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MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD

California Competes at California-Nevada State Championship

THIS WEEK: Sat.-Sun. April 28-29 at California-Nevada State Meet Anteater Stadium, Irvine, CA 9:00 a.m.

2001 Cal Track & Field Schedule

Date Mar. 17	Competition UCLA-UW-WSU	Time/Result M: 3rd, W: 3rd
Mar. 24	at UC Davis Invite	M: 1st, W: 1st
M. 31-A. 1	at Stanford Invite	NTS
Apr. 5-7	at Texas Relays	NTS
Apr. 13-14	Brutus Hamilton	M: 1st, W: 4th
Apr. 20-22	at Mount SAC Rela	ys NTS
Apr. 21	at Woody Wilson In	vite NTS
Apr. 28-29	at Cal-Nevada Mee	et 9:00 a.m.
May 5	at Big Meet	5:00 p.m.
May 11	at Stanford Qualifie	er 5:00 p.m.
May 12	at Modesto Relays	11:00 a.m.
May 12-13	Pac-10 Multis +	11:00 a.m.
May 19-20	Pac-10 Meet +	10 a.m./1 p.m.
M. 30-J. 2	at NCAA Champ.	TBA
June 14-17	7at USATF Champ.	TBA

All home meets in **bold** are at Edwards Stadium/Goldman Field (22,000).

HEAD COACH ERV HUNT

Erv Hunt begins his 30th season at California and 29th as head coach. Since 1992, Hunt has overseen Cal's men's and women's track & field programs as director of track & field. In addition to building Cal's men's program into national prominence with three Top 10 finishes at the NCAA Championship, Hunt served as the U.S. men's head track & field coach at the 1996 Olympics. Hunt is Cal's third Olympic track coach, the most ever for one university.

CAL'S 2001 NCAA QUALIFIERS

Automatic		
Bolota Asmerom	5000m	13:31.88
Jennifer Joyce	Hammer	202-3
Dana Lawson	Shot Put	53-4.5
Provisional		
Bolota Asmerom	1500m	3:42.73
Matt Blair	Decathlon	7208
Robert Kennedy	Long Jump	25-4w
Reynda King	T-Jump	42-1.5w
Dana Lawson	Hammer	188-7
	Discus	168-2
Maria Lopez	Pole Vault	12-11.5
Bubba McLean	Pole Vault	17-4.5
Marielle Schlueter	3000mSC	10:59.38

BEARS TRAVEL TO CALIFORNIA-NEVADA STATE MEET

California competes at the eighth-annual California-Nevada State Championship at UC Irvine Sat.-Sun., April 28-29. Nearly 800 competitors from over 30 universities are expected to compete at Anteater Stadium. Saturday's action begins with field events at 9 a.m. and the first running event at 11 a.m. There are trials and finals in eight field events Saturday, while the running events consist mainly of prelims. Field events begin at 9 a.m., Sunday with the first running event at 1 p.m. All of Sunday's events are finals.

2000 CAL-NEVADA MEET IN REVIEW

Both Cal's men's and women's teams finished second at last year's California-Nevada State Championship in Berkeley. The men's team competition came down to the final event – the 4x400m Relay – with Fresno State winning the meet with 87 points and Cal second with 85. UCLA is the defending women's champion, holding off Cal 114-86 a year ago. Cal sophomore Robert Kennedy is the returning champion in the long jump (24-10), and senior Maria Lopez looks to repeat in the pole vault (13-0.25).

ASMEROM SETS CAL RECORD IN 5000M AT MT. SAC RELAYS

For the second-straight year, senior Bolota Asmerom set the school record in the 5000m at the Mt. SAC Relays. Over the weekend, Asmerom broke his previous school record of 13:32.48 with a second-place finish (NCAA automatic time: 13:31.88) in Walnut, Calif. This was the 2000 Olympian's first 5000m run of the 2001 track and field season and is the fastest time in the Pac-10 this year and probably the second fastest in the nation.

WILLIAMS BECOMES FIRST CAL FROSH TO QUALIFY FOR NCAAS

Rhuben William is the only Cal freshman to provisionally qualify for the NCAA Championship this season. Williams finished fifth at the Mt. SAC Relays in the University/Open division with a heave of 59-1.5 with the NCAA provisional standard being 58-4.75. That mark also surpassed the previous Cal freshman record of 58-8 set by David Porath in 1979. Williams came to Cal after winning state titles in the shot put in 1999 and 2000 at Eagle Rock High School in Los Angeles. Earlier this year, Jenna Johnson (shot put) and Corey Hardin (javelin) set Cal freshmen records.

PRS ABOUND FOR BEARS AT MT. SAC, WOODY WILSON

Cal split its squads over the weekend sending athletes to the Mt. SAC Relays and the Woody Wilson Invitational in Davis. Both groups posted numerous PRs. The highlights for the men came from three seniors -- John Collin in the 1500m (3:46.44), Chris Coffee in the 3000mSC (9:06.15) and Phillip Pipersburg in the 200m (21.43w). On the women's side, senior Tiffany Barnett cleared a PR of 5-10 in the high jump; freshman Kim Ramirez PR'd in the 800m (2:15.39); and redshirt freshman Jennifer Ramos improved by almost 16 feet in the javelin (117-1).

CAL LEADERS IN THE PAC-10

California's top hopefuls at this year's Pac-10 Championship in Berkeley based on the April 23 top times/marks league report include: Bolota Asmerom (1st, 5000), Bubba McLean (3rd, pole vault), Robert Kennedy (2nd, long jump), Garrett Collier (3rd, hammer), Matt Blair (3rd, decathlon), Tiffany Barneet (4th, high jump), Reynda King (2nd, triple jump), Dana Lawson (3rd, shot put) and Jennifer Joyce (4th, hammer).

^{*} taped delayed FOX Sports Net broadcast

2001 California Women's Track & Field Best Performances- April 23, 2001

Event (NCAA Auto/NCAA Prov/Pac-10 Auto/School Record)				4x100m Relay (44.20/45.10/NS/45.61)
Athlete (Cal PR)	Season Best	Date	Meet	Groce, Jennings 46.19 4/14 Brutus Hamilton
				Sauchelli, Holman
100m (11.30/11.55/12.04/1				
&Zhauntel Holman (11.74)	11.80w	4/6	Texas Relays	4x400m Relay (3:33.50/3:39.00/NS/3:35.56
DeCola Groce (12.19)	12.41	4/6	Johnny Mathis	Cowling, Jennings 3:44.48 3/17 Cal Quadrangular
Erin Sauchelli	12.74	3/31	Stanford	Slaton, Belger
200m (23.10/23.60/24.64/2	3.50)			High Jump (6-0.75/5-10.5/5-7/6-0.75)
Shavone Jennings (25.21)	25.48	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	&Tiffany Barnett 5-10 (1.78) 4/22 Mt. SAC
DeCola Groce (25.57)	26.03	4/1	Stanford	&Cynthia Mallory 5-8 (1.73) 4/6 Texas Relays
Erin Sauchelli	26.20	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Lauren Dudugjian (5-9.25) 5-6 (1.68) 4/22 Mt. SAC
Shalonda Reynolds	26.28	4/6	Johnny Mathis	3
Shawna Adkins	26.44	3/29	UC Davis Multi	Pole Vault (13-5.25/12-5.5/12-1.5/13-1.5)
				+&Maria Lopez (13-1.5) 12-11.5 (3.95) 4/6 Texas Relays
400m (52.40/53.70/55.44/5	2.53)			&Leora Ward 12-1.5 (3.70) 4/14-3/24 Brutus/UC Davis
&Shavone Jennings	55.39	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	
Chloe Jarvis	57.91	4/21	Woody Wilson	Long Jump (21-4/20-4.25/19-0.5/22-1)
Shalonda Reynolds (58.89)	59.03	4/21	Woody Wilson	&Reynda King 20-2.5 (6.16) 3/24 UC Davis
				Shawna Adkins (18-6.5) 18-4.25 (5.60) 3/30 UC Davis Multi
800m (2:05.00/2:07.50/2:1	1.14/2:01.59)			Kaili Chapman 16-11.75 (5.16) 3/17 Cal Quadrangular
&Erin Belger (2:07.66)	2:10.94	4/20	Mt. SAC	
Kim Ramirez	2:15.39	4/21	Woody Wilson	Triple Jump (43-11.75/42-0/39-4.5/46-0.75)
Shawna Adkins	2:21.14	3/30	UC Davis Multi	+&Reynda King 42-1.5w (12.84) 3/24 UC Davis
Chloe Jarvis	2:33.24	3/24	UC Davis	&Shawna Adkins 40-8.25 (12.40) 3/17 Cal Quadrangular
1500m (4:19.00/4:24.00/4:	40 14/4·00 22\			Shot Put (52-6/48-10.75/43-5.75/54-4.75)
	4:42.66	4/7	Texas Relays	#&Dana Lawson 53-7.5i (16.34) 3/9 NCAA Indoors
&Erin Belger (4:29.02) Marielle Schlueter	4:43.99	4/1	Stanford	
Kim Ramirez			Brutus Hamilton	<u>-</u>
	4:49.90	4/14		` ,
Camille Stanley Tiffany Hansen (5:07.43)	5:06.75 5:11.78	4/21 4/21	Woody Wilson Woody Wilson	Sheni Russell (46-3.50) 42-5.25 (12.93) 3/17 Cal Quadrangular
Mina Nikanjam	5:13.16	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Discus (178-10/165-8/150-11/178-10)
wiina wikanjam	5.15.10	3/1/	Cai Quadrangulai	+&Dana Lawson 168-2 (51.26) 4/1 Stanford
3000mSC (10:20.00/11:10	.00/NS/10:59.38)		&Jennifer Joyce (161-11) 158-2 (48.22) 4/21 Mt. SAC
!+Marielle Schlueter	10:59.38	3/24	UC Davis	Sheni Russell (155-6) 150-1 (45.74) 4/21 Mt. SAC
				Jenna Johnson 125-5 (38.22) 4/1 Stanford
5000m (16:13.00/16:48.00/	<u>/17:30.14/15:46.</u>	<u>8)</u>		. ,
Camille Stanley	18:59.50	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	Hammer (200-1/183-9/170-7/206-03)
Tiffany Hansen	19:18.50	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	!#&Jennifer Joyce (206-3) 202-3 (61.66) 3/17 Cal Quadrangular
Mina Nikanjam	19:47.04	4/6	Johnny Mathis	+&Dana Lawson 188-7 (57.48) 4/5 Texas Relays
				Jennifer Ramos 146-7 (44.68) 4/13 Brutus Hamilton
10,000m (34:10.00/35:15.0	0/NS/32:40.76)			Sheni Russell 144-1 (43.92) 4/13 Brutus Hamilton
No marks				
				<u>Javelin (172-3/152-7/142-8/170-7)</u>
100m Hurdles (13.10/13.6				Shawna Adkins 121-1 (36.90) 4/14 Brutus Hamilton
&Stephanie Cowling	14.31w	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	Jennifer Ramos 117-1 (35.68) 4/21 Woody Wilson
Lisa O'Reilly (14.62)	14.64	3/31	Stanford	
April Holliverse (13.82)	14.66w	3/31	Stanford	Heptathlon (5550/5175/4400/5624)
Shawna Adkins	15.51	3/29	UC Davis Multi	&Shawna Adkins 5000 points 3/30 UC Dav is Multi
400m Hurdles (57.50/59.2	<u>0/62.04</u> /57.61)			# NCAA automatic qualifier
&Deanna Slaton	61.66	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	+ NCAA provisional qualifier
Lisa O'Connor	62.83	4/6	Johnny Mathis	& Pac-10 qualifier
Stephanie Cowling	63.20	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	! School record
Lisa O'Reilly (61.74)	63.35	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	
Brooke Baires-Irvin	64.09	4/21	Woody Wilson	

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Event (NCAA Auto/NCAA Pro	v./Pac-10 A	uto/Sch	ool Record)	4x100m Relay (39.20/40	.00/NS/39.14)		
Athlete (Cal PR) S	eason Best	Date	Meet	Mazur, Kennedy	40.56	4/14	Brutus Hamilton
				Wright, Pipersburg			
100m (10.18/10.34/10.74/10.18)				Mazur, Pipersburg	40.83	3/17	Cal Quadrangular
&Phillip Pipersburg (10.47)	10.71	4/22	Mt. SAC	Wright, Boddy			
Robert Kennedy (10.61)	10.85w	4/6	Texas Relays				
Nick Mazur	10.92	4/22	Mt. SAC	4x400m Relay (3:04.00/3	3:07.00/NS/3:03.91)		
Brian White	10.93	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Wright, Hogg	3:14.07	3/24	UC Davis
				Blanco, Boddy			
200m (20.50/20.85/21.44/20.20)							
&Phillip Pipersburg	21.43w	4/22	Mt. SAC	High Jump (7-4.50/7-1.7	5/6-8.75/7-5.75)		
Wayne Boddy (21.52)	21.78	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	&Jason Gatewood	6-9 (2.06)	4/7	Texas Relays
Brian White	22.16	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Patrick Abandy	6-7.75 (2.03)	4/1	Stanford
Nick Mazur	22.40w	4/6	Johnny Mathis	Kris Cuaresma-Primm	6-6.75 (2.00)	4/14-3	/17 Brutus/Cal Quad
Jelani Hogg	22.80	3/24	UC Davis				
				Pole Vault (18-2.50/17-4	.5/16-4.75/18-8.25)		
400m (45.40/46.20/47.84/45.46)				+&Bubba McLean	17-4.5 (5.30)	4/6	Texas Relays
Jelani Hogg	48.23	4/1	Stanford	Matt Blair	15-5 (4.70)	3/17	Cal Quadrangular
Wayne Boddy (47.74)	48.61	3/17	Cal Quadrangular				
Desmond McGill (47.81)	48.81	4/21	Mt. SAC	Long Jump (26-1/25-1.2	5/23-11.5/26-6.25)		
Mark Blanco	49.04	4/1	Stanford	+&Robert Kennedy (25-9			4/14 Brutus
Michael Watson	50.24	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Hamilton	, , ,		
			J	&Vincent Ibia	24-9.75 (7.56)	3/17	Cal Quadrangular
800m (1:47.50/1:49.00/1:51.44/	1:45.54)			&Jerriod Mack (24-9)	24-0.25 (7.32)	3/31	Stanford
John Collin (1:52.51)	1:51.89	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	Matt Blair	22-5.25 (6.84)	3/29	UC Davis Multi
Zack McGahey (1:52.88)	1:53.77	4/1	Stanford		(,		
Jarrell Meier	1:54.10	4/6	Johnny Mathis	Triple Jump (53-5.75/51	-6.25/47-7/55-0)		
				&Vincent Ibia	50-0.5w (15.25)	4/6	Texas Relays
1500m (3:41.50/3:45.00/3:50.14	/3:40.04)			&Jerriod Mack (51-5.5)	49-10 (15.19)	3/17	Cal Quadrangular
+&Bolota Asmerom (3:41.97)	3:42.73	4/1	Stanford		(,		
&John Collin	3:46.44	4/21	Mt. SAC	Shot Put (63-0/58-4.75/5	5-9.25/66-3)		
Girmay Guangul	3:55.43	4/21	Woody Wilson	+&Rhuben Williams	59-1.5 (18.02)	4/22	Mt. SAC
Jarrell Meier (3:54.28)	3:57.28	4/21	Woody Wilson	&Nate DeSomber (58-2)	55-11 (17.04)	4/14	Brutus Hamilton
Zack McGahey (3:54.78)	3:58.46	3/24	UC Davis	Amin Nikfar	54-2.75 (16.53)	4/14	Brutus Hamilton
,				Tony Miranda	46-4.25 (14.13)	3/24	UC Davis
3000m Steeplechase (8:43.00/8	3:54.00/9:09	14/8:36	.84)	rony nimanda	10 1120 (11110)	0/2 .	o o barro
&Chris Coffee	9:06.15	4/20	Mt. SAC	Discus (196-10/183-9/16	8-11/210-11)		
Martin Conrad	9:16.68	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	Garrett Collier (170-9)	167-7 (51.08)	4/1	Stanford
Craig Lee	9:35.16	4/21	Woody Wilson	Tony Miranda	167-3 (50.98)	3/24	UC Davis
Tyler Noesen	9:38.64	3/31	Stanford	Rhuben Willliams	163-8 (49.88)	4/1	Stanford
Tylor Noosen	7.00.01	0/01	Starilora	Joe Berro	159-5 (48.60)	4/6	Johnny Mathis
5000m (13:46.00/14:07.00/14:3	5 14/13·31 R	3)		Zech Whittington	154-7 (47.12)	4/21	Woody Wilson
#!&Bolota Asmerom	13:31.88	4/20	Mt. SAC	Nate DeSomber	153-8 (46.84)		/24 Brutus/UC Davis
&Corey Creasey	14:25.02	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Nate Becomber	100 0 (10.01)	17110	721 Bratasroo Bavis
&Girmay Guangul	14:25.10	4/14	Brutus Hamilton	Hammer (223-1/200-1/19	0-3/229-0)		
&Martin Conrad	14:33.31	3/31	Stanford	&Garrett Collier (203-6)	198-4 (60.46)	3/17	Cal Quadrangular
Chris Coffee	15:01.15	3/31	Stanford	Rhuben Williams	181-6 (55.32)	4/13	Brutus Hamilton
omis donce	10.01.10	5/5/	Starilora	Zech Whittington	171-5 (52.24)	4/21	Woody Wilson
10,000m (29:00.00/29:45.00/NS	/29·24 44)			Corey Hardin	151-4 (46.12)	3/17	Cal Quadrangular
Corey Creasey	30:13.69	3/31	Stanford	corey Hardin	131-4 (40.12)	3/1/	Cai Quadrangulai
outry ordusey	50.15.07	JI J I	Janora	Javelin (236-3/220-9/196	-10/222-01		
110m Hurdles (13.72/13.90/14.	74/13 30)			Corey Hardin	187-0 (57.00)	4/14	Brutus Hamilton
Ahmad Wright	15.08	3/17	Cal Quadrangular	Joe Berro	181-11 (55.44)	4/14	Johnny Mathis
Matt Blair	15.08	3/1 <i>7</i> 4/6	Johnny Mathis	Matt Blair		3/24	UC Davis
James Smith	15.06	4/6 3/17	Cal Quadrangular	ıvıall Didii	174-6 (53.18)	3/24	UC DAVIS
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400m Hurdles (E0 10/E1 20/E2	61/10 141			Decathlon (7500/7150/68		2/20	HC Davie Multi
400m Hurdles (50.10/51.20/53.		4/22	Mt. SAC	+&Matt Blair	7208 points	3/30	UC Davis Multi
&Ahmad Wright (51.54)	51.76	4/22		# NCAA automatia =	lifior	, NO	AA provisional avalifica
Aaron Ellis	54.58	4/21	Woody Wilson	# NCAA automatic qua			AA provisional qualifier ool record
				& Pac-10 automatic qua	ımıcı	: scn	JUI TECUIU