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2013 Men's Soccer Final Report (Dec. 13, 2013)

	Conference						All					
	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts	W	L	T	GF	GA	
Simon Fraser	11	2	1	45	10	34	18	3	2	77	20	
Seattle Pacific	10	1	3	25	10	33	12	4	3	29	15	
Western Washington	9	2	3	20	8	30	11	4	3	27	13	
Northwest Nazarene	5	6	3	22	20	18	5	7	5	25	25	
Saint Martin's	5	7	2	17	27	17	5	11	2	19	39	
Montana State Billings	3	7	4	15	25	13	3	10	5	18	32	
University of Mary	3	8	3	15	28	12	3	10	3	17	33	
South Dakota Mines	0	13	1	8	39	1	0	16	1	8	47	

LAST WEEK: Thursday – NCAA Division II Semifinals: Carson Newman 3 vs Simon Fraser 2.

POLLS: NSCAA National (Dec. 10) – 3. Simon Fraser **NSCAA West Region (Nov. 12)** – 2. Simon Fraser 5. Seattle Pacific 8. Western Washington.

NATIONAL STATISTICS (Top 30)

TEAM: Assists/Gm. – 5. Simon Fraser (2.48) **Pts./Gm.** – 3. Simon Fraser (9.17) **Save Pct.** – 10. Western Washington (.847) 25. Seattle Pacific (.819) **Saves/Gm.** – 3. South Dakota Mines (7.18) **Scoring Offense** – 2. Simon Fraser (3.35) **Shutout Pct.** – 18. Simon Fraser (.48) **Team Goals-Against Avg.** – 13. Western Washington (.69) 16. Seattle Pacific (.76) 21. Simon Fraser (.84) **Total Assists** – 2. Simon Fraser (57) **Total Goals** – 1. Simon Fraser (77) **Total Points** – 1. Simon Fraser (211) **W-L-T Pct.** – 5. Simon Fraser (.826)

INDIVIDUAL: Goals-Against Avg. – 13. Keegan Rogers, WWU (.675) 20. Cody Lang, SPU (.757) **Goals/Gm.** – 6. Fredy Razo, NNU (1.00) **Pts./Gm.** – 11. Fredy Razo, NNU (2.13) **Save Pct.** – 13. Keegan Rogers, WWU (.848) 26. Cody Lang, SPU (.819) **Saves/Gm.** – 1. Timothy Tribbett, SD Mines (7.12) **Total Assists** – 14. Colin Jacques, SFU (9) **Total Goals** – 12. Fredy Razo, NNU (16) **Total Pts.** – 19. Fredy Razo, NNU (34) **Total Saves** – 1. Timothy Tribbett, SD Mines (121)

ALL-AMERICANS

NSCAA: Second Team – Chris Bargholz, SFU; Magnus Kristensen, SFU **Third Team** – Andrew Weishaar, WWU.

DAKTRONICS: First Team – Chris Bargholz, SFU; Magnus Kristensen, SFU.

ALL-REGION

NSCAA: First Team – Magnus Kristensen, SFU; Bryson Pavel, SPU; Chris Bargholz, SFU; Alex Rowley, SFU; Andrew Weishaar, WWU **Second Team** – Cody Lang, SPU; Anthony Mohammed, SPU; Fredy Razo, NNU **Third Team** – Keegan Rogers, WWU; Davis Karaica, SPU.

DAKTRONICS: First Team – Fredy Razo, NNU; Chris Bargholz, SFU; Magnus Kristensen, SFU **Second Team** – Andrew

Weishaar, WWU; Alex Rowley, SFU; Troy McCarty, WWU; Marco Voegeli, SFU.

ALL-CONFERENCE

1st Team

Name	School	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown
+Andrew Weishaar	WWU	F	Sr.	Puyallup, WA
Fredy Razo	NNU	F	Jr.	Irvine Valley, CA
*Rory Pratt	UM	F	Jr.	Dublin, Ireland
Chris Bargholz	SFU	M	Jr.	Fussen, Germany
+Anthony Mohammed	SPU	M	Sr.	Litchfield Park, AZ
Jaime Torres	NNU	M	Sr.	Pomona, CA
Alex Rowley	SFU	M	So.	Maple Ridge, BC
+Magnus Kristensen	SFU	D	Fr.	Stayenger, Norway
Bryson Pavel	SPU	D	So.	Boise, ID
Troy McCarty	WWU	D	Fr.	Snohomish, WA
Davis Karaica	SPU	D	Fr.	Snoqualmie, WA
Cody Lang	SPU	G	Fr.	Spokane, WA

+Unanimous *First Team repeater

2nd Team

Name	School	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown
Colin Jacques	SFU	F	So.	Richmond, BC
Dylan Gaydosh	SMU	F	Sr.	Federal Way, WA
*Ryan Dhillon	SFU	F	So.	North Delta, BC
CJ Chu	SMU	M	Sr.	Burien, WA
Jovan Blagojevic	SFU	M	Jr.	Coquitlam, BC
Jeremy Wentzel	WWU	M	So.	Edmonds, WA
Andreas Skau	SDSMT	M	So.	Bergen, Norway
Marco Voegeli	SFU	D	Sr.	Lenzerheide, Switzerland
Uche Ugwoaba	WWU	D	So.	Burien, WA
Johannes Hallman	SFU	D	Jr.	Lidkoping, Sweden
Juan Perez	NNU	D	Jr.	Los Angeles, CA
Keegan Rogers	WWU	G	Jr.	Portland, OR

*Second Team repeater

Honorable Mention

Name	School	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown
Danny Olivas	SPU	F	So.	Phoenix, AZ
Blaine Carver	SPU	F	Sr.	Soldotna, AK
Stephen MacDonald	SPU	F	Fr.	Phoenix, AZ
Sean Russell	SPU	F	Jr.	Seattle WA
*Cameron Lee	MSUB	M	So.	Bloemfontein, S.A.
Gabriele Zaccagnini	WWU	M	Jr.	Olympia, WA
Michael McGraw	SDSMT	M	So.	Vandalia, OH
Adam Staschuk	SFU	M	Sr.	Delta, BC
Luke Broz	NNU	D	So.	Boise, ID
Michael Aringer	MSUB	D	Jr.	Passau, Germany
*Jonny Sellars	UM	D	So.	York, England
Luke Chouinard	SMU	D	Jr.	Boise, ID
Kaleb Strawn	SMU	D	Fr.	Sammamish, WA
Brandon Watson	SFU	G	Fr.	Victoria, BC
*Eoin Hurley	MSUB	G	Jr.	Dublin, MT
Timothy Tribbett	SDSMT	G	Fr.	Centennial, CO

*Honorable Mention repeater

GNAC SPECIAL AWARDS

GNAC Player of the Year – Chris Bargholz, SFU
GNAC Defensive Player of the Year – Alex Rowley, SFU
GNAC Freshman of the Year – Magnus Kristensen, SFU
GNAC Newcomer of the Year – Fredy Razo, NNU
GNAC Coach of the Year – Alan Koch, SFU

TEAM-BY-TEAM SEASON RECAPS

Simon Fraser (18-3-2, 11-2-1 GNAC – 1st)

CLAN REACH SECOND-STRAIGHT FINAL FOUR:

After making it to the 2012 Final Four in its first year of NCAA championship eligibility, SFU followed with a repeat performance in 2013. Behind four-time GNAC Coach of the Year Alan Koch, SFU took home the conference title for the fourth-straight season, but not without stern competition from Seattle Pacific and Western Washington. SPU became the first team to defeat SFU in a 2-1 result in early October, dethroning SFU from the top spot in the NSCAA rankings. SFU recovered and won the November rematch against SPU to clinch the GNAC title, before launching into a postseason run that led to Evans, Ga., for the NCAA semifinals. Despite an early 1-0 lead over Carson-Newman, SFU lost 3-2 on a last-minute goal as its storybook season came to an end.

SFU was led in the scoring department by Jovan Blagojevic and Colin Jacques who netted 11 and 10 goals, respectively. The two were just the tip of the iceberg, as 18 different players scored for the Clan and six had five goals or more. The offensive output was the best across Division II, as SFU led the NCAA in goals (77) and total points (211). A dominant 5-0 showing in the NCAA quarterfinals not only pushed the Clan through to the Final Four, but it also established a new goal-scoring standard in the GNAC. Last season, SFU set a record for goals scored with 73, eclipsing the season total against Regis this season.

Carlo Basso, who was a 2012 All-American moved into second place all-time in the GNAC record books in total points, as his 22 in 2013 gave him a four-season total of 110. 2013 GNAC Player of the Year Chris Bargholz and Freshman of the Year Magnus Kristensen were each named to two All-America teams, both landing on the Daktronics First Team and the NSCAA Second Team. Bargholz contributed four goals and seven assists while anchoring the Clan in the midfield, and Kristensen, in his first collegiate season, was the only SFU player to start all 23 contests.

SFU twice earned GNAC Team of the Week honors behind Alan Koch, whose career record now sits at 127-32-5 through six seasons in charge of the Clan. With only five seniors graduating and both of his All-Americans returning next season, Koch will be well equipped to lead his team on another deep postseason run.

Seattle Pacific (12-4-3, 10-1-3 GNAC – 2nd)

SPU POSTS FEWEST LOSSES IN GNAC: With just one loss during conference play – coming against NCAA semifinalist Simon Fraser – SPU finished a strong season in second place in the conference standings behind the Clan by just one point. The Falcons were awarded with a postseason berth for their performance, facing Chico State in the first round of the West Region playoffs. It was there that SPU's season came to a close in the exact same way that it began, as

the Falcons' first and last games of 2013 resulted in a 1-0 defeat at the hands of the Wildcats.

Earlier in 2013, SPU became the first team in the NCAA to defeat powerhouse Simon Fraser, earning a 2-1 victory on Oct. 3. The win kicked off an undefeated month, as SPU's 5-0-2 record earned head coach Mark Collings GNAC Coach of the Month honors. Much like Simon Fraser, the Falcons spread their attack evenly throughout their roster. In total, 13 different players scored, with Stephen MacDonald, Sean Russell and Bryson Pavel tying for the team lead with four goals apiece. Danny Olivas scored three times, and added four assists to give him a team-high 10 points. The Falcons' stingy defense allowed just 15 goals all season, as Kodiak Gamble and Anthony Mohammed started all 19 games in front of freshman goalkeeper Cody Lang. SPU's backstop led the GNAC in shutouts with eight, making 68 saves en route to a 0.76 goals-against average.

After losing to Chico State to open the season, SPU would embark upon a 15-game unbeaten streak in which it outscored opponents 25-8. SPU closed the streak with four consecutive shutouts, setting up a match with Simon Fraser that would determine the conference championship. The Falcons fell 1-0 in overtime on the road, falling just short of what would have been their first conference title since 2006.

Through six seasons, Collings' record now sits at 64-32-18, and the 2013 playoff appearance was the Falcons' third in his tenure as head coach. Collings replaced NCAA coaching legend Cliff McCrath, who led SPU to five NCAA championships over 35 seasons and whom Collings played for during his career at SPU.

Western Washington (11-4-3, 9-2-3 GNAC – 3rd)

STRONG FINISH FOR WWU: Winning six of its last seven games, Western Washington landed in third place in the GNAC standings just four points shy of conference champion Simon Fraser. The Vikings outscored opponents 27-13, allowing the fewest goals of any GNAC team in 2013. WWU closed its season with a pair of 3-0 victories, the latter coming against No. 2-ranked Simon Fraser. WWU remained in the hunt for a GNAC title through October, keeping pace with Seattle Pacific and Simon Fraser down the stretch. A tough 1-0 loss to the Falcons at home on Oct. 31 dashed WWU's hopes for a conference title and ultimately its chances at a playoff berth.

Senior forward Andrew Weishaar was WWU's top producer, as his team-high 10 goals were the third-most in the GNAC this season. Weishaar was picked as an NSCAA Third-Team All-American, finishing his career in fifth place in the WWU record books with 26 total goals. Weishaar led the conference in shots with 87 and his five game-winning goals tied him for the GNAC lead. All-conference selections Jeremy Wentzel and Troy McCarty contributed four goals apiece, with Wentzel notching a team-high six assists. Uche Ugwoaba and Bailey Martin joined McCarty to form a solid back line as the trio started all 18 games for the Vikings this season. Goalkeeper Keegan Rogers collected seven shutouts, making 67 saves and posting a 0.67 goals-against average.

After spending more than a decade as the assistant for WWU's men, Greg Brisbon led the Vikings to the program's fourth-best finish in his first season as head coach. Overall, 13 of the Vikings' 18 contests were decided by one goal or less, and WWU went a solid 7-2-0 at home this season. WWU graduates four seniors including Weishaar and Martin, but Brisbon welcomes back the majority of his players

including a dozen freshmen and sophomores on this season's team.

Northwest Nazarene (5-7-5, 5-6-3 GNAC – 4th)

RAZO WONS IN FIRST GNAC SEASON: Entering the 2013 season as a transfer from Irvine Valley College, Fredy Razo made a strong first impression on the GNAC as he racked up a conference-high 16 goals. The total ranked 12th across Division II, and his average of a goal per game placed him No. 6 in the NCAA. Razo saved his best performance for his last game of the season, erupting for four goals against Montana State Billings in the Crusaders' 5-1 season finale triumph. Razo was voted GNAC Newcomer of the Year, and earned First-Team Daktronics and Second-Team NSCAA All-Region honors.

NNU proved to be a competitive opponent throughout the season, as it consistently kept pace with the top teams in the conference. Seven of the Crusaders' contests were decided in overtime, as NNU drew five and lost twice when games extended beyond 90 minutes. Ten total games were decided by one goal or less, and NNU closed its season strong with two straight wins in its final two matches. The Crusaders' strongest stretch of 2013 came in the form of a three-game winning streak in the midst of conference play. NNU outscored opponents 9-1 over the stretch, which was part of an overall six-game unbeaten string.

Luke Broz was NNU's top facilitator, dishing out four assists on the season out of the defensive third of the field. Broz was the only field player to start all 17 of the Crusaders' matches. Jaime Torres and John DiLulo recorded four assists apiece, and Torres notched a pair of goals as well. Nine different NNU players scored this season, and Juan Perez and Daniel Day played key roles defensively as they each started 15 contests. Goalkeeper Ryan Foo collected four shutouts and made 76 saves on the season as he started and finished all 17 of NNU's games.

At the helm since the program began in 2008, head coach Coe Michaelson saw his career record move to 43-48-14 after the 2013 season. The departure of Torres and DiLulo will have an impact on next season's team, but with one more year of eligibility Razo should return as one of the top weapons in the conference for NNU.

Saint Martin's (5-11-2, 5-7-2 GNAC – 5th)

SAINTS START STRONG IN GNAC: Saint Martin's opened its conference slate with three consecutive victories, including a 1-0 double overtime thriller over the University of Mary in its GNAC opener. The streak would be the best of the season for the Saints, who stumbled in GNAC play despite playing competitively. SMU twice lost to Simon Fraser, but both times it was by a single goal in a pair of tight matches. SMU also salvaged a scoreless overtime draw against WWU, one of three such matches it participated in during the season. Another double-overtime bout against Mary on Oct. 26 set a GNAC record when the teams scored eight total goals in the second half en route to the 4-4 stalemate. The total was the most in a single half in the history of the conference.

SMU was led by senior forward Dylan Gaydosh, who tallied six goals and started 17 matches for the Saints. Midfielder CJ Chu complemented Gaydosh, adding four goals and a pair of assists while starting all 18 matches. Rene Caro, Ivan Gonzalez and Kaleb Strawn were the other Saints to start every match of 2013 and the trio combined for three goals

and seven assists. Eric Owen stepped up to replace injured goalkeeper JJ Olson, starting 13 games and recording a pair of shutouts. Eight total SMU players scored in 2013, five of which also turned in assists.

Head coach Rob Walker navigated the Saints for his seventh straight season, as his career mark now sits at 40-82-5. Walker is the lone coach in the GNAC in charge of both the men's and women's teams at his respective school. After being picked to finish seventh in the 2013 GNAC preseason coaches' poll, SMU overcame several tough opponents to finish fifth and record a three-win improvement over the 2012 squad.

Montana State Billings (3-10-5, 3-7-4 GNAC – 6th)

YELLOWJACKETS PLAY SEVEN OT MATCHES:

Four of MSU Billings' first six matches of 2013 were decided in overtime, as the Yellowjackets became regulars in matches extending past 90 minutes. Despite going winless in its first eight matches of the season, MSUB lost by more than one goal only once during the stretch. The Yellowjackets proved they could remain competitive, but struggled finding clutch goals to close out games. Overall on the season 12 of MSUB's games were decided by one goal or less, with two of its three victories coming by two goals or more.

MSUB's best string of the season came in October, when it won three-of-four matches and drew the other for a four-game unbeaten streak. The 0-0 double overtime draw against NNU marked the first time in 2013 that GNAC scoring leader Fredy Razo had been held scoreless, as the Yellowjackets' back line shut down the dangerous striker.

Thorge Jess topped the Yellowjackets offensively, turning in five goals and an assist to give him 11 points on the season. Haley Klarich earned GNAC Player of the Week honorable mention after a two-goal performance, and contributed four goals total in his first collegiate campaign. Defensively, Michael Aringer and Cameron Lee were MSUB's rocks, with Aringer being the only field player to start all 18 games. The junior from Germany also turned in a goal and a pair of assists, and earned GNAC Defensive Player of the Week honors. Goalkeeper Eoin Hurley was also instrumental in consistently keeping the 'Jackets close in matches, as he turned in five shutouts and made 76 saves in 18 starts.

Head coach Alex Balog produced a competitive squad in his first collegiate season, and will look to build off this season's mindset of staying close throughout games. MSUB loses just a pair of seniors to graduation, and the return of nearly his entire roster should help Balog establish momentum.

University of Mary (3-10-3, 3-8-3 GNAC – 7th)

MARAUDERS EARN DRAW WITH SFU: A wild mid-October match against No. 3-ranked Simon Fraser nearly saw the University of Mary pull off a major upset. The Marauders held a 1-0 lead heading into the final 10 minutes, and responded with a go-ahead goal after SFU tied the game late. A last-ditch goal from the Clan again tied the score, and Mary battled to an overtime 2-2 draw against the conference champions. Mary became just the second team to salvage a result other than a loss against SFU, and the draw came after a solid 3-0 victory over South Dakota Mines two days earlier.

Mary closed its season strong with a four-game unbeaten streak down the stretch. Mary participated in the record-setting overtime match with Saint Martin's, during which the eight-total second half goals were a first in GNAC history. It

was a tale of two seasons for Mary, which began 0-8-0 and finished a strong 3-2-3 in the second half.

Forward Rory Pratt earned first-team All-GNAC honors for the second straight season after notching four goals and five assists in his junior campaign. Jordan Pearce led the team with five goals, and Aaron McElwee found the net three times for Mary. Kyle Roesler and Adam Potter also played key roles with 15 starts apiece, and goalkeeper Jack West made 70 saves en route to three shutouts on the season.

In his sixth season in charge, Dave Cook's record moved to 24-70-11 as Mary suffered a small setback from last season's sixth-place GNAC finish. A strong senior class for 2014 with the return of seven juniors combined with a momentum-shifting finish to the 2013 season should lead to improvement next season.

South Dakota Mines (0-16-1, 0-13-1 GNAC – 8th)

HARDROCKERS' FIRST NCAA SEASON: Competing for the first time at the Division II level and as a member of the GNAC, South Dakota Mines competed strongly with a roster comprised almost entirely of freshmen and sophomores. Bennett Medeck and Garrett Frederick were the lone upperclassmen for the Hardrockers, who struggled to generate momentum offensively.

One of the bright spots for SD Mines was sophomore Michael McGraw, who led the team with four goals. Fellow All-GNAC selection Andreas Skau had a team-high three assists and 10 shots on target. Goalkeeper Timothy Tribbett started all 17 matches for the Hardrockers, and he led the NCAA in total saves with 121 and saves per game with 7.12.

Head coach Joe Burger now has a season of competition under his belt at the Division II level, and is set to return nearly his entire roster from the 2013 season.

2013 RED LION PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Week of Nov. 4-10: Offense – Fredy Razo, NNU (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley) tied a GNAC single-game record for goals scored in a conference game with four as the Crusaders cruised to a 5-1 victory over MSU Billings to close out the season. Razo's four goals ensured that he would capture the 2013 GNAC men's soccer scoring title, pushing his goal total on the season to 16 and his point total to 34, both conference-highs. **Defense** – Keegan Rogers, WWU (GK, 6-1, Jr., Portland, OR – Portland Christian) helped the Vikings to a 3-0 shutout of No. 2 Simon Fraser on Saturday as WWU closed out the 2013 season in third place in the GNAC standings. Rogers played all 90 minutes, making three saves and earning his seventh shutout of the season. **Honorable Mention** – Andrew Weishaar, WWU (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA – Puyallup) capped off his collegiate career with a goal in the sixth minute against Simon Fraser on Saturday, securing his spot as No. 5 all time in the WWU men's soccer record books with 26 career goals...Juan Perez, NNU (D, 6-0, Jr., Los Angeles, CA – Gardena) assisted on one of Razo's four goals in the Crusaders 5-1 win over Montana State Billings on Saturday, playing all 90 minutes on the back line for NNU.

Week of Oct. 28 – Nov. 3: Offense – Fredy Razo, NNU (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine Valley, CA – Irvine Valley) led the GNAC with three goals last week. Razo scored the Crusaders' only goal in a 2-1 overtime loss to the University of Mary, and contributed both of NNU's goals in a 2-0 victory over South Dakota Mines on Saturday. Razo leads the GNAC in goals

scored this season with 12 and total points with 26. **Defense** – Brandon Watson, SFU (GK, 6-1, Fr., Victoria, BC – Coastal Carolina) posted a pair of shutouts, including a stellar overtime performance in the Clan's biggest game of the year against Seattle Pacific on Saturday. Watson's effort gave SFU a chance to win both games, and helped his team clinch its third consecutive GNAC championship title. **Honorable Mention** – Matt Temple, WWU M, 5-8, So., Beaverton, OR – Beaverton) scored two goals as the Vikings cruised to a 3-0 victory over Saint Martin's in Bellingham on Saturday; Jovan Blagojevic, SFU (M, 6-0, Jr., Coquitlam, BC – Centennial Secondary) scored the game-winning goal in the waning minutes of overtime as SFU sealed its fourth-straight GNAC championship with a 1-0 victory over SPU; Luke Broz, NNU (D, 5-11, So., Boise, ID – Boise) helped anchor the Crusaders' back line in a 2-0 victory over SD Mines on Saturday; Keegan Rogers, WWU (GK, 6-1, Jr., Portland, OR – Portland Christian) earned a shutout on Saturday in WWU's 3-0 victory over SMU and played solid in a tough 1-0 defeat at the hands of SPU on Thursday.

Week of Oct. 21-27: Offense – Ryan Dhillon, Simon Fraser (M, 5-10, So., North Delta, BC – North Delta) led the GNAC with three goals last week, as No. 4 SFU displayed its offensive dominance with a pair of 7-0 victories. Dhillon twice found the net on Thursday against Northwest Nazarene, and then set the tone on Saturday with the Clan's first goal against Montana State Billings in the 25th minute. **Defense** – Cody Lang, Seattle Pacific (GK, 6-4, Fr., Spokane, WA – Lewis & Clark) notched his conference-leading sixth and seventh shutouts of 2013 as SPU collected six points with two wins last week. The Falcon keeper made six saves and faced 15 total shots in the two games. On Thursday, Lang kept the University of Mary's offense quiet for 90 minutes, and then gave SPU the chance for the game winner in the 85th minute on Saturday against South Dakota Mines by silencing the Hardrockers' offense. Lang has not allowed a goal in his last 290 minutes between the posts. **Honorable Mention** – Keegan Rogers, WWU (GK, 6-1, Jr., Portland, OR – Portland Christian) made six saves and helped the Vikings to a pair of shutout victories...John DiLulo, NNU (F, 5-8, Sr., Boise, ID – Boise) had three shots in NNU's 7-0 loss at No. 4 Simon Fraser on Thursday, and had a shot off the goal post in NNU's 1-0 overtime loss at Western Washington on Saturday...Daniel Day, NNU (D, 5-11, Jr., Salem, OR – Chemeketa) played two full games on defense as NNU lost 7-0 at No. 4 Simon Fraser and 1-0 in overtime at Western Washington. Against the Vikings, Day had the lone shot on goal for the Crusaders...Andrew Weishaar, WWU (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA – Puyallup) scored in overtime against NNU to propel the Vikings to a 1-0 victory and help WWU keep pace with SFU and SPU in the GNAC standings...Magnus Kristensen, SFU (D, 6-3, Fr., Stayenger, Norway) helped anchor the SFU back line in a pair of 7-0 shutouts, while contributing two goals for the Clan.

Week of Oct. 14-20: Offense – Juan Sanchez (M, 5-9, Sr., Armenia, Columbia - Jenks) of SFU scored in the 86th minute against the University of Mary on Thursday to tie the game and help the Clan salvage a point on the road in a 2-2 overtime draw. Two days later, Sanchez scored and provided an assist in SFU's lopsided 7-0 triumph over South Dakota Mines. Sanchez' effort helped SFU to four points and more importantly kept his team in sole possession of first place in the GNAC standings. **Defense** – Bailey Martin (D, 6-0, Sr., Tacoma, WA - Stadium) of WWU anchored the Vikings' defense for 90 minutes in Thursday's 1-0 victory over South Dakota Mines. Martin's effort helped keep the Hardrockers scoreless and set up Andrew Weishaar's game-winning goal with less than 30 seconds remaining. On Saturday, Martin

again turned in 90 minutes of solid defense, as WWU collected a 3-1 victory over Mary and picked up six points to remain just four points out of first place in the GNAC standings. **Honorable Mention** – Fredy Razo (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley) of NNU scored the game-tying goal with 45 seconds left in a 2-2 tie with Seattle Pacific on Thursday...Luke Broz (D, 5-11, So., Boise, ID – Highline CC) of NNU played all 110 minutes on defense in the Crusaders 2-2 tie with Seattle Pacific on Thursday, and all 90 minutes in Saturday's 1-0 loss to St. Martin's...Eric Owen (GK, 6-2, Jr., Tacoma, WA - Stadium) of SMU tallied his second shutout of the season in impressive fashion helping the Saints pick up a 1-0 win on the road while making 10 saves in a win against Northwest Nazarene...Jeremy Wentzel (D, 5-5, So., Edmonds, WA – Shoreline CC) of WWU scored a pair of goals to help the Vikings to two solid victories.

Week of Oct. 7-13: Offense – Jordan Pearce (F, 6-0, Fr., Doncaster, England – Sir Thomas Wharton) of the University of Mary scored and had an assist on Saturday as the Marauders captured their first victory of 2013 with a decisive 3-0 win over South Dakota Mines. Pearce assisted on the first goal of the game as Mary scored in the 10th minute to establish command. The teams battled without a goal for more than 70 minutes, until Pearce found the back of the net in the 82nd to seal the victory for Mary. Pearce led all players with three shots on the day, and was responsible for two of Mary's 10 shots on target. **Defense** – Alexander Kleefeldt (D, 6-3, Jr., Frankfurt, Germany) of Simon Fraser used his 6-foot-3 frame against Western Washington on Saturday, elevating for a header goal in the 12th minute to put the Clan ahead 1-0. It was the only shot Kleefeldt would take all game, as his effort defensively helped No. 9 SFU shut out WWU in 2-0 fashion and remain in first place in the GNAC standings. "Alex has done a great job of solidifying our defence," head coach Alan Koch commented regarding the junior's effort. "He has now adjusted to the North American game and also comes up with some timely goals for us."

Honorable Mention – John DiLulo (F, 5-8, Sr., Boise, ID - Boise) of NNU co-lead the team with two shots as the Crusaders battled MSU Billings to a tough 0-0 double overtime draw on Thursday...Jules Chopin (M, 6-0, So., Kaslo, BC – Burnaby Mountain) of SFU scored the Clan's second goal in a 2-0 victory over WWU that kept them in sole possession of first place in the GNAC standings...Jordan Kollars (M, 5-10, Fr., Silverdale, WA – Central Kitsap) of SPU provided a pair of assists in SPU's dominant 3-0 victory over SMU on Saturday, serving up a cross in the 53rd minute and an equally-effective through ball in the 61st that led to Falcon goals...Davis Karaica (M, 6-1, Fr., Snoqualmie, WA – Mount Si) of SPU notched the first goal of the game Saturday, as his header off a corner kick from Kollars proved to be the game-winner in the Falcons' 3-0 triumph.

Week of Sept. 30 – Oct. 6: Offense – Fredy Razo (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley) of NNU scored in each of the Crusaders' victories and contributed a pair of assists as well as NNU picked up six points and moved into fourth place in the GNAC standings. Razo sandwiched a goal against Mary on Thursday with a pair of assists as the Crusaders rolled to a 4-0 triumph. On Saturday against South Dakota Mines, Razo scored the first of three NNU goals with a tally in the 15th minute of the 3-0 win. Razo leads the GNAC with eight goals this season, and he has scored in every game that he has played in thus far. **Defense** – Michael Aringer (D, 6-2, Jr., Passau, Germany – Passau) of MSU Billings played all 180 minutes on the back line last week, and scored the game-winning goal in the Yellowjackets' first win of the season on Thursday. Aringer followed his effort on Thursday with another solid performance on Saturday as MSU Billings shut

out the University of Mary 1-0 and earned six points last week. Both of the shots Aringer took last week landed on target as the junior defender was efficient offensively and outstanding defensively in earning Red Lion Defensive Player of the Week honors. **Honorable Mention** – Keegan Rogers (GK, 6-1, Jr., Portland, OR – Portland Christian) of WWU made a dozen saves in 210 minutes as the Vikings battled to a pair of tough draws last week...Andrew Weishaar (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA – Puyallup) of WWU led the Vikings with 11 shots, but could not find a goal to grab a victory...Haley Klarich (D, 5-11, So., Helena, MT – Helena) of MSUB led the conference with three goals last week, as the Yellowjackets picked up their first two wins of 2013...Eric Owen (GK, 6-2, Jr., Tacoma, WA – Stadium) of SMU made six saves in place of injured goalkeeper JJ Olson (GK, 5-11, Jr., Lakeville, MN – Shattuck – St. Mary's), as the Saints battled WWU to a scoreless draw and pushed SFU to the limit in a 2-1 loss...Daniel Day (D, 5-11, Jr., Salem, OR – Chemeketa) of NNU anchored the Crusaders' back line for 180 minutes in a pair of shutout victories...Danny Olivas (M, 6-1, So., Phoenix, AZ – O'Connor) of SPU scored the game-winning goal in the 79th minute of the Falcons' upset of No. 1 Simon Fraser...Bryson Pavel (D, 6-0, So., Boise, ID – Boise) of SPU played 180 solid minutes; 90 against SFU and he scored the game-tying goal against WWU in Saturday's 1-1 draw.

Week of Sept. 23-29: Offense – Andrew Weishaar (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA - Puyallup) of WWU led the GNAC with three goals scored last week as the Vikings grabbed a pair of victories and six points to move into a tie for second in the conference standings with Seattle Pacific. Weishaar added the insurance goal on Thursday as WWU comfortably beat the University of Mary 3-1, and then provided all the offense the Vikings would need on Saturday. The senior striker notched a goal in the 17th minute against South Dakota Mines, and then struck again in the 78th to break a 1-1 tie and send the Vikings to victory. "Andrew has been very sharp in the final third (of the field)," commented head coach Greg Brisbon. "Both goals against South Dakota Mines were fantastic, and they were at the right times when we needed to score." **Defense** – Ryan Foo (GK, 6-1, Fr., San Jose, CA – Archbishop Mitty) of NNU played 200 minutes in goal and made 11 saves to help the Crusaders to four points with a draw Thursday against Seattle Pacific and their first victory of the season on Saturday as they handed Saint Martin's its first conference loss of 2013. Foo made nine saves against SPU on Saturday, and held the Falcons, who are undefeated in GNAC play, scoreless for nearly 100 minutes after conceding a goal in the 11th. "Ryan came up with some key saves through the first 70 minutes against SPU," said head coach Coe Michaelson, adding "he really has stepped it up over the past few weeks and shown that he can be an excellent goalkeeper at this level." **Honorable Mention** – Fredy Razo (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley College) scored in each of NNU's games last week to help the Crusaders to a draw and a win...Jovan Blagojevic (M, 5-11, Jr., Coquitlam, BC – Centennial) of SFU scored twice as the Clan cruised to a pair of shutout victories and remains undefeated...Dylan Gaydosh (F, 6-1, Sr., Federal Way, WA – Stadium) of SMU scored the game-winning goal in the 82nd minute as the Saints downed MSUB in Lacey...Keegan Rogers (GK, 6-1, Jr., Portland, OR – Portland Christian) of WWU made four saves as he helped WWU to a pair of victories...Alex Kleefeldt (D, 6-3, Jr., Frankfurt, Germany) of SFU helped solidify the Clan's defense that didn't allow a goal, and he contributed two goals offensively as well.

Week of Sept. 16-22: Offense – Stephen MacDonald (F, 6-2, Fr., Phoenix, AZ – O'Connor), SPU scored two game-

winning goals last week as the Falcons extended their winning streak to four games by taking their first two GNAC contests of 2013. MacDonald scored in the 69th minute on Thursday against SD Mines in a narrow 2-1 road win, and then drilled home a shot from 15 yards out on Saturday against the University of Mary that was the only goal of the game. **Defense** - J.J. Olson (GK, 5-11, Jr., Lakeville, MN – Shattuck-St. Mary's), SMU notched a shutout and helped the Saints to their first win of the season in a 1-0 overtime road victory over Mary on Thursday. The junior played 107 minutes and made 11 saves to keep Mary off the board long enough to set up CJ Chu's game-winning goal in the 108th minute. "JJ had several crucial saves, great organization and distribution against a very good Mary team," head coach Rob Walker said regarding Olson's composure. "JJ has been training hard in the past couple of weeks and it was great to see him come through for us in Bismarck." **Honorable Mention** – Gabriele Zaccagnini (M, Jr., 5-8, Olympia, WA – Capital) of WWU notched a pair of assists on Thursday as the Vikings beat NNU on the road...Fredy Razo (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley) of NNU scored in both of the Crusaders' games, and leads the team with four goals this season...Johannes Hallman (D, 6-3, Jr., Lidköping, Sweden – Hawaii Pacific) of SFU scored twice, including the game-winner on Thursday as the Clan came from behind to beat the Yellowjackets in Billings...CJ Chu (M, 5-10, Sr., Des Moines, WA – Mount Rainier) helped SMU to a pair of victories as he scored in both of the Saints' road contests against Mary and SD Mines...Uche Ugwoaba (M, 5-7, So., Burien, WA – Highline) provided the Vikings' back line with support as they earned a win and a draw in two tough road matches against NNU and MSU Billings...Michael Aringer (D, 6-2, Jr., Passau, Germany – Passau) played defense for every minute in both games last week, including a tough 2-1 loss to No. 1 SFU and a 0-0 double overtime draw against WWU...Cody Lang (GK, 6-4, Fr., Spokane, WA – Lewis & Clark) manned the net for SPU in both games, allowing just one goal while making seven saves.

Week of Sept. 9 – 15: Offense – Glenn Paden, SFU (F, 6-0, Jr., Lake Forest Park, WA – Shorecrest) notched Simon Fraser's first hat trick of the season in a decisive 9-0 victory over Trinity Lutheran that helped the Clan remain undefeated at 4-0 on the season. The junior forward who transferred to SFU from Oregon State scored all three of his goals in a span of 18 minutes, as four of his five shots were on target. **Defense** – Troy McCarty, WWU (D, 6-0, Fr., Snohomish, WA – Snohomish) played 161 minutes of solid defense and scored a goal on the only shot he took in two games last week. The freshman has stepped into an important role on the back line and has handled the responsibility of extensive playing time exceptionally well. **Honorable Mention** – Andrew Weishaar, WWU (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA – Puyallup) scored the game-winning goal in WWU's 2-1 win over Notre Dame de Namur on Thursday and logged 168 minutes in two games up top...Fredy Razo, NNU (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley CC) scored twice and played 110 minutes to keep NNU afloat in a 2-2 draw against Dixie State on Saturday...Magnus Kristensen, SFU (D, 6-3, Fr., Stavanger, Norway) saw action in 158 minutes and helped SFU keep its shape during a close 2-1 victory over Hawaii Pacific on Thursday.

Week of Sept. 2 – 8: Offense - Lucas Ferrito, Simon Fraser (F, 5-6, Sr., Hamilton, ON – St. Jean De Brebeuf) scored twice last week helping the Clan to a pair of tight victories to open the season. The senior forward scored No. 3 SFU's first goal of the season on Thursday in the 10th minute of a 2-1 victory over Cal State East Bay, and then doubled his season tally with the go-ahead goal in a 4-3 win against Holy Names

on Saturday. **Defense** – Juan Perez, Northwest Nazarene (D, 6-0, Jr., Los Angeles, CA - LA Harbor College), anchored the Crusaders' back line for 110 minutes and scored the game-tying goal with six minutes remaining in regulation in a 1-1 draw against Cal State Stanislaus on Thursday. "Juan was not only exceptional defensively but he showed great leadership as well," said head coach Coe Michaelson. "To add in a game-tying goal on top of that late in the game he is definitely deserving of this honor." **Honorable Mention** – Andrew Weishaar, WWU (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA – Puyallup) scored once on Thursday and recorded two assists on Saturday while notching a conference-high eight shots in the two-game span...Bailey Martin, WWU (D, 6-0, Sr., Tacoma, WA – Stadium) held the back line together for the Vikings, logging 152 minutes on the weekend.

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