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Standings

	CONFERENCE							OVERALL							
	W	L	T	Pct.	Stk	H	A	W	L	T	Pct.	Stk	H	A	N
Oral Roberts	3	1	0	.750	L1	0-0	3-1	19	17	0	.528	L1	11-5	7-9	1-3
Southern Utah	3	1	0	.750	W3	3-1	0-0	10	16	0	.385	W3	9-10	0-5	1-1
Oakland	2	2	0	.500	W2	2-2	0-0	15	20	0	.429	W2	6-5	6-14	3-1
Western Illinois	2	2	0	.500	L2	0-0	2-2	13	23	0	.361	L2	1-4	10-17	2-2
Chicago State	1	3	0	.250	L3	0-0	1-3	4	28	0	.125	L3	0-2	2-21	2-5
Valparaiso	1	3	0	.250	W1	1-3	0-0	9	22	1	.297	W1	6-3	0-12-1	3-7

Previous Results

Monday, April 14

Northern Illinois at Western Illinois - cancelled

Tuesday, April 15

Northwestern 36, Chicago State 10
 Central Michigan 8, Oakland 6
 Central Michigan 4, Oakland 3
 No. 20/23 Arkansas 8, Oral Roberts 2
 No. NR/21 UNLV 9, Southern Utah 1
 Purdue 10, Valparaiso 4
 Eastern Illinois 12, Western Illinois 8

Wednesday, April 16

Northern Illinois 9, Chicago State 0
 Michigan 10, Oakland 9
 Indiana State 13, Valparaiso 5
 Illinois State 9, Western Illinois 0

Friday, April 18

*Chicago State 3, Southern Utah 0
 *Southern Utah 13, Chicago State 6

Saturday, April 19

*Southern Utah 24, Chicago State 8
 *Southern Utah 12, Chicago State 10
 *Oral Roberts 9, Valparaiso 8
 *Oral Roberts 5, Valparaiso 4
 *Western Illinois 15, Oakland 2
 *Western Illinois 4, Oakland 3

Sunday, April 20

*Oral Roberts 8, Valparaiso 6
 *Valparaiso 3, Oral Roberts 1
 *Oakland 8, Western Illinois 5
 *Oakland 7, Western Illinois 2

* Mid-Con game
 (Rankings are ABCA/Baseball America and current to date the game was played)

This Week's Schedule

Tuesday, April 22

UW-Milwaukee at Chicago State
 Oklahoma at Oral Roberts
 Purdue at Valparaiso
 Coe at Western Illinois (DH)

Wednesday, April 23

Chicago State at Northern Illinois
 Missouri Southern at Oral Roberts
 Valparaiso at Northwestern
 Western Illinois at Iowa

Thursday, April 24

Bradley at Western Illinois

Saturday, April 26

*Oral Roberts at Chicago State (DH)
 *Southern Utah at Western Illinois (DH)
 *Valparaiso at Oakland (DH)

Sunday, April 27

*Oral Roberts at Chicago State (DH)
 *Southern Utah at Western Illinois (DH)
 *Valparaiso at Oakland (DH)

* Mid-Con game
 (Rankings are ABCA/Baseball America and current to date the game was played)

Mid-Con Athletes of the Week



PLAYER

Jake Reynolds, Southern Utah
 Sr., OF, Lugoff, S.C.

Southern Utah's Jake Reynolds extended his hit streak to eight games with his torrid week at the plate, which included three multi-hit efforts. Reynolds batted .563 (9-16) with five RBIs, seven runs scored and five extra-base hits. He had seven hits combined in his team's three wins over Chicago State; he went 2-for-3 with three runs scored and three stolen bases in a 13-6 win, and went 3-for-4 with two doubles and a triple, three runs scored and two RBIs in a 24-8 triumph. He's lifted his batting average 100 points (to .316) in the last two weeks.

Previous Mid-Con Players of the Week: Feb. 17 - Ty Doezie, SUU; Feb. 24 - David Castillo, ORU; Mar. 3 - John Sullivan, OU; Mar. 10 - Ryan Welborn, ORU; Mar. 17 - Blake Schultz, WIU; Mar. 24 - David Castillo, ORU; Mar. 31 - Matt VanDerBosch, ORU; Apr. 6 - David Castillo, ORU; Apr. 13 - Scott Campbell, ORU; Apr. 20 - Jake Reynolds, SUU



PITCHER

Todd Evans, Valparaiso
 Sr., RHP, Valparaiso, Ind.

Valparaiso's Todd Evans put forth a masterful performance in beating Oral Roberts by a 3-1 score. In six-plus innings of work, Evans scattered six hits (three after the third inning) and allowed only an unearned run. He also fanned three and did not walk a batter while picking up his second win of the season. He helped himself out by snagging a line drive and doubling off a runner at second to escape the sixth inning.

Previous Mid-Con Pitchers of the Week: Feb. 17 - Shane Perkins, SUU; Feb. 24 - Kris Kline, ORU; Mar. 3 - Billy Schmeider, OU; Mar. 10 - Dominic Carmosino, OU; Mar. 17 - Sean Sorrow, ORU; Mar. 24 - Matt Shepherd, SUU; Mar. 31 - Taylor McIntyre, ORU; Apr. 6 - Dennis Bigley, ORU; Apr. 13 - Dennis Bigley, ORU; Apr. 20 - Todd Evans, VU



Mid-Con vs. Non-Conference Opponents

AMERICA EAST (2-1)

Oral Roberts 11, Northeastern 5
Northeastern 8, Oral Roberts 6
Oral Roberts 7, Northeastern 3

ATLANTIC 10 (5-2-1)

Valparaiso 7, Duquesne 5
Valparaiso 6, St. Bonaventure 5 (10 inn.)
Duquesne 11, Valparaiso 10
Oakland 5, Dayton 3
Dayton 7, Oakland 0
Oakland 7, Dayton 3
Oakland 6, Dayton 5 (8 inn.)
Valparaiso 5, Xavier (Ohio) 5 (11 inn.)

BIG XII (2-10)

Kansas 10, Western Illinois 6
Kansas State 9, Western Illinois 4
Kansas State 14, Western Illinois 4
No. 17/20 Kansas 2, Oral Roberts 1
Oral Roberts 7, No. 17/20 Kansas 6
No. 17/20 Kansas 9, Oral Roberts 2
No. 14/11 Nebraska 16, Western Illinois 2
No. 14/11 Nebraska, Western Illinois 3
Oral Roberts 5, Oklahoma 1
Missouri 16, Western Illinois 3
Kansas 6, Western Illinois 5
Kansas 9, Western Illinois 6
Apr. 22-Oklahoma at Oral Roberts

BIG EAST (0-6)

Boston College 13, Valparaiso 11
Pittsburgh 19, Chicago State 2
Boston College 6, Valparaiso 0
Seton Hall 24, Chicago State 7
No. NR/19 Notre Dame 13, Valparaiso 4
No. 21/17 Notre Dame 9, Chicago State 3
Apr. 30-Oakland at Notre Dame

BIG SOUTH (0-2)

Elon 8, Oakland 2
Elon 12, Oakland 1

BIG TEN (0-7)

Indiana 12, Valparaiso 2
Ohio State 2, Oakland 1
Ohio State 2, Oakland 0
Indiana 7, Valparaiso 2
Northwestern 36, Chicago State 10
Purdue 10, Valparaiso 4
Michigan 10, Oakland 9
Apr. 22-Purdue at Valparaiso
Apr. 23-Valparaiso at Northwestern
Apr. 23-Western Illinois at Iowa
May 6-Chicago State at Northwestern
May 14-Valparaiso vs. Indiana

BIG WEST (1-5)

UC Riverside 12, Oral Roberts 3
Southern Utah 9, Cal State Northridge 8
Cal Poly 22, Southern Utah 1
Cal Poly 7, Southern Utah 0
Cal Poly 16, Southern Utah 12 (10 inn.)
Cal Poly 8, Southern Utah 4

HORIZON (5-16)

Butler 5, Oakland 0
Oakland 7, Butler 6
Oakland 6, Butler 3
Butler 8, Oakland 3
Youngstown State 4, Valparaiso 1
Illinois-Chicago 9, Valparaiso 6
Illinois-Chicago 14, Chicago State 8
Illinois-Chicago 5, Chicago State 0
Valparaiso 3, Butler 2
Valparaiso 2, Butler 0
Butler 8, Valparaiso 4
Butler 6, Valparaiso 0
Illinois-Chicago 8, Chicago State 3
Illinois-Chicago 6, Chicago State 5
Detroit 4, Oakland 2
UW-Milwaukee 8, Valparaiso 4
UW-Milwaukee 6, Valparaiso 0
Cleveland State 18, Chicago State 2
Chicago State 6, Cleveland State 5
Cleveland State 6, Chicago State 2
Cleveland State 3, Chicago State 2
Apr. 22-UW-Milwaukee at Chicago State
Apr. 29-Butler at Chicago State
Apr. 30-Western Illinois at Illinois-Chicago
May 6-Valparaiso at UW-Milwaukee

IVY (1-0)

Valparaiso 9, Harvard 1

METRO ATLANTIC ATHLETIC (1-0)

Chicago State 10, St. Peter's 4

MID-AMERICAN (3-10)

Oral Roberts 4, Kent State 2
Oral Roberts 13, Kent State 7
Akron 3, Valparaiso 2
Oral Roberts 12, Kent State 4
Akron 9, Valparaiso 5 (8 inn.)
Eastern Michigan 10, Oakland 5
Bowling Green 4, Oakland 0
Bowling Green 6, Oakland 2
Eastern Michigan 4, Oakland 0
Eastern Michigan 10, Oakland 7
Central Michigan 8, Oakland 6
Central Michigan 4, Oakland 3
Northern Illinois 9, Chicago State 0
Apr. 23-Chicago State at Northern Illinois
Apr. 30-Valparaiso at Western Michigan
May 6-Oakland at Eastern Michigan

MID-EASTERN ATHLETIC (5-0)

Western Illinois 3, Maryland-Eastern Shore 0
Western Illinois 15, Maryland-Eastern Shore 1
Western Illinois 5, Coppin State 4
Western Illinois 15, Coppin State 5
Western Illinois 4, Coppin State 2 (8 inn.)

MISSOURI VALLEY (2-2)

Oral Roberts 2, SW Missouri State 1
Oral Roberts 11, Wichita State 5
Indiana State 13, Valparaiso 5
Illinois State 9, Western Illinois 0
Apr. 24-Bradley at Western Illinois
Apr. 29-Bradley at Valparaiso (DH)
Apr. 30-Oral Roberts at SW Missouri State
May 13-Oral Roberts at Wichita State
May 13-Western Illinois at Northern Iowa

MOUNTAIN WEST (3-11)

Southern Utah 3, Air Force 1
Air Force 3, Southern Utah 0
Southern Utah 6, Air Force 5
Air Force 9, Southern Utah 2
Oral Roberts 11, San Diego State 7
Utah 14, Southern Utah 5
BYU 8, Southern Utah 1
BYU 8, Southern Utah 3
Air Force 4, Western Illinois 2
No. NR/24 UNLV 8, Southern Utah 2
BYU 18, Southern Utah 1
Utah 3, Southern Utah 2
Utah 18, Southern Utah 8
No. NR/21 UNLV 9, Southern Utah 1
May 12-Southern Utah at BYU
May 13-Southern Utah at BYU

NORTHEAST (0-1)

Sacred Heart 12, Chicago State 5

OHIO VALLEY (0-6)

Tennessee-Martin 4, Chicago State 3
Tennessee-Martin 11, Chicago State 5
Tennessee-Martin 10, Chicago State 4
Eastern Illinois 9, Chicago State 6
Eastern Illinois 11, Chicago State 6
Eastern Illinois 12, Western Illinois 8
May 13-Eastern Illinois at Chicago State

PACIFIC 10 (0-1)

No. 3/4 Arizona State 19, Southern Utah 0

PATRIOT (0-1)

Holy Cross 5, Valparaiso 3

SOUTHEASTERN (0-3)

Georgia 7, Oral Roberts 6
No. 24/NR Arkansas 9, Oral Roberts 3
No. 20/23 Arkansas 8, Oral Roberts 2

SOUTHERN (4-1)

Davidson 9, Oakland 3
Oakland 10, Wofford 3
Oakland 3, Wofford 2
Oakland 7, Wofford 3
Oakland 5, Wofford 1

SOUTHLAND (1-3)

Texas-San Antonio 5, Oral Roberts 4
Texas-San Antonio 3, Oral Roberts 1
Texas-San Antonio 4, Oral Roberts 2
Oral Roberts 4, McNeese State 2

SUN BELT (1-5)

South Alabama 11, Oral Roberts 8
Arkansas-Little Rock 22, Western Illinois 6
Arkansas-Little Rock 9, Western Illinois 1
Western Illinois 11, Arkansas-Little Rock 4
Arkansas-Little Rock 6, Western Illinois 1
Florida International 22, Chicago State 7

WEST COAST (1-1)

Oral Roberts 4, St. Mary's (Calif.) 3
St. Mary's (Calif.) 10, Oral Roberts 8

WESTERN ATHLETIC (0-2)

Hawaii 9, Western Illinois 1
Hawaii 13, Western Illinois 2

NCAA DIVISION I INDEPENDENTS (6-14)

C.W. Post 7, Chicago State 4
Hawaii-Hilo 4, Western Illinois 3 (9 inn.)
Western Illinois 10, Hawaii-Hilo 7
Western Illinois 7, Hawaii-Hilo 3
Hawaii-Hilo 12, Western Illinois 9
Hawaii-Hilo 2, Western Illinois 1
No. 9/9 Miami (Fla.) 8, Oral Roberts 5
IPFW 9, Chicago State 0
IPFW 5, Chicago State 0
Oral Roberts 10, No. 9/9 Miami (Fla.) 1
IPFW 2, Chicago State 0
IPFW 1, Chicago State 0
No. 9/9 Miami (Fla.) 11, Oral Roberts 8
Texas-Pan American 8, Oral Roberts 7 (11 inn.)
Oral Roberts 14, Texas-Pan American 5
Valparaiso 2, IPFW 1
Valparaiso 7, IPFW 6
Texas-Pan American 7, Oral Roberts 6
IPFW 6, Valparaiso 2
IPFW 5, Valparaiso 2

NON-DIVISION I (15-4)

Western Illinois 8, Washburn 3
Oral Roberts 12, St. Gregory's 0
Chicago State 11, John Jay 5
Arkansas Tech 12, Western Illinois 1
Mount St. Clare 10, Chicago State 4
Oral Roberts 6, Missouri Southern 2
Southern Utah 14, NW Nazarene 4
Southern Utah 12, NW Nazarene 1
Southern Utah 6, NW Nazarene 5
Southern Utah 3, NW Nazarene 2
Indiana Tech 18, Oakland 3
Oakland 10, Indiana Tech 5
Oakland 3, Siena Heights 2 (9 inn.)
Oakland 1, Siena Heights 0
Valparaiso 10, St. Joseph's (Ind.) 9
Lewis-Clark State 12, Western Illinois 1
Western Illinois 9, Lewis-Clark State 6
Oakland 8, Madonna 1
Western Illinois 13, Illinois College 1
Apr. 22-Coe at Western Illinois (DH)
Apr. 23-Missouri Southern at Oral Roberts

NON-CONFERENCE DIVISION I RECORD:
43-110-1 (.282)

NON-CONFERENCE OVERALL RECORD:
58-114-1 (.338)

Mid-Con: Home, Away and Neutral

Team	Home	Stk	Away	Stk	Neut	Stk
Chicago State	0-2	L14	2-21	L3	2-5	W1
Oakland	6-5	W2	6-14	L10	3-1	W2
Oral Roberts	11-5	L2	7-9	L1	1-3	L1
Southern Utah	9-10	W3	0-5	L5	1-1	L1
Valparaiso	6-3	W1	0-12-1	L12	3-7	L2
Western Illinois	1-4	L2	10-17	L2	2-2	W1
Total	33-29		25-78-1		12-19	
vs. Non-Conf.	27-23		19-72-1		12-19	

Mid-Con vs. Non-League Foes

Team	Non-Conf. Record	Pct.
Chicago State	3-25	.107
Oakland	13-18	.419
Oral Roberts	16-16	.500
Southern Utah	7-15	.318
Valparaiso	8-19-1	.304
Western Illinois	11-21	.344
Total	58-114-1	.338

Mid-Con vs. Ranked Opponents

Team	ABCA 10	ABCA 25	BA 10	BA 25
Chicago State	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1
Oakland	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Oral Roberts	1-2	2-6	1-2	2-5
Southern Utah	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-3
Valparaiso	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1
Western Illinois	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-2
Total	1-3	2-10	0-1	2-12

Mid-Con Baseball News and Notes



Complete coverage of the Mid-Con - scores, standings, stats and stories - and the 2003 Baseball Media Guide can be found at: www.mid-con.com

DIFFERENT YEAR, SAME CHARACTERS: As has been the case in recent years, Oral Roberts and Southern Utah find themselves on top of the Mid-Con baseball standings. Oral Roberts took the first three games at Valparaiso, while Southern Utah took the last three games of its home series against Chicago State. Western Illinois and Oakland each swept doubleheaders to split their series in the first week of league play.

COMMENCE OFFENSE: In losing 12 straight games, Southern Utah managed just 35 runs on 77 hits. However, the Thunderbirds broke out of that offensive funk by scoring 49 runs on 48 hits in the last three games of their series against Chicago State, which led to a series win. Mid-Con Player of the Week Jake Reynolds, who batted .563 (9-16) for the week with three multi-hit games, did much of the damage. In a 13-6 win, he doubled, scored three times and stole three bases, and in a 24-8 win, he had two doubles and a triple, scored three more times and drove in two. In that big win, Tyler Hunter had four hits, including two three-run homers, and drove in seven, while Tyler Campbell belted three doubles.

CLOSE CALLS: Oral Roberts may have won three of four games at Valparaiso to start league play, but the host Crusaders showed the rest of the Mid-Con that the five-time defending Mid-Con Tourney champs could be beaten early in the conference season. Oral Roberts was up 9-2 heading into Valpo's half of the ninth inning in the first game of the series, but the Crusaders' six-run rally caused Oral Roberts to use four pitchers in the frame. Justin Ramsey came into nail down the first of his two saves on the weekend, giving the Golden Eagles a 9-8 win. Oral Roberts rallied from a 3-0 deficit with five runs in the last two innings to win the second game, 5-4, and after building a 7-0 lead in game three, needed Ramsey to toss the last two innings to preserve an 8-6 win. Valpo finally broke through in the last game of the series, as Mid-Con Pitcher of the Week Todd Evans allowed one unearned run in six innings of work to beat Oral Roberts, 3-1. Oral Roberts has won 101 of 116 conference games (.871) since joining the Mid-Con in 1998.

YOU TAKE TWO, WE TAKE TWO: Western Illinois pounded out 18 hits while posting a season high in runs, and posted a 15-2 win at Oakland to open league play. Blake Schultz had three hits, including a homer, and drove in five runs in the win. The Leathernecks backed that up with a 4-3 win in the nightcap, with Ryan Cougill collecting three hits, including a three-run homer (the first of his career), and driving in all four runs. The host Golden Grizzlies turned the tables in the final day, winning 8-5 and 7-2. Ty Herriott and Michael Trosen each homered in the first win for Oakland, while Peter Varon homered in the finale and Paul Phillips went the distance to win.

OF NOTE: Chicago State lost all 14 of its conference games last year, becoming the first league team ever to go winless in conference play. However, the Cougars started Mid-Con play with a 3-0 win at Southern Utah this year, thanks to Houston Mad's five innings of scoreless work... Valpo's Adam Paetznick pitched the last inning in a 3-1 win over Oral Roberts for his conference-best fifth save of the year... Oakland's Ty Herriott went 8-for-9 with two home runs in the last three games against Western Illinois.

Mid-Con Preseason Poll

Team	Points
1. Oral Roberts (5)	5
2. Southern Utah	14
Valparaiso (1)	14
4. Oakland	15
5. Western Illinois	19
6. Chicago State	25

(First place votes in parentheses)

Mid-Con Coaches Records

Coach, Team (Yrs. at School/Overall)	School	Pct.	Career	Pct.	Mid-Con	Pct.
Terrence Jackson, Chicago State (1st/1st)	4-28	.125	4-28	.125	1-3	.250
Mark Avery, Oakland (5th/5th)	90-155	.367	90-155	.367	35-38	.479
Sunny Golloway, Oral Roberts (8th/8th)	313-153	.672	313-153	.672	101-15	.871
Kurt Palmer, Southern Utah (4th/4th)	81-116	.411	81-116	.411	49-28	.636
Paul Twenge, Valparaiso (16th/22nd)	307-514-9	.375	429-560-11	.435	129-161	.445
Stan Hyman, Western Illinois (2nd/10th)	25-62	.287	203-168-1	.547	8-11	.421

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ESPN Coaches Top 25

Week of Apr. 21

Team	Record
1. Florida State (28)	36-6-1
2. Cal State Fullerton (4)	34-8
3. Rice (9)	37-6
4. Georgia Tech	32-7
5. Arizona State	39-9
6. Stanford	26-11
7. Long Beach State	26-12
8. Auburn	31-10
9. Texas	31-13
10. Nebraska	29-10
11. North Carolina State	33-9
12. Mississippi State	28-9-1
13. Texas A&M	32-12
14. Miami (Fla.)	28-9-1
15. Arkansas	30-8
16. Richmond	31-7
17. Louisiana State	26-13-1
18. Notre Dame	29-8
19. Florida Atlantic	34-10
20. Clemson	27-12
21. Baylor	27-16
22. Tulane	29-12
23. Florida	28-12-1
24. North Carolina	31-11
25. Missouri	27-12

RECEIVING VOTES: Alabama 78, Southern Mississippi 64, Arizona 55, **UNLV 51**, South Carolina 35, **Kansas 26**, Minnesota 20, Oklahoma State 19, Washington 18, Wake Forest 18, **South Alabama 16**, Lamar 9, Virginia Tech 8, UNC Greensboro 7, Virginia Commonwealth 6, **Wichita State 6**, Rutgers 5, Coastal Carolina 5, **UC Riverside 4**, Mississippi 4, Pepperdine 4, Fla. International 4, West Virginia 2, UNC Wilmington 2, Houston 1, Vanderbilt 1, Ball State 1
Boldface indicates 2003 Mid-Con opponent

Baseball America Top 25

Week of Apr. 21

Team	Record
1. Cal State Fullerton	34-8
2. Florida State	36-6
3. Rice	37-6
4. Stanford	26-11
5. Long Beach State	26-12
6. Nebraska	29-10
7. Georgia Tech	32-7
8. Auburn	31-10
9. Texas	31-13
10. North Carolina State	33-9
11. Arizona State	39-9
12. Mississippi State	28-9
13. Louisiana State	26-13
14. Florida Atlantic	34-10
15. Texas A&M	32-12
16. Miami (Fla.)	28-9
17. Notre Dame	29-8
18. Arkansas	30-8
19. Richmond	31-7
20. UNLV	32-11
21. Southern Mississippi	30-10
22. North Carolina	30-11
23. Missouri	27-12
24. Baylor	27-16
25. Tulane	29-12

Boldface indicates 2003 Mid-Con opponent

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results



Chicago State Cougars (4-28, 1-3 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Result	Date	Opponent	Result
Mar. 8	vs. Sacred Heart#	L 12-5	Apr. 19	at Southern Utah*	L 12-10
Mar. 8	vs. Pittsburgh#	L 19-2	Apr. 22	UW-Milwaukee (DH)	3 p.m.
Mar. 9	vs. John Jay#	W 11-5	Apr. 23	at Northern Illinois	3 p.m.
Mar. 10	vs. C.W. Post#	L 7-4	Apr. 26	Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 11	vs. Seton Hall	L 24-7	Apr. 27	Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 12	at Florida International	L 22-7	Apr. 29	Butler	3 p.m.
Mar. 14	vs. Mount St. Clare#	L 10-4	May 3	Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 15	vs. St. Peter's#	W 10-4	May 4	Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 22	at Tennessee-Martin	L 4-3	May 6	at Northwestern	3 p.m.
Mar. 22	at Tennessee-Martin	L 11-5	May 10	at Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 23	at Tennessee-Martin	L 10-4	May 11	at Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 27	at Illinois-Chicago	L 14-8	May 13	Eastern Illinois	3 p.m.
Mar. 27	at Illinois-Chicago	L 5-0	May 16	Valparaiso* (DH)	1 p.m.
Mar. 31	at Illinois-Chicago	L 8-3	May 17	Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 31	at Illinois-Chicago	L 6-5	May 22-24	at Mid-Con Tournament (Tulsa, Okla.)	
Apr. 2	at Eastern Illinois	L 9-6			
Apr. 2	at Eastern Illinois	L 11-6			
Apr. 5	at IPFW	L 9-0			
Apr. 5	at IPFW	L 5-0			
Apr. 6	at IPFW	L 2-0			
Apr. 6	at IPFW	L 1-0			
Apr. 10	at No. 21/17 Notre Dame	L 9-3			
Apr. 12	at Cleveland State	L 18-2			
Apr. 12	at Cleveland State	W 6-5			
Apr. 13	at Cleveland State	L 6-2			
Apr. 13	at Cleveland State	L 3-2			
Apr. 15	Northwestern	L 36-10			
Apr. 16	Northern Illinois	L 9-0			
Apr. 18	at Southern Utah*	W 3-0			
Apr. 18	at Southern Utah*	L 13-6			
Apr. 19	at Southern Utah*	L 24-8			

at Homestead, Fla. * Mid-Con game
Home games in bold • All times local to site

WHO'S HOT

- Mike Slowik batted .333 (8-24) with a double and a homer in the Cougars' six games last week, while driving in five runs and scoring five times. Slowik had two hits, drove in a run and scored once in the Cougars' 3-0 win at Southern Utah.

NOTABLES

- Chicago State won for just the second time in 21 games, a 3-0 triumph at Southern Utah. The Cougars had gone 0-14 in Mid-Con play last year, but started the conference season with a win in 2003.

- Houston Mad tossed five scoreless innings to pick up his first career win at Southern Utah, while Danny Braswell earned the save.

- Chicago State allowed 32 runs in the last six innings in its 36-10 loss to Northwestern.

UP NEXT

- Chicago State hosts UW-Milwaukee in a twinbill, plays at Northern Illinois, and welcomes Oral Roberts to town for a four-game Mid-Con series.

Oakland Golden Grizzlies (15-20, 2-2 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Result	Date	Opponent	Result
Feb. 23	at Elon	L 8-2	Apr. 19	Western Illinois*	L 15-2
Feb. 24	at Elon	L 12-1	Apr. 19	Western Illinois*	L 4-3
Feb. 25	at Davidson	L 9-3	Apr. 20	Western Illinois*	W 8-5
Feb. 28	at Wofford	W 10-3	Apr. 20	Western Illinois*	W 7-2
Mar. 1	at Wofford	W 3-2	Apr. 26	Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 2	at Wofford	W 7-3	Apr. 27	Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 2	at Wofford	W 5-1	Apr. 30	at Notre Dame	6:05 p.m.
Mar. 8	vs. Dayton#	W 5-3	May 3	at Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 8	vs. Dayton#	L 7-0	May 4	at Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 9	vs. Dayton#	W 7-3	May 6	at Eastern Michigan	7 p.m.
Mar. 9	vs. Dayton#	W 6-5 (8 inn.)	May 7	Central Michigan	3 p.m.
Mar. 15	at Butler	L 5-0	May 10	Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 15	at Butler	W 7-6	May 11	Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 16	at Butler	W 6-3	May 16	at Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 16	at Butler	L 8-3	May 17	at Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 24	Indiana Tech	L 18-3	May 22-24	at Mid-Con Tournament (Tulsa, Okla.)	
Mar. 24	Indiana Tech	W 10-5			
Mar. 27	Siena Heights	W 3-2 (9 inn.)			
Mar. 27	Siena Heights	W 1-0			
Apr. 1	Eastern Michigan	L 10-5			
Apr. 2	Detroit	L 4-2			
Apr. 6	Bowling Green	L 4-0			
Apr. 6	Bowling Green	L 6-2			
Apr. 9	at Ohio State	L 2-1			
Apr. 9	at Ohio State	L 2-0			
Apr. 11	at Eastern Michigan	L 4-0			
Apr. 11	at Eastern Michigan	L 10-7			
Apr. 13	Madonna	W 8-1			
Apr. 15	at Central Michigan	L 8-6			
Apr. 15	at Central Michigan	L 4-3			
Apr. 16	at Michigan	L 10-9			

at Jefferson City, Tenn. * Mid-Con game
Home games in bold • All times local to site

WHO'S HOT

- Ty Herriott sizzled at the plate for the Golden Grizzlies in seven games, batting .524 (11-21) with a pair of home runs. He also scored six times and drove in five runs. Herriott went 8-for-9 in the last three games of the Golden Grizzlies' series with Western Illinois, belting both of his homers.

NOTABLES

- Oakland lost five straight games to open last week, but salvaged a Mid-Con series with visiting Western Illinois by sweeping the second day's twinbill.

- Peter Varon homered twice and drove in eight runs for the Golden Grizzlies last week.

- Paul Phillips tossed a complete game to beat Western Illinois by a 7-2 score. In two appearances, he fanned 11 in 11.2 innings of work last week.

UP NEXT

- Oakland wraps up an eight-game homestand by hosting Valparaiso for four league games this weekend.

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results



Oral Roberts Golden Eagles (19-17, 3-1 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Result	Date	Opponent	Result
Feb. 17	St. Gregory's	W 12-0	Apr. 15	No. 20/23 Arkansas	L 8-2
Feb. 22	at Texas-San Antonio	L 5-4	Apr. 19	at Valparaiso*	W 9-8
Feb. 22	at Texas-San Antonio	L 3-1	Apr. 19	at Valparaiso*	W 5-4
Feb. 23	at Texas-San Antonio	L 4-2	Apr. 20	at Valparaiso*	W 8-6
Feb. 28	vs. South Alabama#	L 11-8	Apr. 20	at Valparaiso*	L 3-1
Mar. 1	at McNeese State	W 4-2	Apr. 22	Oklahoma	7 p.m.
Mar. 2	vs. Georgia#	L 7-6	Apr. 23	Missouri Southern	7 p.m.
Mar. 6	at San Diego State	W 11-7	Apr. 26	at Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 7	vs. St. Mary's (Calif.)%	W 4-3	Apr. 27	at Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 8	vs. St. Mary's (Calif.)%	L 10-8	Apr. 30	at SW Missouri State	7 p.m.
Mar. 8	at UC Riverside	L 12-3	May 3	Southern Utah* (DH)	2 p.m.
Mar. 11	SW Missouri State	W 2-1	May 4	Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 14	at No. 17/20 Kansas	L 2-1	May 10	at Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 15	No. 17/20 Kansas	W 7-6	May 11	at Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 16	No. 17/20 Kansas	L 9-2	May 13	at Wichita State	7 p.m.
Mar. 19	Missouri Southern	W 6-2	May 17	Western Illinois* (DH)	2 p.m.
Mar. 21	Kent State	W 4-2	May 18	Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 22	Kent State	W 13-7	May 22-24	at Mid-Con Tournament (Tulsa, Okla.)	
Mar. 23	Kent State	W 12-4			
Mar. 25	Wichita State	W 11-5			
Mar. 28	Northeastern	W 11-5			
Mar. 29	Northeastern	L 8-6			
Mar. 30	Northeastern	W 7-3			
Apr. 1	at No. 24/NR Arkansas	L 9-3			
Apr. 4	at No. 9/9 Miami (Fla.)	L 8-5			
Apr. 5	at No. 9/9 Miami (Fla.)	W 10-1			
Apr. 6	at No. 9/9 Miami (Fla.)	L 11-8			
Apr. 8	at Oklahoma	W 5-1			
Apr. 11	Texas-Pan American	L 8-7 (11 inn.)			
Apr. 12	Texas-Pan American	W 14-5			
Apr. 13	Texas-Pan American	L 7-6			

at Lake Charles, La. % at Riverside, Calif.
* Mid-Con game
Home games in bold • All times local to site

WHO'S HOT

- Justin Ramsey did quite well in the closer's role for the Golden Eagles, converting on both of his chances over the weekend. After Valparaiso had scored six runs in the ninth, Ramsey shut the door by getting the last out in a 9-8 win. He also tossed the last two innings of an 8-6 win, fanning two and allowing just one hit.

NOTABLES

- Oral Roberts won three of four in a conference-opening series against Valparaiso.
- Dallas Martin pitched well in two starts last week. He allowed one earned run in 4.1 innings of work in an 8-2 loss to No. 20/23 Arkansas, and tossed a complete game in a 5-4 win over Valparaiso, striking out nine.
- Scott Campbell batted .333 (6-18) with a home run and five RBIs last week.

UP NEXT

- After hosting Oklahoma and Missouri Southern, Oral Roberts plays four conference games at Chicago State over the weekend.

Southern Utah Thunderbirds (10-16, 3-1 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Result	Date	Opponent	Result
Feb. 14	Air Force	W 3-1	May 4	at Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Feb. 14	Air Force	L 3-0	May 9	Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Feb. 15	Air Force	W 6-5	May 10	Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Feb. 15	Air Force	L 9-2	May 12	at BYU	7 p.m.
Mar. 7	at No. 3/4 Arizona State	L 19-0	May 13	at BYU	7 p.m.
Mar. 8	vs. Cal State Northridge#	W 9-8	May 16	Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 9	vs. Utah#	L 14-5	May 17	Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 21	NW Nazarene	W 14-4	May 22-24	at Mid-Con Tournament (Tulsa, Okla.)	
Mar. 21	NW Nazarene	W 12-1			
Mar. 22	NW Nazarene	W 6-5			
Mar. 22	NW Nazarene	W 3-2			
Mar. 25	BYU	L 8-1			
Mar. 25	BYU	L 8-3			
Mar. 28	Cal Poly	L 22-1			
Mar. 28	Cal Poly	L 7-0			
Mar. 29	Cal Poly	L 16-12 (10 inn.)			
Mar. 29	Cal Poly	L 8-4			
Apr. 1	No. NR/24 UNLV	L 8-2			
Apr. 7	at BYU	L 18-1			
Apr. 8	at Utah	L 3-2			
Apr. 8	at Utah	L 18-8			
Apr. 15	at No. NR/21 UNLV	L 9-1			
Apr. 18	Chicago State*	L 3-0			
Apr. 18	Chicago State*	W 13-6			
Apr. 19	Chicago State*	W 24-8			
Apr. 19	Chicago State*	W 12-10			
Apr. 21	Utah (DH)	12 p.m.			
Apr. 22	Utah	1 p.m.			
Apr. 26	at Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.			
Apr. 27	at Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.			
May 3	at Oral Roberts* (DH)	2 p.m.			

at Tempe, Ariz. * Mid-Con game
Home games in bold • All times local to site

WHO'S HOT

- Mid-Con Player of the Week Jake Reynolds continued his recent tear, extending his hit streak to eight games by reaching safely in all five contests last week. Reynolds batted .563 (9-16) with three multi-hit games, and had three doubles, two triples, five RBIs and seven runs scored. Reynolds scored three times and stole three bases in a 13-6 win over Chicago State, and had two doubles and a triple in a 24-8 triumph over the Cougars.

NOTABLES

- Southern Utah finally stopped its losing streak at 12 games when it beat Chicago State, 13-6, in the nightcap of a doubleheader. Southern Utah had scored 35 runs in its 12-game losing streak, but exploded for 49 runs on 48 hits in the final three games of the Chicago State series.
- Southern Utah's 24 runs and 23 hits against Chicago State in a 24-8 were both season highs. It had not scored 20 runs in a game since the 2001 season.
- Jason Gillins earned his first career win in a 13-6 triumph over Chicago State.

UP NEXT

- Southern Utah hosts Utah in a three-game series over two days before playing four league games at Western Illinois over the weekend.

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results



Valparaiso Crusaders (9-22-1, 1-3 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Result	Date	Opponent	Result
Mar. 1	vs. Indiana\$	L 12-2	Apr. 20	Oral Roberts*	W 3-1
Mar. 2	vs. Duquesne\$	W 7-5	Apr. 22	Purdue	3 p.m.
Mar. 3	vs. Holy Cross\$	L 5-3	Apr. 23	at Northwestern	3 p.m.
Mar. 5	vs. St. Bonaventure\$	W 6-5 (10 inn.)	Apr. 26	at Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 6	vs. Duquesne\$	L 11-10	Apr. 27	at Oakland* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 6	vs. Boston College\$	L 13-11	Apr. 29	Bradley (DH)	2 p.m.
Mar. 8	vs. Boston College\$	L 6-0	Apr. 30	at Western Michigan	3 p.m.
Mar. 9	vs. Harvard\$	W 9-1	May 3	Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 11	at Xavier	T 5-5 (11 inn.)	May 4	Western Illinois* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 22	at Youngstown State^	L 4-1	May 6	UW-Milwaukee	3 p.m.
Mar. 22	vs. Akron^	L 3-2	May 9	at Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 23	vs. Akron^	L 9-5 (8 inn.)	May 10	at Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 25	at Illinois-Chicago	L 9-6	May 14	vs. Indiana@	6 p.m.
Mar. 27	St. Joseph's (Ind.)	W 10-9	May 16	at Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 29	Butler	W 3-2	May 17	at Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 29	Butler	W 2-0	May 22-24	at Mid-Con Tournament (Tulsa, Okla.)	
Mar. 30	at Butler	L 8-4			
Mar. 30	at Butler	L 6-0			
Apr. 2	at No. NR/19 Notre Dame	L 13-4	\$ at Bradenton, Fla. ^ at Niles, Ohio @ at Gary, Ind.		
Apr. 5	at UW-Milwaukee	L 8-4	* Mid-Con game		
Apr. 5	at UW-Milwaukee	L 6-0	Home games in bold • All times local to site		
Apr. 9	at Indiana	L 7-2			
Apr. 12	IPFW	W 2-1			
Apr. 12	IPFW	W 7-6			
Apr. 13	at IPFW	L 6-2			
Apr. 13	at IPFW	L 5-2			
Apr. 15	at Purdue	L 10-4			
Apr. 16	at Indiana State	L 13-5			
Apr. 19	Oral Roberts*	L 9-8			
Apr. 19	Oral Roberts*	L 5-4			
Apr. 20	Oral Roberts*	L 8-6			

WHO'S HOT

- Mid-Con Pitcher of the Week Todd Evans shut down perennial Mid-Con power Oral Roberts, beating the Golden Eagles by a 3-1 count as the Crusaders salvaged the final game of the series. Evans scattered six hits and did not allow an earned run in six innings of work while fanning three and walking none.

NOTABLES

- Valpo stopped a seven-game losing streak with the 3-1 win over Oral Roberts in the conference series finale.

- Marc Boggio batted .476 (10-21) with two triples, two home runs and seven RBIs last week, while Sean Peickert went 10-for-26 with two doubles, a triple, a homer and five RBIs.

UP NEXT

- Valparaiso hosts Purdue, plays at Northwestern, then heads to Oakland for four Mid-Con games.

Western Illinois Leathernecks (13-23, 2-2 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Result	Date	Opponent	Result
Feb. 12	at Kansas	L 10-6	Apr. 14	Northern Illinois	cancelled
Feb. 12	vs. Washburn#	W 8-3	Apr. 15	Eastern Illinois	L 12-8
Feb. 15	at Kansas State	L 14-4	Apr. 16	Illinois State	L 9-0
Feb. 15	at Kansas State	L 9-4	Apr. 19	at Oakland*	W 15-2
Mar. 8	at Arkansas-Little Rock	L 22-6	Apr. 19	at Oakland*	W 4-3
Mar. 8	at Arkansas-Little Rock	L 9-1	Apr. 20	at Oakland*	L 8-5
Mar. 9	at Arkansas-Little Rock	W 11-5	Apr. 20	at Oakland* (DH)	L 7-2
Mar. 9	at Arkansas-Little Rock	L 6-1	Apr. 22	Coe (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 10	at Arkansas Tech	L 12-1	Apr. 23	at Iowa	6 p.m.
Mar. 12	at Maryland-Eastern Shore	W 3-0	Apr. 24	Bradley	3:30 p.m.
Mar. 12	at Maryland-Eastern Shore	W 14-1	Apr. 26	Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 15	at Coppin State	W 5-4	Apr. 27	Southern Utah* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 15	at Coppin State	W 15-5	Apr. 30	at Illinois-Chicago	8 p.m.
Mar. 15	at Coppin State	W 4-2 (8 inn.)	May 3	at Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 23	at Hawaii-Hilo	L 4-3 (9 inn.)	May 4	at Valparaiso* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 23	at Hawaii-Hilo	W 10-7	May 10	Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 24	at Hawaii-Hilo	W 7-3	May 11	Chicago State* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 24	at Hawaii-Hilo	L 12-9	May 13	at Northern Iowa	6:30 p.m.
Mar. 25	at Hawaii-Hilo	L 2-1	May 17	at Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 25	at Hawaii	L 9-1	May 18	at Oral Roberts* (DH)	12 p.m.
Mar. 26	vs. Air Force^	L 4-2	May 22-24	at Mid-Con Tournament (Tulsa, Okla.)	
Mar. 27	vs. Lewis-Clark State^	L 12-1			
Mar. 28	vs. Lewis-Clark State^	W 9-6	# at Washburn, Kan. ^ at Honolulu, Hawaii		
Mar. 29	at Hawaii	L 13-2	* Mid-Con game		
Apr. 1	at No. 14/11 Nebraska	L 16-2	Home games in bold • All times local to site		
Apr. 2	at No. 14/11 Nebraska	L 5-3			
Apr. 9	at Missouri	L 16-3			
Apr. 10	Kansas	L 6-5			
Apr. 10	Kansas	L 9-6			
Apr. 13	Illinois College	W 13-1			

WHO'S HOT

- Ryan Cougill batted .474 (9-19) with a home run, six RBIs and five runs scored last week. Included in that offensive outburst was a 9-for-13 streak against Oakland, in which he racked up all of his RBIs and runs scored. His homer was the first of his career.

NOTABLES

- Western Illinois sandwiched a doubleheader sweep of Oakland to start Mid-Con play between non-conference losses to Eastern Illinois and Illinois State and a sweep at the hands of Oakland.

- Nathan Miller went the distance in the Leathernecks' 15-2 win at Oakland, allowing two runs on six hits while striking out four.

- Troy Shelby went 9-for-15 with four doubles and a home run last week, while scoring six runs and driving in four.

UP NEXT

- Western Illinois hosts Coe for two games, plays at Iowa, hosts Bradley in a single game, and plays host to Southern Utah for a four-game set in league play.