Mid-Con | Pct. |
|---|-----------|------|-----------|------|---------|------|
| Jed Jones, Centenary (7th/7th) | 38-72-2 | .358 | 38-72-2 | .358 | 0-1-1 | .250 |
| Steve Franklin, IUPUI (9th/9th) | 74-78-10 | .488 | 74-78-10 | .488 | 11-13-2 | .462 |
| Rick Benben, UMKC (6th/6th) | 46-53-2 | .465 | 46-53-2 | .465 | 13-12 | .520 |
| Gary Parsons, Oakland (23rd/23rd) | 303-96-44 | .734 | 303-96-44 | .734 | 12-7-1 | .625 |
| Steve Hayes, Oral Roberts (6th/6th) | 39-54-4 | .423 | 39-54-4 | .423 | 10-10 | .500 |
| Mis' Mrak, Valparaiso (13th/13th) | 57-153-16 | .288 | 57-153-16 | .288 | 24-44-3 | .359 |
| Eric Johnson, Western Illinois (7th/12th) | 47-69-5 | .401 | 90-122-10 | .428 | 19-15 | .559 |
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| Mid-Con vs. Non-League Foes | | | | | | | | |
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| Team | Non-Conf. Record | Pct. | | | | | | |
| Centenary | 0-7 | .000 | | | | | | |
| IUPUI | 1-6-1 | .188 | | | | | | |
| UMKC | 2-5-1 | .313 | | | | | | |
| Oakland | 4-0-2 | .750 | | | | | | |
| Oral Roberts | 2-6-1 | .277 | | | | | | |
| Valparaiso | 0-6-2 | .125 | | | | | | |
| Western Illinois | 4-3-1 | .563 | | | | | | |
| Total | 13-33-8 | .315 | | | | | | |
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| Mid-Con: Home, Away and Neutral | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|-----|----------|----------|--|--|--|
| Team | Home | Stk | Away Stk | Neut Stk | | | |
| Centenary | 0-0-1 | T1 | 0-4 L3 | 0-4-1 L1 | | | |
| IUPUI | 0-2 | L2 | 1-1-1 T1 | 0-3 L5 | | | |
| UMKC | 1-3 | W1 | 1-1-1 W1 | 0-1 L2 | | | |
| Oakland | 3-0-1 | W2 | 1-0 W1 | 0-0-1 T1 | | | |
| Oral Roberts | 0-0 | W2 | 1-4-1 L3 | 1-2 L2 | | | |
| Valparaiso | 0-2 | L4 | 0-4-2 L1 | 0-0 L3 | | | |
| Western Illinois | 2-0 | W6 | 2-2-1 L1 | 1-1 W1 | | | |
| Total | 6-7-2 | | 6-16-6 | 2-11-2 | | | |
| vs. Non-Conference | 5-7-1 | | 6-15-5 | 2-11-2 | | | |

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| Mid-Con vs. the Top 25 | | | | | | | | | |
| | NSC | AA | Soccer | Times | | | | | |
| Team | Top 10 | Top 25 | Top 10 | Top 25 | | | | | |
| Centenary | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-1 | | | | | |
| IUPUI | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | | | | | |
| UMKC | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | | | | | |
| Oakland | 1-0 | 2-0 | 0-0 | 1-0 | | | | | |
| Oral Roberts | 0-1 | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-1 | | | | | |
| Valparaiso | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | | | | | |
| Western Illinois | 0-0-1 | 0-0-1 | 0-0-1 | 0-0-1 | | | | | |
| Total | 2-2-1 | 3-4-1 | 1-2-1 | 2-2-1 | | | | | |

Mid-Con vs. Region-Ranked Teams

| Team | vs. Region Ranked | Pct. |
|------------------|-------------------|------|
| Centenary | 0-2 | .000 |
| IUPUI | 0-2 | .000 |
| UMKC | 1-1 | .500 |
| Oakland | 3-0-1 | .875 |
| Oral Roberts | 0-4 | .000 |
| Valparaiso | 0-3 | .000 |
| Western Illinois | 0-2-1 | .000 |
| Total | 4-14-2 | .250 |

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results



AROUND THE MID-CON...

UMKC DOWNS NO. 5 SANTA CLARA, BENBEN REACHES MILESTONE: UMKC rebounded from a tough 3-2 loss to Denver last week in dramatic fasion, defeating No. 5 Santa Clara (2-1) two days later. The win snapped a five-game Kangaroo winless streak and marked the third season in the last four that the Kangaroos have defeated a top-25 team - they also beat No. 7 Marquette in 2000 and No. 19 UW-Milwaukee in 2001. The victory also marked UMKC head coach Rick Benbens 46th career win, making him the school's all-time leader in victories. In his sixth season, Benben has surpassed Mike Brown, who won 45 matches from 1993-97.

WESTERN ILLINOIS TURNS UP THE 'O' IN TIE AT NO. 3 SAINT LOUIS: Western Illinois walked away from its contest at No. 3/3 Saint Louis with a 4-4 tie, but the Leathernecks had put themselves in a position to post the big upset. Nowaf Jaman gave Western Illinois an early lead, but Saint Louis answered back with two scores. Mid-Con Offensive Player of the Week Justin Langan converted on a crucial penalty kick just before the half; he and Jaman scored 1:21 apart in the middle of the second half to give the Leathernecks the lead, though the host Billikens rallied to force overtime.

MID-CON SEASON UNDERWAY: Centenary and IUPUI were the only squads in league action last week, as they battled to a 1-1 tie. The Gents outshot the Jags 22-11 in the draw. Alexander Smith netted Centenary's lone goal, while Mike Sullivan scored for the Jaguars. Currently, Westconference play. Next week conference play will find itself in full swing, as Valparaiso takes on UMKC and Centenary, Western Illinois travels to Oral Roberts, and Oakland hosts IUPUI.

MID-CON TEAMS CHALLENGE RANKED SQUADS: After posting a 1-1-1 record against ranked opponents this past week, Mid-Con teams proved they could battle with the best. Centenary took on No. 9/5 SMU, falling 5-1, but the two squads were knotted at 1-1 at the half. UMKC recorded the only league win against a ranked opponent, besting No. 5/8 Santa Clara (2-1), ending a five-game winless streak. Oakland, which was ranked 12th itself by the NSCAA last week, played Dayton (4th in the Great Lakes) to a 1-1 double overtime draw. Oral Roberts (1-0 to SW Missouri State), Valparaiso (3-0 to Michigan State; 1-0 to Drake) and Western Illinois (1-0 to Bradley) all lost games to regionally ranked opponents, though Western Illinois did m

| manage a 4-4 | tie at No. 3/3 Saint Louis. | | - | - utalkeeper | | | luding seven against ranked sinu. | | |
|--|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|---|--|--|
| | aduars (1_6_2_0_0 | 1 Mid-Cop) | | UMKC Kangaroos (2-5-1, 0-0 Mid-Con) | | | | | |
| Date Aug. 30 Aug. 31 Sept. 5 Sept. 7 Sept. 13 Sept. 14 | aguars (1-6-2, 0-0 Opponent Western Michigan IPFW at New Mexico vs. No. 15/NR Cal State Northridge# vs. Loyola (III.)% at Northern Illinois vs. Wisconsin^ | Time/Result L 3-0 L 1-0 L 1-0 L 8-0 T 0-0 (20t) W 4-3 | Game-Winning Goal Mike Madaj | Date Sept. 1 Sept. 7 Sept. 12 Sept. 12 Sept. 20 Sept. 21 Sept. 26 | Opponent Tulsa vs. Loyola (III.)# Western Michigan at Drake vs. UW-Milwaukee% at UW-Green Bay | - 1, O-O MIQ-C Time/Result L 4-0 T 3-3 (2ot) L 3-0 L 4-1 L 4-0 W 3-1 L 3-2 | Game-Winning Goal Brandon Watermann | | |
| Sept. 19 Sept. 21 Sept. 25 Oct. 4 Oct. 5 Oct. 10 Oct. 12 Oct. 12 Oct. 12 Oct. 23 Oct. 26 Oct. 30 Nov. 2 Nov. 14-16 # at Albuquer | vs. Virginia Tech^ at Centenary* at Oakland* at Detroit Akron UMKC* at Indiana Valparaiso* at Wright State at Western Illinois* Butler Oral Roberts* at Mid-Con Tournament (Roche | | on match Home matches in bold | Sept. 28 Oct. 3 Oct. 7 Oct. 12 Oct. 12 Oct. 25 Oct. 29 Nov. 1 Nov. 8 Nov. 9 Nov. 14-16 | Denver No. 5/8 Santa Clara at Valparaiso* at Lehigh at IUPUI* Western Illinois* at Oral Roberts* Rockhurst Oakland* Centenary* at Drury at Mid-Con Tournament (R III. % at Green Bay, Wis. * N | W 2-1 4 p.m. 7 p.m. 2 p.m. 6 p.m. 6 p.m. TBA 1 p.m. 3 p.m. 3 p.m. ochester, Mich.) | Kyle Perkins matches in bold | | |
| OF INTEREST. • IUPUI extend Mid-Con open | ded its winless streak to three ga | mes after posting a 1- | 1 tie against Centenary in its | OF INTEREST • After posting a tough 3-2 loss to Denver, UMKC rebounded in dramatic fasion, defeating No. 5 ranked Santa Clara (2-1) to snap a five-game losing streak. | | | | | |
| • Mike Sullivar | n netted his third goal of the yea | r in the match, tying fo | r the team lead in goals (3). | • The victory marked the third season in the last four that the Kangaroos have defeated a top-25 team. | | | | | |
| | Drew Deffner turned in double-fig school single-season record in th | | ainst Centenary He is on pace to | The win marked head coach Rick Benben's 46th career win at UMKC, making him the school's all-time leader in victories. | | | | | |
| Ricky Del Tor | ro took over the team lead in ass | ists with two against C | entenary. | Four players accounted for UMKC's four goals this past week. Dan Hilson, Brian Garcia Ryan Kaufman and Kyle Perkins each scored; Perkins scored the game-winner against Santa Clara. | | | | | |
| | | ** Times local to | site ** • Rankings are NSCAA/Socce | | | , | | | |
| | Mid-Con Mu | Iti-Goal Mat | ches | | Mid-Cor | 10-Save Ma | Itches | | |
| Player Chris Edwards, Michael Garcia Nowaf Jaman, Justin Langan, Mike Madaj, IL Miguel Mendu | , UMKC 1 WIU 1 WIU 1 JPUI 1 | 2 vs. Loyo 2 vs. Saint 2 vs. Saint | Louis Louis hern Illinois | Player Drew Deffner, Stefan Nicola, Jeff Oleck, Val Hector Zapata | IUPUI CC po | 2 12 vs. | Loyola (III.) Western Illinois Detroit SMU | | |

Centenary Gents (0-8-1, 0-1-1 Mid-Con)

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| Date | Opponent | Time/Result | Game-Winning Goal |
| Aug. 30 | vs. IPFW# | L 3-2 (2ot) | |
| Aug. 31 | vs. Western Michigan# | L 2-1 | |
| Sept. 5 | vs. Illinois-Chicago% | L 2-1 (ot) | |
| Sept. 6 | at Memphis | L 2-1 | |
| Sept. 12 | at Stetson | L 3-2 | |
| Sept. 14 | at Central Florida | L 4-1 | |
| Sept. 17 | at Western Illinois* | L 5-0 | |
| Sept. 25 | IUPUI* | T 1-1 (2ot) | |
| Sept. 27 | at No. 9/5 SMU | L 5-1 | |
| Oct. 2 | at Drury | 5 p.m. | |
| Oct. 5 | at Valparaiso* | 1 p.m. | |
| Oct. 15 | Oral Roberts* | 7 p.m. | |
| Oct. 18 | Oakland* | 7 p.m. | |
| Oct. 22 | at UAB | 7 p.m. | |
| Oct. 25 | Belhaven | 7 p.m. | |
| Oct. 31 | Drury | 7 p.m. | |
| Nov. 8 | at UMKC* | 1 p.m. | |
| Nov. 14-16 | at Mid-Con Tournament (Roche | ster, Mich.) | |

at Indianapolis, Ind. % at Memphis, Tenn. * Mid-Con match Home matches in bold

OF INTEREST ...

· Centenary hosted its first-ever Mid-Con match this past week and battled IUPUI to a double-overtime tie (1-1).

The Gents, who were tied at the half at No. 9/5 SMU, eventually posted a 5-1 loss.

 Alexander Smith netted Centenary's two goals this past week, taking the team lead with three on the season

Goalkeeper Stefan Nicola tallied 11 saves in the two match, including seven against ranked SMU.

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results



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| Oakland Golden Grizzlies (4-0-3, 0-0 Mid-Con) | Oral Roberts Golden Eagles (2-6-1, 0-0 Mid-Con) |
| DateOpponentTime/ResultGame-Winning GoalAug. 30at PortlandW 2-1 (2ot)Chris EdwardsSept. 1vs. Washington#T 1-1 (2ot)Sept. 7MarquetteW 4-1Ryan RzepkaSept. 13DetroitT 2-2 (2ot)Sept. 17Western MichiganW 5-1Sept. 21No. 10/17 AkronW 2-1 | DateOpponentTime/ResultGame-Winning GoalAug. 29at BradleyL 2-1Aug. 30vs. Eastern Illinois#W 4-0Miguel MenduinaSept. 7at DrakeT 0-0 (2ot)Sept. 12at No. 9/6 SMUL 1-0 (2ot)Sept. 13vs. No. 21/NR Tulsa%L 2-1 (2ot)Sept. 19vs. Loyola Marymount^L 2-0 |
| Sept. 26at DaytonT1-1 (2ot)Sept. 30Michigan4 p.m.Oct. 4IUPUI*1 p.m.Oct. 4at Michigan State4 p.m.Oct. 11at Western Illinois*1 p.m.Oct. 15at Ohio State7:30 p.m.Oct. 18at Centenary*7 p.m.Oct. 21at Bowling Green3:30 p.m.Oct. 25Valparaiso*1 p.m.Oct. 29at Cincinnati7 p.m.Nov. 1at UMKC*1 p.m.Nov. 4at Wright State7 p.m.Nov. 8Oral Roberts*1 p.m.Nov. 14-16at Mid-Con match Home matches in bold | Sept. 21 at Air Force L 3-2 (ot) Sept. 26 at Drury W 1-0 Trey Vaut Sept. 28 at SW Missouri State L 1-0 Oct. 3 Western Illinois* 7 p.m. Oct. 10 Valparaiso* 8 p.m. Oct. 12 Lipscomb 1 p.m. Oct. 15 at Centenary* 7 p.m. Oct. 20 Northeastern State 8 p.m. Oct. 29 Drury 7 p.m. Oct. 29 Drury 7 p.m. Nov. 2 at IUPUI* 1 p.m. Nov. 3 at Buffer 1 p.m. Nov. 4 at Oakland* 1 p.m. Nov. 14-16 at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.) # at Peoria, Ill. % at Dallas, Texas ^ at Colorado Springs, Colo. * Mid-Con match Home matches in bold |
| OF INTEREST Oakland extended its unbeaten streak to seven games, tying regionally ranked Dayton (1-1). Shahar Ktovim netted the Golden Grizzlies' only goal, as they were outshot 20-15 in the tie. Oakland fell five spots in the NSCAA National Rankings to No. 17, while jumping two spots to No. 18 in the Soccer Times Top 25 poll. The Golden Grizzlies will look to extend their unbeaten streak next week as they take on regionally ranked Michigan and Mid-Con opponent IUPUI, both at home. | OF INTEREST Oral Roberts snapped a five-game winless streak last week, defeating Drury (1-0). However, the Golden Eagles fell, 1-0, to SW Missouri State two days later. Trey Vaut netted the game-winning goal against Drury, which outshot Oral Roberts 12-5 for the match, including 6-0 in the first stanza. Goalkeeper Hector Zapata tallied 12 saves for the week, including seven in the loss to SW Missouri State. |
| Valparaiso Crusaders (0-6-2, 0-0 Mid-Con) | Western Illinois Leathernecks (5-3-1, 1-0 Mid-Con) |
| DateOpponentTime/ResultGame-Winning GoalAug. 29SW Missouri StateL 3-1Sept. 5at EvansvilleL 5-0Sept. 7at ButlerL 5-1Sept. 14at DetroitL 3-0Sept. 19at Ohio StateT 0-0 (2ot)Sept. 26Michigan StateL 3-0Sept. 28at DrakeL 1-0 (2ot)Sept. 28at DrakeL 1-0 (2ot)Oct. 5Centenary*1 p.m.Oct. 10at Oral Roberts*8 p.m.Oct. 12at Drury1 p.m. | DateOpponentTime/ResultGame-Winning GoalAug. 30at Wright StateW 4-2Nickolas BohnenkampSept. 1at DrakeL 3-2 (2ot)Sept. 5at Eastern IllinoisW 2-1Daniel BustosSept. 7QuincyW 2-1P.J. BlackfordSept. 17Centenary*W 5-0Nowaf JamanSept. 21vs. SW Missouri State#L 3-2Sept. 21vs. UC Irvine#W 2-1Matt WieclawSept. 28at BradleyL 1-0Oct. 3at Oral Roberts*7 p.m.Oct. 11Oakland*1 p.m. |
| Oct. 12 at UPUI* 1 p.m. Oct. 25 at Oakland* 1 p.m. Oct. 31 Loyola (III.) 2:30 p.m. Nov. 2 Western Illinois* 1 p.m. Nov. 8 at Wisconsin 12 p.m. Nov. 14-16 at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester Mich.) | Oct. 13 IPFW 3 p.m. Oct. 18 at UMKC* 1 p.m. Oct. 19 Detroit 1 p.m. Oct. 26 IUPUI* 1 p.m. Nov. 2 at Valparaiso* 1 p.m. Nov. 8 Drury 1 p.m. Nov. 14-16 at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.) # at Albuquerque, N.M. * Mid-Con match Home matches in bold |
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2003 MID-CON TOURNEY RETURNS TO OAKLAND

By virtue of winning the 2002 Mid-Con regular-season title, Oakland will again serve as the host for the 2003 Mid-Con Men's Soccer Tournament, which will be held on Nov. 14 and 16, at the OU Soccer Field in Rochester, Mich. The top four finishers in the Mid-Con regular-season standings will advance to the event, with the winner receiving the league's automatic berth to the NCAA Men's College Cup. Oakland became the first-ever tourney host to win the event last season. The Mid-Con has had four first-time champions in the last four years (Oral Roberts - 1999; IUPUI - 2000; UMKC - 2001; Oakland - 2002).

