

2009 California Softball Quick Facts

Location:	Berkeley, Calif.
Nickname:	Golden Bears
Colors:	Blue (282) and Gold (116)
Enrollment:	34,953
Founded:	1868
Conference:	Pacific-10
Home Venue:	Levine-Fricke Field (500)
Chancellor:	Robert J. Birgeneau
Director of Athletics:	Sandy Barbour
Softball Administrator:	Foti Mellis
2008 Record:	43-27
2008 Pac-10:	7-14/5th
2008 NCAA Postseason:	Fresno Regional (3-1) Gainesville Super Regional (0-2)
2008 Final Rank:	14/16
Starters Returning/Lost:	6 (plus two pitchers)/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	11/5
Newcomers:	7

SOFTBALL STAFF

Head Coach:	Diane Ninemire (22nd season, Nebraska-Omaha '80)
Cal/Career Record:	932-457 (entering 2009 season)
Assistant Coach:	John Reeves (16th season, San Jose State '80)
Assistant Coach:	Tammy Lohmann (4th season, Arizona State '97)
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2008 Quick Capsule:

California finished the 2008 season ranked No. 14 according to the final USA Softball/ESPN.com Top 25 collegiate poll. The Bears also finished ranked No. 16 in the final USA Today/NFCA Division I Top 25 Poll.

Cal reached 40-plus wins for the ninth time since 1999 (43-27) and advanced to the NCAA postseason for the 23rd straight time in 2008. The Bears won the Fresno Regional and advanced to their third Super Regional since 2005, and gave the No. 1-ranked Florida Gators all they could handle before bowing out in Gainesville in their best-of-three series. Valerie Arioto did it all for the Bears, leading the team in batting average (.324), runs (55), hits (71) and doubles (17) to earn All-Pac-10 and All-Pacific Region honors. Pitcher Marissa Drewrey won 29 games in the circle with over 300 strikeouts en route to all-conference and all-region accolades. Cal set a team record with 279 RBI as well.

2009 California Softball Roster
As of January 15, 2009

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown/Previous School
00	Brittany LaRosa	P/1B	R/R	5-9	Jr	2V	Diamond Bar, Calif./ Diamond Bar HS
1	Frani Echavarria	OF	L/R	5-6	Fr	HS	Riverside, Calif./Martin Luther King HS
3	Jamia Reid	OF	L/R	5-4	Fr	HS	Buena Park, Calif./Kennedy HS
4	Shannon Houston	OF	R/R	5-4	Jr	2V	New Egypt, N.J./ New Egypt HS
5	Elia Reid	OF	R/R	5-4	Fr	HS	Buena Park, Calif./Kennedy HS
7	Nikki Schrey	Utl.	R/R	5-7	R-Jr.	HS	Fresno, Calif./St. Mary's College
8	Lauren Bauer	IF	R/R	5-10	Jr	1V	Livermore, Calif./ UC Riverside
11	Marissa Drewrey	P	R/R	6-3	Jr	2V	Oakdale, Calif./ Oakdale HS
12	Vernae Sevilla	IF	R/R	5-7	Jr	2V	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./ RCHS
15	Carrie Arth	IF	R/R	5-6	Sr	1V	Alameda, Calif./ San Francisco St.
19	Sati Houston	C	R/R	5-5	So	TR	San Francisco, Calif./SF City College
20	Valerie Arioto	Utl.	R/R	5-7	So	1V	Pleasanton, Calif./ Foothill HS
21	Bernice Masaniai	Utl.	R/R	5-5	Jr	2V	Stanton, Calif./Rancho Alamitos HS
22	Amy Bishop	IF	R/R	5-8	Fr	HS	Glendale, Calif./Glendale HS
23	Taylor Kelly	SS	R/R	5-8	Jr	2V	Santee, Calif./ Santana HS
24	Shannon Thomas	IF	L/R	5-2	Jr	TR	Antioch, Calif./Texas
25	Sanoe Kekahuna	Utl.	R/R	5-9	So	1V	Maui, Hawaii/ H.P. Baldwin HS
45	Gina Leomiti	OF	R/R	5-6	Sr	3V	San Diego, Calif./ Mira Mesa HS

Head Coach: Diane Ninemire, 22nd season

Assistant Coaches: John Reeves (16th season), Tammy Lohmann (4th season)

2008 Cal Softball
Overall Statistics for California (as of Dec 08, 2008)
(All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 43-27 Home: 11-5 Away: 5-15 Neutral: 27-7 Pac-10: 7-14

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
Arioto, Valerie	.324	70-70	219	55	71	17	4	2	29	102	.466	48	0	51	1	.444	1	0	14-16	57	22	2	.975
Leomiti, Gina	.321	67-67	187	46	60	12	0	8	50	96	.513	35	7	23	0	.443	1	7	8-9	55	1	1	.982
Kekahuna, Sanoe	.299	70-69	201	34	60	15	1	8	46	101	.502	20	5	43	5	.374	1	0	4-7	387	19	6	.985
Vickers, Katie	.290	67-65	183	16	53	4	0	1	22	60	.328	18	0	24	2	.348	3	7	2-2	58	112	14	.924
Masaniai, Bernice	.280	69-68	211	28	59	12	0	7	45	92	.436	22	4	35	2	.356	2	0	2-2	8	1	0	1.000
Racklin, Erika	.258	70-70	221	45	57	2	0	0	10	59	.267	8	2	66	0	.289	1	13	28-32	59	2	4	.938
Kelly, Taylor	.252	53-47	103	19	26	1	0	1	10	30	.291	29	0	19	0	.417	0	2	3-3	65	63	24	.842
Hensley, Savannah	.250	39-5	12	13	3	1	0	0	2	4	.333	2	1	3	0	.400	0	1	1-2	1	4	2	.714
LaRosa, Brittany	.231	27-14	26	1	6	1	0	0	6	7	.269	0	0	6	0	.231	0	0	0-0	6	16	0	1.000
Sevilla, Vernae	.221	54-53	149	10	33	5	0	1	17	41	.275	9	2	17	1	.273	1	4	1-1	100	91	11	.946
Meyer, Julie	.213	68-67	164	20	35	3	0	6	24	56	.341	27	8	46	0	.352	0	3	0-0	447	25	3	.994
Arth, Carrie	.200	26-8	25	6	5	1	0	1	3	9	.360	2	1	8	0	.286	0	0	0-0	8	8	4	.800
Camara, Heather	.200	12-5	15	1	3	1	0	0	2	4	.267	4	0	4	0	.368	0	0	0-0	52	7	0	1.000
Houston, Shannon	.183	57-39	93	21	17	1	1	1	11	23	.247	13	3	24	0	.303	0	5	10-10	74	46	6	.952
Bauer, Lauren	.125	23-4	16	3	2	1	0	1	2	6	.375	3	0	6	1	.263	0	1	0-0	5	8	2	.867
Drewrey, Marissa	.000	55-48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	6	43	1	.980
Totals	.268	70	1825	318	490	77	6	37	279	690	.378	240	33	375	12	.362	10	43	73-84	1388	468	80	.959
Opponents	.227	70	1748	197	397	56	5	20	181	523	.299	263	35	464	5	.339	6	56	75-85	1370	564	82	.959

LOB - Team (466), Opp (526). DPs turned - Team (17), Opp (26). IBB - Team (2), Arioto 2, Opp (17). Picked off - Masaniai 1, Kelly 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
Arioto, Valerie	1.93	8-3	30	8	2	1/2	1	87.0	60	37	24	57	105	5	0	5	.186	12	8	0	0	9
Drewrey, Marissa	1.94	29-19	55	48	33	11/0	1	314.0	274	115	87	157	312	40	5	12	.233	20	24	0	5	41
LaRosa, Brittany	4.20	6-5	24	14	1	0/2	0	61.2	63	45	37	49	47	11	0	3	.255	7	3	0	1	6
Totals	2.24	43-27	70	70	36	14/2	2	462.2	397	197	148	263	464	56	5	20	.227	39	35	0	6	56
Opponents	3.57	27-43	70	70	37	5/0	3	456.2	490	318	233	240	375	77	6	37	.268	34	33	4	10	43

PB - Team (19), Meyer 13, Camara 6, Opp (15). Pickoffs - Team (2), Meyer 1, Arioto 1, Opp (2). SBA/ATT - Meyer (69-77), Drewrey (49-56), Arioto (15-18), LaRosa (11-11), Camara (6-8).

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Overall Statistics for California (as of Dec 08, 2008)
(All games Sorted by Fielding pct)

Player	c	po	a	e	fld%	dp	sba	csb	sba%	pb	ci
Camara, Heather	59	52	7	0	1.000	0	6	2	.750	6	0
LaRosa, Brittany	22	6	16	0	1.000	0	11	0	1.000	0	0
Masaniai, Bernice	9	8	1	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
Meyer, Julie	475	447	25	3	.994	0	69	8	.896	13	0
Kekahuna, Sanoë	412	387	19	6	.985	11	0	0	---	0	0
Leomiti, Gina	57	55	1	1	.982	0	0	0	---	0	0
Drewrey, Marissa	50	6	43	1	.980	1	49	7	.875	0	0
Arioto, Valerie	81	57	22	2	.975	0	15	3	.833	0	0
Houston, Shannon	126	74	46	6	.952	4	0	0	---	0	0
Sevilla, Vernae	202	100	91	11	.946	3	0	0	---	0	0
Racklin, Erika	65	59	2	4	.938	1	0	0	---	0	0
Vickers, Katie	184	58	112	14	.924	5	0	0	---	0	0
Bauer, Lauren	15	5	8	2	.867	1	0	0	---	0	0
Kelly, Taylor	152	65	63	24	.842	1	0	0	---	0	0
Arth, Carrie	20	8	8	4	.800	0	0	0	---	0	0
Hensley, Savannah	7	1	4	2	.714	0	0	0	---	0	0
Totals	1936	1388	468	80	.959	17	75	10	.882	19	0
Opponents	2016	1370	564	82	.959	26	73	11	.869	15	0