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Three GNAC Teams Included in Inaugural NCAA West Region Rankings

PORTLAND, Ore. – Seattle Pacific, Northwest Nazarene and Simon Fraser are included in the first NCAA West Region rankings of the year.

SPU makes the list as the No. 2 team. The Falcons earned the No. 3 ranking in the nation in the NSCAA Top 25 on Tuesday.

Northwest Nazarene comes in at fifth with a 10-2-1 overall record.

Simon Fraser, which has won three of its last four matches, is tied for eighth.

The NCAA West Region rankings decide who will earn berths to the NCAA tournament. There are no automatic qualifiers in the West Region, so the top six teams in the Final NCAA West Regional rankings will be invited to compete.

Simon Fraser earned the fourth seed in the tournament last year while Seattle Pacific grabbed the sixth and final seed.

SPU is back in the rankings this year with a 12-0-1 record, sitting in first place in the GNAC.

Northwest Nazarene historic season continues. Being ranked for the first time ever earlier this season, the Crusaders take their 7-1-1 conference record into the final five games of the season.

Simon Fraser holds a 6-4-2 overall record, winning four of the six matches after the fourth week of conference play.

Montana State Billings and Western Washington still have time to make a push into the rankings with five matches remaining.

MSUB went 1-1 last week in the Dakotas while Western Washington also went 1-1, beating Saint Martin's before losing to SPU.

The Clan and the Yellowjackets meet on Saturday with regional hopes on the line, but SFU must travel to second-place NNU first in one of its toughest road trips of the season.

Standings and Schedule

Team	GNAC				Overall		
	W	L	T	Pts	W	L	T
Seattle Pacific	9	0	0	27	12	0	1
Northwest Nazarene	7	1	1	22	10	2	1
Montana State Billings	5	3	1	16	5	5	3
Simon Fraser	4	3	2	14	6	4	2
Western Washington	4	4	1	13	6	6	1
Mary	2	6	1	7	3	6	2
Saint Martin's	2	7	0	6	2	11	0
South Dakota Mines	0	9	0	0	1	12	0

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

THURSDAY, OCT. 16

Western Washington 3, Saint Martin's 0
 Montana State Billings 3, South Dakota Mines 2
 Northwest Nazarene 1, Mary 1
 Seattle Pacific 2, Simon Fraser 1

SATURDAY, OCT. 18

Mary 2, Montana State Billings 1
 Northwest Nazarene 1, South Dakota Mines 0
 Seattle Pacific 2, Western Washington 1
 Simon Fraser 3, Saint Martin's 1

UPCOMING CONFERENCE MATCHES

THURSDAY, OCT. 23

Western Washington at Montana State Billings, 12:45 p.m.
 Mary at Saint Martin's, 3 p.m.
 Simon Fraser at Northwest Nazarene, 4 p.m.
 South Dakota Mines at Seattle Pacific, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, OCT. 25

Western Washington at Northwest Nazarene, 3 p.m.
 South Dakota Mines at Saint Martin's, 3 p.m.
 Mary at Seattle Pacific, 7 p.m.
 Simon Fraser at Montana State Billings, 3 p.m.

Around the GNAC

- Seattle Pacific broke the school record with an 11-game win streak on Saturday. The previous record was held by the 1991 Falcons team.
- Mary snapped a six-game losing streak last week with a win against Montana State Billings and a tie versus NNU.
- The NCAA championships start November 13.

GNAC Men's Soccer Players of the Week

Week of	Offensive	Defensive
Sept. 8	Ty Hastings, WWU	Alfredo E. Ontiveros, NNU
Sept. 15	Jovan Blagojevic, SFU	Jack West, Mary
Sept. 22	Erik Anderson, NNU	Marcus Tinsley, WWU
Sept. 29	Tody Tolo, SMU	Yannick Petzschke, NNU
Oct. 6	Bryson Pavel, SPU	Tom Lohmann, MSUB
Oct. 13	Mateo Espinosa, SFU Luke Olney, WWU	Jordan Kollars, SPU
Oct. 20	Stephen MacDonald, SPU	Alfredo E. Ontiveros, NNU

GNAC in NCAA Statistical Rankings (*As of Oct. 19)

GNAC teams and individuals ranked among the top 20 in the latest NCAA statistical rankings:

Team Category	Institution	Avg./Total	Rank
Assists per Game	Northwest Nazarene	2.23/29	t-14 th
Save Percentage	Northwest Nazarene	.839/52	10 th
Scoring Offense	Simon Fraser	2.42/29	18 th
Goals Against Avg	Seattle Pacific	0.52	6 th
Total Assists	Northwest Nazarene	29	t-14 th
W-L-T Percentage	Seattle Pacific	.962	t-4 th
	Northwest Nazarene	.808	t-20 th

Individual Category	Player, School	Avg./Total	Rank
Game Winning Goals	Erik Anderson, NNU	4	t-9 th
Goals Against Average	Cody Lang, SPU	.503	6 th
	Alfredo E. Ontiveros, NNU	.695	17 th
Goals per Game	Jovan Blagojevic, SFU	1.00/12	t-7 th
Points per Game	Jovan Blagojevic, SFU	2.08/25	13 th
Save Percentage	Alfredo E. Ontiveros, NNU	0.852	10 th
Total Goals	Jovan Blagojevic, SFU	12	t-8 th
Total Points	Jovan Blagojevic, SFU	25	t-16 th

GNAC Teams in the NCAA West Region Top 10

Tm.	O21	O28	N4	N11
SPU	2			
NNU	5			
SFU	T8			

GNAC Teams in the NSCAA Top 25

Tm.	Pre	S9	S16	S23	S30	O7	O14	O21	O28	N4	N11	N18	N25
SFU	3	2	17	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR					
SPU	NR	NR	13	10	7	6	4	3					
NNU	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	22	NR	NR					

GNAC Teams in the NSCAA West Region Top 10

Tm.	S9	S16	S23	S30	O7	O14	O21	O28	N4	N11	N18	N25
SFU	1	3	6	10	NR	10	9					
SPU	4	2	2	1	1	1	1					
NNU	NR	NR	7	4	3	4	5					

GNAC MISCELLANY



NCAA POSTSEASON INFO

The Division II Men's Soccer Championship is a 35-team, single-elimination tournament. The teams come from eight different regions throughout the country.

The first NCAA West Region poll will be released Wednesday, October 22.

The first two rounds are played at the sites of the highest ranking regional schools followed by next two rounds where the regional champs square off. This will take place Nov. 13-23.

The national semifinals, which GNAC member Simon Fraser has participated in the last two years, and the national championship match will be held on Dec. 4-6 in Louisville, KY.

TWITTER HASHTAGS

GNAC.....#GNACsoccer
 Mary.....#UMarySoccer
 MSUB.....#MSUBMSoc
 NNU.....#NNUMSoccer
 SMU.....#SaintsAlive
 SPU.....#SPUsports
 SFU.....#SFUMensSoccer
 SD Mines.....#SDSMT
 WWU.....#SoccerWWU

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Northwest Nazarene	Coe Michaelson	(208)467-8867	Mike Stetson	(208)467-8474	NNUsports.com
Saint Martin's	Rob Walker	(360)438-4372	Megan Lobdell	(360)438-4328	SMUSaints.com
Seattle Pacific	Mark Collings	(208)281-2694	Dan Leppe	(206)281-2741	SPUFalcons.com
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GNAC Team Statistics

*As of Oct. 20

SHOTS				ASSISTS PER GAME			
	GP	No.	Avg/G		GP	No.	Avg/G
1. Simon Fraser	12	229	19.08	1. Northwest Nazarene	13	29	2.23
2. Northwest Nazarene	13	204	15.69	2. Seattle Pacific	13	24	1.85
3. Seattle Pacific	13	177	13.62	3. Simon Fraser	12	22	1.83
4. MSU Billings	13	174	13.38	4. Mary	11	18	1.64
5. Mary	11	157	14.27	5. MSU Billings	13	19	1.46
6. Western Washington	13	151	11.62	6. Western Washington	13	13	1.00
7. Saint Martin's	14	143	10.21	7. Saint Martin's	14	13	0.93
8. South Dakota Mines	13	130	10.00	8. South Dakota Mines	13	8	0.62

POINTS				GOALS ALLOWED			
	GP	No.	Avg/G		GP	No.	Avg/G
1. Northwest Nazarene	13	83	6.38	1. Seattle Pacific	13	7	0.54
2. Simon Fraser	12	80	6.67	2. Northwest Nazarene	13	10	0.77
3. Seattle Pacific	13	78	6.00	3. Western Washington	13	17	1.31
4. Mary	11	58	5.27	4. Simon Fraser	12	18	1.50
5. MSU Billings	13	57	4.38	5. MSU Billings	13	19	1.46
6. Western Washington	13	45	3.46	6. Mary	11	22	2.00
7. Saint Martin's	14	41	2.93	7. South Dakota Mines	13	36	2.77
8. South Dakota Mines	13	30	2.31	8. Saint Martin's	14	39	2.79

GOALS				GOALS AGAINST AVERAGE				
	GP	No.	Avg/G	GP	GA	Minutes	Avg	
1. Simon Fraser	12	29	2.42	1. Seattle Pacific	13	7	1109:23	0.57
2. Seattle Pacific	13	27	2.08	2. Northwest Nazarene	13	10	1209:52	0.74
Northwest Nazarene	13	27	2.08	3. Western Washington	13	17	1238:01	1.24
4. Mary	11	20	1.82	4. MSU Billings	13	19	1262:04	1.35
5. MSU Billings	13	19	1.46	5. Simon Fraser	12	18	1134:21	1.43
6. Western Washington	13	16	1.23	6. Mary	11	22	1049:11	1.89
7. Saint Martin's	14	14	1.00	7. South Dakota Mines	13	36	1197:03	2.71
8. South Dakota Mines	13	11	0.85	8. Saint Martin's	14	39	1260:00	2.79

GOALS PER GAME				SAVES			
	GP	No.	Avg/G		GP	No.	Avg/G
1. Simon Fraser	12	29	2.42	1. Saint Martin's	14	76	5.43
2. Seattle Pacific	13	27	2.08	2. South Dakota Mines	13	74	5.69
Northwest Nazarene	13	27	2.08	3. MSU Billings	13	58	4.46
4. Mary	11	20	1.82	4. Northwest Nazarene	13	52	4.00
5. MSU Billings	13	19	1.46	5. Mary	11	50	4.55
6. Western Washington	13	16	1.23	6. Western Washington	13	48	3.69
7. Saint Martin's	14	14	1.00	7. Simon Fraser	12	32	2.67
8. South Dakota Mines	13	11	0.85	8. Seattle Pacific	13	30	2.31

ASSISTS				SHUTOUTS			
	GP	No.	Avg/G		GP	Shutouts	Avg/G
1. Northwest Nazarene	13	29	2.23	1. Seattle Pacific	13	6	0.46
2. Seattle Pacific	13	24	1.85	Northwest Nazarene	13	6	0.46
3. Simon Fraser	12	22	1.83	3. Simon Fraser	12	3	0.25
4. MSU Billings	13	19	1.46	Western Washington	13	3	0.23
5. Mary	11	18	1.64	5. MSU Billings	13	2	0.15
6. Western Washington	13	13	1.00	6. Mary	11	0	0.00
Saint Martin's	14	13	0.93	South Dakota Mines	13	0	0.00
8. South Dakota Mines	13	8	0.62	Saint Martin's	14	0	0.00

GNAC Individual Statistics

*As of Oct. 20

SHOTS PER GAME				ASSISTS PER GAME			
	GP	No.	Avg/G		GP	No.	Avg/G
1. Blagojevic,Jovan-SFU	12	68	5.67	1. Castillo,Julio-NUU	13	6	0.46
2. Jess,Thorge-MSUB	12	40	3.33	MacDonald,Stephen-SPU	13	6	0.46
3. Razo,Fredy-NUU	10	32	3.20	3. Rowley,Alex-SFU	11	5	0.45
4. Russell,Sean-SPU	13	40	3.08	Emerick,Kyle-MSUB	11	5	0.45
5. Hastings,Tye-WWU	13	39	3.00	5. Dhillon,Ryan-SFU	12	5	0.42
Pearce, Jordan-MARY	10	30	3.00	Hyams,Robert-SFU	12	5	0.42
7. Brennan, Aaron-MARY	11	32	2.91	7. Razo,Fredy-NUU	10	4	0.40
Nogueira,Christoffer-MARY	11	32	2.91	8. Verdin,Jaime-NUU	13	5	0.38
9. Duevel,Rene-NUU	12	33	2.75	9. Brennan, Aaron-MARY	11	4	0.36
10. McGraw,Michael-SDSMT	13	32	2.46	10. Anderson,Erik-NUU	13	4	0.31
Anderson,Erik-NUU	13	32	2.46	Kollars,Jordan-SPU	13	4	0.31
				Olney,Luke-WWU	13	4	0.31

POINTS					
	GP	Goals	Ast.	Pts.	Avg/G
1. Blagojevic,Jovan-SFU	12	12	1	25	2.08
2. Anderson,Erik-NUU	13	8	4	20	1.54
3. Razo,Fredy-NUU	10	7	4	18	1.80
4. MacDonald,Stephen-SPU	13	5	6	16	1.23
5. Pearce, Jordan-MARY	10	7	1	15	1.50
6. Jess,Thorge-MSUB	12	6	2	14	1.17
7. Nogueira,Christoffer-MARY	11	5	3	13	1.18
8. Ralston,Colin-MSUB	11	5	1	11	1.00
Dhillon,Ryan-SFU	12	3	5	11	0.92
Thompson, Jordan-SPU	13	5	1	11	0.85
McGraw,Michael-SDSMT	13	5	1	11	0.85

GOALS AGAINST AVG				
	GP	GA	Minutes	GaAvg
1. Lang, Cody-SPU	11	6	964:11	0.56
2. Ontiveros,Alfredo E.-NUU	13	9	1164:52	0.70
3. Watson,Brandon-SFU	10	11	893:22	1.11
4. West, Jack-MARY	4	5	400:00	1.12
5. Rogers,Keegan-WWU	13	17	1238:01	1.24
6. Lohmann,Tom-MSUB	13	19	1262:04	1.35
7. Federle,Braeden-SDSMT	11	20	843:06	2.13
8. Frenzel,Michael-MARY	7	17	649:11	2.36
9. Olson,JJ-SMU	10	31	855:00	3.26

POINTS PER GAME					
	GP	Goals	Ast.	Pts.	Avg/G
1. Blagojevic,Jovan-SFU	12	12	1	25	2.08
2. Razo,Fredy-NUU	10	7	4	18	1.80
3. Anderson,Erik-NUU	13	8	4	20	1.54
4. Pearce, Jordan-MARY	10	7	1	15	1.50
5. MacDonald,Stephen-SPU	13	5	6	16	1.23
6. Nogueira,Christoffer-MARY	11	5	3	13	1.18
7. Jess,Thorge-MSUB	12	6	2	14	1.17
8. Ralston,Colin-MSUB	11	5	1	11	1.00
9. Dhillon,Ryan-SFU	12	3	5	11	0.92
10. Brennan, Aaron-MARY	11	3	4	10	0.91

SAVE PERCENTAGE				
	GP	Saves	GA	SavePct
1. Ontiveros,Alfredo E.-NUU	13	52	9	.852
2. West, Jack-MARY	4	23	5	.821
3. Lang, Cody-SPU	11	23	6	.793
4. Lohmann,Tom-MSUB	13	57	19	.750
5. Rogers,Keegan-WWU	13	45	17	.726
6. Federle,Braeden-SDSMT	11	50	20	.714
7. Watson,Brandon-SFU	10	21	11	.656
8. Olson,JJ-SMU	10	48	31	.608
9. Frenzel,Michael-MARY	7	24	17	.585

GOALS PER GAME			
	GP	No.	Avg/G
1. Blagojevic,Jovan-SFU	12	12	1.00
2. Razo,Fredy-NUU	10	7	0.70
Pearce, Jordan-MARY	10	7	0.70
4. Anderson,Erik-NUU	13	8	0.62
5. Jess,Thorge-MSUB	12	6	0.50
6. Ralston,Colin-MSUB	11	5	0.45
Nogueira,Christoffer-MARY	11	5	0.45
8. Thompson, Jordan-SPU	13	5	0.38
MacDonald,Stephen-SPU	13	5	0.38
McGraw,Michael-SDSMT	13	5	0.38

SHUTOUTS PER GAME			
	GP	Shutouts	Sho/G
1. Lang, Cody-SPU	11	6	0.55
2. Ontiveros,Alfredo E.-NUU	13	6	0.46
3. Watson,Brandon-SFU	10	3	0.30
4. Rogers,Keegan-WWU	13	3	0.23
5. Lohmann,Tom-MSUB	13	2	0.15