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2013 Men's Soccer Report Week 4 (Oct. 1, 2013)

	Conference						All					
	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts	W	L	T	GF	GA	
Simon Fraser	4	0	0	15	2	12	8	0	0	32	7	
Seattle Pacific	3	0	1	7	4	10	5	1	1	11	5	
Western Washington	3	0	1	7	3	10	5	2	1	14	8	
Saint Martin's	3	1	0	8	5	9	3	5	0	10	17	
Northwest Nazarene	1	2	1	5	6	4	1	3	3	8	11	
Montana State Billings	0	3	1	4	7	1	0	6	2	7	14	
Mary	0	4	0	1	11	0	0	6	0	3	16	
South Dakota Mines	0	4	0	4	13	0	0	7	0	4	21	

LAST WEEK: Thursday – Montana State Billings 1 at Saint Martin's 2; Northwest Nazarene 1 at Seattle Pacific 1 (ot); Mary 1 at Western Washington 3; South Dakota Mines 0 at Simon Fraser 5 **Saturday** – Northwest Nazarene 2 at Saint Martin's 1; South Dakota Mines 1 at Western Washington 2; Mary 0 at Simon Fraser 6; Montana State Billings 2 at Seattle Pacific 3.

THIS WEEK: Thursday – South Dakota Mines at Montana State Billings, 12:30 p.m.; Western Washington at Saint Martin's, 3:15 p.m.; Mary at Northwest Nazarene, 4:30 p.m.; Simon Fraser at Seattle Pacific, 7 p.m. **Saturday** – Mary at Montana State Billings, 12:30 p.m.; South Dakota Mines at Northwest Nazarene, 3 p.m.; Simon Fraser at Saint Martin's, 3:15 p.m.; Western Washington at Seattle Pacific, 7 p.m.

POLLS: NSCAA NATIONAL (Oct. 1) – 1. Simon Fraser **NSCAA West Region (Oct. 1)** – 1. Simon Fraser 6. Seattle Pacific

NATIONAL STATISTICS (TOP 30):

TEAM: Scoring Offense – 2. SFU (4.0) **Total Goals** – 1. SFU (32) **Team Goals-Against Avg.** – 21. SPU (.69) **W-L-T Pct.** – 1. SFU (1.000) 24. SPU (.786) **Assists/Gm.** – 4. SFU (2.88) **Saves/Gm.** – 2. SDSMT (8.0) **Points/Gm.** – 2. SFU (10.88) **Total Assists** – 1. SFU (23) **Total Points** – 1. SFU (87).

INDIVIDUALS: Points/Gm. – 24. Fredy Razo, NNU (2.0) **Total Pts.** – 20. Andrew Weishaar, WWU (14) **Goals/Gm.** – 8. Fredy Razo, NNU (1.0) **Total Goals** – T-16. Fredy Razo, NNU (6) T-16. Andrew Weishaar, WWU (6) **Total Assists** – 19. Colin Jacques, SFU (4) **Goals-Against Avg.** – 22. Cody Lang, SPU (.692) 29. Brandon Watson, SFU (.750) **Save Pct.** – 15. Brandon Watson, SFU (.87) **Saves/Gm.** – 1. Timothy Tribbett, SDSMT (7.86) **Total Saves** – 4. Timothy Tribbett, SDSMT (55).

GNAC RED LION PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

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.

KOCH'S TOP-NOTCH CLAN: Simon Fraser played like the No. 1 team in the land last week, easily beating SD Mines 5-0 on Thursday and the University of Mary 6-0 on Saturday in Burnaby, BC. The Clan will have their work cut out for them this week, as head coach Alan Koch guides his squad to Washington to face Seattle Pacific on Thursday and Saint Martin's on Saturday; opponents with a combined 6-1-1 record in conference play this season.

JACKETS STUMBLE IN 180 MINUTES: For the first time this season, MSU Billings did not play an overtime match in a weekend two-game set. Unfortunately for the Yellowjackets, neither game resulted in a win, and MSUB could have used extra minutes on Saturday against SPU as the Jackets scored two late goals but fell 3-2.

ON THE EDGE: Seattle Pacific came away with four points on the weekend, none of which were easily earned. The Falcons responded within eight minutes of being scored on against NNU on Thursday, but could not find the net a second time as the teams battled to a 1-1 overtime deadlock. Two days later, the Falcons held a comfortable 3-0 lead over MSU Billings only to watch the Yellowjackets battle back and come dangerously close to evening the score in a 3-2 victory.

VICTORIOUS VIKINGS: Western Washington did not miss an opportunity to gain ground on SPU last week, as the Vikings grabbed six points with a pair of victories to move into a tie for second place in the GNAC standings. Offensive Player of the Week Andrew Weishaar (F, 6-1, Sr., Puyallup, WA – Puyallup) tapped in his own rebound on a shot that went off the post on Thursday against Mary, and then carried WWU to a 2-1 win over South Dakota Mines with goals in the 17th and 78th minutes on Saturday. WWU is 3-0-1 in its last four contests and the Vikings will look to build upon their current two-game winning streak in a pair of road matches this weekend.

A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION: With its first victory of the season and a draw, NNU grabbed four points and more importantly proved it can compete with top GNAC competition. Fredy Razo (F, 5-10, Jr., Irvine, CA – Irvine Valley) again dazzled spectators offensively, scoring in both games to drive the Crusaders' offense. Razo has scored once in every game of the season that he has played in.

RECORD WATCH: Carlo Basso's six points so far this season have moved him into third place all time in GNAC scoring with 94 career points...Basso recently passed Bobby McAlister of Seattle University (93 points) and is in close pursuit of Western Washington's Gibson Bardsley, whose 100 career points are second-most all time...Simon Fraser, which leads the nation in goals scored this season with 32, is chasing its own GNAC record of 73 goals in a season, a mark the Clan set in 2012...the Clan is also on pace to break their records for team single-season assists (58) as they have 23, and total points (204) as they have 87 a third of the way through their 2013 schedule...with six goals each, WWU's Weishaar and NNU's Razo will keep their eyes on the single-season record of 24, set by MSUB's Sam Charles in 2009.

GNAC TEAM OF THE WEEK: **Sept. 2-8** – Simon Fraser (Football) **Sept. 9-15** – Northwest Nazarene (Volleyball) **Sept. 16-22** – MSU Billings (Men's XC) and Simon Fraser (Women's XC) **Sept. 23-29** – Western Oregon (Football).